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Presidents Message

Celebrate a Great Time!

Our Citizen Legion of Honor Luncheon was a tremendous success. The new "Wall of Honor" display made a striking impression, and the VIP Reception held in front of it set the tone for a memorable afternoon. Guests enjoyed coffee, cucumber water, and great conversation before stepping into the beautifully decorated Great Hall for a meaningful program. The afternoon featured a delicious meal, recognition of our outstanding scholarship recipients, and a heartfelt tribute to Raj Soin, our 2025 Citizen Legion of Honor recipient.



Special thanks to Tony Massoud for leading us in the National Anthem, and to the Ladies (a first) of the NROTC from Belmont High School for their impressive presentation and retiring of the colors.

It was a beautiful program—dignified, memorable, and full of community spirit. *Thank you*, again, for making this year's event one to remember. The new venue was a hit, and your support made it all possible.



Please click on the Link below and enjoy the photos of this incredible event. https://www.flickr.com/photos/15484248@N07/albums/72177720329675579/



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2025 As the year winds down, we reflect on how far we've come and the work still ahead. November is about gratitude—and we're thankful for every one of you who helps keep Dayton strong through leadership, service, and action. Let's finish 2025 with purpose and unity.

Join us for our Monthly Meeting November 19, 2025 at The Dayton Woman's Club from 11:30a.m.-1:00p.m. Don't miss this engaging and timely presentation on how to navigate today's uncertainty and information overload. Our own **Dr. Kimberly Luse** will share expert insights in what promises to be a thought-provoking discussion.



"The Trauma-Informed Care Approach to Business and Life"

Trauma plays a role that permeates everyone both personally and professionally. Takeaways from this presentation include:



- Understand the differences in various forms of trauma.
- Identify the role that trauma plays in each person's life.
- Recognize the data-driven techniques and tools to address trauma.
- Identify signals that clients and co-workers are in crisis due to trauma.
- Intervene with co-workers through a trauma-informed lens.
- Learn strategies for dealing with chaos

Dr. Kimberly A. Luse Executive Director for Fisher-Nightingale Houses, Inc.,

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In Case You Missed It:

Last month's topic was **Cyber Security 101** presented by *Bart Kincaid*, Director of Information Technology Montgomery County Sheriff's Office discussed the dangers of technology and how to safely use computers, cellphones, and online services. For all of us who think we know and understand the Web, the Dark Web, when and how to use public wifi systems, we were frightened into a new reality. Bart is a must have speaker (periodically) to remind us of the latest technologies, good and bad, and how to protect you and your family from harm. You can see his presentation on The Presidents Club of Dayton YouTube Channel. Book him for your club/organization.



Support the YWCA This Holiday Season

Christmas gifts are needed for the YWCA. Please bring new toys, twinsize bedding, socks, and toiletries to our upcoming meeting. Let's come together and help however we can.



- Outstanding Community Volunteer Breakfast Tuesday, May 5, 2026 Sinclair Community College Conference Center "Charity Earley" Room
- Bob Chiles Golf Outing Friday, May 8, 2026• Beavercreek Country Club
- Citizen Legion of Honor Thursday, October 15, 2026 "Great Room,"
 Sinclair Conference Center (South Entrance)

IN-PERSON LUNCH MEETING Put our monthly lunch meetings (the third



Wednesday of every month) on your Calendar and listen to speakers who can bring informative material to share with your membership. Join us on Wednesday, November 19, 2025, from 11:30a.m.-1:00p.m. at The Dayton Woman's Club 225 N. Ludlow St., Dayton, Ohio 45402.

Pray for Peace,

Veronica Bedell-Nevels

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Information of Events from our Clubs and Community

Please pass these newsletters on to your members because this information should be distributed to support our member organizations like yours, we all do excellent work in this community and the work we do needs to be acknowledged for others to see and promote growth for our service member organizations. Do not hesitate to send your fundraising information and events to us to publish. Our website is very professional, and our member organizations should verify the information accurately.

Here is the Membership Application for your organization to download and submit with update information for 2025-2026 pcod application 2025.pdf (presidentsclubdayton.org)

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:

We are providing paid members (only \$100 annual membership fee) free use of our Zoom Account for meetings with no time limit. Just schedule your meeting through Tony Massoud via presidentsclubdayton@aol.com to make sure the time you want is available. We will provide assistance for you to log on and use.

We are co-sponsors for the Bob Chiles Golf Outing, The Presidents Club of Dayton with Miami Valley Military Affairs Association since 1990 has donated over \$171,000 to the Fisher houses & over \$19,000 to First Sergeant's Association at WPAB. Next year's event is May 9^{th.}

Our Citizen Legion of Honor Award is one of the most Prestigious Volunteer Awards in our community. We announced the 5th Scholarship, The Anthony (Tony) Massoud Scholarship and donated to Sinclair College for the 5 Scholarships, each received \$2500. Our current endowment for the 5 Scholarships is self-sustaining to help maintain higher education for worthy students in our area who achieve high scholastics and volunteerism. The Presidents Club has raised over \$400,000 for Sinclair Scholarships because organizations like yours over the years with their \$100 membership fee, and fund-raising support have helped raise these monies.

The Presidents Club's Citizen Legion of Honor Award's Program Booklet listed each Club/Organization Presidents Club Member. Annual Membership Dues for 25-26 will be sent in November. 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.

We secure excellent speaker programs, and we share them with our members for their use. See excellent Program regarding Non-Profit Website Dayton Serves https://youtu.be/nKWgyPPduiA
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.

Presidents Club, Inc. | Outstanding Club Member Breakfast and Citizen Legion of Honor Award.

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Presidents Club Brochure that provides all the activities of The Presidents Club of Dayton.

Presidents Club Members can use Zoom Meeting Free for Paid Members

- The Presidents Club of Dayton has subscribed to Zoom for the purpose of providing our member organizations a way to conduct virtual online meetings that they can use. Your organization can schedule programs and board meetings using Zoom and it is free to our members if you reserve time ahead of others, and your membership for 2024-25 has been paid.
- Our subscription provides unlimited meetings for up to one hundred participants for each meeting. You can try this on your own, if you have any problems, contact Tony Massoud <u>daytoncivitanclub@gmail.com</u> or <u>daaf.org@gmail.com</u> or text 937-238-0595.
- A. For your organization to use Zoom, these are the appropriate steps you must take to use Zoom.
- B. 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 **videotape? Tony Massoud will set up 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
- Using Zoom to watch a video presentation from Phoenix, Az for the Civitan Club proves that Zoom can be a useful tool for your organization. Please watch https://youtu.be/KBRPvf3IFXg

Please purchase your Citizen Legion of Honor Award tickets now so we do not have to spend the time chasing the clubs down to support this event. As a member in good standing with the Presidents Club, each seat is \$10 less than the Public. Members tickets are \$45: Manning & Associates CPAs, LLC - Citizen Legion of Honor Award 2025 - PCoD MEMBER TICKET

The Public can buy their seats for \$55.



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* December 13, 2025 * 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.

Scan the QR code to make a donation online or visit www.wreathsacrossamerica.org/OH0388P





#ServeAndSucceed

The Civitan Club would love to help see as many veterans as possible remembered and honored **December 13, 2025,** and ask for your support to make it happen. There are more than 60,000 veterans laid to rest at Dayton National Cemetery. You can find all of their event details by visiting our website at: www.wreathsacrossamerica.org/OH0388P.



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The Woman's Club of Dayton Foundation (DBA The Dayton Woman's Club)

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Upcoming Events

Friday & Saturday, 9/19-20:

East Asian Moon Festival Brush Painting Workshop

Tuesday, 9/23:

History Series: Remembering the Golden Age of Downtown Dayton Shopping

Wednesday, 10/1: Booklovers

Wednesday, 10/1:

Guided Tour of the House

Saturday, 10/4:

World Card Making Day

Saturday, 10/4: Monthly High Tea

October 9: History Series: Dayton Black History -Children's Historical Publishing

October 18: Art Workshop: Ceramic Pumpkin Teapot

October 25:

WCDF Annual Meeting.

October 25. Woman Matters: Women in Leadership by Cassie Barlow, High Tea

DWC Newsletter

OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

Established in 1916 as The Dayton Woman's Club, the Woman's Club of Dayton Foundation is devoted to empowering women and strengthening our community educationally, professionally, and individually through historical preservation, public engagement, cultural activities, and educational programs.

Out & About with the DWC



Thank you to DWC Member Dan Gibson for driving his **Lightning McQueen** car (Disney Cars movie) in this year's Kettering Holiday at Home Parade on September 1. Featured guests included: President's Club of Dayton President, Veronica Bedell-Nevels, Civitan President, Tony

Massoud, and Soroptimist Club President, Beverly Odon.

SPECIAL THANK YOU

to Ohio's State Representative (District 36) Andrea White with DWC President, Margaret Kruckemeyer, for advocating that DWC's PEDAC 2024 grant request was supported by the state of Ohio community improvement funding. This funding enabled the DWC to continue with much-needed restoration and repairs of our historic home this past August.





DWC Holiday Market & Bazaar - November 7-8

Join us for lunch on Wednesdays and enjoy our New Fall Menu!

To register for any of our upcoming programs, please call the house or visit:

Upcoming & Past Events | The Dayton Woman's Club (daytonwomansclub.org)



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On behalf of the Miami Valley Military Affairs Association, I would like to extend our greetings to the Presidents Club of Dayton membership. I hope this letter finds you all doing well and still enjoying our Summer weather (even though we're well into September!).

With the goal of MVMAA being to support and foster relationships between our military installations and surrounding civilian communities, this past couple of months have once again provided MVMAA several opportunities to directly support the Airmen and Guardians at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base and Springfield Air National Guard Base. Here are just a few highlights:

MVMAA President Brian Jarvis was honored to attend the annual ceremony at the National Museum of the U.S. Air Force recognizing WPAFB airmen selected for promotion to chief master sergeant. CMSgt James "Bill" Fitch, command chief of AFMC and guest speaker for the ceremony, shared personal stories that shaped his leadership philosophy. CMSgt Tessa Fontaine, 88th ABW command chief, also congratulated the newest chiefs and encouraged them to embrace their new roles with pride.







MVMAA takes special pride in that two of our key members – Brittany Sommers-Woods and Ralph Anderson were recently recognized and received awards at the Presidents Club of Dayton's Outstanding Volunteer of the Year award ceremony. Both Brittany and Ralph are very active community volunteers, both representing what it means to be a true servant leader.

MVMAA was pleased to co-sponsor with the Presidents Club of Dayton on a very successful 45th Annual Bob Chiles Golf Classic (with 128 golfers teeing off!). Proceeds from the golf outing go to support the WPAFB and Dayton VA Fisher Houses, First Sergeants Council, 178th Air



National Guard, and other Base and Community-related activities. We are proud to support these organizations at WPAFB and Springfield ANGB. The top finishing teams of the golf outing are posted here.

We hope you enjoy and appreciate these articles covering MVMAA's 45-year history of communitymilitary partnership. Thank you for your support and commitment to embracing MVMAA's mission. I look forward to continuing working together with you in 2025 to further MVMAA's rich legacy.

Fall is right around the corner; enjoy it!!

Brian V. Jarvis MVMAA President