Upcoming Events

October & November

Events take place in and around the Square, unless noted otherwise.

October 31: City of Medina Trick or Treat, 6 pm to 8 pm.

November 2: Turn your clocks back on Sunday morning at 2:00 am, or do it before you go to bed!!

November 16: McDowell-Phillips House Museum Holiday Open House, 1 pm to 4 pm. \$

November 20: John Smart House Museum open for voting on the Gingerbread House Contest entries, 11 am to 1 pm. \$

November 22: Bloodmobile at Medina Rec, 10 am to 3 pm. To register for one of the upcoming City donation sites, click **HERE**, enter your zip code, and scroll down to the location of your choice.

November 26: Bloodmobile at Fire Station #1, 11 am to 5 pm. To register for one of the upcoming City donation sites, click **HERE**, enter your zip code, and scroll down to the location of your choice.

November 21 thru 23: 41st Annual Medina Candlelight Walk.

November 27: Thanksgiving Day. City Hall and Medina Municipal Court will be closed.

November 28: Bloodmobile at Root Candles, 10 am to 3 pm. To register for one of the upcoming City donation sites, click **HERE**, enter your zip code, and scroll down to the location of your choice.

November 29: Small Business Saturday. Shop Local and support Medina's small businesses.

City Updates

City Trick or Treat: City of Medina Trick or Treat is October 31, from 6 pm to 8 pm.

Set Clocks Back: Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday, November 2, at 2 am. Turn your clocks back and gain an extra hour of sleep.

Medina High School Drama Club Presents "Peter and the Starcatcher"

Medina High School's Drama Club presents *Peter and the Starcatcher*, Friday, November 14, through Sunday, November 16, at Medina High School in the middle stage auditorium. Tickets are on sale now. Students tickets are \$5, seniors \$8, and adults \$10. For more information or to purchase tickets, click **HERE**.

Medina County Economic Development Corp Annual Business Awards

Congratulations to Castle Noel for being selected by the Medina County Economic Development Corporation to receive the 2025 Outstanding Corporate Community Advocate Award for being the driving force behind the Promise of Christmas, a program that brought survivors of hurricane–ravaged North Carolina to Medina for a weekend of holiday celebration. They received the award at the 22nd Annual Medina County Business Awards on October 23 at the Blair Center.

Main Street Medina Executive Director Receives State Award

Heritage Ohio named George Sam, Executive Director for Main Street Medina, as Main Street Manager of the Year during its recent conference. Under his leadership, the program expanded preservation efforts, deepened engagement, and launched impactful projects. This is the first time in Heritage Ohio history that this award has been given.

Medina, America's Hometown, Featured Online

Medina continues to be singled out as "America's Hometown", this time by the news network msm. Click **HERE** to read the article.

Readers Digest Names Medina One of the Nicest Places in America

Medina was recognized in October as one of the five Nicest Places in America for 2025, for its Promise of Christmas initiative that brought North Carolina hurricane victims to the city, all expenses paid, to take part in a recreation of Medina's annual Christmas celebration. Click **HERE** to read the article.

Early In-Person Voting This Weekend

Medina County residents may vote in-person at the Medina County Board of Election Office, 3800 Stonegate Drive, Suite C, on the following dates and times:

Friday, October 31: 7:30 am to 7:30 pm
Saturday, November 1: 8 am to 4 pm
Sunday, November 2: 1 pm to 5 pm
You must present identification in order to vote.



Absentee Voting by Mail

All absentee ballots must be postmarked by November 3, or delivered to the Board of Election, 3800 Stonegate Drive, Suite C, by 7:30 pm on November 4.

November 4: General Election

Polls will be open from 6:30 am to 7:30 pm. You can look up your voting location at: https://lookup.boe.ohio.gov/vtrapp/medina/pollfinder.aspx#

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