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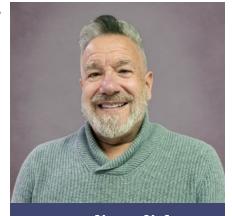
Education & Events Administrator <u>tadams@STAR.Realtor</u> October 2022

President's Message

October is upon us. Fall is here and so is Halloween. Belonging to STAR is not a "Trick" but an amazing "Treat". I hope all of you attended our R-Day Vendor Fair & Annual Business Meeting. R-day is our biggest event of the year, and we look forward to seeing those who missed this year in 2023!

Elections are right around the corner. Please make sure all of you have registered to vote and please VOTE. The Legislative Committee has been busy interviewing numerous candidates. Thank you to our GAD, Kayla for working hard on arranging candidate interviews and gathering information for us.

I would like to take the opportunity to recognize the rest of our amazing Leadership Team who handle the day to day operations for STAR. Thank you Education & Administrator Trisha; Attorney Mark Rodio's class was truly enjoyable and most of all, entertaining. I know that Trisha is working on numerous other continuing education classes. Shout out to Heather Pyers, for being a great membership leader. She definitely has a difficult job making sure dues, etc are current and reports are made to NAR, OR, and MLS-NOW. And of course, our CEO Collene Burgess, you keep us all on track and in touch, but most of all, you and your leadership team have



Marlin Palich 2022 STAR President

created a welcoming and inclusive environment.

Please everyone, join committee and become involved. We want and need your input. This merger of 2 likeminded Boards of REALTORS®, that was created, gives us power on the Local, State, and National level. Being licensed now over 44+ years, I am so honored to be part of this wonderful board and I want to thank all of you for your help and support, but remember, we want all of you to engage. We are as strong as our members. We are here to serve our members. Become involved EVERYONE - Be safe and Be well.

Upcoming Classes & Events

OCT 12 RPAC Major Investor Event 4 pm - 7pm

1899 Golf Speakeasy Room

4700 Everhard Rd NW, Canton, OH 44720

OCT 13 1 Hr Elective CE | "Home Warranties: the Good the

Bad & the not so Pretty"

11:00 am - 12:00 pm w/ Nancy Douglas

Warren STAR Office

OCT 18 SHAKER at M BAR 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

5260 Dressler Rd, Canton, OH 44718

OCT 21 Conversations with a Congressman 12 pm - 1:15 pm

> w/ Congressman Bill Johnson Arrowhead Golf and Banquet Center

1500 Rogwin Circle SW, North Canton, OH 44720

OCT 27

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STAR Membership Report | September 2022

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Membership & Communications
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New Salespersons

Amanda Bennett, BHHS Stouffer Realty Alan Nogle, BHHS Stouffer Realty Benjamin Wirick, eXp Realty Christopher Allchin, eXp Realty Christopher Hadden, CB Schmidt Realty Daniel Wiery, Century 21 HomeStar Gabrielle Mahin, BHHS Stouffer Realty lleana Mihalteanu, CB Schmidt Realty Jay Smith, BHHS Stouffer Realty Joel Gladysz, Cutler Real Estate Juliet Hull, Keller Williams Legacy Group Kayla Stillion, Berkshire Hathaway HomeService Kyle Shepherd, Keller Williams Legacy Group Lacey Hoover, Cutler Real Estate Mark Kovac, Michael Ranalli, McDowell Homes Real Estate

Office Transfers

Zinaido Ciobanu, DeHoff Realtors

Amy McConnell, Keller Williams Legacy Group Bethany Shackle, RE/MAX Edge Realty Caleigh Cerveny, Keller Williams Legacy Group Chad Milligan, Howard Hanna Clarence Smith IV, Howard Hanna Emily Levitt, Howard Hanna Eric Waldrop, DeHoff Realtors

Office Transfers cont.

Kaitlyn Riggle, RE/MAX Edge Realty
Lauren Latimer, RE/MAX Trends Realty
Michelle Natoli, Keller Williams Legacy Group
Nathan Serafini, eXp Realty
Robert Shackle, RE/MAX Edge Realty

New Affiliate Member / Office

Toby Hoy | Success Lending, LLC Bill Damm | Wesbanco Anne Schorr | Wesbanco Lisa Houck | Wesbanco

New Secondary Membership

Caleigh Cerveny, Keller Williams Legacy Group

Membership Cancellations

Adam Moran
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Bradley Curlutu
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Claudia Hinderer
Daniel Makara
Danielle Pierce
David Vogel

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Destinee Salman

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Chili Cook-Off Wrap-Up!

We had a GREAT Time at the Chili Cook-off. If you missed it, plan to attend next year!

Chili Winners (left to right)
1st Place - Amy McConnell
2nd Place - Emily Levitt-lero
3rd Place - Donna Pugh

Congratulations to all the winners and thank you to our wonderful STAR Affiliates!









Wednesday, October 12th from 4 pm - 7 pm

FREE for Major Investors OR \$100 RPAC Contribution for all other Members

1899 Golf Speakeasy Room 4700 Everhard Rd. NW Canton, OH 44720

Questions & RSVP: Kayla Atchison (330) 494-5630 or email katchison@STAR.Realtor

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Monthly Market Snapshot

September 2022 MLS Statistics for Stark Carroll & Trumbull Counties

New Listings



548 - Stark

32 - Carroll

261 - Trumbull



Average Sales Price



\$ 199,111 - Stark

\$ 204,778 - Carroll

\$ 164,868 - Trumbull

Average Days on Market



34 - Stark

40 - Carroll

48 - Trumbull

Homes Sold



351 - Stark

28 - Carroll

175 - Trumbull

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Rumble in Trumbull

Locations & Dates to be announced SOON!



After Dark in Stark

February 22 at MBAR

5260 Dressler Road, Canton, OH 44718

April 26 at Jerzees Cafe

330 Court Ave NW, Canton, OH 44702

June 28 at Jerzees Cafe

330 Court Ave NW, Canton, OH 44702

October 18 at MBAR

5260 Dressler Road, Canton, OH 44718

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October 21, 2022

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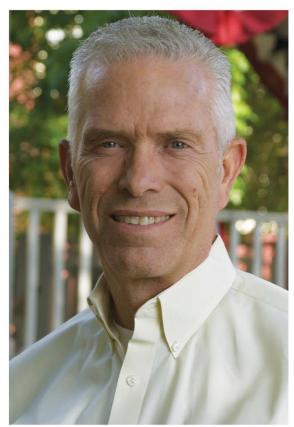
The Stark Trumbull Area REALTORS® (STAR) Legislative Affairs Committee invites you to attend our Lunch Event

Arrowhead Golf and Banquet Center

1500 Rogwin Cir. SW. North Canton, OH 44720

12:00 pm 12:15 pm 1:15 pm

Lunch Congressman Johnson End of programming



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The GAD's Corner...

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As REALTORS® it is important to invest in the communities that one works, lives, and makes a living. On August 26th the Stark Trumbull Area REALTORS® Community Outreach committee participated in a Habitat for Humanity build day where we invested in the lives of the Ray Family of Massillon. This program works to provide affordable housing for individuals and families who complete a rigorous 18 month financial and home- making program.



There is a growing need for affordable housing throughout the region, state, and country due to rising interest rates and stagnant building. A recent University of Cincinnati study shows a market disequilibrium in



workforce housing which is defined as housing affordable between 60 and 120% of an area's median income. As we work to find policy solutions, Habitat for Humanity stands in the gap providing a hand up and an opportunity for multi-generational wealth through homeownership. At Stark Trumbull Area REALTORS® we welcome the opportunity to work alongside regional partners to help protect and promote the American Dream of homeownership. To learn more about the mission and volunteer opportunities with Habitat for Humanity of East Central Ohio visit https://www.habitateco.org/why-housing-matters.



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Introverts vs. Extroverts: Who's Really Better at Sales?

It's a common assumption that more outgoing individuals make stronger salespeople. But what does psychological science have to say about it?

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You don't have to be a "people person" to succeed in sales. If your natural tendency is to be more quiet and reflective rather than talkative and outgoing, you can be just as successful in real estate—maybe even better, says Andy Johnson, a licensed counselor and author of Introvert Revolution. Johnson's work has centered on debunking common myths about introverts in the workplace.

People with extroverted personalities have long been assumed to be the most wired for sales jobs. Networking, prospecting, selfpromotional marketing, and face-to-face meetings tend to come easier for social butterflies than wallflowers. But don't underestimate the introvert; their quietness and introspection can offer distinct advantages in a real estate career.

Luckily, most people fall in between being introverted and extroverted, says researcher Adam Grant, a best-selling author on workplace success and a professor of psychology at the University of Pennsylvania. Grant says it's beneficial for workers to learn where they fall on the introversion-extroversion spectrum so they're aware of their tendencies. "Many people may not be aware that their personality traits are flexible," he says. "I think of personality more like an anchor, with a freedom to pursue new possibilities without drifting too far."

Making Your Personality Work in Real Estate

Whether introverted, extroverted, or ambiverted, you can carve your path to success in the industry. Identify your personality traits, and learn which skill sets come more naturally to you and which ones you may need to adopt in certain situations. Here's how to improve on your shortcomings.

Introverts: What kinds of situations do you avoid because you feel you need to be extroverted to be successful? Is this jeopardizing your business in any way? Introverts can rehearse sales pitches or common customer objections to gain confidence and prepare for real-life encounters. If your introverted tendencies are standing in the way of growing your business, consider teaming up with an extroverted agent. Your teammate can attend networking mixers while you develop online marketing campaigns, delegating work you each excel at, Johnson says.

Extroverts: Do you dominate conversations? Are you building deeper relationships with clients? Are you truly listening or just thinking of how you plan to reply? Extroverts may need to pay more attention to how much they're talking in a conversation and remind themselves to ask questions and listen more.

1. Play to your strengths. For example, networking is crucial to build your business, but you can do other activities than attending mixers if that doesn't fit your personality, Johnson says. Introverts tend to be better at written communications, so they can concentrate on



blogging and social media when it comes to client outreach. "Know the different set of skills you bring, and don't hide them," Johnson says. Extroverts, on the other hand, may be more successful at hosting buyer and seller seminars or sponsoring community events.

- 2. Don't fake it. Introverts, in particular, may feel the need to conform to extroverted expectations in the workplace, Johnson says. But that can backfire and won't work over the long term. "We can adapt behavior in the moment, but pretending to be someone else can be very exhausting. And why would someone want to hire a real estate professional who is not their authentic self?" Johnson says. "It's all about embracing and reframing your strengths as either an introvert or extrovert."
- 3. Opposites make good teams. Extroverts may bring lots of ideas to the table and talk out loud as they brainstorm. Introverts may bring inquisitive, reflective ideas to help spot solutions. Together, they can make powerful teams. Brokers should be careful not to overlook the skills of an introvert in hiring decisions. Reassess hiring and training processes to maximize the investment in potential sales leaders, according to research from Baylor University's Keller Center for Research. "Your personality matters, but your ability to adapt matters much more," Grant says. "You need to tell yourself, 'I'm not going to be a slave to my traits just because I was built with these tendencies."



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