

Presidents Message



The Citizen Legion of Honor Celebrating 75 years in 2026!

**THEME 2026:
“Getting Smarter
in 2026!”**

Spring is here, and April brings both fresh energy and important reminders for our community. As always, the Dayton Presidents Club remains committed to keeping you informed, connected, and supported.

April is a meaningful month for many, bringing together a variety of spiritual and cultural observances. We recognize and extend warm wishes to those celebrating Easter and Passover, as well as others observing important traditions during this season.

Easter is a time of renewal and hope, celebrated by Christians around the world. Passover, a significant Jewish holiday, reflects on freedom, faith, and tradition. In addition, April is a time when many communities observe Ramadan, a period of reflection, prayer, and fasting for Muslims.

We honor the diversity of these traditions and the values they share—reflection, gratitude, renewal, and community. May this season bring peace, joy, and meaning to all who celebrate.

April is Fair Housing Month, a time to recognize the importance of equal access to housing for all. This observance marks the anniversary of the Fair Housing Act and reminds us of our shared responsibility to promote inclusive, equitable communities. We encourage all members to stay informed and continue fostering environments where everyone feels welcome and respected.

This month also highlights several key health awareness initiatives, including Stress Awareness Month, Alcohol Awareness Month, and Minority Health Month. These observances serve as a reminder to prioritize both physical and mental well-being. Whether it's taking time to rest, supporting a friend, or learning more about preventive care, small steps can make a meaningful difference.

As the weather improves, we look forward to more opportunities to gather, collaborate, and strengthen our network. Keep an eye out for upcoming events, meetings, and volunteer opportunities. Your participation continues to make this organization strong.

Thank you for your ongoing involvement and commitment. The strength of the Dayton Presidents Club lies in our members, and we appreciate everything you contribute to our shared mission.

Wishing you a productive and healthy April.



Each year, through our **Outstanding Volunteer Breakfast**, we recognize members who are making a meaningful impact within their organizations and throughout the Dayton community. If you know a member who deserves to be recognized, we encourage you to submit a nomination. It's a great way to highlight the leadership, service, and dedication within our network.



Tamika Williams-Jeter

Our Guest Speaker will be University of Dayton Women's Coach **Tamika Williams-Jeter**. Williams-Jeter is leading her hometown Flyers in her fourth season at the helm as she looks to take the Dayton women's basketball program to new heights. She has a message to bring us, as volunteers and community leaders, how

"Teamwork will make the Dreamwork." We are also proud to honor one of our nation's remarkable leaders by hosting our **Outstanding Volunteer Breakfast** in a space named in her honor at Sinclair Community College—the **Charity Adams Earley Room**. This setting serves as a fitting tribute to her legacy of leadership and service. Below is the link to submit your nomination(s) for the Outstanding Community Volunteer Breakfast by or before **April 15, 2026**. It is also on our website: www.presidentsclubdayton.org.

<https://www.presidentsclubdayton.org/files/ocmembernomination2026.pdf>



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

The nominations for the **Citizen Legion of Honor Award** deadline has concluded. The announcement of this year's recipient will be next month.

This Month's Guest
County Recorder.



Speaker is Lori Kennedy, Montgomery

She will share updates on recent upgrades to the Recorder's services and how they may affect you. Come with your questions and curiosity for what should be an engaging discussion.

*Look for our EVITE invitation and join us for our Monthly Meeting
Wednesday, April 15, 2026 at The Dayton Woman's Club from
11:30a.m.-1:00p.m.*

In Case You Missed It: We had Senior leaders from direct-sales company ACN, who flew in from Maryland and Wisconsin to discuss the essential services provided by the company and their FINTEC (**VIRTUAL BANKING**) offering that will be rolled out October 1, 2026. The most sought-after services offered are the gas, and electric(**XOOM ENERGY**) the healthcare (**IMPACT HEALTH**), identity protection (**ID SEAL**) and cellphone service (**FLASH MOBILE**). For a list of other services or any questions contact Veronica Nevels (937) 603-1500 or (937) 540-0088.

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, April 15, 2026 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 2026 [pcod application 2026.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 \$186,000 to the Fisher houses & over \$25,000 to First Sergeant's Association at WPAB. This year's event is May 8th.

Our Citizen Legion of Honor Award is one of the most prestigious volunteer awards in our community. Last year, we announced our sixth scholarship, the **Larry Horwath Scholarship**, and made donations to Sinclair College to support six scholarships of \$2,500 each. Our scholarship endowment is now self-sustaining, helping ensure continued access to higher education for deserving students in our area who demonstrate strong academic achievement and a commitment to volunteer service. The Presidents Club has raised more than \$500,000 for Sinclair College scholarships. This success is possible because of organizations like yours, whose \$100 membership fees and ongoing fundraising support over the years have made a meaningful impact.

The Presidents Club's Citizen Legion of Honor Award's Program Booklet listed each Club/Organization Presidents Club Member. Annual Membership Dues for 2026 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.
[Presidents Club, Inc. | Citizen Legion of Honor Award](#)
[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 2026 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 daytoncivitanclub@gmail.com or daaf.org@gmail.com 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>

Join Us in Our Mission

Remember ★ Honor ★ Teach



★ **December 19, 2026** ★

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.wreathscrossamerica.org/OH0388P



#ServeAndSucceed

Please help us Remember, Honor, and Teach on December 19, 2026 at 12:00 pm by sponsoring a wreath, volunteering, or inviting friends:

<https://www.wreathscrossamerica.org/pages/176123/Overview/?relatedId=16716%20%20%20> or Visit www.civitan.org/dayton and scroll down to Wreaths Across America



**Beaver Creek Women's League
Annual Scholarship Luncheon
Saturday April 18th, 2026**

**DoubleTree Hotel, Fairborn
Doors open at 10:30**

This Year's Theme is Pretty in Pink



Empowering Futures, One Scholarship at a Time

Since 1969, the Beaver Creek Women's League has been making a difference in the lives of local women. Your support helps us award scholarships to deserving young women who are Beaver Creek High School seniors and Greene County women returning to school to further their education.

**For additional information & to purchase tickets, go to
beavercreekwomensleague.org**



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

225 N. Ludlow St Dayton OH 45402

Upcoming DWC Events!

April 1 (1:00 PM):

Guided House Tour

April 5 (10 AM) Easter

Brunch

April 8 (10:00 AM)

Introduction to Tai Chi

(continuation of six-week series)

April 17 (5:30 PM)

Paint & Sip: Magnolias and Peonies in Chinese Brush Painting

April 18 (12:00 PM)

Derby Hat Workshop

April 29 (11:30 AM)

Celebrate 250! Spring Community Read – Founding Mothers

A Special Look Ahead to May!

May 11 (6:00 PM)

**Nurses Making History: Greater Dayton Edition*

**This special event honors the impact of nurses (past and present) on our lives and in our community.*

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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.

DWC's Celebration of America's 250th Continues!

In honor of our nation's Semi quincennial, the Dayton Woman's Club continued our Celebrate 250! Series with a special program—***Dolley Madison: The Woman Who Saved Washington*** presented by Jessica Michener.



Join us for our **Celebrate 250! Community Read on April 29th!** This spring we are reading

Founding Mothers by Cokie Roberts. Come share your thoughts and insights over lunch at the Historic Dayton Woman's Club. Discussion questions provided.

Spring is Bustling at the DWC!

April at the Dayton Woman's Club continues to provide programming and unique events to help you welcome spring. From celebrating Women's History Month to launching our new Women in Business Social we are the place to connect, to grow, to learn and to be a part of history—be a part of this lively season at your Dayton Woman's Club!

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

[Upcoming & Past Events | The Dayton Woman's Club](#)



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