THE BLUE LETTER



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July 3, 2025

Mayor Herbst & City Councilmembers:

Due the holiday weekend and our next Council meeting being on July 21, this week's Blue Letter is brief.

The City of Vandalia and Butler Township will present the Star-Spangled Celebration on Thursday, July 3 beginning at 6:00 p.m. at the Vandalia Sports Complex. The event is being sponsored by Beau Townsend Ford, Joseph Airport Toyota, Smedley's Chevrolet and Minster Bank with additional support from Digital Cowboy Computers, and Pickrel, Shaeffer & Ebeling. Entertainment will be provided by the band, "The Blue Leaf's." Fireworks by Rozzi's Famous Fireworks will start at 10:00 p.m. In case of rain, the fireworks will be held on Sunday, July 6 at 10:00 p.m. with fireworks only, no entertainment.

City offices will be closed on Friday, July 4^{th} in observance of Independence Day. The recreation center will close July 3 at 6:00 p.m. and will be open 7:00 a.m. to noon on July 4.

On Monday, July 7th at 3:50 pm, City Council will hold a Special Council meeting in the Justice Center Community Room, prior to the Council Retreat, for the purpose of appointing a member to the Vandalia Planning Commission.

On Monday, July 7th at 4 pm, Councilmembers and City Staff will meet to engage in dialogue about key topics and discuss future goals. The retreat will be held at the Justice Center Community Room and is open to the public.

Wishing everyone a safe and happy Independence Day!

Please contact me directly with comments and guestions.

Very Respectfully,

Kurt E. Althouse City Manager



CC: Board and Commission Members
All City Employees

Attachments:

1. 2025 Star Spangled Celebration



















Check out our patriotic play area for the kids! (Open 6-9 pm)

Musical Entertainment by THE BLUE LEAFS













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