

Taft Tidings

Meet Our Service Assistants:

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Q.) When did you start working at The Taft?

A.) July 4th weekend of 2009.

Q.) What do you enjoy most about working at The Taft?

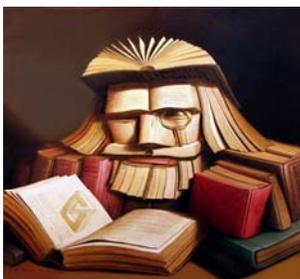
A.) The ghosts (jokingly).

Q.) How do you like to go "the extra mile" when working at The Taft?

A.) I try and treat everyone with respect and attention.

Q.) What do you like to do when you are not working at The Taft?

A.) I like to think of myself as a scholar, so I read & study quite a bit.



The Taft In Real Time

Very soon, The Taft will be on Facebook & Twitter. Please keep in mind that these two applications are not for service requests, service emergencies, or office business. More info to follow.....



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Emergency Number:

The maintenance emergency phone number is 877-472-7532. You should ONLY call if an emergency occurs when the office is closed. Examples: no water or electricity, a leak, a clogged toilet for a one bathroom apartment, no heat on an extremely cold day or no AC on an extremely hot day. In case of fire phone 911

Changing Faces

By now, summer plans should be underway for us all. Between June and August, many new faces will be appearing in The Taft. We bid goodbye to some familiar faces and wish them well with all of their future endeavors. We would like to welcome all newcomers and hope that your stay will be pleasant here at The Taft!

100 YEARS!

As many of you might already know, The Taft will be turning *One Hundred Years old on January 1, 2012*. We would like to celebrate this milestone throughout the 2012 year and we want to hear from you, our residents. What should we have? What should we do? What... where... how...to celebrate The Taft's 100th birthday? Suggestions can be brought by the office or left in the drop slot at the front desk in the grand lobby.



Store - It

If anyone needs extra storage space now, or over the summer, there is a solution: The Taft's self-service mini-storage facility, located on floor SC, has availability with prices starting at \$50/month. This storage facility is available for residents as well as non-residents. See Jason in the office for further details.

Maintenance Corner

The Taft would like to congratulate Nick Downing & our Taft Maintenance Tech Joel for winning the rate-your-maintenance drawing for May. Nick will receive a \$25 gift card to The Taft business of his choice. When you have placed a service request, be sure to complete a rate-your-maintenance card & return it to the office or the drop slot at the front desk for your chance to win.

Downtown New Haven Events

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New Haven & The Sea in History: A Lecture by Gaddis Smith

Join the New Haven Colony Historical Society and New Haven Museum as Gaddis Smith, Larned Professor Emeritus of History at Yale University and expert on maritime history, discusses how the harbor has played a role in New Haven's development. This lecture is part of the New Haven Museum's month-long celebration of the city's sailing tradition. Free Admission. **Tuesday, June 7, 2011 @ 6pm.**
For info go to newhavenmuseum.org

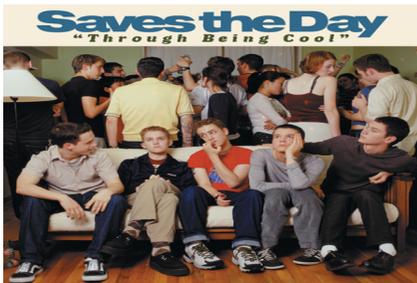
The 16th annual International Festival of Arts & Ideas will be held throughout New Haven beginning June 11 - 25, 2011. The mission of the International Festival of Arts & Ideas is to create an internationally renowned festival in New Haven of the highest quality with world-class artists, thinkers and leaders, attracting and engaging a broad and diverse audience celebrating and building community and advancing economic development.. The Festival's ambitious music, dance, and theater programs fill New Haven with renowned international stars, newly-discovered artists, and a number of U.S. and world premieres each season. The eclectic ideas program offers a mix of serious, controversial, and whimsical topics, all designed to inspire new ways of thinking. The Festival also features plenty of family-friendly events. It continues to make more than 80% of Festival events free to the public, including some of the most prestigious opera, jazz, classical, rock, folk and fusion music in the world. For more information please visit: www.artidea.org.

Audubon Arts on the Edge

On Saturday, June 4, from 12-5pm, families with children of all ages will descend on Audubon Street (between Whitney Avenue and Orange Street) for Audubon Arts on the Edge, an afternoon of free, family-oriented music and dance performances, hands-on arts-and-crafts activities, and interactive educational programs. For the 166th consecutive year, the Audubon Arts District celebrates all that the neighborhood's arts and educational institutions, galleries, and retailers have to offer the Greater New Haven community.

Toad's Place

- The Wailers - The Uprising Tour
June 2nd @ 9pm.
- The Get Up Kids & Saves The Day - June 9th @ 7:30pm.
- Hatebreed - June 17th @ 8pm.
- Shakedown - June 24th @ 8:30pm.
- Kicking Daisies - June 26th @ 2pm.



Billy Gardell works hard. He has no choice. He's from Pittsburgh. Hard work is the honor code in Pittsburgh, and Gardell lives by it. Good thing too, because Billy isn't your average Hollywood success story. No GQ genetics, no family in the business, no coattails to ride.

Shubert Theater In June Billy Gardell

Comedian **Billy Gardell**, the star of CBS' hit sitcom MIKE & MOLLY, brings his stand-up comedy to the Shubert Theater! Billy's current stand-up tour comes on the heels of his one-hour Comedy Central stand-up special – BILLY GARDELL: HALFTIME. Billy isn't your average Hollywood success story. No GQ genetics, no family in the business, no coattails to ride. He took the long road to get here, stopping at every small town honky-tonk, military base, and comedy club along the way. Anywhere he could find a live audience. Billy's stand-up is for the everyman – on stage he rants about modern life, everything from new medicine and hand sanitizers to the rules of marriage, parenting and technology overload. On stage, it's just Billy and a microphone and his thoughts.

June 18, 2011 @ 8:00pm