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### WICKLIFFE 29490 Valley View Drive \$189,900



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CONCORD 7129 Village Drive \$92,000

### WILLOWICK 304 Blissfield Drive \$137,900



Move in ready, 3 bedroom, 2 bath home has been beautifully renotated. The eat in kitchen completely updated with new statiness setel augloraces, granite counter forgs and tile backsplash, also new recessed lighting. Spacious living room has new dark wood flooring throughout the first floor, and wired for an electrical insert in the firsplace. New carget installed in the first floor bedrooms & second story domer. Both bathrooms removated with new list and flooring. The partially finished basement has linoleum flooring. A home warranty is offered, the electrical lox replaced, a new water heater, and new timuze, installed. The serve first from the home to the street have been completely replaced. The back yard has a spacious patio and the two car detached garage with attached work area for the handymar. Point of sale has been completed. See this home quickly as it will not last.

### WICKLIFFE 29256 Beechwood Drive \$107,000



Great south Wickliffe ranch offers a lovely 3 bedroom, 2 full bath, move in condition home. Eat-in kitchen has a newer floor and all appliances both up and downstairs will remain. Newer carpet enhances the living and dining rooms and beautiful hard floors shine in the bedrooms. The basement is finished and ready for your touches to make it a retreat. The electrical breaker box is provided. A covered patio with a stamped concrete pad offers a place to enjoy the nice weather. There is two car detached garage. WEW PRICE

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# Put a Fresh Twist on Tailgating

(Family Features) Add some team spirit to your menu by stepping out of bounds this tailgating season. Score big points with your fellow fans by sharing new apps and snacks that put a special game day spin on traditional favorites. Made with fresh chickpeas and tahini, hummus is the perfect smooth and creamy accompaniment for chips, crackers and veggies. But it's easy to take this delicious dip to a fan frenzy level by using it as an ingredient to reimagine your favorite tailgating treats with an option like Sabra Hummus, which is available in more than a dozen appetizing flavors.

These recipes show you how to add a twist with a pull-apart bread and nudge twice baked potatoes toward fan-favorite status.

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### Spinach and Artichoke Hummus Pull Apart Bread

Recipe courtesy of PoetInThePantry.com

### Nonstick spray

- 2 tubes (8 ounces each) crescent rolls
- 1 container (10 ounces) Sabra Spinach and Artichoke Hummus
- 1 can (14 ounces) quartered artichoke hearts, drained
- 12 cups fresh baby spinach leaves
- 1 cup shredded cheese blend

Heat oven to 350 F. Spray 9-by-5 loaf pan with nonstick spray and set aside.

Lightly spray work surface and carefully unroll 1 tube crescent rolls, so it stays as close as possible to one piece. Pinch seams.

Spread half the hummus over entire surface. Sprinkle with half the artichoke hearts, spinach leaves and cheese blend.

Cut into 8 squares. Prop loaf pan up to vertical then stack 4 squares and place them in loaf pan. Stack remaining 4 squares and place them on top of squares already in pan. Repeat with remaining ingredients.

Bake on center rack 55-60 minutes, or until browned on top and cooked through, rotating pan halfway through bake time.

Place plate over top of pan, invert, then carefully flip over to invert bread. Serve as-is to pull apart, or slice for easier eating.





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### Twice Baked Potato Jackets

Recipe courtesy of Smithbites.com

- 8 small Yukon Gold potatoes
- 1 cup Sabra Classic Hummus salt, to taste pepper, to taste extra-virgin olive oil, for drizzling
- 2 tablespoons chopped rosemary

Heat oven to 425 F.

Scrub potatoes and poke with fork 2-3 times to allow steam to escape while baking.

Place whole potatoes on rimmed sheet pan and bake approximately 25-30 minutes, or until potatoes are soft; cool 10 minutes.

Carefully slice potatoes in half lengthwise; scoop out insides into bowl, leaving 1/4-inch ring of potato around edges.

Lightly mash potato chunks; add hummus and stir until combined. Season mixture with salt and pepper; taste and adjust, if necessary.

Using spoon, divide potato-hummus filling evenly between potato jackets. Drizzle with olive oil and broil 5-7 minutes, or until tops are golden and crispy; watch closely as they will burn quickly.

Remove from broiler and sprinkle with rosemary and pinch of salt. Serve immediately.



### Protect pipes from freezing this winter

Freezing pipes are a concern for homeowners who live in cold climates. When temperatures dip below freezing, the risk that pipes will freeze rises. Should a pipe burst, the damage that results can be extensive and costly.

Any pipe can freeze, but those that are directly exposed to the cold are the most vulnerable. These include pipes that feed outdoor hoses, swimming pool supply lines, pipes in unheated indoor rooms (i.e., basements or garages), and any pipes that run close to the outdoors through uninsulated walls. Water expands as it freezes, and that expansion can place pressure on whatever is trying to contain it — including pipes.

To avoid serious damage, homeowners need to prepare for the arrival of colder weather and be smart about how they protect pipes.

• Drain water from swimming pools and water sprinkler supply lines prior to the onset of cold weather. Drain water before freezing temperatures arrive, and don't forget to drain outdoor garden hoses and store them inside after watering season has come and gone.

• Close indoor water valves that feed outdoor spigots/bibs. Open the spigot outside to allow water to drain out. Keep the outside valve open so that any water that has accumulated will continue to drain and expand outward without damaging the pipe. An insulated bib dome also can help prevent frozen pipes.

• Open cabinet doors to allow heat to reach pipes inside of cabinets. Keep the doors open to spaces that may not be heated or insulated as well as other areas of the home so that heat can find its way inside. Consider wrapping these pipes with an insulating material as well, such as heat tape or pipe sleeves.

• Maintain a consistent thermostat temperature. Ensure the temperature inside your home does not drop below 55 F; otherwise, problems can arise. Use a programmable thermostat to keep the house > SEE PAGE 21





### Improve cyber security at home or work

The Internet plays an integral role in many people's daily lives. The number of Internet users has increased from 738 million in 2000 to 3.2 billion in 2015, according to a new report from the International Telecommunication Union. While spending time online has become second nature, it's important that users remember to prioritize security when spending time online.

Both Google and McAfee estimate that there are roughly 2,000 cyber attacks every day around the world. This costs the global economy around \$460 billion per year. Many people and businesses think they may be doing enough to safeguard against attacks, but they may not be as safe as they could be. Sophisticated hackers can steal data and extort money from vulnerable organizations and individuals. The following are some ways individuals and organizations can safeguard their networks from cyber criminals.

• Employ anti-virus software. Rely on anti-virus software to safeguard against computer viruses and spyware. Keep such software up-to-date as well. Remember to download and install updates as they become available. If you think you'll forget to do so, activate the software's auto-update feature.

• Exercise caution with email. Do not open

emails from unknown senders. Also, be suspicious of unexpected emails that contain attachments, whether you know the sender or not. Employees clicking on email attachments they believe are from trusted sources is "the No. 1 threat for organizations," says Proofpoint's Gary Steele, a secure email specialist.

• Go beyond the firewall. Security breaches are inevitable, warn technology experts, so attention needs to be shifted from just securing main firewalls to developing a lot of smaller roadblocks around data that can't afford to be lost. This involves signing each bit of digital information with a unique code that can stonewall potential hackers. Smaller breaches are easier to manage in businesses because hackers will not take down an entire company. Consult an IT security firm for this type of protection.

• Use off-site protection. Regularly back up your computer data and consider keeping some of it off-site. This makes it easier to retrieve and restore data in the event of a breach.

• Keep passwords protected. Never share passwords with others and change passwords frequently. When selecting passwords, choose > SEE PAGE 21





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comfortable even when you are not home. Individuals who are traveling should set the thermostat so that it will keep the home at the recommended temperature to avoid frozen pipes.

• Open one faucet. When it is very cold outside, particularly at night, let water slowly drip from one faucet to prevent freezing. Choose the sink that is furthest from where water enters the house so water is flowing through all of the pipes to reach that faucet.

• Increase insulation around where pipes enter the house. Use insulating foam to seal any drafts where pipes enter the house from the outdoors.

Frozen pipes cannot always be avoided. Therefore, it is important that everyone in the household knows how to shut off the main water valve in the event a pipe bursts. This can prevent expensive damage to a home.

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hard-to-guess ones that have at least eight characters. Use a mix of letters, cases, numbers and symbols to make passwords harder to crack.

• Use the highest level of security. For applications that connect to the Internet such as browsers, social media, email clients, etc., use the highest level of security setting that will still offer the functionality you need.

• Be aware of mobile threats, too. Many firms enable employees to use their own mobile devices to access company information. IT professionals cannot monitor security settings on mobile devices, and it's best to restrict access to very secure data when accessed remotely.

Cyber security has become a concern for large and small businesses, as well as individuals who rely heavily on the Internet. But there are some simple and effective ways to protect networks and personal devices from cyber criminals.





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### **Simple Steps to Maintain Natural Stone**

(Family Features) Natural stone adds elegance and style to any home. With a nearly endless array of colors, textures and designs, it's easy to create a one-of-a-kind look for your kitchen or bath. However, without proper care, that carefully selected natural stone may quickly start to show wear and tear.

Not only does natural stone lend a beautifully sophisticated aesthetic, it's generally regarded as a practical choice because it's more durable than many other materials. Its resistance to scratches also makes it a more sanitary choice.

However, granite, marble, travertine and other natural-stone and quartz surfaces do require proper care and attention to maintain that luxurious finish. Keep your natural stone in top condition with these tips from the experts at Granite Gold.

Clean often. Even if your surface appears clean, the safest bet is to clean it after every meal preparation. The most miniscule particle could have a detrimental effect on your natural stone. Avoid common cleaners and abrasives. They can break down the protective seal and you could be faced with costly repair or replacement. Also, give special attention to the scrubbing pad you use; many are too abrasive for expensive stone counters and leave unsightly scratches. Leave the sponges and pads you use for pots and pans in the sink and instead rely on scrubbing pads designed specifically for natural stone or look for "non-scratch" on the packaging.

Seal frequently. You cannot over-seal natural stone surfaces. Frequently sealing

granite countertops and all other natural stone surfaces maintains maximum surface protection, penetrating stone surfaces to provide superior, long-lasting resistance to staining, etching and soil buildup. The protective seal is a critical component of natural stone because it prevents harmful substances such as acidic coffee, juice or wine from staining and etching the surface.

If you're not sure whether it's time to reseal, it's easy to test. Pour water (about 3 inches in diameter) on the surface and let it sit for 30 minutes. Be sure to do this in several locations, since the integrity of the seal could vary from one area to another. If the water beads, then the stone remains sealed. However, if the stone is penetrated - signified by a dark mark or ring created by the water - it is time to reseal. Be sure to check closely for etching and stains, as you'll want to fix these issues before the sealant is applied.

Polish regularly. Polishing stone provides two great benefits. First, polishing after cleaning will bring out the stone's natural beauty. Second, it will reinforce the protective seal and provide ongoing protection against water spots and fingerprints. One time-saving but effective solution after sealing is Granite Gold Clean & Shine, which provides the cleaning power of the line's Daily Cleaner and the luster from the Polish in one easy-to-use formula.

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