



# VILLAGE OF EVENDALE

OCTOBER 2023

Dear Neighbors and Friends,

November 5th at 5:00 pm has been set for our Village Town Meeting. This is required by our Charter wherein Council and the Mayor report about the affairs of the Village. Residents are invited to attend and questions are encouraged.

Our police and fire departments have many aspects to consider when providing services, including mental health. Sgt. Tina McCormick has taken it upon herself to take some training, mostly from Mental Health America of Northern Kentucky and Southwest Ohio. Topics covered have been Advanced C.I.T. De-escalation, Foundation of Peer Support, Crisis Intervention Team, and working with Special Populations. She also attends monthly meetings and events with law enforcement and social service mental health specialists. The County has a mental health team but they are often spread thin. Thank you, Sgt. McCormick, for taking proactive measures to identify and address mental health as a potential factor when rendering police or fire services.

Last month, some of us had a chance to tour the Queen City Sports complex (formerly Sports Plus) with the new owners. The clean-up work that has been done to date is impressive, with plans to invest several million dollars in building improvements over time. The Cincinnati Cyclones, the city's minor league hockey team, will practice there. The team is affiliated with the New York Rangers. The facility owners are in the process of installing a new locker room for the team. They have two sheets of ice now and are studying the potential to expand to three. Queen City Sports will continue to host basketball, volleyball, and other sports. Even though the Cyclones will train there, they will continue to be open to outside groups. The new owners and building improvements are a wonderful addition to the Village.

The Millcreek Valley Conservancy District is looking for a new member for its Board. It normally has three members. The District has struggled recently to identify and implement a cost-effective program for maintaining creek infrastructure; however, it is important to our Village. Along with Sharonville, we are the two largest communities in which the District owns or controls land. They are overseen by a Common Pleas judge who has the power of taxation. There are at least three more conservation districts in Ohio and all seem to run well. Miami Valley in Dayton is the closest.

If you are 18 years or older or new to the Village, make sure you are registered to vote here. The voter registration deadline is October 10th. You can register to vote, check your voting status, or even request an absentee ballot at [votehamiltoncountyohio.gov](http://votehamiltoncountyohio.gov). Don't forget to vote on November 7th!

*Deid Egan*  
Your Mayor



## FINANCE DEPARTMENT

### Financial Comparison

	2022		2023	
	August	Year to Date	August	Year to Date
<b>Total Revenue</b>	\$ 1,476,733	\$ 12,644,322	\$ 1,480,362	\$ 14,423,518
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	\$ 1,475,031	\$ 10,346,011	\$ 1,336,507	\$ 11,238,717
<b>Net Result</b>	<b>\$ 1,702</b>	<b>\$ 2,298,311</b>	<b>\$ 143,855</b>	<b>\$ 3,184,801</b>



## VILLAGE OF EVENDALE ADOPTED ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

The following ordinances and resolutions were adopted by the Council of the Village of Evendale on September 12, 2023.

ORD #23-47

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF AMOUNTS DUE UPON CERTAIN CONTRACTS REQUIRING CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

(Approved Unanimously)

ORD #23 -48

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE CAPITAL FUND AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

(Approved Unanimously)

ORD #23-49

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A TRANSFER FROM THE CONTINGENCY FUND TO THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

(Approved Unanimously)

ORD. # 23-50

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE THE SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT FOR OPERATION, MANAGEMENT, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE GORMAN HERITAGE FARM WITH THE GORMAN HERITAGE FARM FOUNDATION.

(Approved Unanimously)

ORD #23-51

ORDINANCE MAKING APPOINTMENT TO RECREATION COMMISSION IN VILLAGE OF EVENDALE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

(Approved Unanimously)

ORD #23-52

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A SUBDIVISION PLAT PROVIDING FOR THE DIVISION OF PROPERTY AT 10450 MEDALLION DRIVE, CURRENTLY IDENTIFIED AS PARCEL 611-0030-0236, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

RES #23-03

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, DIVISION OF LIQUOR CONTROL, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TRANSFERFORM (TRES) APPLICATION FROM COMPASS GROUP USA INC AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. (Approved Unanimously)



## POLICE DEPARTMENT



in the Village is  
**October 31**  
**6:00-8:00pm**

### HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS FROM THE EVENDALE POLICE

- Children should never be allowed to go out alone on Halloween.
- Children should never eat any treats until they have been examined.
- Advise children that they should never enter strangers' homes.
- Never invite children into your home.
- Children should never accept rides from strangers.
- Set a specific time limit for your children to be out on Halloween night.
- Instruct children not to stray from their group.
- A responsible adult should escort children while trick-or-treating.
- Children should walk, not run, during their trick-or-treat activities.
- Parents should know what route their children will be taking.
- All costumes should be made of light-colored, fire-proof material.
- Realistic replica firearms should never be used.
- Masks and wigs should not be worn if they impair vision.
- Children should look in all directions before crossing the street.
- Use of flashlights and reflective clothing is strongly encouraged.
- Motorists should drive slowly, yield to pedestrians and watch out for Trick-or-Treaters darting into the street.

**Report any suspicious activity to the police department  
at 513-563-2249**



Note:

**Police costumes are always better  
than fire costumes!!!!**





## FIRE DEPARTMENT

### October is Fire Prevention Month

October is recognized every year by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) as National Fire Prevention Month. Your Evendale Fire Department will be visiting with our local schools to pass along fire safety education throughout October and we would like to take the opportunity to remind you about a few fire safety best practices. The theme for this year's Fire Prevention Month is "Cooking safety starts with YOU! Pay attention to fire prevention." This year's focus on cooking safety works to educate the public about simple but important steps they can take to help reduce the risk of fire when cooking at home, keeping themselves and those around them safe. The NFPA provides a comprehensive check list to aid your household to prepare for, recognize, and react to common fire hazards you may encounter while cooking. It goes as follows:

- Always keep a close eye on what you are cooking. For foods with longer cooking times, such as those that are simmering or baking, set a timer to help monitor them carefully.
- Clear the cooking area of combustible items and keep everything that can burn, such as dish towels, oven mitts, food packaging, and paper towels.
- Turn pot handles toward the back of the stove. Keep a lid nearby when cooking. If a small grease fire starts, slide the lid over the pan and turn off the burner.
- Create a "kid and pet-free zone" of at least three feet around the cooking area and anywhere else hot food or drink is prepared or carried.

Along with these preparedness guidelines, we recommend having a kitchen rated fire extinguisher and would like to emphasize a few key pieces of advice if you do encounter any kind of kitchen fire.

Fire extinguishers are only meant to extinguish small, container fires such as a trashcan fire.

If you have a small cooking fire that is contained to the cooking surface:

- On the stovetop, smother the flames by sliding a lid over the pan and turning off the burner. Leave the pan covered until it is completely cooled. Use appropriate oven mitt to avoid burns to skin.
- For an oven fire, turn off the heat and keep the door closed. This should dampen and extinguish the flames.

If you have any doubt, just get out.

- Just get out! When you leave, close the door behind you to help contain the fire.
- Call 9-1-1 from outside the home.

Please visit our Evendale Emergency Services social media pages, contact us via phone, or feel free to visit us at the firehouse for questions about these fire safety topics.



## SERVICE DEPARTMENT

### VILLAGE OF EVENDALE RESIDENTIAL LEAF BAG POLICY for 2023

If you have any questions, please contact the Service Department at 513-563-4338.

1. Leaf bags will be issued only on Saturdays from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm and Wednesdays from 1:00 pm to 7:00pm., at the Service Department. Limit 75 bags per household.  
For 2023 the dates will be:  
Saturday, September 23, 30, October 7, 14, 21 & 28  
Wednesday, October 11 & 18
2. Each household will have to sign for the bags. (Proof of residency may be required)
3. You may only pick up the bags for your household.
4. There are a limited amount of bags available and are issued on a first come basis.



**IMPORTANT:** When setting bags at the curb for Rumpke, place the bags in the same spot as your trash can. Rumpke will only make one (1) stop per residence.



## GORMAN HERITAGE FARM



### Sunflower Festival is October 7th and 8th!

Celebrate fall on the Farm at our annual Sunflower Festival this October 7th and 8th! Wander through fields of cut-your-own-sunflowers (\$1 per stem), visit education stations, enjoy live music, hop on a hayride or mule carriage ride, and peruse local goods from craft vendors and food trucks at Gorman Heritage Farm. Adults can enjoy a local HighGrain beer while kids will have a blast meeting the friendly farm animals. There's something for everyone at this local event!

New this year: ticket prices increase at the door, so purchase online to save! Members have free entry to the festival - consider becoming a member today. Village of Evendale residents are not automatically members but are welcome to visit the farm for free throughout the year except for Sunflower Festival weekend when tickets are required. Purchase tickets to this fun, annual event that takes place right here in your neighborhood at: <https://e.givesmart.com/events/uTs>



### Fall Farm Fun Days (oh my!)

Fall Farm Fun Days take place on Saturdays and Sundays starting on September 30th-October 22nd. For these special days, the farm will extend its hours to be open for *both* Saturdays and Sundays from 9am-3pm. Not only that, but we will be offering:

- Hayrides from 10am-2pm on both weekend days for free with the cost of farm admission
- Cut-your-own sunflowers for \$2 per stem for as long as they are in bloom
- Pumpkins for sale at the Interpretive Center
- **September 30 from 11-2pm we will be hosting a Touch-A-Truck** event included in the price of regular admission. This event will also feature some food trucks in addition to tractors from the Farm, a Fire Truck and Police Vehicle from the Evendale Departments, a SWAT vehicle from the Hamilton County Sheriff's Department, and a "big rig" from Ace/Doran Hauling & Rigging. Ace/Doran's headquarters are located right here in Evendale, and they are one of the Farm's Corporate Partners
- **October 14 from 11-2 PM we will be hosting a Pumpkin Carving Demonstration!** Evendale Council Member, Steve Berke, and Evendale Fire Chief, Mike Hauck, are famous in these parts for their pumpkin carving skills. They'll be carving up some fun, farm-themed pumpkin designs and even taking requests! Carved pumpkins will be available for purchase along with uncarved pumpkins if you feel inspired to carve your own at home!

Celebrate fall with us for these Fall Farm Fun Days and don't forget to check out our [public programs](#) this month to add to your farm experience!

### The Gorman Heritage Farm Mission

*The mission of Gorman Heritage Farm is to cultivate a healthy community through farm-based education and experiences about food, sustainable agriculture, and the natural world. This is our newly revised mission statement, and I'm so excited to share it with you! We haven't changed what we do, but now our mission statement better identifies the impact of our work. This summer, the Gorman Heritage Farm Board of Directors completed a strategic plan for the Farm's next 5 years of growth and development. As a part of that process, we examined the previous mission statement "To educate about agriculture, nutrition, sustainability, and the environment," and revised it in a really meaningful way. The previous statement missed an important element: the impact of what we do. It didn't answer the "why do we educate about these things?" question. And now it does: we are cultivating a healthy community!*

Throughout the year, people of all ages learn new things, experience aha moments, and are immersed in the beauty and bounty of our 122-acre working farm. Field trips and summer camp introduce children to where food comes from, how delicious fresh veggies taste, and the wonders of exploring the natural world. Public programs help folks learn how to grow their own food, compost at home, or keep chickens in their backyards. Our gardens, crops, and livestock are raised sustainably, demonstrating our commitment to good stewardship of the ecosystem. And the Sunflower Festival brings thousands of people together each fall to enjoy flowers, farm animals, friends, and families.

A healthy community means more than simply one with an absence of illness. When people feel connected with their food and understand how it is grown they make healthier food choices. When children work and play outside they have better academic outcomes and healthier social-emotional interactions. When volunteers give of their time and talent, they reap the benefits of living healthier and more fulfilled lives.

Thank you for being such incredible neighbors, supporting the work of Gorman Heritage Farm, and helping us fulfill our mission, which has changed a bit in words, but not in importance. Together, we can cultivate a healthy community.

In gratitude,  
Nicole Gunderman,  
Executive Director





# Evendale Cultural Arts CENTER

Encouraging Creativity & Community

## SPOOKY CHIC!

Saturday, October 7  
2:00 to 4:00 p.m.  
Cost: \$35  
Bell Tower Arts Pavilion, lower level  
Register at Recreation Center Front Desk  
Embrace the Halloween season with a creative twist as we upcycle thrifted paintings into spooky decorations for your fun fall decor. Instruction and all supplies will be provided.



## OIL PAINTING CLASS

Tuesdays, 9:30 am–2:00 pm,  
\$13 each class  
Email [jhaslit@fuse.net](mailto:jhaslit@fuse.net) for registration and information

## ACRYLICS AND OIL PAINTING CLASS

Thursdays, 6:30 pm, \$99 for 6 week session—start anytime  
Instructor: Robert Hebenstreit  
Call 513-681-8995 to register

## YOUTH DRAWING (AGES 10+)

Mondays, 4:30-6:30 pm  
\$99 for 6 week session  
October 30–December 4  
Instructor: Chris Taulbee  
Register at Recreation Center Front Desk

## ADULT DRAWING (AGES 18+)

Mondays, 6:30-8:30 pm  
\$99 for 6 week session  
October 30–December 4  
Instructor: Chris Taulbee  
Register at Recreation Center Front Desk

## INTRO TO CLAY (AGES 18+)

Tuesdays, 3:30-6 pm OR 6-8:30 pm  
\$140 for 6 week session  
October 31–December 5  
Instructor: Chris Taulbee  
Register at Recreation Center Front Desk

## POTTERY: SOFT SLAB HANDBUILDING (AGES 18+)

Sundays, 12:00–2:30 pm  
\$140 for 6 week session  
November 5–December 10  
Instructor: Grace Markley  
Register at Recreation Center Front Desk

## SIP AND SPIN POTTERY NIGHT!

Saturday, October 7  
6:00-8:30 pm, \$25 per person  
Instructor: Chris Taulbee  
Register at Recreation Center Front Desk  
Expect to get a little messy, and to have a lot of fun!

## EVENDALE MONTHLY WINE TASTING

Saturday, October 14  
6:00 pm at the Evendale Enclosed Shelterhouse  
Price: \$20 per person.  
Pay at door. Must be 21 and older.  
Register online at [evendaleohio.org/culturalarts](http://evendaleohio.org/culturalarts)

## FIRESIDE FLAVORS: FALL BOURBON DELIGHTS TASTING

Saturday, November 18  
6:30pm, \$45 per person  
Evendale Recreation Center  
Must be 21 and older. Register online at [evendaleohio.org/culturalarts](http://evendaleohio.org/culturalarts)

## TRI-COUNTY PLAYERS PRESENTS, GEEZERS BY TOMMY LEE JOHNSTON

Bell Tower Arts Pavilion Theater  
Fridays & Saturdays, Oct 6, 7 at 7:30 pm, Sundays, Oct 1, 8 at 3 pm  
Box Office: (513) 371-1600

## PLAYHOUSE IN THE PARK PRESENTS, THE VELVETEEN RABBIT,

Bell Tower Arts Pavilion Theater  
Saturday, Oct 28 at 7:00 pm  
Free– Recommended for ages 5+  
Register online at [evendaleohio.org/culturalarts](http://evendaleohio.org/culturalarts)  
This treasured childhood classic comes to life in a world premiere adaptation! During the everyday ups and downs of playing with his big sister, a young boy discovers his favorite toy – a velveteen rabbit – to be a source of courage and love.

## CINCINNATI ACTOR'S STUDIO (18+)

Mondays, Wednesdays & Thursdays  
\$25 per class, Register 513-615-2827

## TIPPI TOES DANCE CLASSES

TODDLER & ME (AGES 18 MONTHS–3 YRS)  
Mondays, 5:30–5:55 pm, \$65 month (Evendale residents receive discount)  
Register @ [tippitoesdance.com](http://tippitoesdance.com)

Please visit the Cultural Arts Center Web Page for a complete listing of all of our classes, exhibits, and events.

## BALLET, TAP & JAZZ (AGES 3-5)

Mondays, 6:00–6:45 pm, \$74 month (Evendale residents receive discount)  
Register @ [tippitoesdance.com](http://tippitoesdance.com)

## TINY TOES (AGES 2-4)

Wednesdays, 5:30–5:55 pm, \$65 month (Evendale residents receive discount)  
Register @ [tippitoesdance.com](http://tippitoesdance.com)

## BALLET, TAP & JAZZ (AGES 5-8)

Wednesdays, 6:00–6:45 pm \$74 month (Evendale residents receive discount)  
Register @ [tippitoesdance.com](http://tippitoesdance.com)

## Evendale residents 18 and younger qualify for music lesson scholarships.

Drum & Percussion—Chris Ellison—call 513-259-9664  
Guitar—Lou Larson—call 513-675-9545  
Piano—Aisha Butler—call 513-236-5711  
Piano & Voice—Roxanne Engle—call 513-948-9896  
Violin & Viola—Gayle Castle—call 513-310-9147  
Violin, Viola, Piano, Cello—Cincinnati Music Village—Rose Gowda—call 513-259-3110

## 2023 EVENDALE JURIED PHOTO EXHIBIT OUTSIDE!

October 1–November 30  
Opening Day—Oct. 1–1-4 pm  
Awards starts @ 2 pm



## GLACIERS IN RETREAT PHOTO EXHIBIT CLOSING RECEPTION & ARTIST'S TALK

Sunday, November 5  
1:00–4:00 pm  
3:00 pm—Artist's Talk  
ECAC, Upper Studio Gallery  
Award winning nature photography closing reception. Meet the artist!



**EVENDALE RECREATION**  
Your Center For Life

**REMINDERS:**

**Residents must register their non-resident children/grandchildren for programs.**

**Payment is due at time of registration.**



**HALLOWEEN FEST**

**Saturday, October 21**

**6:00 – 9:00 pm**

**FEE: \$3 per person by 10/15, \$6 per person after 10/15**

**Early registration is greatly appreciated!**

This Family Event is for Evendale Residents of all ages. Residents may register their non-resident grandchildren or grandparents and all children must be accompanied by an adult.

Join us for a longstanding Evendale tradition with your neighbors and friends. Halloween Fest has something for everyone. Enjoy sitting by the bonfire, taking a hayride, watching the live pumpkin carving, playing games, face painting, a thirty-animal petting zoo, bouncing in the jumpin' pumpkin, reconnecting with the community, and much more. Tasty treats abound with hot dogs, s'mores, apple-cinnamon donuts, fresh popcorn, caramel apples, hot chocolate, and apple cider! The Recreation staff and Phi volunteers look forward to seeing you for a spooktacular evening in the Village.

**GINGERBREAD HOUSE MAKING**

**Monday, December 4, Pickup 2:30 – 6:30 pm, Maximum 20 SOLD OUT!**

**Tuesday, December 5, 6:30 - 7:45 pm, Maximum 25**

**Wednesday, December 6, 6:30 - 7:45 pm, Maximum 25**

**FEE: \$20 per registration**

**Final day to register: November 10, 2023**

Come to the Recreation Center on Tuesday or Wednesday night for the Evendale holiday tradition of decorating a gingerbread house. We provide everything you need to make memories with a preassembled house, prefilled icing bags, candy, and decorations galore. Signup today to secure your family's table, as this event sells out yearly. Payment is due upon registration, and one registration is permitted per family.



**November 27<sup>th</sup> – December 9<sup>th</sup>**

The mailbox is located in the Lobby of the Recreation Center. *Make sure your child's first, last name, and address appear on the letter so that Santa can write you back!*

**Letters must be dropped off by December 9<sup>th</sup>!**

**VISIT WITH SANTA**

**Saturday December 9<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00AM – Noon**

**(You will sign up for a 20 minute window when you register)**

**\$3.00 per person**

**Deadline to register is December 3<sup>rd</sup>!**

**Each 20 minute session is Limited to 5 families, first come first serve.**

Everyone must pre-register and pay to attend. *Space is limited.* Santa will be visiting with families and taking family pictures. We will have a photographer on hand to capture you and your family with the big guy. Enjoy some great memories as your family will get to be one-on-one with Santa for a few minutes! The twenty-minute window only applies to your picture time. Please join us before or after your time slot for an open house style get together with pastries, coffee, orange juice, etc.

**JR. HOLIDAY BINGO**

**Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>**

**6:30 – 8:00 PM**

**2<sup>nd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> graders**

**\$3.00 per person**

**Deadline to register is December 5<sup>th</sup>!**

Please bring a \$10 Gift Card (WRAPPED) to be used for bingo prizes. Pizza and drinks provided.



## **TURKEY SHOOT**

**FRIDAY, November 17**

**6:00 p.m.**

**Fee: \$3.00 per team by November 16**

**\$6.00 per team Nov. 17 by 4:00 p.m.**

**(No sign-ups after 4:00 p.m. on November 17th)**

Basketball fun for the entire family. A free-throw competition with a Turkey as the bounty. This is a fun family event- all ages and skills are encouraged to try for a turkey.

**Teams:** Two family members...one adult 18 or older and one from the division below. Parents may team up with more than one child but child may only enter once. Child must shoot with parent vs. an older sibling.

**Age Divisions:** 3-5, 6-8, 9-11, 12-14 15-17, Mom & Pops

**Awards:** One girl team and one boy team in youth divisions will receive a Turkey for Thanksgiving. (Families can win in only one division- youngest age group will be awarded turkey - girls will be announced first.) Special door prizes will be awarded. Must be present to win. Families limited to one turkey/door prize.

South Gym primarily. Depending on numbers, both gyms may be used.

## **ELECTION DAY BAKE SALE**

**Tuesday, November 7**

Can you help? Donations of baked goods are needed for Phi Lambda Pi's Annual Election Day Bake Sale! Donations may be dropped off on Monday evening, November 6<sup>th</sup> at the Recreation Center. Thank you in advance from Phi Lambda Pi!

## **PHI LAMBDA PI**

Evendale Residents in 8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grades are eligible to join Phi Lambda Pi for Open House! Any interested resident can join anytime. The group meets every Wednesday night from 7:00-9:00 P.M. at the Recreation Center for Open Houses. Trips, service projects, and fundraisers are held throughout the year. Email [Mark.Hesse@EvendaleOhio.org](mailto:Mark.Hesse@EvendaleOhio.org) for more information.

## **RAKE-N-RUN**

Evendale seniors needing a little extra help raking their leaves may call Mark Hesse, 563-2247, by November 1st and have their names placed on our list. Every effort will be made to rake leaves at the beginning of November. Residents will be notified 24 hours in advance of our arrival. Please note that we may not be able to fulfill all requests. Those residents who normally utilize a lawn service are asked not to sign up for this service project. Residents must provide leaf bags.

## **PUMPKIN HUNT/DECORATING**

**Monday, October 23**

**6-7 p.m. (Min 10 kids)**

**Ages 3 years old and up (must attend with an adult)**

**\$4 per child**

Register your child and join us for some seasonal fun! Walk through the Rec Center searching for pumpkins. Once each child has found one, bring them back for decorating. Stickers, markers and paints will be available to help you create your pumpkin masterpiece. Goodie bags of treats will be given to each participant!

## **TRICK-OR-TREATING**

**Wednesday October 25**

**Free to Attend**

Meet at the Recreation Center at 1:15 PM in costume. We will Trick or Treat at the Fire Department, Police Department, Administrative Offices and of course the Recreation Center! Please bring a trick-or-treat bag. All ages welcome!

## **THANKSGIVING FEAST**

**Thursday November 16**

**12:15-2:15 pm (Min 10 kids)**

**Ages 3 years old and up (must attend with an adult)**

**\$4 per attendee**

Kids will prepare a Thanksgiving Feast for all to enjoy. Craft time will follow. Child care will be available for any younger siblings.

## **ALL ABOUT ART**

**Tuesday, October 17**

**Tuesday, November 14**

**6-7 p.m.**

**Ages 6-12 years old and up**

**\$4 per child per day**

Join us for a fun night of Art while the kids get to use their creative minds to create their own art masterpiece.

## **GOBLIN GOLF**

**Thursday, October 5**

**1:15-2:15 p.m.**

**Ages 3 years old and younger (must attend with an adult)**

**Ages 4-6 and up can stay by themselves**

**\$4 per child**

Fall is here, sign your goblins up for a chance to showcase their skills at mini-golf at The Acres.

## **GHOSTLY GOLF**

**Thursday, October 19**

**1:15-2:15 p.m.**

**Ages 3 years old and younger (must attend with an adult)**

**Ages 4-6 and up can stay by themselves**

**\$4 per child**

OOOhhh... Halloween is coming ,see if you can chase the scare of the ghost while golfing at The Acres.

## PROGRAMS FOR THOSE OVER AGE 18

### MONDAY NIGHT CARDS & GAMES

October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

5:00-8:00 PM

No fee. No sign-ups.

Bring a snack, appetizer or dessert to share and join us any Monday night in the Evendale Room. Come alone, or bring others and play whatever game you like! We normally have two tables of Hand & Foot, and one table of Mexican Train Dominos. **We have a few people interested in starting a Bridge table!** E-mail Allison for more information. Allison.Nasser@evendaleohio.org

### CHAPTER ONE BOOK CLUB

Contact: Georgia Bergan,  
513-477-9547

Join other book enthusiasts for Evendale's monthly book club on the fourth Tuesday of the month. If you are new to the book club, please contact Georgia for book information and to confirm the meeting time.

### CARD MAKING

Monday, October 9, 23

1:00-3:00 P.M.

No fee. No sign-ups.

**Note the new time!**

Card making is back! Enjoy an abundance of creative supplies needed to make cards. Make cards for friends and family! Additionally, we will be making blank cards to send to deployed soldiers to use through the Cards for Soldiers program. *Come test out your creative side!*

### MEET & GREET & EAT (THE BLUES & BBQ EDITION)

Monday, October 2

5:30 PM

Evendale Residents \$ 3.00

(and grandfathered friends)

Limited Seating.

Please Register by September 25

Join neighbors and friends for a night of food and fun! We will enjoy pulled pork, beef brisket, BBQ potatoes, green beans and dessert from Nick's BBQ. Live 'Folk Rockin' Blues' by Jeff Henry and the Necessary Evils! This is a meet & greet not to be missed!

### LUNCH & LEARN: HISTORIC HAUNTINGS IN CINCINNATI

Wednesday, October 25

12:30 PM

Evendale Residents No Fee.

Limited Seating. Please Register by October 19<sup>th</sup>.

Pack a lunch and get ready to learn about the spooky side of the Queen City! This program examines the history of ghost stories and hauntings in the Cincinnati and NKY area from the founding of the city to the present time. Did you know that many older houses and public places have resident ghosts? Hear stories of local citizens, both well-known and regular folks, who were and still are affected by the supernatural!

### TRIVIA NIGHT

Wednesday, October 25

6:00-7:30 P.M.

Evendale Residents and their guests

1:1 ratio resident to guest

\$10/team 6 max per team

Please register by October 18

Calling all trivia buffs! Come test your knowledge in a fun competition with friends and neighbors. Form a team or play as a solo contestant. **Maximum of 6 people per team!** Snacks and NA beverages are provided but feel free to bring something to enjoy! Prizes are awarded to the best team.

### CHAIR YOGA

Wednesday, November 1

12:00 noon

Evendale Residents \$ 1.00

(and grandfathered friends)

Limited Seating.

Please Register by October 25

Chair-based yoga is a fun and excellent form of yoga designed for those who desire the benefits of gentle stretching while sitting in a chair or using a chair for additional support. Yoga promotes radiant health as it stretches and tones your muscles, spine, and skeletal system.

### VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION

Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>

5:30 PM

Limited Seating Register by November 4

Evendale Veterans Free! Please provide your branch of service upon signup  
Evendale Residents \$10.00

**A celebration to honor America's veterans for their patriotism, love of country, and willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good. This is event is for residents 18 years and older.**

Join friends and neighbors for music and dinner as we honor our veterans. Please send any pictures or mementos you'd like to have displayed of your time in the service to Allison at [allison.nasser@evendaleohio.org](mailto:allison.nasser@evendaleohio.org).

### MOMS CLUB: COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

Friday, November 17

10 AM-12 Noon

No fee. No sign-ups.

Calling all moms! Bring a cup of coffee and join other moms for light bites and conversation. Take a moment to connect with other women before the rush of the holidays begins!

### ARTVENTURES!

Kentucky Horse Park Tour + Buc-ee's!

Friday, October 27

Leave Evendale @ 8:00 am

\$30.00 per person, Lunch included.

Min: 6

Deadline to Register: October 16

Register at Rec. Center Front Desk

Experience the essence of Kentucky's equestrian heritage on a captivating tour of the Kentucky Horse Park. During our tour, we'll delve into the history of horses at the museum, witness the awe-inspiring Parade of Breeds, and visit the Mounted Police Barn to meet the heroes of law enforcement on horseback. After this enriching adventure, we'll make a stop at the sensational Buc-ee's, a mega-sized gas station and tourist attraction, to explore its unique offerings and exciting surprises. Get ready for an unforgettable day celebrating the spirit of the horse and discovering the charm of Kentucky!



## ADULT SPORTS

### Wii BOWLING LEAGUE

Evendale Residents \$5.00  
Guest of Resident Fee \$10.00

(one guest to one resident ratio)

Please register by December 12.

*Please indicate at registration if you have a teammate you plan to bowl with. New bowlers are always encouraged to sign up!*

Join us on Friday nights starting January 19<sup>th</sup> for our Wii Bowling League! The league plays every Friday in the early evening at the Recreation Center. Times and league end date depend on the number signed up.

Any questions call Kristen 563-2247 or email at

[Kristen.maiden@evendaleohio.org](mailto:Kristen.maiden@evendaleohio.org)

### Chair Volleyball Needs YOU!

Do you like to have fun? That's all that is needed to play Chair Volleyball. No standing or lifting your rear off the chair, but you'll have fun trying to get the beach ball over the net.

Not sure if you want to join yet, stop in for a practice and try it out. Contact: Abby Moonitz, 563-2247 to get on the call/email list. The group meets every Tuesday and Thursday for practice from 10:45 a.m. - Noon.

New season starts in January 2024. Teams have ten matches each season. Transportation is provided to away matches.

Only \$5 for the whole season for residents and grandfathered residents! Sign-up today.

### Wallyball Open Play

**What is Wallyball?** Wallyball is an off-the-wall volleyball game played on a racquetball court where the ball may be hit off the side walls as well as directly over the net. The ceiling is out of bounds as is the back wall if hit on a serve or volley over the net.

Can be played with as little as 2 per side or as many as 6 per side.

*Join other residents & guests on*

*Wednesdays 5:30 -7:45 p.m.*

*October 4 - Dec. 27*

**MEN'S BASKETBALL LEAGUE** taking sign-ups UNTIL Oct. 8. League plays on Sundays. Team entry form available on the website.

### Tennis & Pickleball Schedule October 2023

Coming up Soon - Junior Tennis Team Drill & Play -Saturday, October 7 from 11:00 - 12:00 pm. Sign-up for session two days before the program.

FREE Introduction to [Pickleball](#) Sessions -Saturday, October 7 from 12:00 - 1:00 pm, Tuesday, October 3 from 11:00 -12:00 pm & Saturday, October 14 from 12:00 - 1:00 pm. Sign up for one of these free Introduction sessions to get your [Pickleball](#) fun started!

#### Monday

9:00-10:00 am Ladies Level 1 Intro to [Pickleball Drill & Play](#)  
4 weeks 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23

9:30-10:30 am Ladies Level 1.5-2 [Tennis Instruction](#)  
4 weeks 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23

11:00-11:45 am Shot of the Week-[Pickleball](#) (different shot each week)  
10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23

5:30-7:00 pm Ladies [Team Tennis Drill](#)  
4 weeks 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23

#### Tuesday

9:00 -10:00 am Ladies Level 2 [Pickleball Drill & Play](#)  
4 weeks 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24

12:15-1:00 pm Shot of the Week [Tennis](#) (different shot every week)  
4weeks 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24

#### Wednesday

5:30-7:00 pm Ladies [Team Tennis Drill](#)  
4 weeks 10/4, 10/11, 10/18, 10/25

#### Thursday

9:00 -10:30 am Ladies Level 3-4 [Pickleball Instructional Play](#)  
4 weeks 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26

11:00 -12:00 pm [Adult Co-ed Level 2-3 Pickleball Instructional Play](#)  
4 weeks 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26

#### Saturday

9:00 -10:00 am Adult Level 1-2 [Tennis Instruction](#)  
4 weeks 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28

10:00 - 11:00 am [Cardio Tennis](#)-weekly sign-up by the Friday before.  
Starts 10/7

10/7 10:00 -11:30am [Adult Mixed Doubles Pickleball Round Robin](#)-Level 2+

10/14 1:00 -2:30 pm [Men's Pickleball SINGLES Round Robin](#)

10/21 10:00 -11:30 am [Men's Pickleball Round Robin](#)-Levels 2+

12:00 -1:30 pm [Ladies Pickleball Round Robin](#) Levels 2+

10/28 11:00 -12:30 pm [Adult Mixed Doubles Tennis](#) Round Robin Levels 2+

**\*SIGN UP FOR INSTRUCTION CLASSES BY OCTOBER 2. SIGN UP FOR SATURDAY ONE-DAY EVENTS BY THE WEDNESDAY BEFORE THE EVENT.\***





To Schedule Private & Private Group Tennis or Pickleball Lessons call  
Matt Stiltz (513) 597-9557

# October Class Schedule

## \$30 month unlimited classes PASS

OR

### Walk-in for \$10/class

Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>HITT Bootcamp</b> 5:15 – 6:00 a Michael		<b>HITT Bootcamp</b> 5:15 – 6:00 a Michael		<b>Spin</b> 8:30-9:15a TBD???
<b>Cardio &amp; Strength</b> 9:30-11:00a Lisa	<b>Yoga</b> 9:30-10:30 a Back Evendale Room Helene	<b>Cardio &amp; Strength</b> 9:30-11:00a Lisa	Clean ALL equipment used with spray and towels provided.		<b>Strictly Muscle</b> 9:30-10:30a TBD???
	<b>Ageless Fitness</b> 9:30-10:30a Alice		<b>Ageless Fitness</b> 9:30-10:30a Alice	<b>Yoga</b> 9:15-10:30a Sandy	<b>Cardio Tennis</b> Sign up weekly by Friday prior starts <b>10/7</b> 10:00-11:00 a Rob/Matt
	<b>Strictly Muscle/ Strong Lift</b> 5:30-6:30 p Alice		<b>On HIIT/ Transforming Circuit</b> (one week HIIT, next week Circuit- alternating weeks) 5:30-6:30 p Alice		
	<b>Tae Kwon Do</b> 6:15-7:15 p Mike	<b>Mindful Yoga</b> 6:00 – 7:00 p Cynthia C.	<b>Tae Kwon Do</b> 6:15-7:15 p Mike	Please purchase pass 1 <sup>st</sup> week at the front desk. You may call Front desk to purchase. 563-2247	
<b>Yoga</b> Activity Room 6:00- 7:15p Sandy	<b>Quiet Stretch</b> 6:30-7:00 p Alice		<b>Quiet Stretch</b> 6:30-7:00 p Alice	Childcare offered 9:00 – Noon Mon-Sat & 5:30-8 p.m. Wed Pay at the front desk.	

## PROGRAMS OFFERED BY FITMEES

Please Ask a FitMees Team member about signing up or email [michael@fitmees.com](mailto:michael@fitmees.com).

### Join Our Strength-Seeking Community!

Discover the power of joining a community of like-minded individuals who are all on a mission to become stronger, healthier versions of themselves through our semi-personal fitness program.

Here's what to expect when joining our community:

**Motivation and Accountability:** Get inspired and stay on track with the support of like-minded individuals.

**Positive Energy:** Surround yourself with an atmosphere of encouragement and positivity.

**Workout Variety:** Discover diverse training techniques and keep your workouts fresh and exciting.

**Expert Guidance:** Benefit from the knowledge and expertise of experienced trainers.

**Start today by scanning the QR code below for your FREE first session. You'll be able to sign up and select your time slot.**



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### FREE Golf Fitness Assessment in October

Are you ready to take your golf game to the next level? This October, FitMees is offering a FREE Golf Fitness Assessment that could be your game-changer!

**Boost Your Performance:** See where you might be lacking in strength and talk about a plan to strengthen those areas.

**Injury Prevention:** Our assessment identifies areas of weakness and potential injury risk, helping you stay on the course pain-free.

**Unleash Your Full Swing:** Discuss your personal fitness strategies to maximize your power and precision, no matter your skill level.

Don't miss out on this opportunity to improve your golf game while safeguarding your body. Limited spots are available. Schedule your FREE Golf Fitness Assessment today by emailing [michael@fitmees.com](mailto:michael@fitmees.com).



### October 2023 FITMEES Triathlon Challenge

Are you ready to push your limits and embark on an epic fitness journey? Introducing the FitMees Triathlon Challenge! Dive into an exciting adventure that combines the best of running, rowing, and biking. The goal? Complete all three disciplines by the end of October to claim your victory and some fantastic prizes!

Compete against fellow fitness enthusiasts and be the first to conquer the Triathlon Challenge. It's not just about the thrill of victory; it's about pushing yourself to new heights and setting personal records that you never thought possible.

#### 50 Miles of Running or Walking

Hit the pavement or explore the great outdoors. Whether you're a seasoned runner or just starting, this challenge is the perfect motivator to boost your cardio fitness and enjoy the crisp autumn air.

#### 20K Meters of Rowing

Experience the rhythm of rowing as you navigate through 20,000 meters. Rowing offers a full-body workout, enhancing your strength and endurance.

#### 200 Miles of Biking

Pedal your way to victory! Whether you prefer cycling on the open road or spinning in the gym, this challenge will keep you motivated to cover those 200 miles in style.

#### Win Amazing Prizes!

What's a challenge without exciting rewards? The first person to complete the Triathlon Challenge will not only earn well-deserved bragging rights but also:

1<sup>st</sup> place will receive a gift card basket valued at \$125. Complete all three and be entered into a drawing for additional prizes.

Track your progress, compete with your peers, and celebrate your accomplishments along the way. It's time to make this autumn your season of strength and endurance! Get started by signing up today at the fitness center desk. We will have a binder with tracking sheets already printed. All you need to do is write your name at the top of the sheet and then compete!



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Building Department	513-956-2665
Tax Department	513-563-2671
Village Clerk	513-563-2244
Cultural Arts Center	513-563-1350
Fire Department	513-563-2248
Gorman Heritage Farm	513-563-6663
Police Department	513-563-2249
Recreation Department	513-563-2247
Pool	513-563-2246
Weather Hotline	513-956-2667
Service Department	513-563-4338
Rumpke Trash Service	1-800-828-8171
Chamber of Commerce	513-383-7034

Website: [www.EvendaleOhio.org](http://www.EvendaleOhio.org)

 Village of Evendale, Ohio -  
Recreation, Administration and Cultural Arts.

 Evendale Emergency Services -  
Police, Fire and the Service Department.



**in Evendale**  
**October 31**  
**6:00-8:00pm**



**2023 Town Meeting**

Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>  
5:00 p.m.  
Evendale Recreation Center