



**CITY OF MEDINA
NEWSLETTER
OCTOBER 2, 2026**

THE CITY OF MEDINA CELEBRATES

FOOD & FARMS



Upcoming Events October

Events take place in and around the Square, unless noted otherwise.

October 2 thru 11: Medina Restaurant Week. Go to mainstreetmedina.com to view the list of participating restaurants.

October 3: Medina Square Farmers Market, from 9 am to 1 pm. Medina Town Hall & Engine House Museum will be open at 50 Public Square from 9:30 am to 1 pm.

October 4: The Great Outdoor Cooking Expo, Noon to 3 pm. See outdoor cooking demonstrations and enjoy free samples of food, dessert, and more, cooked by Scouting America. Play games and test your skills.

October 8: Medina High Homecoming Parade, 6 pm, followed by Medina Powder Puff Football Game, Ken Dukes Stadium.

October 9: Medina High School Homecoming Football Game vs North Royalton, 7 pm, Ken Dukes Stadium.

October 10: Salute to Farming, special Farmers Market saluting the history of farming in Medina County.

October 11: Medina County Historical Society Open Houses at the museums located at 206 North Elmwood Avenue and 205 South Prospect Street, 1 pm to 4 pm. One free pumpkin per family. \$

October 12: Columbus Day, City Hall and Municipal Court will be closed. Rubbish pick up will remain unchanged.

October 16: Veterans' Harvest Fest, 5 pm to 9 pm, Medina Veterans' Hall, 620 North Harmony Street, with chili cookoff, trunk or treat, pumpkin decorating, and lawn games for kid, hosted by Forever Amber Acres.

October 31: Official City of Medina Trick or Treat Night 6 pm to 8 pm.

The Lafayette, Supportive Housing for Qualified Applicants, Opens in Medina

Eleven one-bedroom, energy efficient, apartments are now available for qualified applicants without housing who have Project Based Housing Choice Vouchers. Units have a range and refrigerator, a bed, and table with chairs. There is a common laundry room, indoor mailboxes, and secure electronic access. Each resident will have access to supportive services available from an onsite Medina Metropolitan Housing staff service plan. For more information, call MMHA at 330-725-7531.



Ladies Night Out - October 22

Gather the girls ... break out your best witches' costumes ... and your broomsticks ... it's Witches Night in Medina on Thursday October 22, from 5 pm to 8:30 pm. Pick up your Passport for chances to win prizes. Spooktacular group photos at Huntington Bank, free samples and giveaways at participating locations, themed specials at participating stops, Mini Salon at the VCS Pop-up Shop, FREE Party Limo, the Witches Dance at 8pm (meet at the Gazebo), costume contests, and more. Want to join in on the Witches Dance? Sign up here: [Learn the Witches Dance!](#) Businesses: Want to participate? Complete this form: [Ladies Night Out: October 22, 2026](#)

America 250-Medina Great Pumpkin Event - October 24

Now is the time to find that perfect pumpkin, be it orange, green, white, or a mix, smooth-skinned or warty, and between 10 inches and 12 inches tall. Then register it on the city website, carve it, and bring it to the Pumpkin Event on Broadway, on October 24. We want Medina to be a record-setting location for lit pumpkins on display!!

Register now to be part of the event and you may win a cash prize for the best funny, scary, or most patriotic pumpkin on display. There is even a category for a group display that puts several pumpkins together to create something else. There is no limit to the number of pumpkins that you can enter.

In addition to a record number of lit pumpkins, there will be an evening of family fun. We will have food trucks, a DJ, line dancing, a hay maze, exploding pumpkins, costume contests with cash prizes, and games. Click [HERE](#) for more info and to register all of the pumpkins you plan to bring. This is a giant Halloween party for all ages.

America 250 October Events

America 250-Medina Fall Prevention Challenge: Between now and October 30th, anyone 65 or over can participate in the Senior Fall Prevention Challenge. Pick up an entry form and list of challenges at Medina City Hall, Medina County Senior and Adult Services Center, Medina Rec, Cleveland Clinic Medina Hospital Front Desk in the Lobby, or Second Sole. Complete the challenges for three weeks, then turn in your entry slip to be entered into a drawing for six \$150 gift cards at Second Sole.

October 10: Salute to Farming: Special Farmer's Market to honor the history of farming in Medina County 9 am to 1 pm. Antique farm equipment and artifacts, petting zoo, cooking demonstrations, and more.

October 24: Great American 250 Pumpkin Salute, 6 pm to 9 pm on Broadway. Register to bring carved pumpkins to Broadway to be displayed and awarded cash prizes, costume contest, DJ, food trucks, exploding pumpkins, and games. Register your pumpkins [HERE](#).

America 250 Medina Keepsakes

The City of Medina has America 250 lapel pins and posters for sale at Medina City Hall Community Development window. You can also order commemorative merchandise on the city website. Click [HERE](#) to visit our merchandise store.



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