



FOCUS ON LAKEVILLE

MEETINGS

Monday, November 17

6 p.m. - City Council Meeting

Wednesday, November 19

5 p.m. - Finance Committee Meeting

6 p.m. - Parks, Recreation & Natural Resources Committee Meeting

Thursday, November 20

6 p.m. - Planning Commission

Meetings take place at City Hall unless otherwise noted. The public is invited to participate in meetings in person. Agendas are available online. LakevilleMN.gov

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mayor for a Day Contest
Deadline is December 12

Minnesota's fourth, fifth, and sixth graders are invited to enter the Mayor for a Day Essay Contest! Students can answer the prompt, "What would you do if you were mayor for a day?" for a chance to win \$100 and be featured in Minnesota Cities magazine. Winners will be notified in early January.

Citizen's Academy
Apply by December 6

Go behind the scenes of the Lakeville Police Department! This engaging program gives residents a firsthand look at modern policing through interactive presentations, hands-on activities and open discussions. Graduates receive a Certificate of Completion and a deeper understanding of the department's mission to serve and protect. LakevilleMN.gov



Winter Parking

Lakeville's winter parking ordinance begins **November 1**. No overnight street parking is allowed between 2 a.m. and 6 a.m. and vehicles must remain off the street during snowfall until roads have been cleared.



Celebrate the Winter Season Together with Holiday Events, Cheer and Local Happenings

Santa's Secret Store

Saturday, December 6 | 9 a.m.
Heritage Center Lakeville

Kids enjoy hassle-free holiday shopping! Santa's Secret Store is specially designed for children to purchase gifts for family and friends. Great gifts will be available, priced from \$1 to \$15. Children and parents work together to make a shopping list including who to buy for and how much to spend on each person. While parents wait, volunteers assist the children with their gifts and wrapping to bring home.

Santa's Letter Writing

Let Santa know what you're wishing for this year! Beginning Monday, November 17, children can mail their letters directly to the North Pole using special mailboxes at City Hall and the Arts Center. Letters will be accepted through Monday, December 1.

Holiday Art Sale

Wednesday, December 3 through Saturday, December 6
Lakeville Area Arts Center

Discover unique handcrafted gifts created by our talented instructors and students, including pottery, mixed media, painting and more. While you shop, don't miss the Empty Bowls Fundraiser!



Pub Night: Erin McCawley's Harrison Street Band

Lakeville Area Arts Center

Wednesday, December 3 | 6 p.m.

Get ready for a night of sassy blues, rockin' roots, and funky fun with Erin McCawley's Harrison Street Band! Erin's voice and energy light up the room, backed by the impressive talents of Tony Houle, Bill Whelan and John Tubbs. You may hear the blues but you won't leave with them!



Empty Bowls Fundraiser

Wednesday, December 3 | 6 p.m.
Lakeville Area Arts Center

The Lakeville Area Arts Center pottery studio is hosting its annual Empty Bowls Fundraiser, with all proceeds benefiting 360 Communities, our local nonprofit food shelf. Students, staff and volunteers have crafted around 100 beautiful, hand-made bowls. Buy a bowl for \$15, and if you're at December 3 Pub Night, you'll get to fill it with delicious soup while enjoying live music and good company.

CITY UPDATES

Public Works

- Streets continue to complete fall road sweeping and right-of-way tree pruning.
- Staff will be out staking plow routes in preparation for the first snowfall.
- Utility staff have been cleaning environmental manholes in the stormwater collection system.

Parks and Recreation

- Recreation staff continues to conduct interviews for seasonal warming house attendants. Each season, we hire approximately 50 seasonal staff members. We currently have over 40 staff members hired and are looking to fill a few more positions.

Arts Center

- Fall Classes are in full swing; eleven pottery, three glass, one knitting, one woodcut and two painting classes began this week!



Lakeville Area Community Band Enchanted Christmas

Friday, December 12 | 7 p.m.

Saturday, December 13 | 2 p.m.

Lakeville Area Arts Center

"An Enchanted Christmas" is a concert that truly captures the spirit of community. Under the spirited baton of Joe Lasko, your neighbors, friends, and fellow music lovers come together to share their talents in a heartwarming collection of Christmas melodies.



Questions: info@LakevilleChamber.org or 952.469.2020

200 donors needed!

Lakeville
citywide
mini
blood drive

December 2-3, 2025
10am-6pm

The Emporium Room
@ Lakeville Liquors Keokuk



MBC.org
Zip Code: 55044



THANK YOU from community partners: Lakeville Rotary | Lakeville Liquors | Lakeville Area Schools | City of Lakeville | Lakeville Police & Fire | Pan-O-Prog | Lakeville Public Safety Foundation | Lakeville Chamber of Commerce

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