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Committee Meetings

October

Public Works Committee - October 5 Chairperson Danny Wallace, Jeff Morris, Johnetta Yarbrough

General Welfare/Public Relations Committee - October 12 Chairperson Jeff Morris, CH Sullivan, John Edwards

Finance and Administration Committee - October 19 Chairperson CH Sullivan, All Board Members

Public Safety Committee - October 26 Chairperson Johnetta Yarbrough, Chris Richardson, CH Sullivan

Committee meetings are at 4:00 pm in the Lower Level Conference Room at Covington City Hall. All Board of Mayor and Aldermen meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month at 5:30 pm in the Board Room on the 2nd floor at Covington City Hall. ALL are open to the public. Official meeting minutes and agendas can be found by visiting <u>www.covingtontn.com</u>.

City Board meetings are also live-streamed on our <u>Website</u> and <u>Facebook page</u>.

General Welfare / Public Relations Committee Meeting - 10/12/21



Present: Chairman Jeff Morris, Mayor Justin Hanson, Aldermen/woman Johnetta Yarbrough, Chris Richardson, CH Sullivan, Danny Wallace. Recorder Treasurer Tina Dunn, Directors Molly Glass and Katherine Markley

Parks and Recreation Report - Director Molly Glass

Director Glass gave an update on what is happening in the Parks and Rec Department. Flag football finished this week and Fall baseball is still in progress. Closing ceremonies will be a "Trunk or Treat" event and will be open to the community. Signups for basketball are underway. Participants can sign up at individuals or as a team. We will provide a purple and gold jersey to each individual.

The Christmas Parade is December 13th and those interested in entering a float should call the Sportsplex. Director Glass game info on sanctioning for softball and we will be hosting a swim meet on October 23rd.

Pour and Play surfacing has been done at Frazier Park playground. Also, VersaCourt at the Frazier basketball courts has been put down and is complete. There will be a grand opening for the basketball courts on Saturday. The tennis courts at the grammar school property are being fixed. There are some new, more kid friendly, elements at the Bike Park. Aquatrek steps should be delivered within a week and they will be installed at the pool soon.

Special Events Committee Meeting report was submitted. There was discussion on waiving fees.

Alderman Sullivan motioned to accept report, 2nd, so moved.

Tipton County Museum Report - Director Katherine Markley

Veteran of the Month for October is Edward Odell Kennedy. There is a reception tonight (10/12).

Director Markley gave an update on September numbers including visitors, social media reach, monies collected, etc. She reported that all areas are up compared to this time last year.

Completed events: Veteran of the Month (September), Heritage Festival Reception, Quilt of Valor, and 9/11 Exhibit.

Upcoming Events: Digging for Roots Genealogy, Rock Painting Class, Nature Journaling, Garden Series, Festival of Trees, Christmas Exhibit

Alderman Sullivan motioned to accept report, 2nd, so moved.

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned.







Congratulations to Covington Fire Department Firefighters Kyle Ginn and Taylor Moore on your graduation today from the Madison County Fire Rescue recruit firefighter course! For ten weeks, these gentlemen have been diligent in finalizing their coursework. They'll be starting shift duty this week. Special thanks to Madison County Fire Chief Eric Turner and his entire department for not only your tutelage but also your allowing Covington to participate in the class!



We want to thank everyone who came out and shared with us an amazing night as we celebrated and honored our October Veteran of the Month Edward Odell Kinney. It was a wonderful evening!

The Veteran of the Month reception is the 2nd Tuesday of every month at the Tipton County Museum.



This week 70 individuals were given the opportunity to access their offense record and start the expungement process. MANY had items expunged with no cost and others learned what can't be expunged OR that their items can be expunged after a certain length of time. Although there were those who didn't get the news they'd hoped for, 70 people showed up for themselves to eliminate a barrier to employment, transportation, housing, etc.

If you or someone you know needs this service and missed this event, there will be another event in early 2022. In the meantime, visit the Court Clerk's office any day for assistance. Follow <u>American Job Center -</u> <u>Greater Memphis</u> for updates on upcoming events!





CHECK OUT THE NEW BASKETBALL COURTS AT FRAZIER PARK!!

CLICK HERE FOR A VIDEO!!



COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL *"Home of the Chargers"*



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE LADY CHARGERS VOLLEYBALL TEAM!

REGIONAL CHAMPIONS!

Covington High's Taylor Henderson was the only Tipton County golfer to make state this season!





Mayor Hanson was "SPOOKED" by the Covington High Chargers Class of 2023!!!

Watch out! These ghosts and goblins may be coming to a yard near you! What a great class fundraiser!!

GO CHARGERS!

Praise and Worship Night With JASON CRABB



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2 TIME GRAMMY AWARD WINNER

23 DOVE AWARDS

Friday, Oct. 22 7:00pm Doors open at 6:00pm

FREE EVENT - LOVE OFFERING TAKEN

CORNERSTONE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH 8041 MT CARMEL RD. COVINGTON, TN INFO - (407) 288-2516



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Immediate Openings for Day Program Class Schedule: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. or part-time.

Evening Class begins Monday, October 25, 2021 Monday-Thursday, 5 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Call 901-475-2526 or visit tcatcovington.edu for Admissions and Financial Aid Information TCAT Covington is an AA/ADA/EEO Training Institution Accredited by the Council on Occupational Education



The Essentials of Nature Journaling

Every Thursday in October

10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Led by Naturalist Sherl Rose





2021 Father/Daughter Masquerade Ball

Saturday, October 23rd 6 - 8 pm doors open at 5:30

This event will take place at the Covington Civic Center. Refreshments will be served. Come dressed to impress!

For tickets please call 901-475-7139 \$25 per couple Please visit our website or Facebook page for more details.

100 West Washington Ave Covington, TN 38019

Coffee with the Mayor

7:30 am - 9:00 am Brunch Time Café DSCC Jimmy Naifeh Ctr. Covington, TN

Public

Invited

Tuesday, October 19th



Dyersburg State Community College

TRUNK OR TREAT

October 28, 2021 • 5:30-6:30 p.m. Jimmy Naifeh Center at Tipton County Parking lot next to future soccer field

October 29, 2021 • 5:30-6:30 p.m. Dyersburg State Campus E.H. Lannom, Jr. Gymnasium parking lot



*** Limited to ages 11 and under ***

For more information, contact Stephen Thomas, Director of Student Life at 901-475-3166 or sthomas@dscc.edu

The Exchange Club of Tipton County Presents "FIELD OF FLAGS"			
November 1 st - November 30 th A MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY OF AMERICAN FLAGS WITH EACH FLAG REPRESENTING THE LIFE OF A HERO Flags will be properly folded after the event and will be yours to keep. DO NOT TAKE THE FLAG FROM THE DISPLAY SITE. You will be notified of when and where to pick up your flag.			
	Number of flags (\$25.00 each - ONE name per flag) Donation Only \$ Amount enclosed \$		
	CityStateZip		
Phone Number: Email:			
I WOULD LIKE MY FLAG TO BE DISPLAYED AT (CIRCLE ONE) Atoka Town Hall Baptist Hospital Covington Patriot Park First Baptist Church/TCA Munford City Hall TC Board of Education TC Justice Center TC Veterans Service Office Atoka Elem Austin Peay BES BMS BHS DSCC TRA			
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(CIRCLE ONE)	DEDICATED TO (PLEASE PRINT) ONLY ONE NAME PER FLAG		
Memory/Honor			
Deadline: October 25, 2021			
Please make checks Payable to:			
C	Carl Perkins Center. 707 South Main Street, Covington, TN 38019		
For information call: 901-476-1515			



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REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY to Covington Police

Call 901-475-1261 or 901-475-4300

In an emergency dial 9-1-1