

Upcoming Events

January & February Events take place in and around the Square, unless noted otherwise

January 24: Snowman Paint & Sip Party, Medina Municipal Airport, 2050 Medina Road, Medina, 6 pm to 8 pm. To get your ticket, click <u>HERE.</u>

January 24 & 25: S.P.I.C.E.— MHS Talent Show, Medina Performing Arts Center, 851 Weymouth Road, 7 pm. Tickets can be purchased HERE.

January 25: Medina City Schools Community Pancake Breakfast 8 am to noon, and Spotlight on Students, 9 am to Noon, Medina High School. More info and tickets <u>HERE.</u>

January 25: Annual Medina County History Fair, Medina Library, 210 South Broadway, Noon to 4 pm.

January 31: Rec Center Friday Senior Speaker Series will feature a variety of health speakers from Advanced Health Wellness Center. Silver Sneakers instructor will be speaking about offerings at the Rec Center, 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. Free event includes lunch. To register, click <u>HERE</u>.

January 31: Medina Rec Mother/Son Night Out, 5 pm to 8:30 pm. Legos, nerf, games, dinner and more. Sign up <u>HERE</u>.

February 1: 2025-26 Kindergarten Registration Opens. For more information, click <u>HERE</u>.

February 7, 8, & 9: Claggett Middle School Drama Club presents Beetlejuice, Jr. the Musical, Musical, Musical! Medina High School Middle Stage. Friday 7 pm, Saturday 2 pm and 7 pm, and Sunday, 2 pm. Tickets <u>HERE</u>.

Two City of Medina Department Heads Serve in Leadership Positions on State Professional Organization Boards

Economic Development Director Kimberly Marshall is beginning her second term on the Executive Committee of the Ohio Economic Development Association Board. She represents Northeast Ohio and serves on the Executive Committee as Board Secretary. The Executive Committee provides leadership and oversight for the organization, meeting regularly to address key issues and ensure smooth governance. Locally, she chairs the City of Medina Economic Development Committee, the Medi-



na Energy Special Improvement District and the Medina City Development Corporation. She is on the Main Street Medina Board of Directors and the Medina County Convention & Visitors Bureau Board She is also the founder of Made in Medina County.

Police Chief Edward Kinney, CLEE, currently serves as 2nd Vice-President of the Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police. He will move into 1st Vice President in June of this year and become President of the organization in June of 2026. He also serves on the Legislative Committee and is 2nd Vice President of the Board of Trustees for the Law Enforcement Foundation Inc. He won the Chief Kallai Award for the Continuing Law Enforcement Education, (CLEE) Training Session 26, and that also earned him a seat on the CLEE Board. Chief Kinney is a gradu-



ate of the Federal Bureau of Investigation National Academy, Ohio State University Public Safety Leadership Academy, and a Trilogy Award Recipient from the FBI Law Enforcement Executive Leadership Association. Chief Kinney is a member of the International Chiefs of Police Association, the Ohio Chiefs of Police Association, and Leadership Medina County. He serves on the board of directors for the Medina County Children's Board and is the Past President of the Medina County Chiefs Association.

Attention Medina Business Owners

February 5th is the deadline for placing an ad in the 2025 Medina County Convention & Visitors Bureau Guide for Medina County. This guide is distributed to 40,000 travelers and tourists to bring them to Medina County. If you wish to place an ad, contact Nichole Cardinale at Great Lakes Studios today, at 330-265-8665 or email her at ncardinale@GLStudioscom.

City of Medina America 250 Logo Contest Deadline Approaching

Logo designs for the Medina America 250 yearlong 2026 celebration are being accepted from designers, artists, or graphic designers until 5 pm on January 31. Logos should be flexible for use in the colors of red, white and blue, and black and white, and functional in large or small scale use. The design must include the wording America 250 – City of Medina, Ohio. This is a pro-bono opportunity. Designs may be mailed or dropped off to the attention of Barbara Dzur, Economic Development & Marketing Manager, Community Development Department, 132 North Elmwood Avenue, Medina, OH 44256

City Ordinance Regarding Snow Removal - Duty to Maintain

Codified Ordinances Section 905.01 through 905.14: Property owners shall maintain all sidewalks, walkways, stairways, driveways, parking areas, and other similar areas in a proper state of repair free of hazardous defect and free of hazardous condition. The owners and occupiers of abutting lots and lands shall keep the sidewalks in repair and free from snow or any nuisance.



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