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# U.S. STEEL TOWER TOWER Notes

### Paddling for a Cause

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and Winthrop Management is teaming up with Pittsburgh Hearts of Steel, a nonprofit breast cancer organization, to raise awareness through the sport of dragon boat paddling. Launched on the Allegheny River in May 2017, this group of gritty and courageous survivors competes in races around the world today.

Members from Hearts of Steel will be in the Upper Lobby on October 3rd, from 11am to 1pm to answer questions and demonstrate their skills. Ready for a challenge? Jump on a rower and test your endurance against the Hearts of Steel Dragon Boat Team. To learn more about Pittsburgh Hearts of Steel, **click here.** 

You can support your neighbors, friends and loved ones impacted by breast cancer by making a donation. Scan the QR code on the right to donate in honor of a

survivor or a loved one lost to breast cancer. When you donate, a ribbon with your name will be added to our board of recognition in the Upper Lobby throughout the month of October.



### **Follow Us on Facebook**

The tower now has its own Facebook (Meta) page! Scan the QR code on the right to follow us and get the latest news on tower events and happenings.

Feeling brave this spooky season? Like and follow U.S. Steel Tower's Facebook page and you could win escape room tickets for up to eight people. We'll announce the winner on October 25th on – you guessed it – our Facebook page.



## Remembering Joe

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of the tower's beloved engineer, Joseph "Joe" Hajek, after a two-year battle with cancer. Joe joined the general maintenance team in August of 2016 and continued to work throughout his illness.



An avid animal lover and outdoorsman, Joe will be remembered for his infectious smile, willingness to help others, strong work ethic, and love for family. We'll think of him fondly each time we see the green Adirondack chairs on the plaza that he designed and built with his team.

Rest in peace, Joe. Thank you for always making our days brighter.





#### **Downtown Beer Garden Entertainment**

Check out the U.S. Steel Tower app for this month's entertainment schedule, starting with Eddie Erwin on September 4th. Then, join your friends and colleagues on the plaza for the sweet sounds of summer from 4 to 6pm.

#### **Oktoberfest is Almost Here!**

Come down to the Brew Gentlemen's Downtown Beer Garden on Thursday, September 19th, from 3 to 7pm for our Oktoberfest celebration.

Sip your favorite brew in a festive atmosphere with German/Bavarian party music from Pittsburgh's own The Heritage Band (formerly AutoBahn) and German fare provided by Wiener World. Be sure to come early for a free pretzel from The Pretzel Shop while supplies last.

And don't miss out on the fun, friendly competition – beer stein races and beer stein holding. Be the best and win great prizes and bragging rights.

#### Join us for Hub Huddle

Water Cooler Wednesdays are back – with a new name and lots of fun, including a little friendly competition among tenants.

- Sept. 11 Dessert Tasting: Indulge in a variety of sweet treats to satisfy your cravings.
- Sept. 18 Oktoberfest Trivia: Brush up on your German beer knowledge to win great prizes. Prost!
- **Sept. 25** It's Fall Y'all! Get in the mood with pumpkin spice coffee, snacks and a friendly game of Bingo.



#### **Company of the Month**

Congratulations to our company of the month, U.S. Steel! We invite all U.S. Steel employees at the tower to come in and enjoy:

- A private group team-building workout
- Join with no initiation fee (a \$25 value)
- Any two nutrition products for \$4
- Two Free Burn classes
- One Free 30-minute PT session

#### September Member Special

Check out these special offers to kick off your post-summer workout routine:

- · Initiation fee waived for new members
- Try out our locker/laundry service free for one month
- 10% off any personal training or BURN class package

Stop by the gym for all the details.

