



# Noteworthy

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October 2014

## IMPORTANT DATES

- **Oct. 6:** Park Board, 7 p.m.
- **Oct. 7:** Planning & Zoning, 6 p.m.
- **Oct. 8:** Board of Aldermen, 6 p.m.
- **Oct. 9:** Board of Adjustment, 6:30 p.m.
- **Oct. 13: Columbus Day**  
City Offices Closed
- **Oct. 15 & 16:** Board of Aldermen  
2105 Budget Work Session, 4-9 p.m.
- **Oct. 19:** Mayor's Coffee Talk, 12:30 p.m.
- **Oct. 22:** Board of Aldermen, 6 p.m.
- **Oct. 23:** Stormwater Committee, 6 p.m.
- **Oct. 27:** Aldermen Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

## Make a Difference in Our Local Community

By simply signing up to "round up" your monthly utility bill to the nearest dollar you can make a great, positive impact on our senior community.

So how does it work? If you sign up, your monthly bills will be rounded up to the next highest dollar. For example, if your bill is \$44.25, your bill will be rounded up to \$45.00. Making your contribution 75 cents. The funds raised from this program will be donated to our local Meals on Wheels program.

"As the cost of food and gas goes up, this support from residents helps defray the cost of the Meals on Wheels program. Each month, a check will be sent to the Green Lantern, which will directly impact Wentzville's senior residents," said Eileen Cushman, area supervisor at the Green Lantern.

The result of an initiative from the Mayor, along with City staff, this program highlights the difference just a few cents can make.

"This is a great opportunity to help our seniors and improve their quality of life," said Mayor Nick Guccione.

To sign up to have your monthly utility bill rounded up to the nearest dollar, please visit [www.wentzvillemo.org](http://www.wentzvillemo.org) to complete a form.

Questions? Please call (636) 639-2155.



## TURKEY DASH { Sunday, Nov. 23 | Registration starts at 3 p.m.; the run starts at 4 p.m. }



Don't eat your way through the holidays! Instead, do something healthy and kick off the holiday season with Wentzville's annual Turkey Dash. The Turkey Dash winds through our Holiday Night Lights display. Best of all, it isn't just for fitness buffs and athletes. With nine age groups, and both a 5K and one-mile walk/run, the Turkey Dash accommodates all fitness and age levels.

The first 150 entrants will receive an official Wentzville

Turkey Dash T-shirt. All participants are entered into a drawing for a turkey for your Thanksgiving feast. Register yourself and two friends and get \$3 off each entry with the Turkey Trio discount. Registration starts at 3 p.m., and the run starts at 4 p.m. at Rotary Park.

The winners of the 5K run in each of the following age groups will receive awards: 10 and under, 11-14, 15-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70 and older. The top three overall males and females will also receive awards.



## Wentzville's Citizen of the Year – Deadline Oct. 15

Do you know someone whose service or actions deserve special recognition? Nominations for Wentzville's 2014 Citizen of the Year award are open until Oct. 15. Download a form and read nomination guidelines at [bit.ly/CitizenoftheYear](http://bit.ly/CitizenoftheYear), pick up a copy of the form at City Hall, or call (636) 327-5101 to request a mailed copy. Nominators may include any photos or documents that support the nomination.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Wentzville Parks and Recreation office is always looking for talented people to hold classes and share their talents with the community!

**Do you have a talent to share?** If so, please call the Progress Park office at (636) 332-9236.

## Mark Your Calendars!

- **Oct. 17** – H.O.P.P. Night at Progress Park, 7-9 p.m. \*Disney Theme\*
- **Week of Oct. 20** – Free pickup of tree limbs/shrub trimmings during this week for residents north of the railroad tracks
- **Oct. 26** – Halloween Happenings at Progress Park, 2-4 p.m.
- **Week of Oct. 27** – Free pickup of tree limbs/shrub trimmings during this week for residents south of the railroad tracks

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\*These events will be held at City Hall (310 W. Pearce Blvd.). All meetings are subject to change. Please check the Calendar of Events at [www.wentzvillemo.org](http://www.wentzvillemo.org) for the most up-to-date information.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3 Park Board Meeting 7 p.m.*	4 Planning & Zoning 6 p.m.*	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 Veterans Day City Offices Closed	12 Board of Aldermen, 6 p.m.*	13 Board of Adjustment, 6:30 p.m.*	14	15
16 Coffee Talk with Mayor Guccione, 12:30-2 p.m.*	17	18	19 Board of Aldermen, 6 p.m.*	20 Dwntwn Econ Dev & Historic Preservation (DED&HP) Committee Meeting, 6 p.m.*	21	22
23	24 Aldermen Town Hall, 6:30-7:30 p.m.*	25	26	27 Thanksgiving City Offices Closed	28 Thanksgiving City Offices Closed  Holiday Night Lights Display, 6-10 p.m. at Rotary Park	29 Holiday Night Lights Display, 6-10 p.m. at Rotary Park
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Don't miss Wentzville's **Holiday Night Lights** in Rotary Park. This beautiful drive-thru experience begins at 6 p.m. on Nov. 28. It will be open Thursday through Sunday evenings from 6-10 p.m. Beginning Dec. 11, the drive-thru will be open nightly, until Tuesday, Dec. 30 (except for Christmas Day). Drive-thru admission is only \$8 for vehicles holding up to six passengers.