



Pleasant Hill Echo

October – November 2025

Community Events!

November

- 2nd Time change!
- 4th Election Day
- 7nd Large trash 1-800-223-3960
- 10th Blood Drive
- 11th Veterans Day office closed
- 15th Holiday Bazaar
- 12th Weather siren test
- 27, 28th Thanksgiving/day after Office closed

December

- 5th, Large trash 1-800-223-3960
- 10th Weather siren test
- Tree lighting/property decorating contest
- 24th, 25th Eve, and Christmas, office closed

WEEKLY EVENTS:

- Wednesday, Food pantry, UCC Church, 5-6 pm, 10 W Monument, basement of church, no apt. needed
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BIMONTHLY EVENTS: Utility Billing

- Jan 1st, Mar 1st, May 1st, July 1st, Sept 1st, Nov 1st

MONTHLY EVENTS:

Monday:

- Every Monday - History Center hours 3 pm -7 pm
- 3rd Monday, BPA Meeting 5:30 pm

Tuesday:

- 2nd Tuesday, Council Meeting 7 pm 3rd Tuesday, Township Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday:

- 2nd Wednesday, Weather siren testing 10 am
- 4th Wednesday, JFD Meeting 6:30 pm

Thursday:

- 2nd Thursday, Event Committee Meeting, 6:30 pm
- 3rd Thursday, Planning Committee Meeting, 5:30 pm
- 4th Thursday, Village Workshop

Friday

- 1st Friday large trash, regular refuse picks up every Friday (then put cans back)

Sunday:

- Enjoy the UCC church bells at 10:00, and have a quiet, restful day!

Trash & Recycling Update

Starting in January 2026, the Village Council has chosen Reliable Waste Solutions as our new trash and recycling provider. No need to do anything—the switch will be smooth and easy. Everyone will get one trash and one recycling bin, and your pickup schedule will stay the same.

Thanks for rolling with the change!

Attention Pleasant Hill Residents! ♻️

We're excited to officially welcome you to the Reliable Waste Solutions family! Starting January 2026, we'll be your new trash and recycling service provider for the Village of Pleasant Hill.

- ✓ New trash and recycling cans will be delivered mid-December
- ✓ Service days will remain the same for all residents
- ✓ Bulk pickup will now take place the 2nd Friday of each month — you can schedule items right on our website

We appreciate your patience as we work through the transition and make sure everything runs smoothly for your community.

If you need an extra trash or recycling can, please visit our website to request one and get added to the delivery list.

For any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to call or text us at (937) 418-7524 — we're here to help!

Welcome aboard, Pleasant Hill! We're proud to serve you. ❤️

CATEGORIES ARE:
Funniest, Scariest,
 AND
Original/handmade!

GROUPS ARE:
 age 5 and under,
 6-12, Teen,
 and overall best Adult
 and family!

CANDY FOR ALL!

HALLOWEEN PARADE AND COSTUME CONTEST!

Supported by:
 Thursday, October 31st,
 6-8:00 pm Village wide trick or treating,
 8:00 pm Parade starts at school

Event supported by:
 Pleasant Hill Events Committee, The Exchange,
 Pleasant Hill JFD, and Newton Band!

the band starts at the front of the school, follow them back to school for costume contest!

201 Long Street
 Pleasant Hill, OH

Will move into gym if yucky weather!

Electric and Natural Gas Aggregation

If you haven't received a letter in the mail, it's probably because you have a current contract with another supplier, if you want to change to aggregate program, follow the info. below!

What is aggregation?

Aggregation is an option under Ohio law to purchase electricity and/or natural gas for members of a buying group. Buying energy in bulk can give communities leverage to negotiate better rates and potentially reduce administrative costs. Having a program in place ensures the additional program benefits remain available for participants seeking price protection and budget stability. The utility continues to deliver electricity or natural gas to the residents' homes, but the price of the energy supplied is negotiated by the aggregator.

Electric Aggregation

The Miami County Electric Aggregation contract through AES Ohio is a fixed rate of **6.49 cents** per kWh (kilowatt-hour) for residential and small business customers which will terminate with the December 2025 billing. The new electric supplier is with Dynegy Energy Services beginning with the December 2025 meter read date at a fixed rate of 9.59 cents per kWh, until the December 2026 meter read date. While the 12-month offer is slightly higher than the current SSO rate, future SSO rates beyond May 2026 are not yet known. There is no early termination fee. The Village of Pleasant Hill is included in the Electric Aggregation Program.

Who to Contact:

- Enrollment questions: Contact Energy Harbor at (866) 636-3749 Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm.
- Opt-out or general aggregation questions: Contact Bob Snively with Palmer Energy at (419) 491-1004.

Natural Gas Aggregation

The current rate for natural gas aggregation is 5.89 cents per mcf to terminate with the October 2025 billing. The County renewed with IGS Energy for a 24-month term at a fixed rate of **\$6.82 per MCF** (\$0.682 per ccf) starting with the November 2025 billing. There is no early termination fee.

Residential and small business customers that use less than **5,000 CCF** a year in the unincorporated areas of Miami County and beginning November 2025 billing, residents in the incorporated Village of Pleasant Hill, are otherwise eligible unless they individually opt-out of the aggregation programs.

Miami County residents are eligible to participate unless they are:

- Newberry Township residents (Newberry Township is already in an aggregation program)
- Pioneer Electric Cooperative customers
- Percentage of Income Payment Program (PIPP Plus) participants are not eligible
- Consumers who have chosen an alternative supplier are eligible but not automatically included and should contact the Miami County Commissioners' Office, if interested. Before joining, they should find out if there are any early termination fees for ending a contract with their current supplier.
- Behind on utility bill payments to AES Ohio / CenterPoint Energy Ohio

Who to Contact:

Enrollment questions: Call IGS Energy at 1 (877) 353-0162, weekdays, from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. EST.

- Call CenterPoint Energy (CPE) regarding loss of gas service, odor of gas, or for any other concerns or issues having to do with your local service. Budget billing and automatic billing options will continue to be available through CPE.

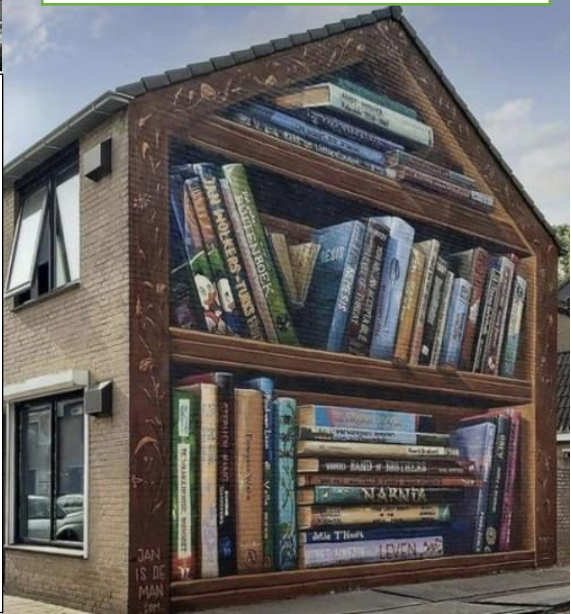
Village and Township
**10TH FALL PROPERTY
 Decorating
 Contest**
26 | October
 6-7:45-pickup ballot
 Property registration until Wed Oct 22 at
 tobserene@gmail.com
 Winners announced
 at 8pm in the
 Monument Park
 (library)
**REFRESHMENTS
 FOR ALL!**
 1ST PLACE \$75,
 2ND \$50, 3RD \$25,
 AND HONORABLE
 MENTION \$25!



We're excited to share that new murals are coming to Pleasant Hill! Thanks to your suggestions, titles will be displayed on the mural at the **Village Library**, and we're thrilled to announce the **re-creation of the original Beery Building "School of Horsemanship" mural**—a piece of our local history coming back to life.

These projects were made possible through generous grants from the **Ohio Arts Council, AM250, the Miami County Visitors Bureau, and the Village of Pleasant Hill.**

Big thanks to everyone who helped bring more color and history to our community!



Turn Clocks **BACK** in FALL

Set Clocks Back 1 Hour
 First Sunday In November



Leaf pick up time!

- Just bag up your leaves (no specific bag type needed, 50 gallon),
- No sticks, branches, trash please
- put them to the curb, and the
- Village will pick them up on a regular basis throughout the week!

'TIS THE SEASON TO SAVE LIVES

Donate blood to receive this long sleeve tee*.

*All gifts are available while supplies last and are subject to change. Color and design are also subject to change at any time and are based on availability from the manufacturer.

Be a local lifesaver and help avoid critical blood shortages when you give the most important gift of all, the gift of life!

Be a hero for someone in need, give blood today.

NOVEMBER 3RD - DECEMBER 27TH

BLOOD DRIVE
Village of Pleasant Hill Council
Location: Church of the Brethren – Pleasant Hill
 300 E Monument St. Pleasant Hill, OH

Monday, November 10, 2025
 3:00pm – 6:00pm

Appointment Preferred
 Scan QR code or go to:
Donate.versitidayton.org
 Sponsor code: **1737**

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 Blood Center of Ohio
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 Community
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PLEASANT HILL
EVENTS COMMITTEE

HOLIDAY CRAFT BAZAAR

LET'S EAT DRINK, SHOP AND BE MERRY

FOOD . FREE ENTRY . CRAFTS
10-4 pm **Newton school**
NOV. 201 Long Street
Pleasant Hill
15th rooms of vendors!

Share your talent...
Call or text Alisha at 937-216-9214
to save your space!

<https://www.pleasanthillohio.com/index.php>

Visit the Village website (which is under construction)

<https://www.facebook.com/PleasantHillOH/>




Street sweeper did a wonderful job cleaning up our streets!

Advantages of removal of debris from street...

- Obviously looks neater
- Keeps our storm sewer drains clear and flowing



NEWTON LOCAL STUDENT COUNCIL
★ PRESENTS ★



VETERANS DAY CEREMONY

We invite the families of veterans and active military in our community for a gathering in honor of their brave service. There will be reception in the Fieldhouse following the ceremony.

WE ASK THAT YOU ARRIVE BETWEEN 9:00-9:15AM AND ENTER THROUGH THE BACK DOORS NEAR THE FIELDHOUSE

NOV	201 N. LONG STREET PLEASANT HILL, OH	TUES
11	PLEASE RSVP TO: 937-676-2002	9:30 A.M.
2025		



Beautiful sparkly snowflakes may soon be falling upon our Village giving a whole new look!

Keeping your cars off the street during the potential flurries will help the plows clear the streets quicker, and make a better parking area for you.

Also remember the designated 'snow routes' that are no parking zones during these weather conditions, to aid plowing and school buses!