



City of Herculaneum November 2016 Newsletter

*The Herculaneum Board of Aldermen meets on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month in the Board of Aldermen Chambers at 7:00 PM.
www.cityofherculaneum.org City Hall: 636 475-4447*



FIFTH ANNUAL VETERANS DAY PARADE & VETERANS RECOGNITION CEREMONY - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6

The fifth annual Veterans Day Parade and Ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, November 6 at 2:00 pm. The parade will begin from the Senn-Thomas Middle School on North Main Street and travel along Joachim Avenue ending at the City Park.

The parade is open to all organizations, school groups, church groups, service organizations, families and individuals. Motorized units, walking units, family or individual entries are all welcome. This is an excellent opportunity to show your support of our veterans, active military personnel and/or a family member who has served in or is serving in the military. Trophies will be awarded for best organizational entry, best individual/family entry, best local business entry and Judge's award. Parade applications are available at Herculaneum City Hall or on the city web site at www.cityofherculaneum.org.

Numbered United States flags will be distributed along the parade route. One number will be drawn at the ceremony following the parade. The individual holding the corresponding flag will be presented with a \$100 gift card. You must be present to win the gift card.

Immediately following the parade, the 5th Annual Veterans Day Ceremony will take place at the Herculaneum City Park at approximately 3:00 pm. The ceremony will include the presentation of colors by Boy Scout Troop 724 of Kirkwood, the introduction of the parade grand marshal and a city proclamation honoring all veterans. The ceremony will also include a 21-gun salute, patriotic presentations by students from the Herculaneum High School. All veterans in attendance will be individually recognized and presented with a United States flag lapel pin.

A bald eagle from the World Bird Sanctuary will participate in the parade and be available for photos following the ceremony.

For more information, please call 636 475-4447 or 314 852-4964.

7th ANNUAL PEVELY/HERCULANEUM CHRISTMAS PARADE - THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1

The 7th annual Pevely/Herculaneum Christmas Parade will be held on Thursday evening, December 1 beginning at 7:00 PM. The theme for the parade will be, "It's Christmas!"

The parade lineup will be at the Herculaneum City Park on Joachim Avenue beginning at 5:00 PM. The parade will travel north on Joachim Avenue through Herculaneum and then right on Commercial Boulevard (Highway 61-67) and left on Lions Drive. The parade will turn right on to Old State Road and travel north to Main Street and end at Pevely Park #1. Santa and Mrs. Claus will be at Pevely City Park to meet children and their parents.

The park boards of both cities encourage all school groups, churches, local businesses, civic and service organizations, individuals and families to participate in the parade. Entries can include decorated vehicles, emergency vehicles, floats, walking units, classic cars, motorcycles, bicycles, tractors and pets. Parade entries are allowed to distribute candy along the parade route.

Cash prizes for parade entries will be awarded as follows: First Place (\$150), Second Place (\$100) and Third Place (\$50).

Parade applications are available at Herculaneum City Hall or on-line at: www.cityofherculaneum.org. Parade applications can be emailed if requested.

For more information, please call 636 475-4447, 636 475-5476 or 314 852-4964.

ELECTION DAY - NOVEMBER 8

The 2016 General Election will be held on Tuesday, November 8 in Herculaneum.

In addition to the Presidential Election, there are numerous federal, state and county races on the ballot. The ballot will also include constitutional amendments, various propositions and the Blackcat Pride proposition.

The Herculaneum polling place is at the Herculaneum AMVETS Post #42, 690 Joachim Avenue. The polling place will be open from 6:00 am to 7:00 pm.

For more information, please call Herculaneum City Hall at 636 475-4447.



CITY HALL CLOSED

The Herculaneum City Hall will be closed on Friday, November 11 in observance of Veterans Day.

Herculaneum City Hall will be closed on Thursday, November 25 and Friday, November 25 in observance of Thanksgiving.

City Hall will reopen on the Monday following each holiday closure.

REMEMBER
VETERANS DAY
November 11th



17th ANNUAL OUTDOOR CHRISTMAS LIGHTING & DECORATION CONTEST

The Herculaneum Historical Society and the City of Herculaneum will sponsor the 17th Annual Outdoor Lighting and Decoration Contest open to all residents of Herculaneum. Residents must register in person at Herculaneum City Hall or by phone (636 475-4447) to participate in the contest.

Registration begins on Monday, November 28 and ends on Friday, December 16 at 4:30 pm. All displays will be judged on Friday, December 16 between the hours of 7:00 and 9:00 pm. All displays must be illuminated on the evening of December 16 to be judged. Displays must be visible from the street. Displays will be judged on creativity, attractiveness, color coordination and first impression.

Cash prizes will be awarded as follows: First Place (\$100), Second Place (\$75) and Third Place (\$50).

For more information, call 636 475-4447, 636 475-5476 or 314 852-4964.

HERCULANEUM FIRE DEPARTMENT SPONSORS ANNUAL COAT, TOY & FOOD DRIVE

The Herculaneum Fire Department will sponsor their 13th Annual Coat, Toy & Food Drive beginning on Friday, November 25. The drive will continue through Monday, December 12. All items collected will be donated to the Jefferson County Rescue Mission in Pevely.

The fire department is seeking new and slightly used coats and winter clothing (hats, gloves, scarves, etc.), new, unwrapped toys and non-perishable food items. Drop off locations are as follows: Herculaneum City Hall, Herculaneum Fire Department, Herculaneum Dairy Queen and Herculaneum Buchheit. The Herculaneum Dairy Queen will give a coupon for a free mini-Blizzard for each coat or toy donated at their store.

Items will also be collected at the 11th Annual Evening with Santa event to be held on Monday, December 12 at the Herculaneum High School Theater, #17 Blackcat Drive.

Residents can schedule pick up of items by calling 636 475-3080 or 314 852-4964.



**THURSDAY
November 24**

HERCULANEUM MASTER PLAN UPDATE MEETING VII

Herculaneum residents are invited to attend the seventh City of Herculaneum Master Plan Update meeting on Tuesday, November 29. The meeting will be held at the Herculaneum Fire Department, 151 Riverview Plaza Drive beginning at 7:00 pm.

All residents are invited to take part in the master plan update process. Specific committees have been created, but there is still a huge need for additional committee members. Please consider attending the next meeting and help shape the future of Herculaneum.

For more information, please call 636 475-4447.

HERCULANEUM TODAY & TOMORROW TO SPONSOR 13th ANNUAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER ACCESS AND MCNUTT STREET CLEAN UP

Herculaneum Today & Tomorrow will sponsor the 13th Annual Mississippi River Access Clean Up and the quarterly McNutt Street Clean Up in Herculaneum on Saturday, November 19 beginning at 9:00 am.

Anyone wanting to help with the litter/trash clean up along the Mississippi River Access should report to the end of Ferry Road (north of the Doe Run Company) at 8:30 am.

Those individuals wanting to help with the litter/trash clean up along McNutt Street should report to the Herculaneum City Park at 8:30 am for assignments.

All participants should dress appropriately for the weather and type of event. Feel free to bring any type of hand tool that can be used for litter clean up. Trash bags, gloves and safety vests will be provided.

Following the clean ups, participants will be served hot dogs, chips and drinks.

The event is open to all individuals and groups that want to help clean up the riverfront area and McNutt Street in Herculaneum. This is an excellent opportunity for church and school groups, scout groups who need community service hours.

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TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE VIEWING GLASSES

The Herculaneum Total Solar Eclipse Task Force is selling special eclipse viewing glasses. As you may know, viewing of the total solar eclipse on Monday, August 21, 2017, can only be done with the special viewing glasses. The glasses must be worn when viewing the sun during the partial eclipse phases before and after totality. The glasses can only be removed during total eclipse viewing (2 minutes and 32 seconds).

The eclipse viewing glasses are being sold for \$1.00 each and are available at Herculaneum City Hall and Bloomsdale Bank in Herculaneum. Residents are encouraged to purchase the viewing glasses early to ensure that glasses will be available next summer.

The task force is also selling Total Solar Eclipse shirts for cost of \$10.00 child sizes and \$15.00 adult sizes. A limited number of Herculaneum specific commemorative eclipse coins are being sold for \$10.00 per coin.

For more information, please call 314 852-4964.

BAY OF NAPLES SPLASH ZONE FUNDRAISER

The City of Herculaneum is partnering with Pinot's Palette in Arnold, MO, 3920 Vogel Road for a fundraiser to benefit the Bay of Naples Splash Zone at Kade's Playground.

The paint and sip fundraiser will be held on Sunday, December 11 from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm. The cost per seat is \$40.00 with a portion of the proceeds being donated to the splash zone project. Paint and sip registration can be completed online at Arnold@pinot'spalette.com or by calling the studio at 636 333-3920. For more information, 314 852-4964.