



# Celebrating 200 Years of History, Tradition and Progress

A Community of Character

## COMMUNITY OF CHARACTER WORDS OF THE MONTH

January – Integrity  
February – Honesty  
March – Perseverance

## DOWNTOWN EVENTS

### Ring of the Bells

January 1, Noon  
Near Curt's Clock,  
Public Square

### Diva Nights

January 21  
February 18  
March 17  
5 – 8pm

### St. Patrick's Day Parade

March 12, 11am

### CITY HALL CLOSED

January 1  
January 18  
February 15  
March 25

## MAYOR'S MESSAGE

**Happy New Year!** We celebrate another great year for Belleville. I extend my sincere thanks to everyone who volunteered this past year to help grow our city and for all the businesses who continue to invest in Belleville.

2016 will prove to be a very challenging and exciting year. Our new police station, located at 720 West Main Street, is expected to be finished by the end of June.

Much needed ADA (American with Disabilities Act) renovations of City Hall, including building and parking lot improvements will begin shortly thereafter. Future details about both of these projects will be included in our next issue of the city newsletter as well as on our city website.

Progress continues with construction of the development of land located directly across



Mark W. Eckert, Mayor

State Route 15 from the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows. Hofbräuhaus St. Louis-Belleville plans to open by late summer of 2016. Preparations are underway for up to four hotels, a convention center, several restaurants, convenience store, and a soccer/multi-sport complex and clubhouse. Follow the growth of this new, major development at [www.belleville.net/newdevelopments](http://www.belleville.net/newdevelopments).

Belleville is alive with promise and progress. Our dedicated and enthusiastic employees and volunteers work tirelessly to serve city residents and businesses. We look forward to serving you in 2016 and encourage your suggestions and comments at any time. Please feel free to contact me at (618) 233-6518, x1239.

May the new year bring you good health, happiness, peace, and prosperity.

## LIKE US ON FACEBOOK AND TWITTER

There are so many great things happening in our community. Visit the City of Belleville's official Facebook page, Welcome to Belleville, IL, and our Twitter page, Belleville\_IL, to stay informed. Please invite all of your friends to like us too!

## INSIDE THIS ISSUE

City Departments .....	2
Join the GPS Challenge .....	2
Thank You, Scouts.....	2
Skating on Thin Ice.....	2
Most Progressive City .....	3
Easter Egg-Stravaganza .....	3
Parents' Night Out .....	3
Library Trivia Night .....	3
Daddy Daughter Dance.....	4
Mayor's Prayer Breakfast.....	4
Plant a Tree .....	4
Snow Removal Procedures.....	4
American Legion Dinner.....	5
Ring in the New Year 2016 .....	5
Creating Community .....	5
Walnut Hill Cemetery.....	5
Neighborhood Watch .....	5
Yard Waste & Trash Pick-up.....	5
Parks & Recreation .....	6
Christmas Tree Recycling .....	7
In Memory of Janet K. Schmidt .....	7
Tell Us What You Think.....	7
Visit <a href="http://belleville.net">belleville.net</a> .....	7
New Businesses .....	7
Elected Officials.....	8

## CONTACT INFORMATION

**Switchboard**  
233-6810

**Cemetery**  
257-3330

**City Clerk**  
233-6518 x1210

**Community Development**  
233-6518 x2280

**Economic Development, Planning & Zoning**  
233-6518 x1250

**Engineering**  
233-6518 x4272

**Finance**  
233-6518 x1235

**Fire**  
234-2236 non-emergency

**Health, Housing & Building**  
233-6817

**Human Resources**  
233-6518 x2280

**Information Technology**  
233-6518, x1730

**Library Downtown**  
234-0441  
West Branch  
233-4366

**Maintenance of City Buildings**  
277-4965

**Marketing**  
233-6518 x1245

**Mayor**  
233-6518 x1239

**Parks & Recreation**  
233-1416  
Nichols Community Center  
277-9785

**Police**  
234-1212  
non-emergency

**Sanitation**  
233-6816

**Street**  
239-3454

**Treasurer**  
233-6518 x1241

**Wastewater or Sewer**  
233-7146

## JOIN THE GPS CHALLENGE

**Date:** Saturday March 19, 2016  
**Time:** 12:00 pm Check-In, 12:30 pm Start, 3:30 pm Finish  
**Cost:** \$20 per team  
**Location:** Start/End at Stone Lodge, 401 Bellevue Park Drive, Belleville, IL 62226  
**Min. /Max Teams:** Minimum 6, Maximum 20

Be a part of a real-world outdoor treasure hunt within the boundaries of Belleville where teams of two try to locate hidden containers, called Geocaches, using a Smartphone or GPS.

Each Geocache location will be given a point value based on the degree of difficulty to find, and each will have a challenge for which additional points can be earned for successfully completing the challenge. The team to return to home base with the most points before the time

limit expires is the winner. 1st and 2nd place prizes will be awarded. At least 1 person on each team must be 18 years or older.

For more information please call (618) 233-1416 or (618) 277-9785.



## THANK YOU, SCOUTS

The City of Belleville would like to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to the dedicated groups of Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts and their representatives for managing the displays of American Flags in our downtown area this past year.

This volunteer project they have taken on of putting up, taking down, and carefully storing and maintaining nearly 200 flags and poles with the proper respect and care they deserve is no easy task. The Scouts assemble to make sure the flags are displayed throughout the year for the annual Art on the Square Event, Memorial Day, Flag Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Patriot Day, Oktoberfest, and Veterans Day.

The groups that volunteered this year are:

- St. Mary Venturing Crew 3
- Cathedral Boy Scout Troop 11
- St. Theresa Boy Scout Troop 19
- St. Augustine Boy Scout Troop 24
- Whiteside Girl Scout Troop 92
- Henry Raab Girl Scout Troop 189
- Douglas Girl Scout Troop 269
- St. Theresa/Westhaven Girl Scout Troop 583
- St. Augustine Girl Scout Troop 1156

Thank you, Scouts, for your citizenship and service to our community.

## SKATING ON THIN ICE

Belleville has numerous wonderful gathering places throughout the City with scenic ponds and lakes, including South Side Park, Bellevue Park, and our newest park - Bicentennial Park, which are open for all to enjoy. But, BEWARE! During cold weather, these bodies of water can appear to be frozen when in fact, they are not safe for walking or playing on. All sources clearly state that ice is never 100 percent safe.

Ice strength is based on many factors, like thickness, temperature, and age. Moving water, snow cover, and fish activity reduce ice formation, making it even more dangerous. If you see anyone on the ice, tell them to carefully get back to shore. If they fall in, stay on the bank and call 911 immediately!

While some areas of the country have extended periods of freezing temperatures where lakes can

freeze and ice can form that is strong enough to support recreational activities, Belleville is not one of them. Swimming and ice skating are prohibited on all City owned ponds and lakes. Be safe, and STAY OFF THE ICE!



## BELLEVILLE NAMED A MOST PROGRESSIVE CITY

The City of Belleville has been selected by Ameren Illinois as a Most Progressive City for 2015. Belleville was selected in part based on the significant energy savings achieved by local businesses and residents over the last year. The Most Progressive City Award recognizes communities that exemplify a strong commitment to environmental stewardship. Belleville also received the award in 2014, but this is the first time residential energy savings have been factored into the award selection.

Between June 1, 2014 and May 31, 2015, Belleville business and residential customers completed 656 energy efficiency projects through Ameren Illinois' program. As a result, Belleville businesses and residents are saving more than 2.7 million kilowatt-hours of electricity and nearly 13,200 therms of natural gas every year. That's the equivalent to removing more than 4.3 million pounds of CO2 from the atmosphere or removing approximately 384 cars from the road.



## EASTER EGG-STRAVAGANZA

All kids, ages 1 – 7, are invited to our Annual Egg Hunt in Bellevue Park on Saturday, March 19, 2016. This event is open to the public and is co-sponsored by the Turkey Hill Grange. There will be free cookies and punch after the hunt. A "Special" Bunny may also make an appearance for photo opportunities. Mark your calendars and come join us for a great morning of fun with the kids.

Participants must be pre-registered by Monday, March 14, 2016. The event will take place, rain or shine. Call (618) 277-9785 for more information.



## PARENTS' NIGHT OUT

Are you feeling like it's time to get your social life back? What better way is there to do it than to let our reliable staff at the Nichols Community Center watch your kids while you spend the night "guilt-free"?

While your kids are playing games, meeting new friends, and enjoying pizza and drinks, you can catch a movie, enjoy a new restaurant, meet up with some friends, or spend a quiet evening at home.

**Age Limits:** Kids from 5 – 13 years old  
**Dates:** January 15, February 12 and March 4

**Times:** 5:30 – 8:30 PM

**Cost:** \$20 per child per night/\$10 for each additional child from the same household

Limited spots are available. For more information or to register, call (618) 277-9785



**Friends of the  
Belleville Public Library  
TRIVIA NIGHT  
Sat., Feb. 13, 2016**

Proceeds benefit the  
Children's Summer Reading Program

Master of Ceremonies:  
Roger Schlueter

**Place:** Althoff High Heritage Hall  
West Main St. at Frank Scott Parkway,  
Belleville

**Time:** 7:00 PM, Doors open at 6:30 PM

**Tickets:** \$12 per person  
Six to eight participants per table

**Reservations:** 277-7145  
Leave name and phone number for  
confirmation call-back

## DADDY DAUGHTER DANCE, SAT., MARCH 5, 2016



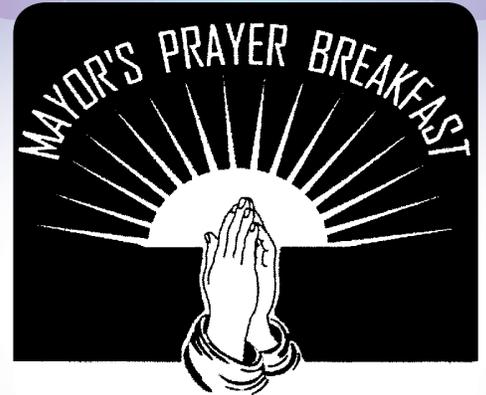
Spend a special night with your little princess. Enjoy a delicious pasta dinner while listening and dancing to music. Everyone will receive a “free” picture taken by a photographer, a rose, prizes/gifts and an evening to cherish forever. The 11th Annual Daddy Daughter Dance, sponsored by the Belleville Parks & Recreation Department, will be held on March 5, 2016 at Belleville West High School from 5 - 8:30 pm.

**Price:** \$35 per couple/\$15 each additional daughter

**Late Fee:** \$25 per person (begins 2/29/16)

Price includes pasta, salad, drinks, entertainment, photo and prizes. You must pre-register by calling (618) 277-9785 or (618) 233-1416. Don't delay. Only 500 reservations are accepted.

## SAVE THE DATE 51ST ANNUAL



**Wed., February 17, 2016  
7:30 – 9:00 AM  
Fischer's Restaurant**

For additional details, contact Carol Lengerman at (618) 233-6400.

## PLANT A TREE - REAP THE BENEFITS

The Parks and Recreation Department planted 24 trees this past fall varying from Shumard Oak to Bald Cypress. You might be surprised to know a few of the many benefits trees provide.

- Trees absorb carbon dioxide by removing and storing the carbon and releasing oxygen back into the air. In one year, an acre of mature trees can absorb the amount of CO2 produced when you drive your car 26,000 miles. That same acre of mature trees can produce enough oxygen for 18 people.

- Trees also help clean the air of pollutant gases including ammonia, sulfur dioxide, and nitrogen oxides.

- Trees can cool your home, street, and the City as a whole. Studies have shown trees can cool a city by as much as 10 degrees by shading homes and streets.

- Trees can also help to conserve energy by shading your home, save water by slowing evaporation from your lawn, and prevent water pollution by absorbing pollutants before they reach streams, rivers, and lakes.

- Trees also provide wood for paper, furniture, and even a heating source as well as provide food for humans and wildlife alike.

- Trees also provide an aesthetic value.

All it takes is one tree in your yard to start reaping these benefits, and more.



## CITY SNOW REMOVAL PROCEDURES

The Street Department tries to ensure that streets remain clear, however, residents are asked to do their part as well and to be aware of factors affecting snow removal.

Streets marked as snow routes need to be kept free of parked cars during inclement weather. When a significant accumulation of snow and ice is forecast, cars should be removed from all public streets so the snow/ice removal vehicles can maneuver safely. Where this is not possible, residents should park on only one side of the street. Keep in mind there needs to be at least a 12 foot clearance from side to side for a snow plow



to pass through. No one is to dispose of snow by transferring it to the roadway from private property; this includes parking lots and residential driveways.

Designated Snow Routes & Primary Routes will be cleared first, along with streets leading to hospitals, fire houses, the court house and the county jail. Area streets surrounding and leading to schools must be cleared for safety. If schools are cancelled, or inclement weather falls on weekends/holidays, these streets will be cleared in rotation for that region. Residential streets and subdivisions are cleared using a grid pattern.

## AMERICAN LEGION DINNER & SILENT AUCTION

**Date:** Saturday, January 23, 2016

**Location:** Scottish Rite Bodies, 1549 Frank Scott Parkway West, Belleville

**Time:** 5:00pm Cash Bar/ 6:15pm Dinner/ 7:30pm Program

**Tickets:** Adult - \$36, Youth \$16 (15 & under), 2014 Legion Players: FREE

Please join us for our 16th annual baseball banquet to celebrate the history and tradition of Hilgard baseball as we reminisce with teammates, coaches, and friends.

We will be inducting three new members into the Hilgard Hall of Fame this year: Scott Lanxon, 1977-1979, Doug McMorris, 1998-2000, and Eric Rohr, 2001-2003.

The current Belleville Hilgard Senior/Junior players will be announced and special awards will be presented. The awards include: John Schmidt "Good Guy" Award, Jr. Legion Player of the Year Award, Bob Groom Award, Al "Boots" Budde Pitcher of the Year Award, Hilgard Player of the Year Award, and Barney Elser Award.

Todd Eschman, Sports Editor from the Belleville News Democrat, will conduct a Q & A session with our MLB Hall of Famer Whitey Herzog, along with our local Hilgard Baseball Hall of Famer Dennis Schutzenhofer. Thanks to Whitey Herzog for his continued support of the City of Belleville and for helping to make our dream come true with our Whitey Herzog Baseball Field.

### Ring in the New Year 2016 with the City of Belleville

Friday, January 1, 2016 at Noon  
Belleville Illinois' Public Square at IL 159 and Main Streets  
Northeast Quadrant near Curt's Clock



Bring your bells... dinner bells, jingle bells, cow bells, hand bells... any bells that ring  
Everyone is welcome - Start a new family tradition  
Call (618) 233-6810 for details

## CREATING COMMUNITY THROUGH PEOPLE, PARKS, AND PROGRAMS

Parks and Recreation agencies provide many benefits for their communities. Here are nine ways our community benefits from Parks and Recreation in Belleville, Illinois.

1. Strengthens community image and sense of place
2. Supports economic development
3. Strengthens safety and security
4. Promotes health and wellness
5. Fosters human development
6. Increases cultural unity
7. Protects environmental resources
8. Facilitates community problem solving
9. Provides recreational experiences



## WALNUT HILL CEMETERY NEWS

The deadline for removing all decorations, including flowers, flags, etc., from gravesites at Walnut Hill Cemetery is March 11, 2016. Any decorations that are remaining after March 11

will be collected for disposal. Redecorating gravesites can resume on March 25, 2016. For more information, call (618) 257-3330.

### NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH:

If you are planning a Neighborhood Watch meeting and would like City representation from the Police, Fire, or Health & Housing Department, please contact Peggy in the City's Human Resources Department/Belleville Neighborhood Partnership Program at [peggyh@belleville.net](mailto:peggyh@belleville.net) or 233-6518, x2280



### YARD WASTE SCHEDULE

Yard waste will be picked up in the winter during the 2nd full week of January and February. Weekly pick-up of yard waste will resume during the first full week of March and will continue through the 2nd Friday in December, weather permitting.

### TRASH CANS

Trash cans up to 45 gallons in capacity must have handles and lids and weigh no more than 60 pounds when filled.

### TRASH SCHEDULE

The Sanitation Department does not operate on the following holidays:  
New Years Day  
M.L. King Day  
Presidents Day  
Memorial Day  
4th of July  
Labor Day  
Veterans Day  
Thanksgiving Day  
Christmas Day

### SUMMER SCHEDULE

Sanitation department hours are 6am - 2:30pm, May - September.

**IF YOUR PICK-UP DAY FALLS ON OR AFTER A HOLIDAY, YOUR PICK-UP FOR THAT WEEK WILL BE DELAYED BY ONE (1) DAY.**

The City offers a large item pick up on a daily basis for a minimum fee of \$45. To arrange for a pick up, call the Sanitation Department at 233-6816.

## PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES

### Special Events:

American Legion Dinner/Auction - January 23  
 Daddy Daughter Dance - March 5  
 Easter EGG-stravaganza Egg Hunt - FREE (ages 1-7) - March 19  
 GPS Challenge - March 19  
 Fishing Derby - FREE, May 7  
 Tour de Belleville Info Available - Ride is July 8

### Registration for Spring/Summer Baseball/Softball Leagues:

Men's & Co-Rec Summer Softball (Citizens Park)  
 Girl's ASA Softball (10u-18u) (Laderman/South Side Park)  
 Youth Baseball (age 5 through 12th grade)

### Program Registration:

#### Early Childhood/Youth:

Karate Class (PreK & K, 1st-4th grade)  
 Little Dribblers (ages 4-6)  
 Little Kickers (ages 3-5) (outdoor & indoor)  
 Little Sluggers T-Ball (ages 3-5) (outdoor)  
 Basketball Skills/Shooting Camp (2nd-6th grade)  
 Story Time School (ages 3-5)  
 Baby Fun Stories & More (ages Birth-3)  
 Kids in Action (ages 3-5)  
 Girls' Basketball (5th & 6th grade)  
 Parent's Night Out - Monthly (ages 5-13)  
 Cupcake & Cake Decorating (ages 12 and up)  
 Drawing Class (ages 7 and up)  
 Nerf Night (ages 5-13)  
 Elite FT Soccer Camp - Register now for June & July camps  
 Camp Quackers (K-6th grade) - Brochures available in March  
 Kiddie Camp (ages 3-5) Brochures available in March

#### Adults/Seniors:

Pinterest Craft Party-February 6 (ages 14 and up)  
 Day Trips  
 January 13 - Casino  
 February 17 - Wineries  
 March 16 - Shopping  
 Zumba (ages 14 & up)  
 Zumba Toning (ages 14 & up)  
 Cupcake & Cake Decorating (ages 12 and up)  
 Senior Aerobics (ages 55 & up)

### Nichols Community Center Programs:

We have highlighted a few of our new programs. For more information or to register, please call (618) 277-9785.

### Co-Rec Adult Dodgeball League

(ages 18 and up)  
 Teams will play 5 regular season games on Wednesday evenings, plus playoffs beginning in February.

### Upcoming Adult Day Trips

(ages 18 and up)  
 Jan. 13- Ameristar Casino, Feb. 17- St. Genevieve Winery Trip, March 16 - St. Charles Shopping Trip

### Pinterest Craft Party (ages 14 and up)

February 6  
 Test your crafty talents, while having fun socializing, and eating yummy snacks with friends.

### Little Dribblers (ages 4-6) Jan-April

This is a non-competitive approach to teaching safe, basic basketball fundamentals. The program includes 40 minutes of teaching skills followed by a 20 minute game to use their skills.

### Nerf Nights (ages 5 to 13)

Participants must provide Nerf Guns and Ammo. Pizza and drinks provided. Limited spots available. Pre-registration is required.

### Cake Decorating Class (ages 12 and up)

February 2 and 9  
 Learn the basics of cake decorating; how to level, ice, and smooth a cake, several border designs, line/writing, star tipping, and a floral design.

### Alphabet Academy (ages 3-5)

Alphabet Academy provides a socially rich environment that caters to the needs of children. We strive to promote independence and developmentally appropriate skills that will help to enhance the future of young, growing minds.

We focus on the individual needs of your child and create the opportunity to cultivate their learning, enhance character, instill social skills, form friendships, and discover new interests.

Requirements: Children must be 3 or 4 years of age on or before September 1, 2016. All children must be toilet trained. The Alphabet Academy accepts CHASI and offers Military discounts.

Age: 3 year olds  
 Dates: September 6, 2016 to May 25, 2017  
 Day: Tuesday(s) and Thursday(s)  
 Time: 9:00am to 1:00pm  
 Cost: \$40.00 Registration Fee  
 \$100.00 Monthly Fee  
 Age: 4 year olds  
 Dates: September 7, 2016 to May 26, 2017

Day: Monday(s), Wednesday(s) and Friday(s)  
 Time: 9:15am to 12:30pm  
 Cost: \$40.00 Registration Fee  
 \$110.00 Monthly Fee

Call (618) 277-9785 to schedule an appointment to view the Nichols Community Center and meet the friendly staff. Send inquiries to [alphabetacademy@hotmail.com](mailto:alphabetacademy@hotmail.com) for more information.

### 2016 Youth Baseball Registration

The Belleville Parks & Recreation Department baseball leagues will be taking registrations January through May for the T-Ball, Robot Jugs Pitching Machine League, Optimist Baseball League, Jr. Jaycee Travel Baseball League, and Jaycee Travel Baseball League. Early Bird Registration will take place in January, Regular Registration will be in February and March, and Late Registration will be in April and May. Please go to [www.belleville.net](http://www.belleville.net) for more information and a downloadable form, or call 233-1416 or 277-9785 for information. Register your entire team or individually.

### T-Ball, Robot (Pitching Machine) & Optimist Leagues

Early Bird Registration is \$70 in January, Regular Registration is \$80 in February and March, and Late Registration is \$90 in April and May.

### Jaycee Leagues

Early Bird Registration is \$80 in January, Regular Registration is \$90 in February and March, and Late Registration is \$100 in April and May.

### Leagues are as follows by birth date:

T-Ball League  
 September 1, 2008 - December 31, 2010  
 Robot League  
 September 1, 2006 - August 31, 2008  
 Optimist League  
 September 1, 2004 - August 31, 2006  
 Jr. Jaycee Travel League  
 September 1, 2001 - August 31, 2004  
 Jaycee Travel League  
 High School Freshman – Senior (year 2015-2016)

If you have questions about the registration dates and times, or if you are interested in coaching any of these leagues, please call 233-1416.

## CHRISTMAS TREE RECYCLING

The Parks & Recreation Department will accept "live" Christmas trees through January 31, 2016 at the following locations:

- Laderman Park – 1105 Mascoutah Avenue, Belleville, Illinois
- Bellevue Park – 401 Bellevue Park Drive, Belleville, Illinois
- North End Park – 1204 North Douglas, Belleville, Illinois

Please, no bags, ornaments or lights - RECYCLABLE TREES ONLY!



## TELL US WHAT YOU THINK

In October of last year, we expanded the City's Quarterly Newsletter by two additional pages so we can share more good news with you. The two pages were added at no additional cost, and since we changed to a more standard size of paper, the cost of printing is no more than it was for printing the tri-fold newsletter.

We hope you like the new magazine format with larger type, added pages, and full color layout. We would like to hear your comments on past and present articles, and any ideas you have for content. Please let us know what you think by contacting Sharon Strausbaugh, Marketing Manager, at [sstrausbaugh@belleville.net](mailto:sstrausbaugh@belleville.net) or (618) 233-6518, x1245.



In Memory of

*Janet K. Schmidt*

Ward 2 Alderman

May 1, 2013 – November 30, 2015

In grateful appreciation for her dedicated service as an elected official for the City of Belleville.

## VISIT WWW.BELLEVILLE.NET

Visit our city's website to see all of the great features it provides. From the home page, you'll have immediate access to these and much more...

- Drop Down menus including For Business, Residents, Government, Live Here and Visit Us
- News and a complete Calendar of meetings and events,
- Online Payments so you can pay sewer and trash bills online,
- Report A Concern form which allows you to report concerns any time of the day or night,

- Notify Me options to receive notifications about the City's Quarterly Newsletter, Bid Postings, Job Openings, and upcoming Events,
- a Search Bar to help you find what you are looking for,
- a Site Map that provides you with a list of all of the pages and sub-pages included on our site, and
- the Contact Us button that puts you in touch with city staff

We developed the site with you in mind and we welcome your feedback at [webmaster@belleville.net](mailto:webmaster@belleville.net).

## NEW BUSINESSES

### October

- **Belleville Area Special Services Cooperative (BASSC)**, 205 West B St.
- **Toots' Cake & Candy Supply**, 314 E. Main St. (relocation)
- **Authorized Service & Equipment Co.**, 1428 E. Main St.
- **Midwest Used Appliance & Repair**, 8 Wade Square
- **Stegmeyer & Stegmeyer Ltd.**, 7707 W. Main St., Ste. 4
- **Compassionate Resource Center**, 7605 W. Main St.
- **JC Auto Sales**, 3006 W. Main St.
- **Total Building Maintenance Inc.**, 4717 W. Main St.
- **Margarita's West**, 4817 W. Main St.

### November

- **Faith Family Life Church**, 7248 Westfield Plaza
- **HPJ Performance**, 2347 Old Collinsville Rd, F & E
- **Epilepsy Foundation of Greater Southern Illinois**, 3515 N. Belt West
- **Belleville Elite Dance Academy**, 300 W. Monroe
- **Allstate Agency**, 1030 Carlyle Ave.
- **Advanced Vision Care**, 3540 N. Belt West
- **KMOV-TV**, 27 E. Main St.

### December

- **Rapid Expressions**, 1401 W. Main St.
- **Gaslight Vinyl**, 1123 East B St.

**Elected Officials**  
Effective May 1, 2015  
**MAYOR**

Mark W. Eckert  
233-6518 x1239 (office)

**TREASURER**

Dean Hardt  
233-6518 x1240 (office)

**CITY CLERK**

Dallas B. Cook  
233-6518 x1227 (office)

**WARD 1**

Ken Kinsella  
234-0825  
Joe Hazel  
954-9105

**WARD 2**

Mike Buettner  
444-4692

TBA

**WARD 3**

Kent Randle  
239-9227  
Scott Tyler  
531-3287

**WARD 4**

Johnnie Anthony  
825-0660  
Raffi Ovian  
444-5171

**WARD 5**

Phillip Silsby  
257-1524  
Ed Dintelman  
277-9454

**WARD 6**

Paul Seibert  
233-3917  
Bob White  
558-7030

**WARD 7**

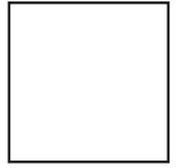
Trent Galetti  
(773) 742-5865  
Phil Elmore  
363-0016

**WARD 8**

James Musgrove  
233-3967  
Roger Wigginton  
581-0429



**CITY OF BELLEVILLE**  
101 S. Illinois St.  
Belleville, IL 62220



**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR!**

**FROM THE CITY OF BELLEVILLE**