

CITY of COVINGTON

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Mayor Justin Hanson



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Committee Meetings

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Public Works Committee - November 1

Chairperson Danny Wallace, Jeff Morris, Johnetta Yarbrough

General Welfare/Public Relations Committee - Cancelled

Chairperson Jeff Morris, CH Sullivan, John Edwards

Finance and Administration Committee - November 15

Chairperson CH Sullivan, All Board Members

Public Safety Committee - November 22

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.

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



**Public Works
Committee Meeting
11/1/22, 4:00 p.m.**

The Public Works Committee met at City of Covington on November 1, 2022 at 4:00 p.m. with the following members present: Alderwoman Johnetta Yarbrough, Alderman Jeff Morris, and Mayor Justin Hanson. Also present were Public Works Director David Gray, Building Official Lessie Fisher, Alderman Chris Richardson, Alderman C H Sullivan, Utilities Manager Calvin Johnson, City Attorney Witherington, and Recorder-Treasurer Tina Dunn. Motion was made by Alderman Morris and seconded by Alderwoman Yarbrough for Mayor Hanson to serve as chairman due to Alderman Wallace's absence.

Discussion began on the drainage issue at 20 Eagle Trace Rd. Bonny Henderson, Debbie Priestly, and Leslie Haywood Moore voiced their concerns on the flooding/drainage issue on their properties located on Eagle Trace Rd. They requested the committee to assist with a solution to the water problem. The flooding issue starts with the farmland behind their property. Attorney Witherington reported the city is not able to go on private property. This discussion needs to be held between the two property owners. Attorney Witherington advised the city not to become mediators between the two property owners. Director Fisher will review any documentation on the building permits for this subdivision.

Director Gray presented the contract for the highway rail grade crossing on East Ripley for approval. This contract is 100% funded by TDOT. This project will consist of asphalt paving on East Ripley and will bring the crossing rails up to current code. Motion was made by Alderman Morris and seconded by Alderwoman Yarbrough to move forward with the procurement of this contract for the highway rail grade crossing on East Ripley. Motion passed.

Director Gray reported the TDEC ARPA application has been submitted. This project will be for Wastewater Treatment Plant repairs estimated to cost \$2,822,343.00. This grant will fund \$1,789,511 of these repairs. Suez will provide professional services to help assist with this project. Once the project is completed, a maintenance agreement will be entered into with Suez Company. A sanitary survey report was presented showing the city earning 594 points out of a possible 599 points for a numerical score of 99%. This rating retains the Covington Water Department in the State's "Approved" category. Director Gray announced the 811 Meeting will be held on 11/16/2022 at the Covington Civic Center. Motion was made by Alderman Morris and seconded by Alderwoman Yarbrough to approve the report from Public Works Director David Gray. Motion passed.

Building Official Fisher reported the codes department is working on property maintenance concerns. These concerns can be presented in Municipal Court. The recipients of the Blight Grant will be announced soon.

Motion was made by Alderman Morris and seconded by Alderwoman Yarbrough to accept the report from Building Official Fisher. Motion passed.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:56 p.m.



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[Facebook page](#), and [YouTube channel](#).***



Covington High cross country boys have a long history of success in the postseason and the trend continued Thursday, November 3 at the state Cross Country Championships at Sanders Perry Park in Hendersonville, TN.

Congratulations to San'darius Coleman, a senior, making his fourth-year appearance at the state meet and running with a goal of taking the podium once again. After finishing 10th last year with a time of 16:41, Coleman said he wanted to move up as an individual and keep trimming his time. And that is exactly what he did!

When interviewed after his race Thursday, Coleman mentioned using tactics to conserve energy by hanging behind the leaders, and the move paid off. In a field of 257 runners, he finished with a time of 16:12 earning him a third place podium finish. No other runner in Charger history or Tipton County history has finished in the top 3.

Last year, things began to change for West Tennessee runners like San'darius who were normally out-classed at the state level. Results for the race still showed an upward trend adding even more West Tennessee runners to the podium and to the top 25 finishers.

We want to give a special shout-out to our seniors Mal'yah Gilliam, Anna Reese Cousar and Madie Rose for their hard work and persistence and a special recognition to San'darius Coleman for his history-making contributions for CHS.

Coach Coley, along with girls' and boys' teams, would like to express their gratitude for all the support and donations from CHS, CHS staff and the Covington community.

VETERANS DAY PARADE

11.11.2022

TIPTON COUNTY MUSEUM
VETERANS MEMORIAL NATURE CENTER

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

Historic Covington Square, Covington, TN
10:00 AM

www.tiptoncountymuseum.org

COLLEGE & CAREER EXHIBITION

"CHOOSE A JOB YOU LOVE, AND YOU WILL NEVER HAVE TO WORK A DAY IN YOUR LIFE."
(CONFUCIUS)

COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

803 South College Street
Covington, TN 38019

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NOVEMBER 30, 2022 9:30 - 2:00



Multi-location hiring and resource event across West Tennessee for veterans and spouses!

November 10, 2022
10am - 2pm

University of Memphis, Millington
6500 Navy Rd. Millington, TN 38053

Vernon McGarity Armory,
285 Country Home Rd. Paris, TN 38242

American Job Center Jackson
1124 Whitehall St., Suite 100 Jackson, TN 38301

Our duty is to help you connect to your next opportunity after your service for all of us.



Dancing In Tipton Line Dancers

Cars, Trucks and ...

ROCK & ROLL

Harbor Chase Senior Community

November 16th, 10:00 AM


The Dancing In Tipton Line Dancers

The Veteran's Day Parade

November 11, 10:00 AM

See you there!

COVINGTON
YOUTH BASKETBALL




INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION

DECEMBER 10TH- FIRST GAME
 FEBRUARY 25TH- LAST GAME
 GAMES ON SATURDAYS ONLY
 EXCLUDING WEEK OF CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS

\$75/ individual child

Registration includes reversible jersey
 CO-ED unless have enough signups
 for girls and boys separate leagues

AGES 4-10



901.476.3734

Covington Sportsplex

TEAM REGISTRATION information

We are allowing team registrations. This means a whole team can register together to ensure that players will be on the same team.

The fee will be \$350 for the entire team.

Team registration will not include jerseys. Coach/team will be responsible for providing their own jerseys.

Teams are only allowed up to 10 players per team.

Teams are only allowed to have children on their team that are all within the same age group.

Age groups will be 4-6, 7-8, 9-10. We will place your child according to their age as of December 10th.

Any child can play up, but no player will be allowed to play down.

Its time for the **2022 Covington Christmas Parade** If your organization or business would like to participate, please use the **Link** to access our application. **Deadline for application is December 8, 2022 at 4pm.** Guidelines for entry can be found on the link as well.



<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1zdVbUx2pGjVFNjP9SC3SlavOI9EuzGy2bMeiMhpkuM/edit>


2022 COVINGTON CHRISTMAS PARADE
 DECEMBER 12, 2022
 7 P.M.




Do you have an announcement you would like to include in our weekly newsletter? Click [HERE](#) to email your info to Rebecca Ray!

ANNUAL LIVING HISTORY DAY


SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 12, 2022
 10 :00 AM - 4:30 PM



LIVING HISTORIANS FROM ALL ERAS	QUILT PRESENTATION @ THE STITCHING STORE 10AM
MILITARY DISPLAYS	SPEAKERS @THE TENT:
LIVE HISTORICAL MUSIC	GENERAL LEE - WAYNE TATE- 11AM
FOOD & VENDORS	VIETNAM - JIM YATES - 12:30PM
CONFERENCE ROOM - TIPTON COUNTY	DESERT STORM - DAN SUMMERS -1:30PM
HISTORICAL SITES 10:15AM & 2:15PM	DUSTY BOTTOM BOYS 3PM
	CIVIL WAR - H.K. EDGERTON -3:15PM



TIPTON COUNTY MUSEUM
 751 BERT JOHNSTON AVE COVINGTON, TN 38019
 CALL (901) 476-0242 OR VISIT
 WWW.TIPTONCOUNTYMUSEUM.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION



CASA OF TIPTON COUNTY'S
PANCAKES WITH SANTA

Enjoy Breakfast For A Charitable Cause

**SATURDAY
 DECEMBER 3**
 MUNFORD UNITED
 METHODIST CHURCH
 07:00AM - 11:00AM

Ticket: \$5 per person
 TICKET INCLUDES: DELICIOUS BREAKFAST,
 PHOTO WITH SANTA & MRS CLAU AND A
 FUN FAMILY SNOW BALL FIGHT!

ADDRESS: 57 TIPTON STREET SOUTH

DECEMBER 3rd
 12-4 p.m.

Join us at the
 Covington Civic Center
 for a holly jolly
 good time!

Pictures w/ Santa and / or the Grinch
 (by appointment only)

Holiday games and
 crafts for the kids!

Shopping with local vendors for
 those last minute Christmas gifts!

PICTURES WITH SANTA

COURT SQUARE FARMERS MARKET
 EST. 2010
 COVINGTON TENNESSEE

MINIMUM \$5 DONATION

SAT | NOV 19
8A - 2P

Donate Here

TOY DRIVE

ALL PROCEEDS & DONATIONS WILL GO TO THE:

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
 OF THE HATCHIE RIVER
 REGION

3 WAYS TO DONATE:

COURT SQUARE FARMERS MARKET
 EST. 2010
 COVINGTON TENNESSEE

Christmas Open House

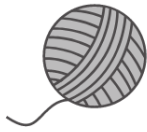
ON THE HISTORIC COVINGTON SQUARE

NOVEMBER 10TH, JINGLE & MINGLE 5PM - 8PM

NOVEMBER 11TH, 10AM - 5PM

NOVEMBER 12TH, 10AM - 4PM

KICK OFF YOUR HOLIDAY SHOPPING WITH YOUR FAVORITE LOCAL BUSINESSES!



TIPTON COUNTY STITCH-ALONG
Nov 19
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
Run Rose Run by Dolly Parton
Nov 22 @ 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 **UT EXTENSION**
INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE
THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE
tsu COOPERATIVE
EXTENSION
COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE
TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY



Movie Days

Ages 18+

Mondays @ 2:00 PM & Fridays @ 1:00 PM
Popcorn & water will be provided.

- Where the Crawdads Sing -Nov 7 [PG-13] 125 mins
- Top Gun - Nov 14 [PG-13] 125 mins
- Top Gun: Maverick - Nov 18 [PG-13] 131 mins
- Little Women - Nov 21 [PG] 135 mins
- Miracle on 34th Street (1994) -Nov 28 [PG] 114 mins



BINGO

Nov 3 @ 1:00 PM



TAB
Nov 19 @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.



ANIME CLUB

Nov 19 @ 12:00 PM **AGES 12-17**

TEEN GAME DAY
Nov 8 @ 4:30-6:00 PM

Ages 12-17



Percy Jackson Book Club

Nov 15 @ 5:00PM

AGES 11-17

Percy Jackson and the Last Olympian by Rick Riordan
Copies will be available at the desk to checkout



GENEALOGY HELP

Nov 15 10:00-11:30AM

The River City, Millington Chapter of the DAR will be here to help assist you in your patriot genealogical research

E-MAIL BASICS

Dec 10 @1:00 PM

AGES 18+



Anime Club

Ages 18+

Nov 22

5:00-6:45 PM



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Tennessee R.E.A.D.S., powered by OverDrive, is a collection of downloadable ebooks and audiobooks that you can access with an valid library card



LEGO CLUB

AGES 11 & UNDER



Nov 17 @ 4:00 PM
Nov 19 @ 11:00 AM

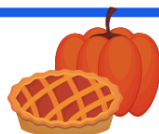
Donate your old LEGO's to our LEGO Club!



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



HOMESCHOOL

LITTLE ENGINEERS CLUB

Nov 17 @ 1:00 PM

Build with LEGOS, Lincoln Logs, & K'Nex

AGES 11 & under

POKEMON CLUB

Ages 12 & Under

Nov 3 @ 4:00PM
Nov 5 @ 10:00 AM



HOMESCHOOL BOOK CLUB
Nov 17 @ 12:15 PM

Read a book about a REAL ANIMAL HERO

Please ask at the front desk if you need help selecting a book

NOVEMBER EVENTS @ YOUR LIBRARY



Monday-Thursday

8:00 - 7:00 PM

Friday

8:00-5:00 PM

Saturday

9:00-3:00 PM

Tipton County Public Library

3149 Hwy 51 S. Bldg. C

Covington, TN 38019

476-8289

tiptoncountylibrary.com



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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 Enrollement 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 **YT023**

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.

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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.

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<https://printer.on.net/dscctcpl/print> **COLOR \$0.25**

HOLIDAYS

Nov 11th - CLOSED

NOV 23 - Closing @ 5:00 PM

Nov 24 - CLOSED

Nov 25 - CLOSED

Nov 26 - CLOSED

