

Harrisonville Happenings

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Happy Holidays! —

City Hall and City offices will be closed Dec. 24 and 25 to celebrate Christmas. The Community Center will be open on Christmas Eve, from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m., closed Christmas Day, and open regular hours on Dec. 26. For New Year's Day, City Hall and other city offices will be closed. They will re-open on Jan. 2. The Community Center will be open on New Year's Eve, from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m., and closed New Year's, before re-opening with their regular schedule Jan. 2.

Enrollment Begins for Utility Level Pay Plan —

Level Pay open enrollment will take place Jan. 28 to Feb. 8. The program is available to any City of Harrisonville residential-electric-utility customer with a good payment history and at least 12 consecutive months of utility billing history at their current service address. Interested customers can call the Utility Office (816) 380-8900 for details.

Mayor's Christmas Tree Fund & Helping Hands Fund —

As we enter the new year, don't forget that here in Harrisonville, we have the chance to help our friends and neighbors through the Mayor's

UPCOMING CALENDAR OF EVENTS

All meetings are subject to change or cancellation. Meetings are held in Council Chambers at City Hall unless otherwise noted.

- Dec. 19.....Municipal Court, 5:30 p.m.
- Dec. 20.....P & Z Commission, 6 p.m.
- Dec. 25.....Merry Christmas!
- Dec. 24 & 25.....City Offices Closed
- Jan. 1.....Happy New Year! City offices closed.
- Jan. 2.....Historic Preservation Commission, 12 p.m.
- Jan. 7.....Board of Aldermen Public Hearing, 6:45 p.m.
- Jan. 7.....Board of Aldermen, 7 p.m.
- Jan. 9.....Board of Zoning Adjustments, 6 p.m.
- Jan. 16.....Community Development Committee, 6 p.m.
- Jan. 17.....P & Z Commission, 6 p.m.
- Jan. 21.....Board of Aldermen, 7 p.m.
- Jan. 23.....Municipal Court, 3:00 p.m.
- Jan. 30.....Municipal Court, 5:30 p.m.

Christmas Tree Fund! And, with the Helping Hands program, you can make an even bigger difference! Imagine the tremendous benefit we can make when we give just a small amount each month. A gift of just \$2 per month becomes a \$24 annual gift and a gift of \$5 per month will grow to a \$60 annual contribution. When you complete the attached authorization form or fill one out in the (Continued) ...

Please clip and return this portion when contributing to the Mayor's Christmas Tree Fund or the Helping Hands Fund!

Yes, I want to help my friends and neighbors by giving to the Helping Hands Program. I hereby authorize the City of Harrisonville to add the following amount to my monthly utility bill.

_____ \$2 each month OR _____ \$5 each month

I prefer to make a one-time gift to the Mayor's Christmas Tree Fund. Here is my gift for \$ _____.

Name (as it appears on your utility bill:) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Utility Account Number: _____

Signature of Actual Utility Holder: _____

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Utility Office, we will add your choice of \$2 or \$5 to your monthly utility bill and you can write one check to cover both! The Mayor's Christmas Tree Fund and the Helping Hands program are administered by the Ministerial Alliance to help local residents cover the costs of their monthly utility bills. Please remember these two causes as you plan your charitable holiday giving.

Christmas on the Square sees strong turnout —

Hundreds made their rounds on the historic Harrisonville Square as they took in the sights and sounds of the annual Christmas on the Square celebration. Children and parents enjoyed activities from sitting with Santa in his workshop, to making crafts at local businesses, to carriage and holiday train rides and much more. The event culminated with the lighting of the City's Christmas Tree as the Harrisonville Community Christmas Choir sang joyously in the background.



Yard Waste removal announcement — As we enter the winter months, Municipal Waste Services will no longer conduct routine yard-waste removal. Residents who have yard waste that needs to be removed will still be able to do so but will need to call MWS (816) 406-9700 to schedule a pick up. Regular yard-waste removal will resume on April 1.

Live Christmas tree disposal  — Many of us plan out each-and-every step of our holiday celebrations, but have you made a plan for disposing of your live tree? Municipal Waste Services wants to help you out. During the first two weeks of January, MWS will pick up your live trees! All lights and ornaments must be removed before the tree is hauled away and only live trees will be accepted.



HCC Annual Membership Drive thru Dec. 31

Join or renew your annual membership in December to receive 10% off, plus 2 free guest passes & a FREE gift!

Princess Ball (Ages 5-18)

Feb. 9, 6:30-9 p.m.

Cost is \$15 for male guardian & \$5 per princess.

Night includes DJ, dancing & refreshments.

Pre-registration is required by Feb. 7.

Register online, at HCC or by phone 380-8980.

Tiny Tikes Tumbling

Introduce your toddler to the fundamentals of tumbling, including: stretching, balancing, rolls and back bends in this 6-week session.

Classes are Thursdays from 6-6:45 p.m.

Call for dates starting in February. Cost: \$40

Free New Year's Zumba Class

Jan. 2, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Fitness Instructor Kahla Harding leads the perfect 60-minute class to burn off those holiday calories or to simply try Zumba for the first time.

Call Dave Killpack 380-8980 ext. 5986 for info.

Swim Team Conditioning

Get swimmers ready for summer swim teams.

\$50 for a 4-week session.

Tuesday/Wednesday practice from 6-7:30 p.m.

Saturday practice from 8:30-10 a.m.

*For info on all the classes & program offerings at the Harrisonville Community Center, call **380-8980** or visit www.harrisonville.com/parks*