

## City of Wentzville News, Information, Important Dates and More!

### Save the Date for Wentzville's Fall Events

Mark your calendar for all the Wentzville happenings this fall. Hunt for treasure at the Citywide Yard Sale, get rid of unwanted furniture during Large-Item Pickup, rid your home of old electronics at the Electronics Recycling and Personal Document Shredding event and more. No matter what you're looking for this season, Wentzville has something for you! View a complete calendar of Wentzville's fall events when you visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/calendar](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/calendar).

#### Citywide Yard Sale

Whether you're looking for bargains or cleaning out your home, Wentzville's Citywide Yard Sale is for you! Join us for our Citywide Yard Sale on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 24 and 25. Rid your home of any unwanted items by listing your sale for just \$10. The deadline to register is Sunday, Sept. 19. To register your sale, please visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/yardsale](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/yardsale).

Beginning Wednesday, Sept. 22, treasure hunters may purchase a booklet listing all the area sales for only \$5. Booklets are available at City Hall or Progress Park. Customers who purchase a booklet will also be emailed a link to the digital version.

#### Large-Item Pickup

Twice each year, the City offers FREE large-item pickup service for Wentzville residents. During the week of Sept. 27-Oct. 1, residential utility customers may place bulky items out for collection. This is a great opportunity to rid your home of unwanted furniture and old appliances! For details or to view a list of accepted (and not accepted) items, please visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/largeitempickup](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/largeitempickup). Participants are asked to:

- Place items at the curb by 6 a.m. on your regular collection day;
- Abide by the FOUR-ITEM LIMIT per household. Houses that exceed this item limit will not have their items collected.

Please note: This large-item pickup is offered free for residential utility customers ONLY. Homes that do not receive Wentzville utility service will not have their large items collected.

#### Electronics Recycling and Personal Document Shredding

Do you have electronic waste — old phones, broken laptops, worn-out power tools? You can recycle them all at the City's FREE\* Electronics Recycling and Personal Document Shredding event on Saturday, Oct. 30. Aside from keeping electronic waste out of our landfills, electronics recycling helps conserve our natural resources and save money. Help us keep our local landfills free of electronic waste and join us for this drive-thru-and-drop-off style event from 9-11:30 a.m. at Holt High School, located at 600 Campus Dr.

This event is open to individuals and families residing in the City of Wentzville; no businesses, please. Almost anything with a plug is accepted FREE for this electronics recycling event, but some items (such as TVs and items containing Freon) will incur a fee. To view a list of accepted (and not accepted) items, please visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/acceptedelectronics](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/acceptedelectronics).

Personal shredding is limited to six "Bankers Boxes" (or the same size) OR three 13-gallon (kitchen-sized) garbage bags, per vehicle. Please note: Participants should ONLY shred items with personally identifiable information. Items that DO NOT contain personally identifiable information should be recycled at a drop-off site or in your FIBER recycling cart.

### Wentzville Rec Center Update

The new Wentzville Rec Center (WREC) is going vertical! Over the next several months, residents will begin to see this facility take shape at the Wentzville Bend. Located on Wentzville Parkway between West Meyer Road and Schroeder Creek Boulevard, the WREC is projected to open in the fall of 2022. This 100,000 square foot facility will bring a variety of new amenities to our community, including a multi-court gymnasium, elevated walking track, fitness center, multi-purpose rooms, senior activity space, indoor pool, kid zone, eSports center and more!

Want to stay updated on the WREC construction? You can watch it live at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/wreclivefeed](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/wreclivefeed). For more information on this project or to see a sneak peek inside the facility, visit our FAQ page at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/wrecfaqs](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/wrecfaqs). For regular project updates, connect with the City on social media @wentzvillemo.



1 WREC construction in June of 2021.



2 WREC completed facility design.



## Summer Traffic Concerns

During the summertime, Wentzville sees an increase in pedestrian traffic. With more people in their yards, riding their bikes and walking around their neighborhoods, it's a great time to remind residents about the importance of driver safety. Subdivisions that may be struggling with frequent speeding or reckless drivers can report traffic concerns to the Wentzville Police Department by emailing [TrafficOfficers@wentzvillemo.gov](mailto:TrafficOfficers@wentzvillemo.gov) or by calling (636) 639-7575. Please be sure to include your contact information so WPD Traffic Officers can follow up with you. We are excited to work together to resolve these traffic-related issues in our community!

## Labor Day Reminders

City Hall will be closed on Monday, Sept. 6 in observance of Labor Day. Progress Park Recreation Center and Wentzville Ice Arena will be open regular hours. To view recreation and aquatic facility schedules, please visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/rechours](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/rechours). Solid-waste collection will move one day forward during the week of Sept. 6. There will be no collection on Monday, Sept. 6. Monday's collection will move to Tuesday; Tuesday's collection will move to Wednesday and so forth, with Friday's collection taking place on Saturday, Sept. 11.

## Facade Improvement Grant Applications Open

Wentzville's Façade Improvement Grant summer application period is now open! Visit [www.wentzvillemo.gov/facadegrant](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/facadegrant) to complete your application by Aug. 31, 2021.

The purpose of this program is to permit and encourage the preservation of historic structures and avoid general neighborhood deterioration through renovation and restoration. This program is open to businesses and mixed-use buildings more than 50 years old that are located in the HD-1, HD-2 or HD-3 zoning districts. Residential structures are not eligible. Façade Improvement Grants are a 50-50 match for an amount not to exceed \$10,000, per project. A total of \$50,000 has been set aside for 2021 grants. Email [ecodev@wentzvillemo.gov](mailto:ecodev@wentzvillemo.gov) or call (636) 639-2015 to learn more about grant eligibility requirements.

## Citizen of the Year Nominations

Do you know someone who makes a difference in our community? Nominate them for Wentzville's Citizen of the Year Award! The Citizen Recognition Program acknowledges outstanding individuals and groups that make a significant contribution, a positive impact or an improvement to the quality of life for citizens in our community. Nominations are open year-round. Recognition categories include service, community spirit, volunteerism and more. Nomination forms and eligibility requirements are available at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/coty](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/coty). The Board of Aldermen will present the 2021 Citizen of the Year Award at a Board meeting in January 2022.

## WENTZVILLE'S FALL FESTIVAL

**SEPT. 17-18**  
On Main Street in  
Historic Downtown Wentzville

**Live Music**  
**Art & Craft Vendors**  
**Food & Beverage Vendors**  
**Beer, Wine & Food Festival**  
**And More!**

Learn more at [www.wentzvillemo.gov/fallfestival](http://www.wentzvillemo.gov/fallfestival)  
or contact Daniel Lewandowski at (636) 332-9236  
or [Daniel.Lewandowski@wentzvillemo.gov](mailto:Daniel.Lewandowski@wentzvillemo.gov).

**Wentzville**  
Parks & Recreation



## Music Lineup

**Friday, Sept. 17**

6-8 p.m. — BOOM

8:30-10:30 p.m. — Trilogy

**Saturday, Sept. 18**

Noon-2 p.m. — No Diggity

3-5 p.m. — A.D.D.

5:30-7:30 p.m. — Bullseye Womprats

8:30-10:30 p.m. — Wildfire



## Beer, Wine & Food Festival

Hosted by Wentzville's Rotary Club

**Saturday, Sept. 18**

**Noon-5 p.m.**