

# CITY of COVINGTON

200 W. Washington  
Covington, TN 38019  
901-476-9613



Mayor Justin Hanson



**EMAIL  
YOUR  
ALDERMAN**

## Committee Meetings

### District 1

Vice Mayor Johnetta Yarbrough  
[1122jwyatt@gmail.com](mailto:1122jwyatt@gmail.com)

Alderman John Edwards  
[aldermanedwards@gmail.com](mailto:aldermanedwards@gmail.com)

### District 2

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[aldermanjeffmorris@gmail.com](mailto:aldermanjeffmorris@gmail.com)

Alderman Chris Richardson  
[aldermanchrisrichardson@gmail.com](mailto:aldermanchrisrichardson@gmail.com)

### District 3

Alderman C.H. Sullivan  
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Alderman Danny Wallace  
[aldermanwallace@gmail.com](mailto:aldermanwallace@gmail.com)

### Public Works Committee - September 6

Chairperson Danny Wallace, Jeff Morris, Johnetta Yarbrough

### General Welfare/Public Relations Committee - September 13

Chairperson Jeff Morris, CH Sullivan, John Edwards

### Finance and Administration Committee - September 20

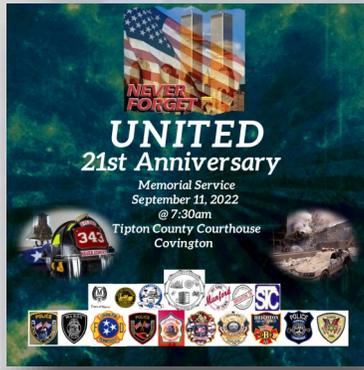
Chairperson CH Sullivan, All Board Members

### Public Safety Committee - September 27

Chairperson Johnetta Yarbrough, Chris Richardson, CH Sullivan

Committee meetings are at 4:00 pm in the Lower Level Conference Room at Covington City Hall. All Board of Mayor and Aldermen meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month at 5:30 pm in the Board Room on the 2nd floor at Covington City Hall. ALL are open to the public. Official meeting minutes and agendas can be found by visiting [www.covingtontn.com](http://www.covingtontn.com).

**City Board meetings are also live-streamed  
on our [Website](#) and [Facebook page](#).**



# COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS



Tiny Blessings ministry at St Alphonsus Catholic Church held their grand opening last week. In partnership with Catholic Charities of West Tennessee and Amerigroup, the ministry's mission is to assist families in need with essential items for children from newborn to 3 years old. The ministry will serve families from 1 PM – 3 PM every Tuesday at St. Alphonsus Church.

Congratulations to Zack Walker and family on the grand opening and ribbon cutting of Southern Draw Antique Mall! The mall features a variety of individual booths featuring everything from home decor to furniture and other accessories. They're located between Crumpy's and Save-A-Lot and are open Tuesday- Saturday.



**ARTWORK**  
STUDIOS,  
LLC



Congratulations to Kenyado Whitley on the grand opening and ribbon cutting of your new Covington business Artwork Studios, LLC! From photography to recording music to printing personalized merchandise — Artwork provides a number of services. The studio is located on Harris Ave., just off Hwy. 51 near Subway! Call 901 451 0769 to learn more.



Thanks Drug Free Tipton for bringing the community together to recognize International Overdose Day. Addiction and overdose affects many families. If you or someone in your family needs help, your community is here for you!

DRUG FREE TIPTON

# #END OVERDOSE

INTERNATIONAL OVERDOSE AWARENESS DAY  
AUGUST 31, 2022

MEMORIAL SERVICE  
7:00 P.M.  
COVINGTON FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

PROCLAMATION READING  
12:00 P.M.  
TIPTON COUNTY COURTHOUSE, COVINGTON SQUARE

**TN** Department of Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services

## PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION DROP BOX AND LOCK-BOX LOCATIONS

- 1 TIPTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
- 2 COVINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT
- 3 ATOKA POLICE DEPARTMENT
- 4 MUNFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT
- 5 BRIGHTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- TENNESSEE REDLINE
  - 1-800-889-9789
- NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE
  - 988
- NARCAN TRAINING
  - MADELYNN ROSS (731-819-6572)
- WWW.DRUGFREETIPTON.ORG

This project is funded under a grant contract with the state of Tennessee Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.

**REGISTER ONLINE TODAY**

SCAN THE QR CODE ABOVE OR GO TO [GOLUCYGO.ORG](http://GOLUCYGO.ORG)

Join Us For

# MURDER AT THE JUICE JOINT

*A Night of Murder, Mystery and the Mob!*

Festivities Are On CASA Presents Sept. 24, 2022 Tickets \$50  
 The Juice Joint is Located at 204 Liberty Ave. Covington, TN @

RSVP to Janet Wyse 901-827-3550 or [jkwyse@hotmail.com](mailto:jkwyse@hotmail.com)

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**October 22, 2022**  
 Historic Covington Town Square

**8:30am Kids Fun Run**  
**9:00am 5k/10k**

Packet pick up Oct. 21 or Race Day  
*Spirit Runners welcome!*

Register at [golucygo.org](http://golucygo.org)

SPONSORED BY:

## KIDS PAINT PARTY

FEATURING AMANDA RENNER FROM SPECIAL OCCASIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24 | 10 A.M. TO 3 P.M.  
 \$20/PAINTING

COVINGTON CIVIC CENTER - 100 W WASHINGTON AVE  
 EARLY SIGN-UPS ARE ENCOURAGED, BUT WALK-INS ARE WELCOME!

REGISTER ON OUR FACEBOOK:  
[WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/CIVICCENTER100WESTWASHINGTON](http://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/CIVICCENTER100WESTWASHINGTON)

More painting options available: check out our FB to see!

Don't want to paint today? Take-home kits will be available!

Call 901-475-7139 with any questions!

# SNACK PACK DRIVE

*benefitting Tipton County Elementary Students*

**ITEMS NEEDED**

- FRUIT CUPS • GRANOLA BARS
- SMALL WATER BOTTLES
- CHEESE & CRACKERS • GOLDFISH
- MINI MUFFINS • PRETZELS AND NUTELLA
- TRAIL MIX • PRETZELS
- POP TART BITES • PAPER LUNCH BAGS
- PLASTIC SPOONS

\*Food items should be individually packaged items.

Items can be dropped off at:  
 Jimmy Naifeh Center at Tipton County  
 Jimmy Naifeh Building • Room 112  
 Monday - Friday • 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Hannah Yawn, Student Life Coordinator,  
 at 901-475-3166 or [yawn@dsec.edu](mailto:yawn@dsec.edu).

Your **Community news**

# heritage festival



27th Annual Heritage Festival

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 - 24

[Click Here for More Info!!](#)

Celebrating local foods & local farms

**FARM TO TABLE**  
*Covington, tn*



Join us for the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Farm To Table Event at The Cellar - Restaurant & Prohibition Bar. Enjoy a bountiful helping of hors d'oeuvres made with ingredients from local farmers and producers in a fun atmosphere at a new local restaurant!

**Benefiting the Court Square Farmers Market**

**TICKETS ON SALE NOW AT:**

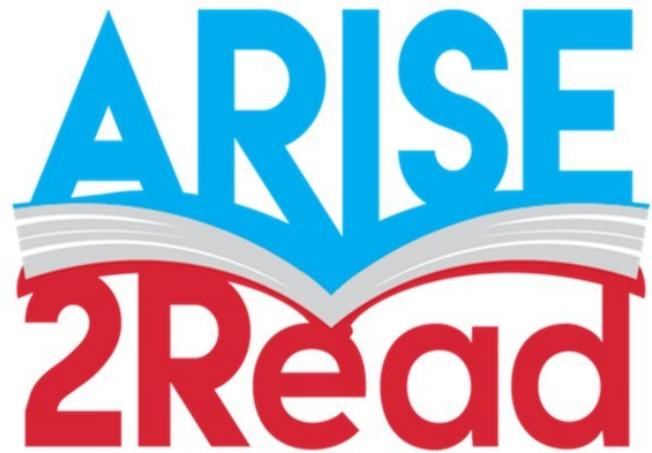


102 East Court Square  
**Thursday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
5 pm - 9 pm



**SCAN QR CODE TO  
PURCHASE ONLINE**

**YOU can  
Make a  
Difference**



**Volunteer to help  
2nd-graders become great readers.**

Contact Covington First United Methodist church (901)  
476-9694 to volunteer or for more information.

**Vaccination  
Clinic  
September 24  
9:00 - Noon**

**First United  
Methodist Church  
Christian Life Center  
145 W. Church Ave  
Covington, TN**

**FREE**

**\$50 Walmart Gift  
Card** for each  
person receiving a  
COVID Vaccine  
Bring your ID &  
Vaccination card  
(if available)

Children under 18 must  
be accompanied by a  
parent/guardian.

**DEFEATING**

**COVID - 19**

**CORNHOLE**  
off the square

**DEPOT DISTRICT**

**FOOD TRUCK FAIRE**

*Liberty Vintage Marketplace*

**11AM - 4PM**



**JULY 9**

**AUG 13**

**SEPT 10**

**OCT 8**

**NOV 12**

**DEC 10**

**GET INVOLVED**

Dancing  
In Tipton  
Line Dancers  
September  
24th

**Heritage  
Days**

See us at  
the Parade  
and dancing  
on the  
square



**We have new  
shirts**

**Thanks  
Southern  
Whimsical**

# Keys to Success

**EXPRESS**  
CHEVROLET



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CHEVROLET BUICK GMC



Haywood County Schools



Tipton County Schools

**WIN A 2022  
CHEVROLET  
TRAX!!**



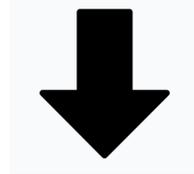
**\$2,500 Scholarship**  
in honor of  
**Allen Wooten**

**State Farm**  
Auto Insurance  
**\$1,000.00**  
Scholarship

Improved ACT scores = **CHANCE TO WIN A 2022  
CHEVROLET TRAX!**  
—PLUS A—  
**\$1,000 Scholarship or a \$2,500 Scholarship**



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QR Code**



**#expressyourself**



heritage festival

**TWO  
FREE  
MOVIES!**

at the  
**Historic Ruffin Theater**

Sponsored by

**EXPRESS**  
CHEVROLET



**Special  
"Lightning McQueen"  
and  
"Doc Hudson"  
Ice cream flavors**



**"Cars" themed  
Kids Parade  
9am Saturday morning!**



# 2022



## Upcoming Events

**19**  
AUG

**FALL BALL REGISTRATION ENDS**  
ALL DAY  
We will not be accepting any late registrations this fall so get your babies signed up as soon as you can!

**13**  
SEPT

**BASEBALL & SOFTBALL START**  
6PM  
This will be the first game of the fall season for baseball and softball.

**17**  
SEPT

**SOCCER STARTS**  
9AM  
This will be the first game of the season for fall soccer.

### MORE INFORMATION



Covington Sportsplex  
790 Bert Johnston Ave  
Covington, TN 38019



901.476.3734



KEEP  
TIPTON  
COUNTY  
BEAUTIFUL

## Together, we can make Tipton County Beautiful Again

### COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP COMPETITION

Meet up at Tipton County Landfill  
September 17, 2022 | 8AM-12PM

Volunteers can sign up at  
[www.tiptonco.com](http://www.tiptonco.com)

## FALL USED BOOK SALE

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC  
Friday & Saturday!

### FRIDAY

Oct 21, 2022  
10:00 AM-4:00 PM  
**SATURDAY**

Oct 22 2022  
10:00 AM-2:00 PM



FRI & SAT  
\$10 BAG SALE or the  
PRICE OF THE ITEM



MEMBER'S NIGHT  
PAY BY DONATION

**FRIENDS OF THE  
LIBRARY MEMBER'S NIGHT**  
**THURSDAY**  
Oct 20, 2022  
4:00 - 7:00 PM  
MEMBERSHIPS WILL BE AVAILABLE  
AT THE DOOR OR IN ADVANCE

TIPTON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY  
3149 HWY 51 S. BLDG C  
COVINGTON, TN 38019  
901-476-8289  
[tcsuperfriends.org](http://tcsuperfriends.org)



Sponsored by



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**  
OF THE HATCHIE RIVER  
REGION

You are invited to join Boys & Girls Club of the Hatchie River Region at the beautiful Manor at Mount Carmel venue for their 7th Annual Steak and Burger Dinner on Thursday, October 6, 2022. The guest speaker will be NFL Hall of Fame Recipient, Andre Reed.

[Click here for more information!](#)

**GREAT FUTURES START HERE.**

# CAR SHOW

Annual Classic Car & Motorcycle Show



**Sat., Oct. 8, 2022**  
8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

**Dyersburg State Community College**  
Jimmy Naifeh Center at Tipton County  
3149 Highway 51 S., Covington, TN 38019

**Registration Fee**  
\$25 Team and \$15 for Students

**Check in - 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.**  
**Judging - 11:30 a.m. • Awards - 2 p.m.**

To register, contact Brigham Scallion at 901-475-3119 or scallion@dsc.edu

**DYERSBURG STATE** Dyersburg • Covington • Trenton  
**COMMUNITY COLLEGE** 3149 Highway 51 S., Covington, TN 38019  
901-475-3100 / www.dsc.edu / enroll@dsc.edu

Dyersburg State Community College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, ethnicity or national origin, sex, disability, age, status as a protected veteran or any other class protected by Federal or State law and regulations and by Tennessee Board of Regents policies with respect to employment, programs, and activities. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding nondiscrimination policies: Equity Officer, Equity/Inclusion, 616 E. Elmer Administration Building, Room 150, 1550 Lake Road, Dyersburg, TN 38024, Ph: 731-286-3216; or Director of Human Resources, Tipton County Veterans Memorial Building, Room 100, 1500 Lake Road, Dyersburg, TN 38024, Ph: 731-286-3246. Dean of Student Services, Deputy Title IX Coordinator, Mitchell/Johns, Student Center, Room 125, 1550 Lake Road, Dyersburg, TN 38024, Ph: 731-286-3224. The Dyersburg State Community College policy on nondiscrimination can be found at: <https://www.dsc.edu/node/6332>. PUB 04\_22\_237

Join  
Your  
Team

WE ARE  
**HIRING**

To view open positions at DSCC go to [dsc.edu](https://dsc.edu) and click the Employment link.

All applications are submitted electronically.

For assistance contact Human Resources at 731-286-3291.



**DYERSBURG STATE**  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Dyersburg State Community College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or disability. See our full policy at: <https://www.dsc.edu/node/6332>. PUB 04\_22\_237

# Get Involved!

## TIPTON COUNTY MUSEUM UPCOMING 2022



TIPTON COUNTY  
MUSEUM  
VETERANS MEMORIAL  
VETERANS CENTER

### EVENTS

- August 9th - Veteran of the Month 6:30pm
- August 26th - Trivia Night 7pm
- August 27th - Cars & Coffee 7:30am
- September 13th - Veteran of the Month 6:30pm
- September 22nd-25th - Heritage Festival on the Covington Square
- October 11th - Veteran of the Month 6:30pm
- October every Saturday - Garden Series 10am
- November 8th - Veteran of the Month 6:30pm
- November 11th - Veterans Day Parade 10am on the Covington Square
- November 12th - Living History Day 10am - 4:30pm
- December 13th - Festival of Trees Reception 6:30pm

### CLASSES

- Nature Journaling classes Saturdays in August / September 12pm-2pm
- Genealogy Classes- call for information

### EXHIBITS

- Educating Tipton County Generations - Now through August 29th
- Lost Children of Tipton County - September / October
- Vintage Christmas Toys - November / December

### CLUB/ORGANIZATION MEETINGS

- Genealogy Club meets at 6:30 pm first Monday of the month
- Tipton County Veterans Council 8 am every third Saturday
- American Legion Charles Porter Smith Post 237 every third Saturday following the Veterans Council meeting
- Nature Journaling Club meets at 2 pm every third Sunday

Extension Institute of Agriculture  
Local 3809

KIDS.....  
CAN THEY  
NAIL IT?!!!!  
Cooking Camp



### INFORMATION:



OCTOBER 10-11  
AGES 6-8  
\$20 per child  
\*limit 10 per class



OCTOBER 12-13  
AGES 9-12  
\$20 per child  
\*limit 10 per class



9am-12pm



+901.476.3734



[lp@covingtontn.com](mailto:lp@covingtontn.com)



[www.covingtontn.com](http://www.covingtontn.com)

# SEPTEMBER EVENTS @ YOUR LIBRARY

**TIPTON COUNTY STITCH-ALONG**  
 Sep 17  
 10:00-12:00 PM  
 Crochet, Tatting & Knitting Group bring a project to work on, or if you want to learn, bring the following supplies:  
 Skein of Red Hear Super Saver yarn  
 size H crochet hook or size 10 knitting needles

**BOOK CLUB**  
 What Happened to the Bennetts  
 by Lisa Scottoline  
 Sep 27 @ 1:00 P.M.  
 Copies are available for checkout at the front desk  
**AGES 18+**  
**Tai Chi**  
 Wednesdays @ 10:00 AM  
**AGES 18+**  
 PRESENTED BY **TSU**  
 TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

**Movie Days**  
 Ages 18+  
 Mondays @ 2:00 PM & Fridays @ 1:00 PM  
 Popcorn & water will be provided.  
**O Brother Where Art Thou?** - Sep 2 [PG-13] 106 mins  
**Housesitter** - Sep 12 [PG] 102mins  
**Bringing Up Baby** - Sep 16 [G] 102 mins  
**Something the Lord Made** - Sep 19 [PG] 120 mins  
**Steel Magnolias** - Sep 26 [PG] 118 mins  
**Monster-in-Law** - Sep 30 [PG-13] 102 mins  
**BINGO**  
 Sep 9 & 23 @ 1:00 PM

**Tipton County Public Library**  
 Monday-Thursday  
 8:00 - 7:00 PM  
 Friday  
 8:00-5:00 PM  
 Saturday  
 9:00-3:00 PM

**Find us on Social Media**  
 tiptoncountylibrary.com  
 tiptoncountylibrary  
 tiptoncountypub/  
 tiptoncountylib  
 tiptonpl/

**Tipton County Public Library**  
 3149 Hwy 51 S. Bldg. C  
 Covington, TN 38019  
 476-8289  
 tiptoncountylibrary.com

**TAB**  
 Sep 24 @ 1:00 PM  
 TAB is a group of teens ages 12-17, who meet once a month to help plan teen activities, select new materials, and volunteer.

**Percy Jackson Book Club**  
 Sep 20 @ 5:00PM  
 AGES 11-17  
 The Titan's Curse by Rick Riordan  
 Copies will be available at the desk to checkout

**Anime Club**  
 Ages 18+  
 Sep 27  
 5:00-6:45 PM

**ANIME CLUB**  
 Sep 24 @ 12:00 PM  
**AGES 12-17**

**GENEALOGY HELP**  
 Sep 20 10:00-11:30AM  
 The River City, Millington Chapter of the DAR will be here to help assist you in your genealogical research



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 You shop. Amazon gives.  
 AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for you to support the Tipton County Public Library every time you shop, at no cost to you. When you shop at smile.amazon.com, you'll find the exact same low prices, vast selection and convenient shopping experience as Amazon.com, with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion of the purchase price to the Friends of the Tipton County Public Library. On your first visit to AmazonSmile smile.amazon.com, you need to select a charitable organization to receive donations from eligible purchases before you begin shopping. Search for the Friends of the Tipton County Public Library, and then every eligible purchase you make at smile.amazon.com will result in a donation.

**Tipton County Public Library**  
 Board of Trustees  
 Ms. Mary Kate Huffman, President  
 Ms. Trena Jones  
 Ms. Florence Dyson  
 Mr. Glenn MacIn  
 Ms. Courtney Fee  
 Mr. Alan Cousar  
 Mrs. Susan Cheairs  
 The Library Board normally meets at 5:15 PM on the last Monday of every other month in the Community Meeting Room. All meetings are open to the public.

**ancestry Library Edition**  
 Ancestry Library Edition is available @your Library  
 REMOTE ACCESS IS AVAILABLE.  
 Check out FREE e-magazines  
 RB Digital has moved to Overdrive & Libby

**Meet libby**  
 The one-tap reading app from your library  
 Happy Reading

**Check out e-books for FREE**  
 Tennessee R.E.A.D.S., powered by OverDrive, is a collection of downloadable ebooks and audiobooks that you can access with a valid library card  
**R.E.A.D.S.**  
 Regional eBook & Audiobook Download System

**Wi-Fi**  
 Wi-Fi Printing is now Available!  
 Download the App Printer or BW \$0.10  
 https://printer.net/dscccp/print COLOR \$0.25

**LEGO CLUB**  
**AGES 11 & UNDER**  
 Sep 8 @ 4:00 PM  
 Sep 17 @ 11:00 AM  
 Donate your old LEGOs to our LEGO Club!  
**HOMESCHOOL BOOK CLUB**  
 Sep 8 @ 12:15 PM  
 Read a Tall Tale Book  
 Please ask at the front desk if you need help selecting a book

**Mother Goose Baby Story Time**  
 Every Tuesday @ 9:00AM  
**Preschool Story Time**  
 Every Monday & Tuesday @ 10:00AM  
**1,000 Books Before Kindergarten**  
 Ages 0-PreK  
 Sign-up at the Library  
**READ BOOKS, WIN PRIZES**

**LITTLE ENGINEERS CLUB**  
 SEP 8 @ 1:00 PM  
 Build with LEGOS, Lincoln Logs, & K'Nex  
**AGES 11 & under**  
**POKEMON CLUB**  
 Ages 12 & Under  
 Sep 15 @ 4:00PM  
**MICROSOFT BASICS**  
 SEP 10 @ 10:00PM  
 AGES 18+

**Kroger Plus** → **community rewards**  
 The Friends of the Tipton County Public Library have signed up for the Kroger Community Rewards program as a way to earn money for the library. Visit the Kroger Community Rewards Enrollment page and either sign in to your Kroger account or create a new account. Register your Kroger Plus Card if you have not already. Click on your name in the Top left corner of the page to view your account summary. Scroll down to the Community Rewards section and click Enroll. The Friends of TCPL Organization Number is Y1023  
 The enrollment is good for one year. So in order to continue to support the Friends you will be asked to re-enroll each year.

**WIFI**  
**HAPPY LABOR DAY**  
**CLOSED**  
 SEP 3 & 5

## GENEALOGY HELP

10:00 - 11:30am  
 on the 3rd Tuesday of the month  
 September- May  
 Provided by the River City Chapter, DAR

## POKEMON CLUB

**AGES 12 & UNDER**

ACTIVITIES CRAFT  
 GAMES CARD TRADING

## Buy-A- Book For the Library Campaign

Is an easy way to contribute to the Library while gifting others!  
 Buy a book to honor a friend, or in memory of a loved one. Each book purchased will have a bookplate with your Honoree's name.

The Buy-A-Book Campaign is sponsored by the Friends of the Tipton County Public Library.

## DISCOVERY KITS

21 DAY LOAN. NO RENEWALS  
 \$1.00 PER DAY FINE

MICROSCOPES  
 TELESCOPES  
 BINOCULARS  
 PHONICS  
 & MORE!