

Tippecanews

A monthly summary of municipal affairs and activities in Tipp City, Ohio

Tipp City Veterans' Memorial Pavers

The City of Tipp City is accepting orders for memorial pavers to be installed in the Veterans' Memorial Park for 2017. The tan bricks are available in two sizes: 4" x 8" - 3 lines of print (\$53.25) and the 8" x 8" - 6 lines of print (\$213.00). Applicants/honoree must have a connection to Tipp City/Monroe Township. Applications are available at the Tipp City Government Center, Tipp Monroe

Community Services, or online at www.tippcityohio.gov. Checks are to be made payable to the City of Tipp City and received by September 1, 2017.

The pavers will be ordered in September and will be installed by Veterans Day, November 11, 2017. Any questions on this program, please call the Service Department at (937)667-6305. ●

59th Annual Tipp City Mum Festival

Cruise-In

Fri., Sept. 22
4:00 – 10:00 pm
Downtown Tipp City

Run for the Mums 5K Run

Sat., Sept. 23
Registration:
6:30 – 7:30 am
Run begins:
8:00 am

Roundhouse at Tipp City Park



Tipp City Mum Festival Parade

Sat., Sept. 23 10:00 am

Craft Hours

Sat., Sept. 23 10:00 am – 9:00 pm
Sun., Sept. 24 11:00 am – 6:00 pm

Tipp City Mum Motorcycle Ride

Sun., Sept. 10
Registration 10:30 am – Noon,
depart 12:30 pm, 3G Tactical
(Rain dates Sun., Sept. 17 or 24)
All proceeds from this ride benefit
the Tipp City Needy Basket.

Boy Scout of America Troop 586 are once again offering everyone the opportunity to join in the celebration of the festival by adopting a mum. The Boy Scouts



Tipp City Mum Festival

will be painting mums on the sidewalks and driveways of those wishing to adopt a mum. Cost of a mum is \$10. The mums are approximately 3'x3' and can be painted in your choice of red, white, yellow or a combination. Order forms are located on the official mum festival website: www.tippcitymumfestival.org. ●

Tipp City Leaf Pickup Schedule for 2017

The Tipp City Street Dept. will be starting the leaf pickup program soon. There are a few important guidelines to follow. Residents are asked to rake leaves into the street, one foot from the curb, so that storm water will drain. Please, **NO limbs, sticks, bricks, rocks or yard debris should be placed with the leaves in the street.** These items cause damage to the equipment, create down time for repairs, and add delay to the leaf pickup schedule.

**Oct. 16 – Oct. 20 and
Nov. 13 – Nov. 17**

Areas throughout the City as needed. Areas between I-75 and N. Hyatt St. (north of W. Main St.)

**Oct. 23 – Oct. 27 and
Nov. 21 – Nov. 25**

All areas East of Hyatt St. (north and south of Main St.) No pickup on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 23

**Oct. 30 – Nov. 3 and
Nov. 27 – Dec. 1**

Areas between I-75 and S. Hyatt St. (south of W. Main St.)

**Nov. 6 – Nov. 10 and
Dec. 4 – Dec. 8**

Areas West of I-75 (north and south of Main St.)

Dec. 11 – Dec. 15

Clean up throughout the City as needed ●

Beggar's Night

Beggar's Night for Tipp City and Monroe Township has been set for Tuesday, October 31 from 6-8 pm.

trick or treat



You Can Help Protect Your Local Water and Soil Quality by How You Build!



Conventional construction methods excavate an entire lot removing all the vegetation when building a new house. Excavating the entire lot was thought to be necessary to create a “clean slate” for things such as grading the site, moving equipment, installing utilities and designing new site drainage. Removing all of the vegetation makes it easy to work on the site but it isn’t the best thing for water quality or soil health.

Undeveloped land with trees and understory vegetation naturally absorbs rain water, preventing flooding, recharging the water table and cleaning the water as it percolates through the vegetation and natural soil structure.

It takes 500 years to create 1 inch of soil. This process of grading and excavating removes or damages nearby vegetation, changes the soil structure, alters natural drainage patterns and increases soil erosion. While it is necessary to disturb land when you build your new house, **being selective on how and where you build on your lot makes a long-term difference on your local water and soil quality.**

Your contractor should always implement local zoning permit requirements and building regulations into your project. For more information visit www.thecleanwaterbusiness.com. ●

Calling All Photographers!



The City of Tipp City is seeking submissions of original photography for use on the Tipp City website and other municipal media outlets. We’re looking for your original perspective on life in Tipp City and encourage images that depict the vibrancy, vitality, and livability of our City. Selected entries will be featured on the City’s social media channels, and may be posted on the City’s website. People of all ages are welcome to participate. The City requires that the photographs are taken within the corporate limits of Tipp City and not have been previously published. For additional information and requirements please visit www.tippcityohio.gov/photos or contact us at (937)667-6305. ●

Call for Artists

If art is a passion, pastime or profession, this is a great opportunity to showcase your talent!

We are currently seeking artwork from Tipp City residents to display in the Government Center. Interested persons should contact Janice Bates at (937)667-8425 or batesj@tippcity.net for further information. ●



Capital Improvement Program Workshop

The five-year Capital Improvement Program (CIP) workshop will be reviewed by City Council on Monday, September 25 beginning at 3:00 pm in Council Chambers. This meeting is open to the public and all interested persons are encouraged to attend. ●



Important City Contacts

**Automated Attendant/
Direct Connect**
(937)669-TIPP

Police, Fire and EMS (EMERGENCY)
9-1-1

**Miami County Communications
Center (Non-Emergency)**
(937)440-9911

Police (Non-Emergency)
(937)667-3112

Fire and EMS (Non-Emergency)
(937)667-9199 or (937)667-1680

Utility Billing
(937)667-8424

Planning/Zoning
(937)667-6305

Tax Department
(937)667-8426

Engineering and Utilities
(937)667-6305

**Refuse Collection
(Waste Management)**
(866)695-3433

**Service Center
(Parks and Streets)**
(937)667-8234

City Manager’s Office
(937)667-8425

Clerk of Council
(937)667-8425

Construction Notice Update
(937)667-6293