



The Presidents Club

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Treasurer 6105 North Dixie Dr., Dayton, Ohio 45414
January 2023 Newsletter

Presidents Message



I hope everyone has had a safe, spiritual, happy holiday season. The new year always brings hope for new beginnings, and for renewal of the spirit. My hope also includes that the Presidents Club of Dayton will have a greater impact on our member organizations. Where they find our programming relevant and will increase attendance at our monthly meetings. Where they can enjoy the benefits of membership utilizing our Zoom account, our computer guru, and other ongoing offerings.

December 2022 was a jam-packed exciting month, filled with incredible events that included the Presidents Club of Dayton being recognized as a substantial Donor at the Sinclair Foundation 2022 Donor Reception. We had an enjoyable time

and seeing our own recipient, Leanora Royster-Ivy thanking our Club for the scholarship we gave her and how it has helped her pursue her outstanding patent pending system that uses an aeroponic system to make vegetables grow, anywhere. She is one of many scholarship recipients who have outstanding successes. We are proud of our contributions to the Sinclair Community College Foundation.



(L-R) Kathy Vonderbrink, Justine Kangas, John Keller, President
Veronica Bedell-Nevels, Immediate Past-President Larry Horwath

If you were not at our December meeting, you missed a special time with three lovely ladies from the *“Women’s Interfaith Forum of Greater Dayton.”* They shared how their religions celebrate the holidays. Kelly Johnson, an associate professor of Religious Studies at the University of Dayton spoke about Catholicism and Christmas. She brought some beautifully crafted Christmas cookies to share. Bushra Shahid, from the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community and founder of the women's interfaith group spoke about the Islamic celebration of EID and shared a delicious carrot dessert. Judith Wall from our Jewish community, spoke about the history of Hanukkah, and shared some songs and of course a delicacy. We had a multi-cultural group of guests who truly enjoyed our end of year luncheon.



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We are starting the new year with information regarding best practices of Bookkeeping/Record Keeping, for our non-profit organizations. Learn what our weekly, monthly, and annual tasks should be. Discover what accounting practices for grants should look like, and how to manage your Form 990 and the ever-changing laws that apply.

Our guest speaker/teacher is Staci Morris, of Black Dog Financial, LLC in Springboro. Staci has a bachelor's degree in Financial Services & a master's degree in Taxation. She is a Platinum QuickBooks Online ProAdvisor, as well as a member of the Digital Bookkeepers Association. Invite your treasurers, President's and interested members attend.



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- For your organization to use Zoom, these are the appropriate steps you must take to use Zoom

- Please email the details to tmassoud211@cs.com and include in the details of the meeting who the **Leader** will be with their **email address**, do you want a **password** for your participants to enter Zoom or Waiting Room or Both. Do you want your meeting **videotaped**? **Tony Massoud will setup your organization's Zoom meeting for you if you need help contact Tony.**

- Use someone who is familiar with Zoom. It is quite easy to use with a computer, laptop, smartphone, or telephone. You can share this with your organization for them to learn https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/206618765-Zoom-Video-Tutorials?flash_digest=49b103a7faa18733bc195ebf5e0c2be49b6fc460

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We would like to invite you to participate in the Miami Valley Military Affairs Bob Chiles golf classic. The Presidents Club of Dayton and the Miami Valley Military Affairs Association holds this event to raise funds to support military members in our community. Last year, we were able to donate over \$10,000 to various support agencies including Fisher House and the First Sergeants Association. This year's golf outing will be held May 5, 2023 and we will once again be partnering with the Miami Valley Military Affairs Association. We expect to have another sold out event.

The Presidents Club of Dayton (PCoD) is a 501c(3), Miami Valley Military Affairs Association (MVMAA) is a 501c(6) not for profit organization formed in 1980 by several area Chambers of Commerce. These Chambers recognized the tremendous economic impact the military installation had on the Miami Valley Area. These community leaders joined together with the leadership of Air Force Organizations. A board of Trustees, made up of 15 local Chambers from a five-county area and seven members-at-large, governs MVMAA. Since 1990, the MVMAA and The Presidents Club of Dayton have donated over \$164,000 to the Fisher House & Over \$16,000 to First Sergeant's Association.

We have several sponsorship opportunities available and would appreciate your support.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Platinum Event Sponsor \$3,500

Golf registration and dinner for 2 teams of four players
2 Super Hole signs
Banner placement
Key visibility in program, recognition at golf start and at dinner

Gold Sponsor \$1,500

Golf registration and dinner for a team of four players
1 Super Hole sign
Opportunity to display banner at dinner
Key visibility in program, recognition at golf start and at dinner

Food Sponsor \$500

Recognition at food placement
1 Hole sign
Visibility in program, recognition at start and dinner.

Super Hole Sponsor \$300

Larger signage 24x24 prominently displayed at hole and 2 additional regional military golf events

Hole Sponsor \$100

Signage at hole and recognition in program

We appreciate your past support and consideration. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either one of us. Please visit <https://www.mvmaa.org/bob-chiles-golf-classic-registration> for more information.

Sincerely,

Susy Himelhoch, President

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Take Me Out to The Ball Game!



Does your organization need a new and fun way to fundraise? Join us as we meet and greet Tom Nichols, Director of Media Relations & Broadcasting for the Dayton Dragons, and Grant Noffsinger as they speak to our members about the Dayton Dragons fundraising opportunities as well as providing some insight into Dragons Baseball. They will discuss the Dayton Dragons focus on family entertainment, history, partnership with the Reds, and more. Presidents, you come and bring your fundraising chair, or committee members to consider another creative way to help the mission and vision of your organization. Hope to see you there.

In case you missed it, we began the new year with Staci Morris, of Black Dog Financial, LLC. She spoke about QuickBooks and answered questions regarding the accounting program. We had a lively and in-depth conversation regarding non-profit tax laws and best practices for recordkeeping. She shared examples of the financial reports that are required to present in grant proposals. There is always something new to learn. Staci can be contacted by Email: staci@blackdog.business Telephone: 937.620.9345 or Website: blackdog.business

February is Black History Month



Black History Month, also known as African American History Month, is an annual observance in the United States and Canada to celebrate the contributions and achievements of African Americans throughout history. It is celebrated to raise awareness and honor the impact that African Americans have had on society. February coincides with the birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass.

Some interesting facts:

- Security System was invented by *Marie Van Brittan Brown*, a nurse from Queens, New York in 1966. She patented the system, which used closed-circuit television and remote-controlled locks, and is considered one of the forerunners of the modern home security systems
- Traffic Signal-Patent 1922 *Garret A. Morgan* (Cleveland 1877-1963)
- Gas Mask-Patent 1912 *Garret A. Morgan*
- Telegraphy System *Granville T. Woods* (1956-1910 Cincinnati) an Engineer.
- Almanac, Wooden Clock, Surveyor who helped lay out the city of Washington, D.C. *Benjamin Banneker* (1731-1806).
- Incandescent Light Bulb and The Telephone *Lewis Latimer* (1848-1928) Flushing, New York.
- Laserphaco Probe Patent 1986 *Patricia Bath* (1942-2019) Ophthalmologist who created an improved device for laser cataract surgery, she lived in San Francisco.



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In-Person Lunch



Put our monthly hour-and-a-half lunch meeting on your Calendar every 3rd Wednesday of the month and listen to speakers who can bring informative material to share with your membership. Join us on **Wednesday, February 15, 2023, from 11:30-1:00p.m. at The Dayton Woman's Club, 225 N. Ludlow Street, Dayton, Ohio 45402.**

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Happy International Women's Month! During the month of March, Women are celebrated for the many achievements throughout history in art, athletics, business, government, philanthropy, humanities, science, and education. Celebrating Women's history traces back to 1911, when International Women's Day was observed in the United States on March 8. Over time, honoring women during March became Women's

History Week. In 1980, President Jimmy Carter issued an official presidential proclamation that declared National Women's History Week the week of March 8. President Carter acknowledged the struggles of those who fought for equality- leaders like Sojourner Truth, Lucy Stone, Lucretia Mott, and Harriet Tubman. After being petitioned by the National Women's History Project in 1987, Congress passed an act declaring the entire month of March as Women's History Month. Women worldwide celebrate this month, thus, International Women's Month.

Women have contributed so much to society. We have made great strides in reducing the gender equity gap. However, we still have barriers to overcome. A segment of the population wants to subjugate the growth of women and girls in this country and around the world. Women have shown resiliency over time and will continue fighting for equal and fair access to healthcare, ensuring equal economic opportunities, educational equity, and ending gender-based violence. Celebrate the women who made a difference in your life and do research and learn about the women who have assisted our Democracy in sustaining itself.

In case you missed it, last month, we celebrated Black History Month and had a fun and lively luncheon meeting with Tom Nichols, Director of Media Relations & Broadcasting for the Dayton Dragons, with Grant Noffsinger. They shared the various fundraising opportunities that exist for our organizations to utilize.

Join us this month as we welcome the CEO of Big Brothers Big Sisters Miami Valley, Anne Pfeiffer. Big Brothers Big Sisters Miami Valley is a nonprofit mentoring organization that serves approximately 400 youth in Greene, Miami, Montgomery, and Preble Counties. Big Brothers Big Sisters matches positive adult mentors ("Bigs") with youth mentees ("Littles"). Bigs and Littles meet four to eight hours monthly and participate in fun, safe activities while focusing on academic, behavioral, and social goals. Come and learn about Big Brothers Big Sisters and how you and members of your organization and our communities can get involved with this exceptional organization. My roommate and I were Big Sisters in college at The Ohio State University, which was a rewarding experience.



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[2023 - Bob Chiles Sponsor Packet.pdf \(presidentsclubdayton.org\)](https://www.presidentsclubdayton.org/2023-Bob-Chiles-Sponsor-Packet.pdf)

Please open, read and share with Business Friends, Golfers and members of your organization.



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MVMHM's 2023 Speaking Engagements Thru August

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January

11th Mark Conrad, USAF, Master Sergeant, Retired "The Importance of Military Museums"

25th Jim Turitti III, USAF, Lieutenant Colonel, Retired

RESCHEDULED DUE TO IMPENDING SNOW STORMS. SPEAKING ON JUNE 28TH

"German Headgear"

March

8th Jack Hudson, USAF, Lieutenant General, Retired - A-10 Pilot

22nd Jack Ward "Dogs in War"

29th

Vietnam Veterans Day - planning a formal OUR 5TH ANNUAL VNV 50th Pinning Ceremony

Guest Speakers: Doctor Hardy, USA, Colonel, Retired, Chief of Staff, Dayton VA

Laurel Mayer, USAF, Colonel, Retired

Chaplain Bowen

May

10th Catherine I. Beers-Conrad, USAF, Veteran

"Gold Star Family - An Honor No One Wants"

24th

27th & 28th Memorial Weekend Military History Muster

29th Memorial Day - need a Gold Star Speaker....possibly Cindy & Jim

June

14th Wed 6:00 Matt Owen, Navy

28th Wed 6:00 Jim Turitti III, USAF, Lieutenant Colonel, Retired "German Headgear"

July

2nd

3rd Fairborn Block Party

4th Parade

12th Wed 6:00 Dan Kirkpatrick, USAF, Col. Retired Commanded a combat hospital in Kuwait.

"Ethical Issues in Healthcare in Combat Zone"

26th Wed 6:00

August

9th Wed 6:00b Randy and Lynda Setty, Civil War Historians & Reenactors "Ohio in the Civil War"

23rd Wed 6:00

September

13th Wed 6:00



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Save the Date

Saturday, March 18, 2023

The Mercy Manor Board of Trustees
Invites You to Attend
Our 31st Annual Founder's Day Luncheon & Fundraiser
Saturday, March 18, 2023 ~ 12:00 Noon

Enjoy an afternoon of food, fellowship, testimonials, and raffle prizes.

*"2023: The Year of Revival and Renewal
– Living a Brighter Future"*

Presidential Banquet Center
4548 Presidential Way
Kettering, Ohio 45429

GUEST SPEAKER:

Helen Jones-Kelley, Executive Director
Montgomery County ADAMI IS (CHI)

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Brandon C. McClain
Montgomery County Recorder

HONOREES:

Sandra K. Collie, Board President
Mercy Manor, Inc.
Sister Jean Foppe Visionary Award

Jenell Ross, President, Bob Ross Auto Group
Special Community Service Award

Marlon Shackelford, Community Activist
Special Leadership/Community Service Award

Ticket Donation ~ \$65

Table of 8 Donation ~ \$520

Sponsorships and Ads are available.

*For Reservations and more information please contact Barbara at
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Happy Easter to Christians, a major celebration of the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Celebrated on April 9, 2023.

Happy Passover (Pesach) commemorates the emancipation of the Israelites from slavery in ancient Egypt. Celebrated for 8 days, April 5-13, 2023, starting and ending at sundown.

Happy Arab American Heritage Month, a month-long celebration in the United States that takes place in April each year. It is a time to recognize and honor the contributions and achievements of Arab Americans throughout U.S. history. This is a month to celebrate the diversity and cultural richness of the Arab American community.

National Autism Awareness Month is dedicated to raising awareness about autism spectrum disorder (ASD).

National Poetry Month celebrates poetry and its impact in culture and society.

Sexual Assault Awareness Month is a campaign to raise awareness about sexual violence and promote prevention awareness.

Earth Day-April 22, a day to raise awareness and promote conservation efforts.

In case you missed it, last month, we welcomed Anne Pfeiffer, the CEO of Big Brothers Big Sisters Miami Valley. She gave us enlightening information and encouraged us to consider becoming “Bigs” for “Littles.” Reach out to her to speak at your meeting.

This month's guest speaker is going to explain why our Bob Chiles Golf Outing supports and why it is important to support this annual event. First Sergeant Chris Stanley retired from the Air Force in 2001, and worked as a government contractor and as the Executive Director of the Fisher/Nightingale Houses, Inc. This 501(c)3 non-profit was established solely for the purpose of raising funds to reimburse the Air Force one hundred percent of the operational and support costs of the two Wright-Patterson AFB Fisher Houses as well as the Dayton Veterans Affairs Medical Center Fisher House, which opened in October 2018. He left work as a government contractor in October 2016 to solely focus his efforts on the three Dayton-area Fisher Houses. This is information that we all need to share with family, friends, and our club members.



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1. Register on-line and send a Word Document or typed in body of email the Reason for The Nomination, or

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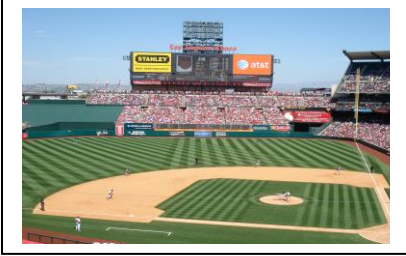
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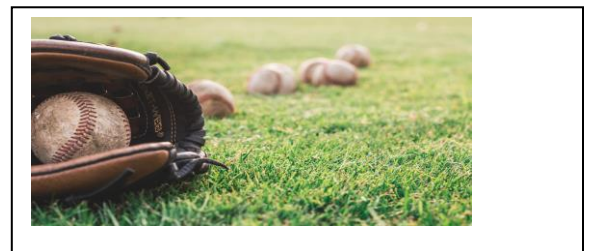
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The events planned to Celebrate National Arab American Heritage Month in April are as follows:

Arab American Heritage Month and Community Iftar (By Invitation)

Arab American of Miami Valley are hosting community leader, elected officials and other supporters to enjoy tasty food and dialogue with Arab Americans.

Dayton Metro Library is pleased to partner with the Dayton Arab American Forum (DAFF) to celebrate National Arab American Heritage Month (NAAHM). <https://www.daytonlocal.com/news/community/dayton-metro-library-celebrates-national-arab-american-heritage-month.asp>

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[Ramadan Coloring Sheets](#) - April 21st

Vandalia Branch, through Friday, April 21

Stop in during Library hours and decorate the Branch's Juvenile Bulletin Board to help celebrate Ramadan. *For Ages 3-12*

[Spice Up: Lebanese Edition](#) - April 29th

Southeast Branch, through Saturday, April 29 or while supplies last.

Challenge those taste buds and pick up a spice kit anytime during Library hours for this month's international theme. Kits come with spice, a brochure, and a survey code. *For Adults*

[Movie Night: Arab Heritage Edition](#) - April 1 and April 25th

April 1st – 2pm – 4pm - Miamisburg Library - Community room (1st)

April 25th – 5pm – 7pm - Main Library - Community room (25th)

DAFF is hosting a family movie night that explores the Arab culture. *For All Ages*

[Arabian Readings and Crafts](#) - April 7th, 10th, and 14th

Main Library, Children's Creativity Space, 1st Floor.

Story Time and Craft:

April 7th – 11am – 12pm Main Library

April 10th – 11am – 12pm South East Library

April 14th – 11am – 12pm Trotwood Library

Enjoy a reading and craft inspired by the Arab Culture, highlighting Ramadan and life in Egypt. Crafts will include making a Ramadan lantern, a hanging star, and more. Registration is required. *For Grades 1-4 and Tweens*

[Poetry Reading](#) - April 19th,

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Poetry Reading of Khaled Mattawa



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Happy Mother's Day

This Month's Guest Speakers
May 17, 2023


Presidents Message

Kettering
COLLEGE



How Kettering College is Reaching Out to Ukrainian Students to Assist in Medical Careers.

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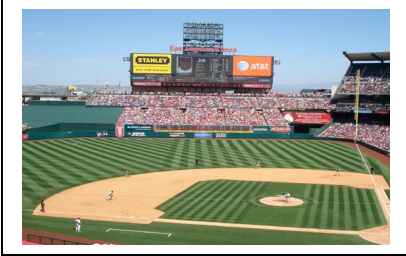


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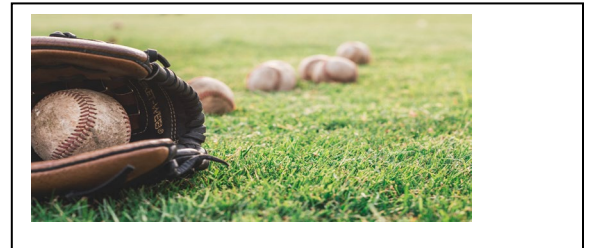
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Information of Events from our Clubs and Community

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Here is the Membership Application for your organization to download and submit with update information

[PCoD 2023 - Application](#)

Value of Membership in The Presidents Club of Dayton

The Presidents Club of Dayton is a Non-Profit organization that accomplishes many things in our community and with your help can do more:

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Your organization will have a page in the Presidents Club Website. This is a great tool for promoting your organization to prospective members. Your organization's contact information and website link plus any marketing materials can be included on this website. Our webmaster does all the work that you submit to be included.



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The Presidents Club of Dayton will advertise your organization's events and fund-raising activities in our monthly newsletters as well as the Presidents Club Facebook Page.

We place your organization's name in our programs for the Outstanding Volunteer Award Ceremony and the Citizen Legion of Honor Award

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[Presidents Club Brochure](#) that provides all the activities of The Presidents Club of Dayton.

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Tuesday, 20 June 2023

1130 – 1300

Charity Earley Auditorium, Sinclair College, Building 12

444 West Third Street, Dayton, Ohio 45402

Chicken Divan \$28 per person

Zucchini and Feta Quinoa Cakes \$28 per person

Complimentary parking in Lot C garage located under Building 12

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Registrations accepted through Monday, 12 June 2023





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Event Jul 23, 2023 1:05 PM EDT



Civitan Club of Dayton 7/23

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Dayton Dragons vs. Wisconsin Timber Rattlers

event Jul 23, 2023 1:05 PM EDT

Day Air Ballpark, Dayton, OH

Purchase Deadline: Jul 17th @ 11:05am EDT

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Social Hour - 11:00 program- 11:30 Lunch - 12:15

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Calling all Pet Lovers! Nicole Sturk, Resources Innovation Director from SICSA (Society for the Improvement of Conditions for Stray Animals), will discuss their Safe Foster Pets program and their Community Vet clinics.

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FRIDAY EVENING CHARCUTERIE EVENT



Friday, June 16.....5:30-7:30

Come and spend a delicious evening with the Dayton Charcuterie Gal. She serves up a charcuterie board almost too pretty to eat. Each person gets everything to make and take home their own bamboo charcuterie board, plus a cup for snacking while building your board. One person per board! Limited seating.

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Dr. Barlow is retired from the United States Air Force. Her career focus has been on workforce development. Her commitment to enriching knowledge about opportunities that prepare kindergartners to postgraduates for success through her continued work with the Dayton-based Strategic Ohio Council for Higher Education (SOCHE) since 2017 has highlighted her success in reaching people in need. Truly a servant leader in our community, Dr. Barlow has received many professional and community service awards and honors, along with serving as a volunteer Board member with many service and civic organizations throughout this community. She has published work and is a sought-after keynote speaker. Look for more in the coming weeks about this valiant leader.



In Case You Missed It, Native Son Navy Commander Visits During Navy Week

The Presidents Club of Dayton and the Miami Valley Military Affairs Association collaborated on Tuesday, June 20, 2023, with a luncheon celebrating Navy Week at the Sinclair Conference Center. The group welcomed home Altar High School graduate Commander Leon W. Moore, Executive Officer of the Navy Reserve, Navy Office of Community Outreach, in Millington, Tennessee, as keynote speaker. He assumed this position with the Navy in February 2022.

His presentation was exceptional. He introduced the visitors to the Navy and the various ways the Navy plays a vital role in not only the security of our daily lives but the functionality of our daily routines. Protecting the waters so that the merchandise and food Americans have become accustomed to can be delivered uninterrupted. They lay cable in the sea, ensuring fighter jets can deploy from vessels in the ocean worldwide.

The Commander spoke about there being over 200 different types of jobs available through the Navy.

He emphasized the importance of the Junior Navy ROTC program in high schools and how those students have a higher graduation rate and tremendous success meeting Navy requirements. The Belmont High School Navy Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (NJROTC) color guard attended the luncheon and presented the colors.

An astounding number of high school students and adults do not meet the requirements for acceptance into the Navy. Physical conditions, health issues, mental health, and other problems hurt a person's chances for a career in the Navy.



Commander Leon W. Moore, Margaret Kruckemeyer, Veronica Bedell-Nevels, Barbara Hudson-Banner





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Brandon Creech, Susy Himelhoch, Brian Jarvis,
Commander (CDR) Leon W. Moore, Annaliesa Hussey
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COMING EVENTS IN JULY



Just A Friendly Reminder to All...



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Light hors d'oeuvres and Cash Bar

Price includes bingo card for 10 games Prizes too!

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DINE AND LEARN Friday, July 21



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Citizen Legion of Honor

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display of the richness of the African American experience. There are 16 thought provoking pieces of art created with varied techniques. With beloved artists like Ernie Barnes, Frank Morrison with his piece of



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a little girl called Queen-it will touch your heart. *Reflections In Time* was a testament to the human spirit, creativity, and ingenuity. Kim Wiggins, from New Mexico, was commissioned by the NAACP. He is a white artist who paints American art and has captured the African American experience in a unique and legitimate way. His work undeniably evokes emotion, curiosity, and contemplation. It is done with the utmost respect and clarity.

Our lunch meetings are always instructive, fun, and enlightening. Join us once a month for no more than two hours and leave with new ideas and information to share with your organization(s).

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FLORAL DESIGN WORKSHOP

Saturday, August 12th from 11 am to 12:30 pm

Cost: \$60 DWC members, \$65 non-members
Advance Ticket Purchase Required by 8/5

Learn the magic of floral arranging from the experts at Oberer's Flowers and bring home a stunning arrangement created by you!

Includes all materials, a complimentary Mimosa, plus a limited-edition Oberer's 100th Anniversary Vase (\$80 total retail value)



LUNCH & LEARN: WOMEN IN AVIATION

Wednesday, August 23rd from 11 am to 1 pm

Cost: \$20 DWC members, \$25 non-members (includes lunch)
Advance Ticket Purchase Required by 8/21

Enjoy a delicious lunch with us and learn about the historic Dayton women in aviation.

In 1910, the Wright Brothers founded the first flight school and 3 of the 119 graduating pilots were women! Come learn about these amazing aviatrixes from our guest speaker, National Park Ranger Courtney Misich.



COCKTAIL CLASS

Friday, August 25th from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Cost: \$70 DWC members, \$80 non-members
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Learn the basics of mixology from Latasha Coleman of the Liquor Lab. Craft and taste three signature cocktails including one created especially for the DWC!

All materials included, must be 21 or older to attend.



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Let's Get It Right, Ya'll!

Do you ever wonder if you are recycling the right things? Ever tried to Compost? Are you saving on your Energy bill? This month's meeting will focus on the small but important things we can do related to **Environmental Sustainability**.

Meg Maloney, Sustainability Manager for the City of Dayton, and **Tim Pritchard**, Sustainability Manager at Five Rivers Metroparks will share information and answer questions regarding how we can master the ever-changing requirements needed to adopt sustainable practices. Learn how what we do daily can transform our local environment and make our communities greener.



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2023 Speakers Series Presents



Aaron Anderson, United States Army, Captain (03), Veteran

Bronze Star Medal Recipient

Medical Service Corps Officer Command Health Supply Officer

Served as a Ranger and in the 82nd Airborne Division and
is a veteran of deployments to Bosnia and Iraq.

Topic "An 03 in Iraq"

Speaking on Wednesday, August 23rd, 2023 at 6pm

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Last Years Attendance
Exceeded 2000 – This Year
Is Expected to be More Epic



Collect Candy
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Distributing Childrens
Trick or Treat



Businesses, Nonprofits and Citizens

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Dayton Arab American Forum (DAAF)

Save the Date

Sunday, October 1, 2023

DAAF Annual Picnic

Forest Park in Centerville, Ohio

Details to be posted in September on our Facebook Page

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The Civitan's Cheese and Quackers Event was awesome and held at Uno's Pizzeria and Grill on N. Main Street. Joe Ellis, Uno's Proprietor, and a Dayton Civitan provided the drinks and food. We filled up the Section That the Civitan Club of Dayton used and collected more than \$1,600 in Duck Sales. The Duck Drop is September 16 at Riverscape during the and you can still purchase your winning duck up to September 16th. Use this link to purchase your ducks: <https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/cu/3Fr38Cv/civitan>

Ducks can be bought for \$5 or more, for each \$25 Quack Pack purchased (6 ducks), you will receive a Free Coupon for a Jersey Mikes Regular Sub.

Our Civitan Goal is to sell \$2000!

And

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The Citizens
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Over.



Dayton Mayor Jeffrey Mims Jr. congratulates retired Air Force Commander Cassie Barlow at the Presidents Club of Dayton's Citizen Legion of Honor event, on Thursday. THOMAS GNALI / STAFF

Thank you to our Board members, to Phil Parker, and Dr. Robert Leibold (who travels from Florida every year) for their help and support in making this year's event a success. Thank you to Twentig, Inc. members who also participated in the preparation and work to help us achieve our success. We are grateful to the Masonic Center for allowing us to utilize all of their resources so that we could work there. Melanie Asbell was a great help to us. We had close to 340 people at the Convention Center to celebrate our Honoree, retired Colonel Dr. Cassie B. Barlow. The Dayton Daily News did a wonderful write-up about the event. This was a labor of love, everyone involved enjoyed the work in making this a success.



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In Case You Missed It, Meg Maloney the Sustainability Manager at the City of Dayton spoke to us about her role as an advocate for a more sustainable future for Dayton residents and businesses through energy and environmental justice programs. She spoke about how she has helped all residents in Montgomery County save money on their electricity bills. She reminded us to read and respond to those letters that we receive in the mail that offer savings on our utility bills, to be true. Tim Pritchard came with her and is the Sustainability Manager for Five Rivers MetroParks in Montgomery County, Ohio. He works to lead implementation of the agency's Sustainability Plan and Climate Change Mitigation Strategy as well as overseeing waste management policy and protocol, facility efficiency improvements, agency-wide composting efforts, and utility and GHG tracking and reporting. Tim excited us about learning more about composting and the benefits of it. He invited us to attend a composting class offered by MetroParks. He showed pictures of composting sites throughout the county that you would not think are there. They both had interesting topics and we are excited to recycle correctly, compost and save on our energy bill.

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Upcoming Speakers in 2023

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September 27th Frank Alter, USAF, Colonel, Retired "Anatomy of a Shootdown"

no October speaker

November 8th Kevin Rosuck, Wright-Patterson AFB Historian
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Major General Matthew J. Burger

Mobilization Assistant to Chief of Air Force Reserve

cordially invites you to a ceremony honoring.

Colonel Raymond A. Smith, Jr.

on the occasion of his retirement from the U.S. Air Force

after 33 years of service

Saturday, the fourth of November

Two thousand and twenty-three

at one o'clock in the afternoon

Hangar 4016

Wright Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio

Please RSVP using the link below:

[Colonel Raymond A. Smith Jr. Retirement Ceremony \(afit.edu\)](https://afit.edu/Colonel-Raymond-A-Smith-Jr-Retirement-Ceremony)

Please contact Lt Col Cynthia Harris at cynthia.harris@us.af.mil if you have questions.

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★ **December 16, 2023** ★

National Wreaths Across America Day



Help the Civitan Club of Dayton honor local heroes!

Sponsor a wreath today to be placed on a veteran's grave this December at Dayton National Cemetery.

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Support Our Unhoused Veterans

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This National Homeless Veterans Housing Program seamlessly integrates local communities, foundations, corporations, and Veterans groups with the VA & HUD to house your local heroes. We channel our support exclusively, directly, and immediately to move local chronically unhoused veterans off the streets and into permanent, supported housing. Although Veterans' Services provides support once the veteran is in a residence, they do not provide the funds for the initial deposit. Funds raised will provide the deposit money (approximately \$7-800 in the Miami Valley per applicant). In the Miami Valley region, as of June this year, there were 14 vouchers (\cong \$750) needed to supply deposits so unhoused veterans could start the process of actually being housed.

Program at a Glance

Veterans Matter helps the Veterans who need us the most – those who have nowhere else to go – they don't have the deposit required by the landlord, and they will be sent back to the streets, shelter, or car (this includes their children).

Veterans Matter partners with the VA homeless program social workers who help the veterans find appropriate housing of their choice, and then secure their long-term HUD VASH (VA Supportive Housing) Vouchers through the Department of Housing & Urban Development-Veterans Affairs.

When the veteran is ready to sign the lease and the veteran has nowhere else to find the deposit, the VA social workers access an on-line system, complete the short referral form requesting the deposit and hit send.

All conforming referrals are immediately approved. The social worker and landlord receive an email approval of the deposit and the check is sent the same day.

Rather than be sent back to the streets, shelter, or car, they cross the threshold into their own home for the brave in the land of the free. Most don't even know it was us who did it, so you will be the Guardian Angel who answered their prayer.

25% of the Heroes that Veterans Matter houses have children. Thousands of children are now able to sleep in their own beds, attend school, have clean clothes, and be proud of their new homes. The youth of today need security. Having a home and family around them provides this element of love and warmth.

Veterans Matter has housed thousands of Veterans and their families nationwide in 32 states and has attracted the support of over two dozen artists including Katy Perry, John Mellencamp, Dusty Hill, Luke Bryan, Kid Rock, Maren Morris and others.

Now YOU can join them and us in raising money for this project supporting our Veterans

The following Flyer contains details on the project

YOUR SUPPORT MATTERS! ENTER FOR A CHANCE TO WIN!

VETERANS MATTER

50/50 RAFFLE

Pinewood Derby Race

Benefiting the Veterans Matter Housing Support Project



TICKETS

\$10/each or \$25/for 3 entries

Tickets may be purchased by going to the Springfield Exchange Club website, from a Dayton or Springfield club member, or a participating VFW. You do not need to be present to win. Prizes will be awarded for each heat, and the 50/50 grand prize will be awarded from the pool of entrants that selects the branch of the U.S. military that corresponds with the winning pinewood derby car.

Select the branch of the military that you think will come out victorious!

Scan code to purchase tickets



or visit
SpringfieldExchangeClub.org/raffle

You are invited to attend this event in person

Saturday, November 11, 2023

2:00 PM

**The Dayton Masonic Center, Lower Level
525 W. Riverview Ave, Dayton, OH 45405**

The event will also be streamed live on the Springfield Exchange Club Facebook page.
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*Happy Holidays
Give Thanks!!!*



Join Us Wednesday, November 15 and Learn About the MEDAL OF HONOR MEMORIAL PROJECT

This is a project to build a memorial in tribute to our region's **Medal of Honor** recipients for their unparalleled bravery and self-sacrifice. The Medal of Honor is the United States' highest and most prestigious military decoration awarded to military service members who have distinguished themselves by acts of valor, often putting their lives at risk. Wright Dunbar is proposing a Medal of Honor Memorial as the centerpiece of a park where four WWI memorials and two Gold Star Mothers memorials currently exist. Learn more about the project from our Board Member and Judge, Brandon McClain, and Co-Chair Planning Committee member, Karla Garrett Harshaw, Wright Dunbar, Inc., Development Chair. This is another important project to share the legacy of heroes in our community.

72nd Citizen Legion of Honor Luncheon was a Success!!!

Thank you to our sponsors and to everyone who attended the event. We had an attendance of over 300 people, and our recipient, Cassie Barlow, was overwhelmed with joy for this prestigious recognition. We will continue this notable event on Thursday, October 3, 2024. See you there!

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Lincoln, Leadership and Legacy

**WEDNESDAY,
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Doors Open at 6:00 PM



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225 N. Ludlow St
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TICKETS \$75

RSVP BY NOVEMBER 7

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Eric Spina

President, University of Dayton

Recipient of Inaugural Servant Leadership Award

GUEST SPEAKERS

Tom Roberts

*President, Ohio Conference NAACP
Advisor, Sinclair Ohio Fellows
Student Leadership Development*

Kim Villalva

*Author,
Lincoln: The Servant Leader
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ENTERTAINMENT

Deron Bell's Smooth Jazz Band

Donations, Tributes and Sponsorships Available

Help us continue our work! Children's Historical Publishing has donated over 600,000 books to local schools in your area.

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Parade of Giving Trees Across Huber Heights

- Peace and Tranquility Lake Corp, non-profit is looking for homes or businesses to participate in the Parade of Giving Trees Across Huber Heights.
- We will be creating a map of those participating in the Parade of Giving Trees Across Huber Heights advertising the gift you are offering. On Friday, 1 December, participants will display a decorated Christmas tree of some type (it can be a tree made just of lights or a small tree of any kind will do) in their front yard or in their business along with a collection box suitable for receiving a filled-out flyer with the contact information of those seeking holiday assistance.
- Peace and Tranquility Lake Corp, through the Huber Haunts Facebook site, will advertise the map and gift you donate. This will help ensure that your gift will be appreciated by the recipient. The need for assistance in Huber Heights for the holidays is great. By participating, you and your family can help families across our community who struggle and share in the giving spirit of the Holiday season.
- We are asking you to consider being on this map and sharing the gift of giving with those less fortunate in our community. Families will travel around the city, seeking the giving trees and their collocated collection boxes where they will deposit a single entry opportunity.
 - You will create/provide a box to be placed beside the tree in your front yard or business where families can put their contact information on our supplied entry form/flyer that will also be distributed.
 - On 20 December 2023, all of us on the map will be doing our own drawings. If this is your business or your home, you will draw your winner.
 - After the drawing we will collect and approve all winners from those with Giving Trees and then post the winners on the Huber Haunts Facebook page. These dates allow enough time for winners to be notified and to plan to pick up their Gift before the Holiday (maybe you will provide a Ham, Turkey, meal, or a Gift Card or maybe you wish to adopt a whole family, this will be completely at your discretion whatever you wish to give. Imagine what we can do together if each one of us had to giving tree in our front yard and donated something towards a Families holiday. Giving Tree participants will be responsible for coordinating with the Winner for delivery of all gifts.
- If you are interested in more details, please private message me or call me at 937-620-5161 and please remember that your contribution will be tax deductible as we are a 501(c)(3) nonprofit in our city.
- **The Deadline to add your tree is 19 November 2023**
- **Trees are to be displayed 1-20 December 2023**
- **You decide on the Gift, you supply the Gift, you give the Gift**
- **EVERYONE SHARES IN THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT OF HUBER HEIGHTS**





VETERANS DAY

OPEN HOUSE

MIAMI VALLEY MILITARY

HISTORY MUSEUM

9AM ~ 6PM



LIGHT REFRESHMENTS

VIETNAM VETERAN PINS

4 E. MAIN STREET, FAIRBORN, OH 45324

937-318-8820

Support Our Unhoused Veterans

The National Exchange Club has teamed up with Veterans Matter (Veteransmatter.org) to support our unhoused Veterans. The Dayton & Springfield Exchange Clubs are teaming up to raise money for this very worthwhile cause.

This National Homeless Veterans Housing Program seamlessly integrates local communities, foundations, corporations, and Veterans groups with the VA & HUD to house your local heroes. We channel our support exclusively, directly, and immediately to move local chronically unhoused veterans off the streets and into permanent, supported housing. Although Veterans' Services provides support once the veteran is in a residence, they do not provide the funds for the initial deposit. Funds raised will provide the deposit money (approximately \$7-800 in the Miami Valley per applicant). In the Miami Valley region, as of June this year, there were 14 vouchers (\cong \$750) needed to supply deposits so unhoused veterans could start the process of actually being housed.

Program at a Glance

Veterans Matter helps the Veterans who need us the most – those who have nowhere else to go – they don't have the deposit required by the landlord, and they will be sent back to the streets, shelter, or car (this includes their children).

Veterans Matter partners with the VA homeless program social workers who help the veterans find appropriate housing of their choice, and then secure their long-term HUD VASH (VA Supportive Housing) Vouchers through the Department of Housing & Urban Development-Veterans Affairs.

When the veteran is ready to sign the lease and the veteran has nowhere else to find the deposit, the VA social workers access an on-line system, complete the short referral form requesting the deposit and hit send.

All conforming referrals are immediately approved. The social worker and landlord receive an email approval of the deposit and the check is sent the same day.

Rather than be sent back to the streets, shelter, or car, they cross the threshold into their own home for the brave in the land of the free. Most don't even know it was us who did it, so you will be the Guardian Angel who answered their prayer.

25% of the Heroes that Veterans Matter houses have children. Thousands of children are now able to sleep in their own beds, attend school, have clean clothes, and be proud of their new homes. The youth of today need security. Having a home and family around them provides this element of love and warmth.

Veterans Matter has housed thousands of Veterans and their families nationwide in 32 states and has attracted the support of over two dozen artists including Katy Perry, John Mellencamp, Dusty Hill, Luke Bryan, Kid Rock, Maren Morris and others.

Now YOU can join them and us in raising money for this project supporting our Veterans

The following Flyer contains details on the project

YOUR SUPPORT MATTERS! ENTER FOR A CHANCE TO WIN!

VETERANS MATTER

50/50 RAFFLE

Pinewood Derby Race

Benefiting the Veterans Matter Housing Support Project



TICKETS

\$10/each or \$25/for 3 entries

Tickets may be purchased by going to the Springfield Exchange Club website, from a Dayton or Springfield club member, or a participating VFW. You do not need to be present to win. Prizes will be awarded for each heat, and the 50/50 grand prize will be awarded from the pool of entrants that selects the branch of the U.S. military that corresponds with the winning pinewood derby car.

Select the branch of the military that you think will come out victorious!

Scan code to purchase tickets



or visit
SpringfieldExchangeClub.org/raffle

You are invited to attend this event in person

Saturday, November 11, 2023

2:00 PM

**The Dayton Masonic Center, Lower Level
525 W. Riverview Ave, Dayton, OH 45405**

The event will also be streamed live on the Springfield Exchange Club Facebook page.
For more information, contact Carol Suddath at (937)505-9030 or carolsuddath@ameritech.net

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Tickets by November 9



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Presidents Message

Happy
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We hope this message finds you well and filled with the spirit of giving as we approach the holiday season. Terra Fox Williams, President, and CEO of YWCA Dayton will be our special guest speaker. She will share valuable insights into the incredible programs and initiatives that YWCA Dayton has been spearheading to make a positive impact to women and their children in our community.

In the spirit of giving back, we would like to make this meeting even more special by organizing a **toy drive to benefit the YWCA Dayton's Annual Children's Christmas Party. We are asking each member to bring a new, unwrapped toy to the meeting, which we will collectively donate to the festive celebration.** Your generosity can make a significant difference in season for these children, and we are confident that our members will rise to the occasion and bring a toy. If you are unable to attend the meeting but would still like to contribute, please contact President



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In Case You Missed It: Judge Rice, Magistrate Brandon McClain, and Karla Garrett Harshaw of Wright Dunbar, Inc. Development spoke to us about a project to build a memorial in tribute to our region's **Medal of Honor** recipients for their unparalleled bravery and self-sacrifice. The Medal of Honor is the United States' highest and most prestigious military decoration awarded to military service members who have distinguished themselves by acts of valor, often putting their lives at risk. Wright Dunbar is proposing a Medal of Honor Memorial as the centerpiece of a park where four WWI memorials and two Gold Star Mothers memorials currently exist. This is another important project to share the legacy of heroes in our community. The link to this



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December 2023 Newsletter

Parade of Giving Trees Across Huber Heights

- Peace and Tranquility Lake Corp, non-profit is looking for homes or businesses to participate in the Parade of Giving Trees Across Huber Heights.
- We will be creating a map of those participating in the Parade of Giving Trees Across Huber Heights advertising the gift you are offering. On Friday, 1 December, participants will display a decorated Christmas tree of some type (it can be a tree made just of lights or a small tree of any kind will do) in their front yard or in their business along with a collection box suitable for receiving a filled-out flyer with the contact information of those seeking holiday assistance.
- Peace and Tranquility Lake Corp, through the Huber Haunts Facebook site, will advertise the map and gift you donate. This will help ensure that your gift will be appreciated by the recipient. The need for assistance in Huber Heights for the holidays is great. By participating, you and your family can help families across our community who struggle and share in the giving spirit of the Holiday season.
- We are asking you to consider being on this map and sharing the gift of giving with those less fortunate in our community. Families will travel around the city, seeking the giving trees and their collocated collection boxes where they will deposit a single entry opportunity.
 - You will create/provide a box to be placed beside the tree in your front yard or business where families can put their contact information on our supplied entry form/flyer that will also be distributed.
 - On 20 December 2023, all of us on the map will be doing our own drawings. If this is your business or your home, you will draw your winner.
 - After the drawing we will collect and approve all winners from those with Giving Trees and then post the winners on the Huber Haunts Facebook page. These dates allow enough time for winners to be notified and to plan to pick up their Gift before the Holiday (maybe you will provide a Ham, Turkey, meal, or a Gift Card or maybe you wish to adopt a whole family, this will be completely at your discretion whatever you wish to give. Imagine what we can do together if each one of us had to giving tree in our front yard and donated something towards a Families holiday. Giving Tree participants will be responsible for coordinating with the Winner for delivery of all gifts.
- If you are interested in more details, please private message me or call me at 937-620-5161 and please remember that your contribution will be tax deductible as we are a 501(c)(3) nonprofit in our city.
- **The Deadline to add your tree is 19 November 2023**
- **Trees are to be displayed 1-20 December 2023**
- **You decide on the Gift, you supply the Gift, you give the Gift**
- **EVERYONE SHARES IN THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT OF HUBER HEIGHTS**

