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Presidents Message

Celebrating 75 Years of Distinguished Community Service

The Presidents Club of Dayton marked a historic milestone on October 15, 2026, with our **75th Citizen Legion of Honor Award and Scholarship Luncheon**, held in The Great Hall, Building 12, at Sinclair Community College. Our distinguished 2026 honoree, **Dr. Steven L. Johnson, President and CEO of Sinclair Community College**, was recognized for his outstanding leadership, dedication to education, and commitment to improving lives throughout our community.



Scholarships were awarded to six deserving Sinclair Community College students. A special highlight of our 75th Award and Scholarship Luncheon was the recognition of former Sinclair Community College scholarship recipients.



















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About Town

President Veronica Bedell-Nevels and Past-President Khadijah Ali attended the first Honorable Judge Walter H. Rice (Legacy of Service Award Luncheon)honoring community leaders.











- Outstanding Community Volunteer Breakfast • Tuesday, May 4, 2027 • Sinclair Community College Conference Center "Charity Earley" Room
- Bob Chiles Golf Outing • Friday, May 14, 2027• Beavercreek Golf Club
- Citizen Legion of Honor • Thursday, October 14, 2027 • "Great Room," Sinclair Conference Center (South Entrance)





The Presidents Club of Dayton Supports YWCA Dayton in December

The Exchange Club of Dayton and The Presidents Club of Dayton, in collaboration with our generous partners, Universal Events, Inc., led by CEO Harmony Vallejo; UAW Local 128, represented by Community Coordinator Pete Thomason; and The Circle of Vision Keepers, Inc., represented by Program Director Khadijah Ali; are joining forces to support the women and children served by YWCA Dayton Women's and Children's Shelter**.**

Through this heartfelt initiative, winter care kits contain hats, scarves, gloves, and socks, along with toys for the children. These items are donated to bring warmth, comfort, and holiday cheer to families facing challenging circumstances.

There is more that is needed. I am including a Link to YWCA Dayton's Wish List and sharing some of the items that are needed and prohibited. If you would like to donate, please bring your gift to our November meeting.

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Link: https://www.ywcadayton.org/donate-wish-list?rq=wish list

Highest Needs
Hair products (especially for women of color)
Underwear (children/women)
Twin XL sheets
Air mattresses
Baby wipes
Laundry soap (powdered)
Socks (children/women)

General needs
Bath towels/sheets
Bottled water
Dishes & Kitchen Utensils
Diapers
Deodorant
Hand towels
Cleaning & hygiene supplies (especially hand soap, brooms, and mops)
Lotion
Toilet paper

We CANNOT accept:
Knives
Clothing that is damaged, faded, and/or stained
Used undergarments
Open toiletries/hygiene products
Stuffed animals
Large appliances
Used car seats
Used Books

DECEMBER GUEST SPEAKER

Barbara Ward, CEO of YWCA Dayton**,** will be our keynote speaker at our December luncheon. Mrs. Ward will provide an informative overview of YWCA Dayton, highlighting the organization's programs, services, and significant changes and initiatives implemented since her promotion to CEO. She will be presented with the gifts for YWCA Dayton.

This collaborative effort reflects the true spirit of volunteerism, compassion, and community service**.** Together, we are making a meaningful difference by reminding these women and children that they are valued, supported, and not forgotten.

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Lunch & Learn



Wednesday, November 18, 2026
The Dayton Woman's Club
225 N. Ludlow St. Dayton, Ohio 45402
Lunch at 11:30a.m.
Meeting begins at 12:00 Noon-1:00p.m.

Look for your EVITE Invitation and RSVP!

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.

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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

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Upcoming DWC Events!

November 4 (1 PM)
Guided Tour

November 4, 11, 18, 25 (10 AM)
Introduction to Tai Chi
(continuation of six-week series, Winter Session through Dec.16)

November 19 (5:30 PM)
Art Series:
Ikebana Workshop

November 21 (7:00 PM)
Liberty Ball:
Celebrating Our Place in History

For 110 years of America's 250 years, the DWC has been part of Dayton's history. Travel back in time with us to 1776 for colonial-era dancing, music & merriment!

November 26 (12-4 PM)
Thanksgiving Day Celebration

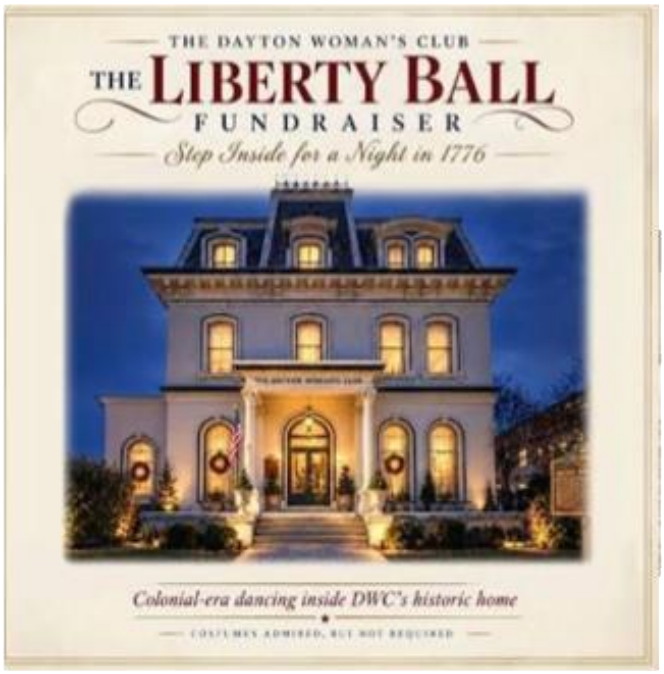
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To register for any of our upcoming programs, please call the house or visit: Upcoming & Past Events | The Dayton Woman's Club (daytonwomansclub.org)

DWC News Brief

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.



Historic preservation is not just about saving a building. It's about preserving the stories, experiences, and connections that make a place meaningful. As we wrap up celebrating America's 250th anniversary this year, we are honored to continue the work to preserve our place in that history for future generations.

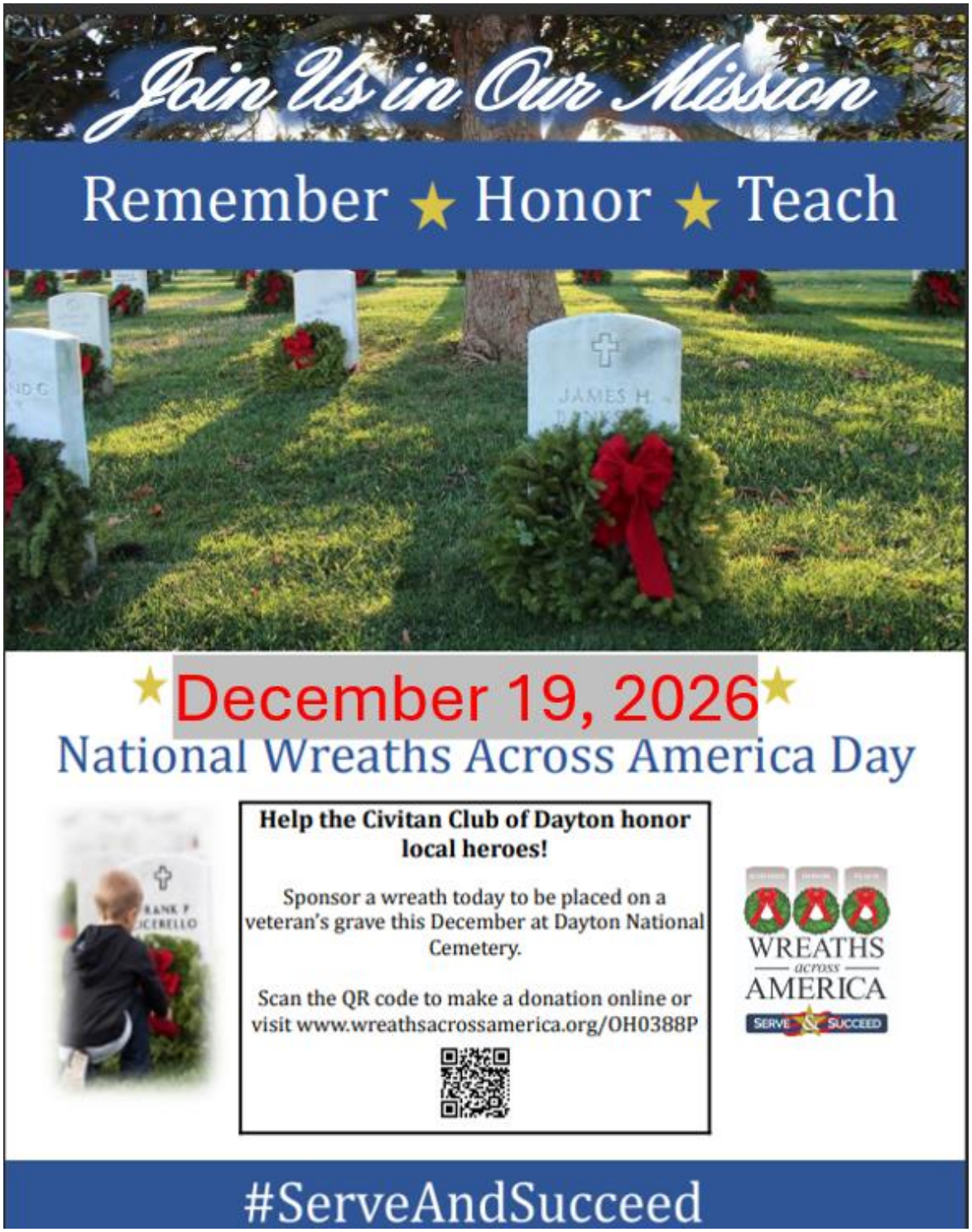
How can you help preserve our historic home and history?

*Come to the Liberty Ball on Nov. 21--Celebrate with us!
*Sponsor a table or donate!
*Share our event flyers! Invite your friends to come!

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

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