



Council Update – January 21

Community Affairs Department – Patty Storts, Director

Stop in sometime to say “hello” to our two newest team members at Town Hall. Chris Lewis and Ashanti Brown are covering evening and week end hours.

PROGRAMS

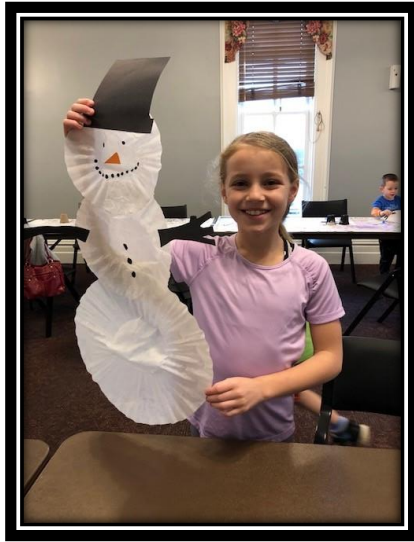
Town Hall **Coloring contest** winners met the Mayor and helped Santa light up Groveport during Heritage Holiday



Dept. 56 North Pole Village Christmas display – several classes from Groveport Elementary came to visit and participated in the Town Hall scavenger hunt!



Make Something Saturday, December 14th – Children painted a gingerbread house and made a snowman ornament



Funday Friday – Groveport students didn't have school so they attended an hour of fun crafts and games. (Painted leaves)



Winter Break – Groveport students didn't have school on January 3rd so they made 3 crafts and played a game.



SNACK COLLECTION

Town Hall has a very good working relationship with Groveport Elementary and we are always looking for ways to help them out when we can. Principal April Bray told us there is a need for snacks for children who sometimes do not have enough to eat. We collected snacks and gave them to Groveport Elementary to help with that need. We appreciate everyone and say Thank you to everyone who participated in this collection.

FARMERS MARKET

I received a call from Sam Sharkey the Market Manager who runs the Pearl Farmers Market in downtown Columbus on Tuesdays and Friday's. She is reaching out to other markets on Tuesday's to see if they would be interested in partnering with them to make it so some of the vendors who go to markets on Tuesday go to more than one market on Tuesday's to maximize their time and effort on all of their hard work. She knows of a few vendors who already do this and it would be advantageous for any interested vendor to have two selling opportunities and only have to leave the house once! I feel by partnering with smaller markets it could increase our vendor numbers which would hopefully increase foot traffic.



I have quite a few new ideas and themes that I would like to do this year to hopefully interest more foot traffic to Groveport Farmers Market. I will keep you updated.

2019 Performance Report
City of Groveport-Community Affairs

Adult Programs					Children Programs				Preschool Play Group			
Month	Programs Offered	Resident Count	Nonresident Count	Total Count	Number of Programs Offered	Resident Count	Nonresident Count	Total Participant Count	Programs Offered	Resident Count	Nonresident Count	Total Count
January	15	70	63	133	9	25	62	87	26	94	96	150
February	17	76	55	131	11	33	58	91	23	75	114	189
March	18	98	80	178	10	19	59	78	26	146	144	290
April	19	95	110	205	15	28	63	91	25	121	70	191
May	9	72	70	142	9	15	47	62	18	94	67	161
June	12	66	71	137	5	32	32	64	20	67	61	128
July	17	78	76	154	15	25	100	125	16	51	46	97
August	16	76	67	143	14	28	82	110	20	104	61	165
September	20	125	68	215	6	11	53	64	26	123	83	206
October	22	121	102	223	7	16	34	50	30	196	94	290
November	21	58	110	168	6	11	23	34	27	40	52	92
December	19	77	43	120	7	2	24	26	24	45	42	87

Town Hall-Room Rental				KidSpace-Room Rental			Special Events	Total Count	Nature Center			
Month	Resident	Non Resident	Total Count	Resident	Non Resident	Total Count			Programs offered	Resident Count	Non Resident Count	Total Count
January	561	0	561	191	0	191			0	0	0	0
February	434	44	478	205	0	205			1	13	0	13
March	1180	157	1265	404	64	468			0	0	0	0
April	949	25	974	312	62	374	Senior Prom/Princess Party	150	1	12	10	22
May	597	148	745	181	32	213	Columbus Symphony	32	0	0	0	0
June	531	262	793	288	111	399	Animals Park/Blood Drive	24	2			244
July	330	201	531	85	86	171						
August	340	148	488	136	66	202						
September	409	65	474	292	0	292	Blood Drive/Underground Railroad	122	2			122
October	216	90	306	288	56	344						
November	252	81	333	165	0	165						
December	444	25	469	272		272	Heritage Holiday	250				