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## COUNCIL MESSAGE

### **PRESERVING RELATIONSHIPS IN POLARIZED TIMES** BY CRAIG MARGOLIS

I am a modern-day citizen of Montgomery. I crave diversity, whether I am walking into a fast-food restaurant and ordering a meal “my way” or acquiring news to satisfy my curiosity of the world around me.

I do not think I am unique, yet I hear stories of coworkers, family members or even spouses getting into intense arguments about government policy or put succinctly politics in general because the other, holds a view opposite their own.

That is a startling statement today, where disagreements produce cries of “you are the enemy” or even that your viewpoint is not valid. We Americans are much more politically divided than at any point in the last two decades according to such esteemed pollsters as PEW Research.

Partisan animosity has increased, which at times makes it difficult to have a conversation without it evolving into a shouting match. Have we collectively lost the ability to be civil, understanding, and even compassionate with friends and our fellow residents? Your City Council would like to offer an alternate way to engage those conversations.

City Council along with the City of Montgomery Diversity and Inclusion Commission will be embarking on a journey, learning how to have difficult conversations, while remaining civil and respectful. We will be partnering with a citizen led group called Braver Angels.

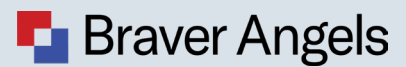
As discovered in post-workshop surveys, among 1,800 participants in workshops directed by Braver Angels found that about 79% of the participants felt that they better understood “the experiences, feelings, and beliefs of those on the other side,” and that they, in turn, felt better understood. About 75% of participants felt less angry and less estranged toward those on the other side following the workshops, and about 80% felt that they were “more able to start constructive conversations” with them (Braver Angels, 2018).

Montgomery government, while not able to solve every individual problem, is attempting to provide tools and roadmaps assisting residents with mental health issues, examples of how to embrace those who do not look like us, and now how to empathize with those who do not hold the same opinions as we do.

This is one of the tasks I am delighted to work on, to continue this long march of those who worked on council’s past, to make our community a better place to live. To solve our myriad issues, we must continue the movement from the divisive to the civil.

I do not believe we can solve these types of issues unless we engage with you, our residents, unless we learn together that each and every one of us has a unique angle on our future path. Many times, there is no wrong way, there are simply better ways to solve a problem.

Please join the journey with us to make this the year you have control of how you respond and interact to difficult conversations, engage with us together.

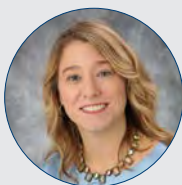


Watch for information about the City Council and D&I Commission’s Workshop.

## COUNCIL MEMBERS



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## COUNCIL CORNER

### OCTOBER 19, 2022 WORK SESSION

Montgomery City Council met in its regular monthly Work Session on Wednesday, October 19, 2022, at City Hall. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m., with public comment welcomed on each item before City Council.

#### Pending Legislation

**An Ordinance** Accepting Dedicated Streets Within The City (3<sup>rd</sup> Reading)

**An Ordinance** To Make Appropriations for Current Expenses and Other Expenditures of the City of Montgomery, State of Ohio During the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2023 (2<sup>nd</sup> Reading)

**An Ordinance** For The Allocation of Earnings Tax Revenues and Amending Section 44.14 of The Montgomery Code of Ordinances (2<sup>nd</sup> Reading)

#### New Legislation

**A Resolution** Authorizing The City Manager To Accept The Proposed 2023-2024 Option Years With Rumpke Of Ohio, Inc.

**A Resolution** Accepting the Transfer of Real Property from the Montgomery Community Improvement Corporation and Designating such property as a Municipal Park and Recreation Area

**A Resolution** Authorizing the City Manager to Contract with Think Patented for Design and Production Services of the Monthly Bulletin and Annual Calendar

**A Resolution** Authorizing the City Manager to enter into an Agreement with the State of Ohio, Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) for grant funds associated with construction of a public park within the Montgomery Quarter project site

### RECENT COUNCIL ACTION

#### Approved Legislation

##### October 5, 2022

##### RESOLUTION 30 2022

**A Resolution** Accepting the Amounts and Rates as Determined by The Budget Commission and Authorizing the Necessary Tax Levies and Certifying Them to The County Auditor

##### RESOLUTION 31 2022

**A Resolution** Authorizing An Agreement With The Ohio Department Of Transportation For Bridge Inspection Services

##### RESOLUTION 32 2022

**A Resolution** Approving The Use Of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds For Reporting And Compliance To The U.S. Treasury Department For Fiscal Year 2022

##### ORDINANCE 5 2022

**An Ordinance** To Amend Appropriations For Current Expenses And Other Expenditures Of The City Of Montgomery, State Of Ohio, During The Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2022

##### ORDINANCE 6 2022

**An Ordinance** Renaming Cares Act Relief Payroll Fund 222 To The Pandemic Relief Fund 222, Transferring General Fund Unappropriated Surplus To The Pandemic Relief Fund 222 And The Downtown Improvement Fund 480 To Comply With American Rescue Plan Act Compliance

##### ORDINANCE 7 2022

**An Ordinance** Correcting Ordinance No. 9, 2018 - An Ordinance Amending The Land Usage Code To Enact New Regulations For The Old Montgomery Gateway District

These pieces of approved legislation can be reviewed on the City's website at [www.montgomeryohio.gov](http://www.montgomeryohio.gov).



## WELCOME MONTGOMERY'S NEW CUSTOMER SERVICE AND VOLUNTEER SPECIALIST

**Wendy Grethel** began working for the City of Montgomery in the fall of 2022 as our Customer Service and Volunteer Specialist. Prior to working for the city, Wendy worked as an Administrative Specialist for 15 years at Sycamore Presbyterian Church. Wendy and her husband RJ Grethel have lived in Loveland for 33 years - In James Loveland's House. Wendy has two sons and three granddaughters.

## KINDEL MEMORIAL HOLIDAY CONCERT

Sunday, December 4, 7 p.m., Summit City Church at 7950 Pfeiffer Road in Montgomery. This year's theme will be "Longing to be up North". This concert has become the traditional beginning to the holiday season for Blue Ash and Montgomery residents. All Blue Ash/Montgomery Symphony Orchestra concerts are free to the public!



# Holiday in the Village

**Saturday, December 3**  
**5—7:30 p.m.**

**Tree Lighting**  
 Downtown Montgomery  
 Neully Plaisance Fountain  
 Gather around the Tree and countdown to the lighting with Carolers dressed in Victorian costume.

**North Pole Workshop**  
 Historic Universalist Church,  
 Montgomery & Remington Rd.  
 Kids can visit Santa, create a craft at Mrs. Claus' workshop, see beautiful Montgomery from a horse & carriage ride, take a photo at our photo stop on stage, see the coloring contest entries, and enjoy hot chocolate and refreshments.

Visit [montgomeryohio.gov](http://montgomeryohio.gov)

# Winter Coloring Contest

Kids 1st through 6th Grade

Entry forms available Nov 1  
 at City Hall or at [montgomeryohio.gov](http://montgomeryohio.gov).

Entry forms due Nov 18.



Sponsored by:



## ROUNABOUT CONSTRUCTION AT PFEIFFER AND DEERFIELD INTERSECTION

Work is well underway to construct the roundabout at the Pfeiffer Road and Deerfield Road intersection. So far this year, Duke Energy and Altafiber relocated overhead utilities. Duke Energy also installed a new gas main. While Barrett Paving installed a new Greater Cincinnati Water Works water main.

The remaining work this year by Barrett Paving includes installing storm drainage infrastructure and temporary pavement. Temporary pavement will be installed along the south side of Pfeiffer Road and on the west side of Deerfield Road, allowing both roads to have three lanes instead of two. The temporary lanes allow traffic to get through and work to get done simultaneously.

While Phase One is expected to be completed by the end of the year, Phase Two begins in the spring. The roundabout is expected to be completed in August.

As with most road construction projects, weather can play a factor in completing this project.

For more information on this project, please contact Gary Heitkamp, Public Works Director, at 513-792-8321.

## ONE-STOP-DROP: THANKS TO THE COMMUNITY!

The City of Montgomery and Environmental Advisory Commission thanks the community for their continued efforts in supporting recycling efforts. The One-Stop-Drop for Responsible Recycling was held on Saturday, September 17. We celebrate every time we divert items from going to the landfill!

We thank our participating partners: Goodwill, Habitat for Humanity Restore, Matthew 25 Ministries, and Operation Give Back for their help and charitable efforts.

Thank you for participating! And special thanks to the following Environmental Advisory Commission members and volunteers!

Greg Brodrick • Elaine Cohen • Donna Schwartz • Alice Aguilar  
Ellen Hall • Zeeshan Pasha • Larry Schwartz • Doug Lehrer  
Devon Zellars • Steve Uckotter • Mark Laskovics • Kristen Laughlin  
Brian Laughlin • Maria Laughlin • Karen Litz



### By the numbers:

128  
Vehicles

Goodwill  
filled about  
1/8  
of their truck

Collected 1 pallet  
of paint for  
Matthew 25 Ministries  
Approximately

80  
gallons

Habitat for  
Humanity  
Restore filled  
1/3  
of a truck

Collected  
steel and  
cardboard  
for the recycle  
dumpsters

Collected  
6 1/2  
each of 5-gallon  
buckets of  
alkaline batteries  
for recycling at  
Batteries Plus

Collected  
approximately  
100  
planter pots  
and approximately  
200  
pill bottles

## THANK YOU TO ALL OUR VETERANS

In honor of Veterans Day, Friday, November 11, the American Legion Post 630 is leading the effort to mark all veterans' graves at Hopewell Cemetery and would like your help.

**Saturday, November 5, beginning at 10 a.m., volunteers are welcome to help place flags on veterans' graves. No registration or RSVPs are needed.**

There are approximately 400 veterans buried at Hopewell, some dating back as far as the Revolutionary War.



## UNLIMITED YARD WASTE COLLECTION IS UNDERWAY

Unlimited Yard Waste Collection is going on from now until December 23, 2022. The City will also provide unlimited yard waste collections during the first three Saturdays in January to coincide with the Christmas tree and greenery collection.

### Guidelines

- Place leaves in regular 30-gallon trash cans, paper leaf bags, or yard waste totes (available through Rumpke).
- 30-gallon yard waste cans/toters have a 75 lb. weight limit. Once temperatures fall below freezing, all waste **must** go into bags as the moisture causes the cans/toters to freeze.
- Loosely place yard waste in trash cans or paper yard waste bags. Label yard waste totes as yard waste. Yard waste placed in unmarked totes will **NOT** be picked up.
- Place yard waste on the opposite side of the driveway trash and leave the lids off the cans. Plastic bags will **NOT** be picked up.
- Bundle brush in 4-foot by 2-foot bundles fastened with cotton twine. The weight limit is 50 lbs.
- Cut limbs into 4-foot lengths and no larger than 6 inches in diameter.
- Place all limbs in a can or a bundle. Limbs should not reach more than 1 foot above the height of the can.

*During unlimited collection, yard waste stickers are not required.*

## GREEN BUILDING PLAYS A CRITICAL ROLE IN CREATING A HEALTHIER ENVIRONMENT

The buildings where we live, work, and play, protect us from nature's extremes, yet they also affect our health and environment in countless ways. Homes often undergo many renovations over their lifetimes or are demolished to make room for new homes.

As the environmental impact of buildings becomes more apparent, a new field called "green building" is gaining momentum among various states. Green or sustainable building is the practice of creating and using healthier and more resource-efficient models of construction, renovation, operation, maintenance, and demolition.

Green buildings are designed to reduce the overall impact of the built environment on human health and the natural environment. Potential benefits of green building can include:



### Environmental benefits

- Enhance and protect biodiversity and ecosystems
- Improve air and water quality
- Reduce waste streams, pollution, and environmental degradation
- Conserve and restore natural resources

### Economic benefits

- Reduce operating costs, efficiently use energy
- Create, expand, and shape markets for green products and services
- Improve occupant productivity
- Optimize life-cycle economic performance

### Social benefits

- Enhance occupant comfort and health
- Heighten aesthetic qualities
- Minimize strain on local infrastructure
- Improve overall quality of life

By Zeeshan Pasha



# Spotlight

## ON MONTGOMERY BUSINESSES

### THE CHABRIS GROUP OPENS NEW OFFICE

The real estate sales team, The Chabris Group, has opened a new office at 7800 Cooper Road. Since 2013, The Chabris Group has consistently earned the title of Cincinnati's #1 residential real estate sales team, measured by total units sold.

"Our mission is to provide relentless representation and exceptional experiences to our clients," said Aly Wilburn, Executive Assistant, The Chabris Group. "We believe in integrity, drive, and teamwork."

For more information about The Chabris Group, check out their website at [asktcg.com](http://asktcg.com).



### MEADOWBROOK CARE CENTER CELEBRATES RENOVATIONS

Meadowbrook Care Center has been under new ownership within the last two years and recently renovated its entire facility. Meadowbrook Care Center held a grand opening ribbon-cutting celebration last month at its facility on Weller Road.

Meadowbrook is a 126-bed skilled nursing facility that offers short-term rehabilitation, long-term care, and respite stays. It is newly owned and operated by CCH Healthcare which says it prides itself on delivering the best care to the residents and their community.

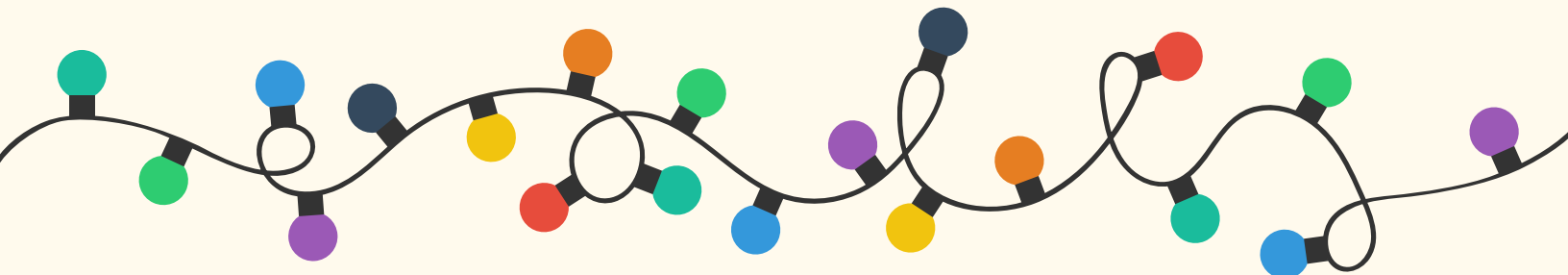
"Each facility and team member of CCH Healthcare is guided by the core principles of family-like treatment to all, servicing everyone with unwavering compassion, dignity, and respect," said Susie Bauman, Director of Marketing and Admissions. "We never settle for anything less than the highest quality, expert medical and rehabilitative treatments. Our residents have access to the most effective and personalized path to a speedy recovery."

For more information, contact Meadowbrook Care Center at [meadowbrookhc.com](http://meadowbrookhc.com) or call 513-489-2444.



### EAC COLLECTS STRANDED HOLIDAY LIGHTS AND EXTENSION CORDS

The City of Montgomery Environmental Advisory Commission will be accepting holiday decoration lights (stranded) and extension cords at its monthly cardboard recycling event starting in November. This Recycling Event occurs on the third Saturday of each month at the Public Works Facility, 7315 Cornell Road, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The addition of these items further supports the City's recycling efforts to reduce the amount of trash going into landfills.



## CITY SEEKS DONATION OF A HOLIDAY TREE

The City of Montgomery is looking for a holiday tree to display in the downtown historic district. If you think you have the perfect tree, which has outgrown its location on your property, consider donating it to the City. Contact Mike Rogers, Assistant Public Works Director, at [mrogers@montgomeryohio.gov](mailto:mrogers@montgomeryohio.gov) or call 513-792-8318.



## THE HISTORIC LANDMARK ORNAMENT PROGRAM RETURNS

The Historic Landmark Ornament Program has returned, featuring the Jonathan Crain House for 2022. Jonathan Crain built this Federal-style home around 1845. The Crains were pioneers who moved in with the second wave of Montgomery settlers. The Jonathan Crain House was beautifully restored in 2020 and is now home to Clarity House Bakery.

Ornaments are available for purchase at Montgomery City Hall, 10101 Montgomery Road. One ornament is \$8.00, or two for \$15.00. For more information about the Landmark Ornaments, including a list of featured historic buildings, please visit [montgomeryohio.gov](http://montgomeryohio.gov).



## LIVE AT THE UNI SERIES IS SOLD OUT

The Montgomery Arts Commission carefully crafted this music series so well that all concerts are sold out. We encourage you to put your name on the waiting list by calling Montgomery City Hall at 513-891-2424, or visiting online at [montgomeryohio.gov](http://montgomeryohio.gov).

Participants are enjoying the cozy ambiance and intimate setting of Universalist Church which makes this music experience so special, and two concerts remain.

**On Tuesday, November 15** we're excited to welcome back the **Faux Frenchmen**, performing their brand of "gypsy jazz" made popular in the 1930s by guitarist Django Reinhardt and violinist Stephane Grappelli. You may recognize violinist Paul Patterson from his perch in the string section of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra. A reception immediately following this concert will be held at Montgomery Inn. A cash bar will also be available.

**The series concludes on Sunday, December 11** with Mandy Gaines bringing exhilarating jazz vocals to spread holiday cheer. Gaines has been recently inducted into the Cincinnati Jazz Hall of Fame.

All concerts begin at 7:00 p.m. and last about an hour. As always, concerts are free; a voluntary donation is certainly appreciated.

Thanks to sponsor Twin Lakes for making these concerts possible.





## HOLIDAY COOKING SAFETY

People will gather for Thanksgiving to enjoy time with loved ones and a delicious holiday dinner. With cooking being the number one cause of home fires, here are some recommendations for fire safety:

- ❏ Install a smoke alarm near your kitchen, on each level of your home, near sleeping areas, and inside and outside bedrooms if you sleep with doors closed. Use the test button to check it each month. Replace all batteries at least once a year if your smoke alarm requires it.
- ❏ Don't wear loose clothing or sleeves that dangle while cooking.
- ❏ If you are frying or grilling food, never leave it unattended – stay in the kitchen. If you leave the kitchen for even a short period of time, turn off the stove.
- ❏ If you're simmering, baking, roasting or broiling food, check it regularly.
- ❏ Use a timer to remind yourself that the stove or oven is on.
- ❏ Keep kids and pets away from the cooking area. Make them stay at least three feet away from the stove.
- ❏ Keep anything that can catch fire - pot holders, oven mitts, wooden utensils, paper or plastic bags, food packaging, towels or curtains - away from your stove, oven or any other appliance in the kitchen that generates heat.
- ❏ Clean cooking surfaces on a regular basis to prevent grease buildup.
- ❏ Always check the kitchen before going to bed or leaving the home to make sure all stoves, ovens, and small appliances are turned off.
- ❏ Consider purchasing a fire extinguisher to keep in your kitchen.

Article supplied by the American Red Cross



**BREAKFAST**

*with*

**SANTA**

Registration begins Wed Nov 2.

**SATURDAY  
DECEMBER 10**

**Terwilliger Lodge in Dulle Park**  
Sponsored by Legacy Builders Group

Enjoy a pancake breakfast with Santa!

All-you-can-eat pancakes will be served by City of Montgomery employee volunteers.  
Kids, be sure to bring your wish list!  
Have your family photo taken with the jolly 'ole elf!

All proceeds benefit the Holiday Family Fund to support local families in need.

**\*Preregistration is required (no walk ins accepted).**  
Event details and registration available at [montgomeryohio.gov](http://montgomeryohio.gov)

Share in the spirit of the season and help others by bringing non-perishable food items for Matthew 25 Ministries.

## STAY SAFE DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON

As the mad rush of another holiday season is here, we start the never-ending sprint to complete all our holiday to-do lists, it's important to remember you can never be too careful, prepared or aware.

### Personal Safety /Situational Awareness

- **Actively look at your surroundings and listen to the environment.** Limit smart phone screen use while walking and regularly look up from the phone while you are in public areas.
- **Acknowledge unsafe physical environments.** Avoid danger, try to stay in well-lit and well-traveled areas. Assess your surroundings and adjust your behavior to remain safe.
- **Be assertive.** Leave or remove yourself if you are uncomfortable in a particular place. Trust your instinct and avoid people or situations that trigger fear, hesitancy, or discomfort.
- **Keep your hands or at least one hand free.** Flinch and startle response are your first line of defense if attacked. If hands are occupied with phones, packages, or other items you have forfeited an initial response in an attack or even a brace when tripping or falling.
- **Keep purses and bags close at hand.** Don't leave them unattended in shopping carts and keep them close to avoid losing money, wallets, and valuables.

- **Train. Yes TRAIN.** Consider regular self-defense training. Definitely seek competent, regularly scheduled training if you intend to carry a weapon (chemical irritant, stun gun, firearm) for self-defense.

### Property Safety for Vehicles

- **Park safely.** Park in well-lit areas and near foot or vehicle traffic, the more exposure your car has to people and lighting the less likely it is to be the target of a theft.
- **Do not leave valuables unattended in your car.** If you must leave something in your car, be sure to lock the car and keep items out of view, preferably in the trunk.
- **Keep your car locked and NEVER leave the keys, or key fob starter in the car unattended.** Use vehicle anti-theft devices and alarms when your car is unattended.

Many of these "safety tips" are already in place and done without a lot of conscious thought. Stay safe. Trust instinct and judgement. Slow down and purposefully practice good judgement that may have lapsed because of busy lifestyle, hurried family obligations, or general frustration.

## HELP MAKE MONTGOMERY BEAUTIFUL FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Help decorate downtown Montgomery this holiday season. The City of Montgomery, in conjunction with the Montgomery Woman's Club, the Beautification and Tree Commission, and the Public Works Department.

### Greenery and Bow "Fluffing" Workshop

**Saturday, Nov. 5 at 9:30 am, at the City Annex Building, 10115 Montgomery Road.** This important workshop makes the wreaths and greenery look healthy and full to hang around the city.

### Downtown Decorating

**Tuesday, Nov. 8, 9:30 am to Noon; at the Universalist Church.** Let the holiday fun begin as we deck the streets with festive cheer! (Rain date is Wednesday, Nov. 9)

### Holiday In the Village Volunteers Needed!

**Saturday, December 3, 5:00 – 7:30 p.m; at the Universalist Church at the corner of Montgomery/Remington Roads.** Help Mrs. Claus with crafts and refreshments.

To sign up scan the QR Code or visit [montgomeryohio.gov/volunteer](http://montgomeryohio.gov/volunteer). If you like to talk instead of type, Contact Wendy Grethel at 513-891-2424.

*we ♥ our  
Volunteers*



**Scan to  
sign up!**



## FITNESS

Experience updated group exercise equipment and classes. All equipment needed for classes is provided. Registration for **2022 - Session F** of fitness classes is open. Please visit the fitness page at [montgomeryohio.gov](http://montgomeryohio.gov) for class descriptions, important information and registration.

Please contact City Hall by calling 513-891-2424 with any questions you may have.

Fitness Class Schedule 2022 - Session F							
Day	Class Name	Dates of Session	No Classes	Session Length	Time of Class	Res.	Non-Res.
Mon.	Mixed Level Yoga	10/31 - 12/19	11/7 , 11/21	6 classes	9:30-10:30 a.m.	\$30	\$35
Mon.	Chair Yoga	10/31 - 12/19	11/7 , 11/21	6 classes	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	\$30	\$35
Tue.	Cardio Strength and Stretched	11/1 - 12/20	11/8 , 11/22	6 classes	9:00-10:00 a.m.	\$30	\$35
Tue.	Tai Chi	11/1 - 12/20	11/8 , 11/22	6 classes	10:20-11:20 a.m.	\$60	\$70
Tue.	Pilates	11/1 - 12/20	11/8 , 11/22	6 classes	6:00-7:00 p.m.	\$30	\$35
Wed.	Mixed Level Yoga	11/2 - 12/21	11/9 , 11/23	6 classes	9:30-10:30 a.m.	\$30	\$35
Wed.	Beginner Level Yoga	11/2 - 12/21	11/9 , 11/23	6 classes	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	\$30	\$35
Wed.	Bootcamp	11/2 - 12/21	11/9 , 11/23	6 classes	6:00-7:00 p.m.	\$30	\$35
Thur.	Cardio Strength and Stretched	11/3 - 12/22	11/10 , 11/24	6 classes	9:00-10:00 a.m.	\$30	\$35
Thur.	Pilates	11/3 - 12/22	11/10 , 11/24	6 classes	6:00-7:00 p.m.	\$30	\$35

**The Annex will be closed December 23 - January 13 for the Holidays and Holiday Decorating.**

## 7 TIPS TO ELIMINATE HOLIDAY DEPRESSION & LONELINESS

The holiday season can bring much joy but can also bring sadness, stress, and loneliness. According to the Mayo Clinic, if the holidays have taken an emotional toll on you in the past, you can take charge and prevent stress and holiday depression.

### 1. Acknowledge Your Feelings

Forgive yourself and allow sadness and grief to have a place with you.

### 2. Volunteer

Replace loneliness with social activities. Volunteer to help others to lift your spirits and broaden your friendships. There's nothing like serving others to realize how blessed you are.

### 3. Be Realistic

Families change and grow and so should traditions and rituals. Be open to letting go of some and adopting new ones.

### 4. Set Aside Differences

Accept family members and friends as they are, even if they don't live up to all your expectations.

### 5. Stick to a budget

Don't try to buy happiness with an avalanche of gifts. Even if you can afford all the gifts, your presence is enough.

### 6. Plan ahead

Life can get really crazy during the holidays! Make a simple "to do" list for all the things that need to get done during this time of year.

### 7. Don't Abandon Healthy Habits

Continue regular exercise. Get enough sleep. If feelings of depression or loneliness linger, reach out for help.





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Montgomery, Ohio 45242

**Emergency**  
911  
**Non-Emergency**  
• **Police Dept.**  
513-985-1600  
• **Fire Dept.**  
513-985-1633

**Public Works**  
513-792-8355  
**Planning/Zoning/  
Building**  
513-792-8309  
**City Hall**  
513-891-2424

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## NOVEMBER 2022 EVENTS

All event dates are subject to change or cancellation. Check the website and social media for the most up-to-date information.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5 Holiday Decorating Fluffing Day, Recreation Annex, 9:30 a.m. CPR/First Aid Certification Class, Montgomery Safety Center, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
6 Daylight saving time ends Fall back one hour Change smoke alarm batteries	7 Beautification and Tree Commission, Public Works, 9:00 a.m. Planning Commission, City Hall, 7:30 p.m.	8 <b>Election Day</b> Holiday Decorating Day, Universalist Church, 9:30 a.m.	9 Council Business Session, City Hall, 7:00 p.m.  Landmarks Commission, City Hall, 7:00 p.m.	10	11 <b>Veterans Day</b>	12
13	14	15 Live at the Uni Universalist Church, 7 p.m. Environmental Advisory Commission, City Hall, 5:00 p.m. Sister Cities Commission, City Hall, 6:30 p.m.	16 City Council Work Session, City Hall, 7:00 p.m.	17	18 Kid's Winter Coloring Contest Ends	19 Cardboard Recycling, 7315 Cornell Road, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
20	21 Planning Commission, City Hall, 7:30 p.m.	22 Diversity and Inclusion Commission, City Hall, 4:00 p.m. Board of Zoning Appeals, City Hall, 7:00 p.m.	23	24 <b>Thanksgiving Day</b> City Offices closed Trash collection as usual	25 City offices closed Trash collection as usual	26
27	28 Arts Commission, City Hall, 5:00 p.m.	29	30			