#### **CITY OF MEDINA NEWSLETTER** MAY 30, 2025



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# **Upcoming Events**

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

May 31: McDowell-Phillips House, 11 am to 2 pm, "Not Just a Pretty Dress" display. \$

May 31: Memorial Park Pool opens for the season at 11 am.

June 1: John Smart House Museum open from 1 pm to 4 pm at 206 North Elmwood Avenue. Special "Yesterdays' Toys" display. Last tour begins at 3:30 pm. \$

June 1: Folk and Flora Festival sponsored by Black Cat Boks and Oddities, Noon to 5 pm on Medina Square.

June 5: Out Support Pride Picnic, 6 to 8 pm. Bring your own picnic, do chalk art, and learn about organizations and nonprofits in Medina.

June 6: Medina Community Band Concert on the Square, 8 pm.

June 7: Kids Day & Teen Fest, 10 am to 3 pm. Games, food, fun activities, music and safety demos.

June 7: Jazz Under the Stars, 7 pm, Erin Nicole Neal, Jazz in Blue

June 12 & 13: Medina Chalk Art Contest, call 330-723-1112 to be assigned a location. Full details HERE.

June 14: Celebrating National Women's Veterans Day, 1 pm to 3 pm, Medina County Veterans Hall, 620 North Broadway. More info HERE.

June 14: Fourth Annual Juneteenth Celebration, 10 am to 3 pm, Danita Harris will be keynote speaker, and there will be featured entertainment,.

# Summer Kicks Into Full Swing With a Two - Concerts Weekend

#### **Medina Community Band**

Medina Community Band, which traces its beginnings to 1859, returns to the Gazebo and begins its 2025 summer concert season on June 6, at 8 pm, on Medina Square (note new start time). Also new this year is a "No Inclement Weather Site". The band will play Friday nights in June and July. Mark your calendars!

#### **Jazz Under the Stars**

Erin Nicole Neal brings her lovely voice, bass guitar, and keyboard to the Square on June 7, at 7pm with Jazz in Blue. Enjoy blues, rock, pop, soul, and jazz in the first of four Jazz Under the Stars performances of the summer brought to you by the Ohio Regional Music Arts Cultural Outreach (ORMACO). Rain location is St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 317 East Liberty Street.





# Medina Rec Family Parties in the Park Begin June 5

Sign up now for the Splashtacular Carnival at Greenwood Park on June 5, from, 11 am to 1 pm, the Foam-Tastic Fiesta at Greenwood Park, on June 16, from Noon to 2 pm, and the Summer Splash Bash at Memorial Park, on June 24, from 6 pm to 8 pm. For more details and to register, click HERE.

# Access The Arts to Host Summer Arts Camp in Medina

Arts Camp gives children grades 1-5 a chance to experience creativity and selfexpression through 2D art, 3D art, dance, and music exploration with professional art instructors. Camp runs July 16, 17, & 18, from 8:30 am to 11:45 am, at United Church of Christ, 217 East Liberty Street. On the last day of class there will be a festival for families. To register, go to <u>www.accessthearts.net</u>. Space is limited.

# New Acme Fresh Market to Hold Hiring Event at Medina Rec

Acme has openings for fulltime Department Lead Positions, and will hold a hiring event on Friday, May 30, and Saturday, May 31 from 10 am to 4 pm, the Medina Rec Center, 855 Weymouth Road.



Acme will host a second hiring event at Medina Rec for non-lead, part -time positions on June 22 and June 23 from 10 am to 4 pm.

# Garden Party and Stroll - Saturday, June 21, 5 pm

The Medina Community Design Committee and the Medina Historical Society invite you to a Picture Perfect Evening. They will host a Garden Party and Stroll on the grounds of the McDowell Phillips House, and gardens in the neighborhood. There will also be food, wine, raffles, and artwork from the Old Phoenix Bank to view. Tickets can be purchased online: www.medinacommunitydesign.org. The McDowell-Phillips House will not be open for tours.

# All Fired Up! Medina To Host Community Chalk Art Contests

The first Chalk Art Contest around the Historic District of Medina will be June 12 & 13. Call 330-723-1112 to be assigned your location and square number. Create your art anytime on Thursday June 12, starting at 10:30 am, until Friday, June 13, at 6 pm. You must furnish your own sidewalk chalk that washes off easily. There are four age categories, including one for adults. A winner will be awarded for each category.



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