

NOVEMBER

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Hastings Highlights

What's Happening.....



- 05 Monday - Library Board 4:30 PM
- 05 Monday - Planning Commission 7:00 PM
- 12 Monday - City Hall Closed - Veteran's Day**
- 13 Tuesday - City Council 7:00 PM
- 14 Wednesday - Cemetery Advisory Board 3:00 PM
- 15 Thursday - DDA 8:00 AM
- 15 Thursday - Cable Access 7:00 PM
- 19 Wednesday - JPA 5:30 PM (Rutland Twp. Hall)
- 20 Tuesday - ZBA 7:00 PM
- 21 Wednesday - Airport Commission 4:30 PM
- 21 Wednesday - JPC 5:30 PM (Rutland Twp. Hall)
- 22 Thursday - City Hall Closed - Thanksgiving Day**
- 23 Friday - City Hall Closed - Day After Thanksgiving**
- 26 Monday - City Council 7:00 PM
- 28 Thursday - LDFA/BRA 8:00 AM (Due to Thanksgiving).

FALL YARD DEBRIS PICKUP Department of Public Services

It's that time of year again! The City crews will start our annual compostable yard debris cleanup on October 29th. Since the leaves are slow to fall this year, we will start by picking up small brush and limbs. Please place your materials on the grassy area immediately behind the curb. Please do not place them in the street where they can create a traffic hazard.

We will begin picking up leaves as soon as the majority of them have fallen from the trees. We start leaf pickup as early as possible each year to try to get them all collected prior to the first snowfall. We will make additional passes through town to collect material if weather permits. But please get your leaves out by the street as soon as possible.

There will be an announcement on WBCH radio each weekday morning letting citizens know where the City work crews are located and which area they will be covering that day, as well as the tentative area crews will cover the next day.

Compostable Materials Site

The Compostable Materials Site, located at 1303 W. State Road, which accepts grass clippings, leaves, flowers, small limbs (under 3 inches in diameter), and brush. These materials must come from properties located within the City Limits. Compost Site Hours are:

- Monday: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.**
- Tuesday: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.**
- Wednesday: 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.**
- Thursday: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.**
- Friday: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.**
- First and Third Saturday: 7 a.m. - 11 a.m.**



Downtown Events

COMING SOON

Hastings Jingle & Mingle

Nov. 30 — Dec. 2

New Year's Eve Ball Drop

Dec. 31



www.DowntownHastings.com
www.HastingsMI.org



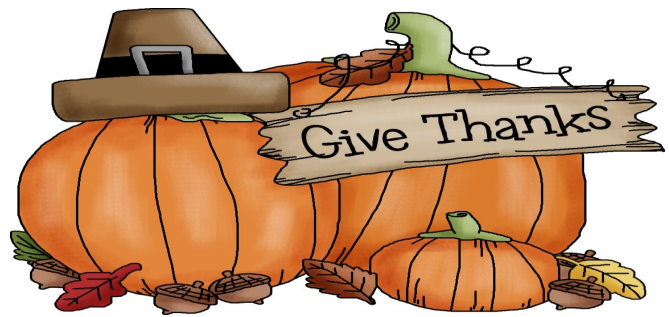
Permanent Polling Location
for the City of Hastings

Please Note: For all elections, registered voters in the City of Hastings will vote at the **First Baptist Church of Hastings, located at 309 East Woodlawn Avenue.** Please call Hastings City Hall at 269-945-2468 with any questions.



Jerald L. Czarnecki, City Clerk





The Department of Public Services

Will begin putting up Christmas Decorations beginning the first week of November in anticipation of the Christmas holiday season. Please be aware of their work to maintain the safety of yourself and the crews. Weather permitting they should finish by Thanksgiving weekend.



IMPORTANT NOTICE

FROM THE HASTINGS CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Starting **November 9th at 2:00 AM**, the Hastings Police Department will begin enforcing the 2-6 AM parking ordinance. Any vehicle parked upon the streets in the City of Hastings between the hours of 2:00 AM and 6:00 AM will be issued a parking citation. Any vehicle left upon the City Streets that is considered to be a potential hazard, because of road conditions may be towed at the owner's expense. Please keep in mind the enforcement of this ordinance is to allow the Department of Public Service Crew the ability to keep your streets clear of snow. If you should have any questions, please contact the **Hastings Police Department at (269)945-5744**. Below you will find the section of the ordinance covering the prohibition of parking during this time frame.

Sec. 78-63. - Parking of vehicles on city streets prohibited during certain hours.

(a) No vehicle shall be parked on any street in the city between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. (b) A person who violates this section shall be responsible for a parking violation, subject to payment of a civil fine as set forth in section 78-96.



The Hastings Police Department



Swim Lessons: Early November

*Kids Night Out: November 17

*Turkey Trot 5K Race, Wobble Before You Gobble: Thanksgiving Day, November 22, 2018

*Men's Basketball League: Starting the first week of December

*Y Mentors: High School mentors needed to help mentor Elementary students at one of our three locations, Delton, Hastings, Middleville.

*Y Mentors: Adult mentors needed to mentor Middle School and High School students at one of our three locations, Delton, Hastings, and Middleville.

Go to our website, www.ymcaofbarrycounty.org or call the office, 269-945-4574 for more information.



Upcoming November Events at Hastings Public Library

Featured Event: Looking for a place to hang out and have fun with your friends or family? Read, learn, and play during International Games Week. On November 10, the Hastings Public Library will host special game programs and events to celebrate our national love of video and board games. Our Dungeons & Dragons and Board Game Groups along with Small Town Computers are teaming up with the Library for "12 Hours of Gaming at the Library" on November 10 from 9am to 9pm!

Toddlers and Pre-Schoolers

Toddler Time for children 18 months to 4 years on Tuesdays at 10:30 am
Baby Café for mothers and babies on Thursdays from 10:00am-Noon
Pre-School Story Time for kids from 4 to 6 years on Fridays at 10:30 am

Kids Kindergarten through 12th Grade

11/19: LEGO Club from 4:00-5:00 pm *(Adults must be accompanied by a child)*

Teens

11/10: Celebrate International Games Week with "12 Hours of Gaming at the Library"! – 9am-9pm

11/10: Celebrate International Games Week with **NERF WARS** – 5:00 & 6:00pm (Reservation Required)

11/12&26: Creative Haven Writing Club on the Second & Fourth Mondays at 6:30pm

11/14: Teen Anime Group from 4:00-5:30pm

11/16: Teen Advisory Board from 1:00-2:00pm

Adults

Quilting Passions Crafting Club on **Mondays from 10am to 1pm**

Chess Club every **Tuesday** evening at 6:00pm

Mahjong Group is growing to every **Tuesday** at 5:30pm

11/6: Historical Society's How to Begin Your Family Tree for Beginners – 6:00pm

11/7: Lunch & Learn with the Attorney General's Office -Investment Fraud - learn the Fraud Warning Signs, recognize and avoid Affinity Fraud, and learn about Annuities and Reverse Mortgages.

Movie Memories and Milestones on Thursdays at 5:00 pm

November 1 : (1953) This movie is from the book War of the Worlds by H.G. Wells. A small town in California is attacked by Martians, beginning a worldwide invasion. This film won the Oscar for Best Effects, Special Effects.

November 8: (1943) an offering for Veterans Day, starring Claudette Colbert, Paulette Goddard, Virginia Lake. A group of nurses returning from the war in the Philippines recall their experiences in combat and in love.

November 15: (1950) starring Joan Crawford, Wendell Corey, Lucille Watson. Harriet Craig is a domineering woman who holds material values higher than any person in her life.

She is an equal opportunity hater who treats everyone, including her husband, with contempt.

November 29: (1946) starring Barbara Stanwyck, George Brent, Warner Anderson. A recent widow meets an Army Major while skiing and despite pressures from her family and friends becomes romantically involved with him.

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11/13: Novel Idea Book Group at 6:00pm discusses "UNSUB" by Meg Gardiner

11/19: Learning @ the Library : Sign Language at 6:00pm

11/20: Learning @ the Library : Sign Language at 11:30-1:00pm

11/22, 23 & 24: Library Closed for Thanksgiving

11/27: Genealogy Club on Tuesday at 6:00 pm

11/30: Start Christmas shopping with local artists at Jingle & Mingle's "ART @ The LIBRARY" – 5:00-7:00pm

For more information about all of our activities Visit our web page at <http://www.hastingspubliclibrary.org> – or -- Find us on Facebook at Hastings Public Library-MI – or -- Call us at (269) 945-4263.

