The City of Wentzville is a community of neighbors working together to build a better future.

**Important Dates:**
- Aug 2 - Rod Run, Pearce Blvd, 6-9:00pm
- Aug 2-4 - Back to School Sales Tax Holiday
- Aug 6 - National Night Out
- Aug 10 - Alderman Social, City Hall 3:430pm
- Aug 14 - Board of Aldermen Meeting, 6:00pm
- Aug 15 - 1st Day of School Wentzville School District
- Aug 28 - Board of Aldermen Meeting, 6:00pm
- Sept 2 - Labor Day City Offices Closed
- Trash Pickup Delayed One Day this Week

For September City events please see calendar on back.

**Parks & Recreation Happenings:**
- Aug 9 - H.O.P.P. Night Progress Park 7-9:00pm
- Aug 16 - FREE Movie in Rotary Park, Madagascar 3 8:00pm
- Aug 23-25 Wabash Days at Allen & Main Street
- Sept 3 - Pooch Plunge Progress Park, 7-8:30pm
- Sept 8 - Hill of Thrills Soapbox Derby, Progress Park, Noon

For information on these and other activities not listed, please contact Parks & Rec at 636-332-9236.

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**Wabash Days Festival**

**August 23-25**

This event is held in the City’s historic downtown area, along Allen and Main Streets. Don't miss out on this three day, family-oriented street celebration!

Wabash Days is open during the following hours:
- **Friday, August 23** 5:00pm - 11:00pm
- **Saturday, August 24** Noon - 11:00pm
- **Sunday, August 25** Noon - 6:00pm

The event features carnival rides, craft booths, live concerts, food, 5/10k run, car show, motorcycle show and lots of family-style fun. For details on the schedule of events and entertainment schedule please go to the City's web site and view Special Events under the Parks & Recreation drop down menu.

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**Civil War Reenactment**

Will Coincide with Wabash Days

Reenactment participants will remember those soldiers who fought in the Battle of Wentzville, during the Civil War, 152 years ago. The public is invited to visit the soldier’s camps, to be located just south of the railroad tracks, to see how they lived.

A reenactment of the Battle of Wentzville will take place on Saturday, August 24 at 2:00pm at the Whisk property located west of the Community Club. The public is also welcome to attend and participate in a Victorian era ball to be held that same evening at the Green Lantern on Linn St.

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**HILL OF THRILLS Soapbox Race**

The seventh annual Hill of Thrills race is **Sunday, September 8**! Drivers will race for the finish line at the bottom of the hill on Meyer Road in gravity powered cars. This event begins at 12:00pm on Meyer Road in front of Progress Park. Children between 4' and 5' tall, who weigh 55-120 pounds (height and weight restrictions are due to the construction of the car) are able to compete in this race. Register by August 25 and the entry fee is only $5 for residents and $8 for non-residents. On August 26 the fees raise to $10 for residents or $13 for non-residents. Child must be present at time of registration.

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**Back-to-School Sales Tax Holiday**

**August 2nd-4th**

It’s almost time to shop for your back-to-school purchases. Certain purchases, such as clothing, school supplies, computers, and other items as defined by the statute, are exempt from sales tax for this time period only. Shop in Wentzville and benefit from the Sales Tax Holiday on these items. Go to the [Department of Revenue](http://www.wentzvillemo.org) web site for a listing of eligible items.

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**CITIZEN OF THE YEAR**

**Nominations Being Accepted**

If you would like to nominate someone for Wentzville’s Citizen of the Year you have until October 15 to submit a nomination. Nominees must currently reside in Wentzville. To submit a nomination a person must be a Wentzville resident or Wentzville business owner or employee of a Wentzville business. Forms are available online at [www.wentzvillemo.org](http://www.wentzvillemo.org) or at City Hall and should be returned to the City Clerk’s office.
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### Schedule of Events

- **2nd** Labor Day Holiday - City Offices Closed  
  Last Day Progress Park Pool is Open for Swimming
- **4th** Pooch Plunge at Progress Park Pool - Bring your dog for a swim and some games. 7-8:30pm*
- **5th** Planning & Zoning Meeting at City Hall, 6:00pm
- **8th** Soapbox Race on Meyer Road in Front of Progress Park  
  Noon-Ceremony, 12:30-Races Begin*
- **9th** Park Board Meeting at City Hall, 7:00pm
- **10th** Municipal Court Arraignment  
  Law Enforcement Center  
  1019 Schroeder Creek Blvd, 9:30am
- **11th** Patriot Day  
  Board of Aldermen Meeting at City Hall, 6:00pm
- **12th** Board of Adjustment Meeting at City Hall, 6:30pm
- **14th** Alderman Social, City Hall, This is an opportunity for residents to speak with Wentzville Aldermen, 3-4:30pm
- **19th** Downtown Economic Development & Historic Preservation Committee Meeting at City Hall, 6:00pm
- **24th** Municipal Court Arraignment  
  Law Enforcement Center  
  1019 Schroeder Creek Blvd, 9:30am
- **25th** Board of Aldermen Meeting at City Hall, 6:00pm
- **28th** City Wide Yard Sale - Booklets on sale September 25
- **Sep 30** - Oct 4 Large Item Pickup - Residents should put items out on their regularly scheduled trash pickup day by 6:00am

### Notes

- **FREE** - Large Item Pickup for Residential Customers on Regular Trash Day

*This program requires registration. For additional information please contact the Parks & Recreation Department at 636-332-9236 or visit our web site at [www.wentzvillemo.org](http://www.wentzvillemo.org)

+ Indicates subject to change