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Facing Foreclosure workshop offered

Macomb County residents facing a home-ownership crisis are encouraged to attend a free, facing foreclosure workshop offered by Macomb County MSU Extension (MSUE).

The workshop will run from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 15, and will cover how to choose whether to keep, sell or let your home be foreclosed, important timelines to follow and helpful resources available to homeowners.

It will be held at the MSU Extension's Assembly Room B, 21885 Dunham Road in Clinton Township.

Registration is required. For more information or to register, call 586-469-6430.

Parents can learn to start childcare business

Macomb County parents interested in starting their own childcare business are encouraged to attend a free 36-hour childcare business program offered by Macomb County MSU Extension (MSUE).

The program is designed to give interested adults the knowledge, skills and tools to be competent caregivers of other people's children and succeed as a business owner.

Topics covered by the training include:

- Getting started in childcare
- Child development
- Child abuse and neglect

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- Positive discipline
- Play and early learning
- Health and safety
- Nutrition
- Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR)
- Business and professional development

The programs run from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Fridays Jan. 18 and 25, and Feb. 1, 8, 15 and 22 in assembly rooms A and B in the VerKuilen Building, 21885 Dunham Road in Clinton Township.

Registration is required as space is limited. For more information or to register, call Jean Lakin at 586-307-8952.

Macomb MSU Extension offers Money Management program

Macomb County residents who want to get their finances in order or make home-ownership a reality are encouraged to attend a free, eight-week series of classes on managing personal finances.

Participants will learn how to clean up their credit, basic financial management skills, how to save for a down payment on a home and how to make their home-ownership a success.

Classes will be held from 6:30 to 9 p.m. on Thursdays, Jan. 17, 24, 31, Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28 and March 6. They will be held at the Mount Calvary Community Center, 8129 Packard Ave. in Warren.

Participants who attend all the classes and complete all the course work will receive a certificate of completion at the end of the series.

Registration is required. For more information or to register, call 586-469-6430.

For more information on any of the Macomb MSUE community programs including Children-Youth-Family, Agriculture and Natural Resources or Community and Economic Development, please call 586-469-5180, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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