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ECONOMIC SURVIVAL 101

A series of FREE WORKSHOPS on everything from financial literacy & savings to resume writing and social media networking.

Register today and win!

The first 150 families to register and attend 1 workshop will win a **\$10 gas card!**

The first 150 families to register and attend 3 workshops will win an **additional \$10 gas card!**

Come to five workshops and be entered into a drawing to win one of three **\$500 scholarships** to Kent State University at Ashtabula!

All workshops are FREE and open to the public!

Please register in advance by calling Sandy at 415-1529, e-mailing sbeebe1@kent.edu, or visit us at www.ashtabula.kent.edu/funds.

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Economic Survival 101

Housing and Weatherization Program

Learn how to save money on heating and cooling by making changes that will weatherize your home. Your family may qualify for a free weatherization.

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
Wednesday 1/20/10	2:00pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Community Action
*Monday 1/25/10	7:00pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Community Action
*Saturday 1/30/10	11:00am	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Community Action

Ohio Benefit Bank and Free Tax Filing

Would you like to find out if you are qualified for State benefits?
Please call 211 to determine eligibility and receive a list of what documents you will need.

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
Monday 1/25 through Thursday 1/28/10	TBD	Mobile van-call 211 for details	Ohio Benefit Bank
Wednesday 2/24 and Thursday 2/25/10	TBD	Mobile van-call 211 for details	Ohio Benefit Bank
Thursday 3/11/10	2:00pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Certified Benefit Bank Trainers
*Tuesday 3/23/10	5:30pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Certified Benefit Bank Trainers

Exploring Your Relationship with Money

Tired of your love/hate relationship with spending and saving?
This workshops explores your relationship with money by looking at your attitudes and how to adjust them to make your money work for you!

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
*Saturday 1/23/10	1:00pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Joan Steidl
*Tuesday 2/09/10	7:00pm	KSUA Health and Science Building, Lecture Hall	Joan Steidl
Saturday 4/24/09	10:00am	Grand Valley Library	Joan Steidl

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Budget to Reduce Debt and Save for your Future

Need help budgeting, and planning for the future? Have your financial circumstances changed recently and you need help re-evaluating your budget? This is the workshop for you!

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
Wednesday 2/10/10	5:00pm	Country Neighbor Orwell	Andover Bank
*Saturday 2/20/10	10:00am	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Andover Bank
Wednesday 3/31/10	6:30pm	Jefferson Memorial Library	Andover Bank
Monday 4/12/10	2:00 pm	Conneaut Public Library	Andover Bank

Understanding and Managing Your Credit

Confused about all the fine print in your credit card statement? Worried about your credit score? Let the experts sort through the confusing jargon and set you on a path to an A+ credit score.

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
Tuesday 2/16/10	6:30pm	Lodge and Conference Center at Geneva-on-the-Lake	Andover Bank
*Monday 3/1/10	6:30pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Andover Bank
Wednesday 4/21/10	6:30pm	Jefferson Memorial Library	Andover Bank

Navigating Loans and Retirement

Let one of our experts guide you through car loans, mortgages, retirement packages and more!

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
Saturday 3/13/10	1:00pm	Jefferson Memorial Library	Andover Bank
*Thursday 4/22/10	6:30pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Andover Bank
Tuesday 5/4/10	6:30pm	Conneaut Public Library	Andover Bank

Understanding Investments

Investing can be complicated. This general overview will enhance your knowledge of diverse investment options and help differentiate between low and high risk investment options.

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
*Thursday 2/18/10	6:30pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Andover Bank
Wednesday 4/28/10	6:30pm	Lodge and Conference Center at Geneva-on-the-Lake	Andover Bank

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Resume and Interviewing Skills

Would you like to update your resume or brush up on your interview skills?
Let the professionals from Job Source help you get ready to be hired!

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
Monday 2/22/10	2:00pm	KSUA Main Hall, Room A221	Job Source
*Tuesday 3/2/10	7:00pm	KSUA Health and Science Building Lecture Hall	Job Source
Wednesday 3/24/09	2:00pm	Jefferson Memorial Library	Job Source

Social Networking and Internet Training

Learn the latest trends in on-line job recruiting and networking
and how to use the internet more effectively.

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
*Thursday 3/18/10	6:30pm	KSUA Health and Science Building Lecture Hall	Deb Murphy
Friday 3/26/10	1:00pm	KSUA Library, Room L217	Deb Murphy
Tuesday 4/06/10	1:00pm	KSUA Library, Room L217	Deb Murphy

Financial Aid for Higher Education

Going to college or have a child that will be entering college in the Fall? Learn the tricks of the trade from an expert Financial Aid Counselor!

Date	Time	Location	Presenter
*Thursday 5/6/10	6:00pm	KSUA Library, Room L217	KSUA Financial Aid Counselors
Tuesday 5/18/10	2:00pm	KSUA Library, Room L217	KSUA Financial Aid Counselors

Related Workshops

Provided by Other United Way Partner Agencies

Although not funded by the "Economic Survival 101" funds, the following workshops cover topics that relate to financial stability and understanding.
Contact the sponsoring agency for more information and registration.

Date	Time	Topic	Agency
Tuesdays 2/2/10 to 3/9/10	6:00pm	Home Management Skills	Ashtabula County Children's Services

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