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# City of Richmond

## COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

FALL/WINTER 2024

### CITY OF RICHMOND SOCIAL DISTRICT



The City of Richmond is excited to announce the launch of a new social district, offering residents and visitors a unique way to enjoy our vibrant downtown. The designated social district will allow for open-carry of alcoholic beverages in designated "Social District Cups" from participating establishments within the North Business District, creating a lively and engaging atmosphere.

Richmond currently has three participating establishments: Starr Craft Brewery, Commercial House and Maniaci's Banquet Center. We expect Ken's Country Kitchen to be joining shortly when their application is approved. These participating establishments will provide you with the approved cup filled with the alcoholic beverage of your choice.

So now during community events or while shopping in our downtown district, you can also enjoy a cold beverage. Please check with each business PRIOR to walking in with your beverage to ensure they allow them in their establishment.

#### THE RULES –

- Leaving the Social District with an alcoholic beverage is against state and local laws. The boundaries for the Social District are clearly marked by signs as you enter and exit. Look for the signs that mark the Social District boundaries or check the map below or on the city website by scanning the QR code on your Social District cup.
- You are **not** allowed to take drinks served at one location into a different bar or restaurant or into their outdoor seating area. Social District cups are not refillable and must be discarded before leaving the Social District.
- Please keep an eye on the time. The City of Richmond Social District can be enjoyed by adults 21 & over daily, from whenever the establishment opens until 11 p.m., seven days a week. Our establishments will stop serving Social District drinks at 10 p.m. to allow patrons the opportunity to finish their drinks by the 11 p.m. Social District closing.



**Richmond Social District Map**

Alcoholic beverages are only allowed within the red areas.

Commercial Area	Commercial House - 69294 N. Main Street
Qualified Licenses	Ken's Country Kitchen - 69232 N. Main Street
	Maniaci's Banquet Center - 69227 N. Main Street
	Starr Craft Brewery - 69209 N. Forest Street

Please treat others and businesses within our community with respect. Please drink responsibly. All State of Michigan and City of Richmond laws apply, including those prohibiting public intoxication, impaired driving, and serving alcohol to minors. And please, enjoy your time in the Social District. We look forward to your next visit!

### CITY OF RICHMOND

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RICHMOND, MI 48062  
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### CITY COUNCIL

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City Manager

## THE TOWN CLOCK TURNS 100!

On July 17, 2024, the City celebrated the 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday of our beloved Town Clock. The celebration was commemorated by a small ceremony held at the clock's location.

This event included a rendition of the song "The End of a Perfect Day", performed by Joe Agosta and Claire Manchik. This song was sung at the original dedication in 1924.



Pictured above (L to R): Tarah Weeks, Councilor Emily Allen, Councilor Jim Schultz, Councilor John Warn, State Representative Jaime Greene, Mayor Tim Rix, State Senator Dan Lauwers, Councilor Rob Reindel

Library Director, Julianne Kammer, presented the winners of the 2024 Town Clock coloring contest.

The reading of the poem "A Timely Gift"; read by Tarah Weeks, who is the Great Granddaughter of Elizabeth Weeks who danced at the original dedication in 1924. The poem was written by Nettie Ramsey for the Review in 1924.

State Representative Jaime Greene presented the City Council with a proclamation commemorating the event. Also in attendance at the ceremony was State Senator Dan Lauwers.

Desserts and refreshments were available for attendees to enjoy while viewing the display of Town Clock memorabilia.

## RVFD PANCAKE BREAKFAST & OPEN HOUSE



**Sunday, October 13, 2024**

Richmond Fire Hall • 69465 Main Street

**8am – 12pm  
PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

**12pm-3pm  
OPEN HOUSE**

### FREE LUNCH

- Hot Dog
- Chips

Pop/Water

- Bake Sale
- Obstacle Course
- Extraction Demonstration
- Fire Trucks on display

Other Family Activities

Macomb County Sheriff's Dept, the Richmond PD and the Richmond-Lenox EMS will also be onsite during this event

### AXE WILL BE THERE TOO!!

The RVFD recently added a new member, Axe, a Labrador Retriever. He will be used for search and rescue in missing persons cases in the Richmond area. Axe's ability to cover large areas efficiently makes him a vital asset to the RVFD in time-sensitive situations, increasing the chances of a quick and successful rescue. Axe has completed his training & graduated on Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>. He is ready to respond to missing persons incidents. Donations from the RVFD's Pancake Breakfast & Open House will go to help cover Axe's costs & equipment.



## YARD WASTE AND LEAF PICKUP

### Yard Waste:

- Curbside yard waste is collected on Mondays from April to November.
- Yard waste must be placed in yard waste bags or garbage cans (32 gallons or less).
- Garbage cans must be marked yard waste.



- Cans can be spray painted with a large "X", or "Yard Waste" stickers are available at City Hall.
- Each bag or can must be 50 lbs or less.
- A maximum of 10 bags or containers can be placed each week.
- Twigs, sticks, and branches 4' or less in length can be bundled with twine.
- Yard waste mixed with trash will not be accepted.



### Leaf Pickup:

- Place leaves in bags or approved containers.
- Please do not rake leaves into the street. The City does not own equipment intended for leaf collection.
- Property owners are responsible for maintaining the boulevard area between the curb and the sidewalk. This includes leaf removal.

Street sweepers are not design to pick up significant amounts of leaves. The leaves clog filters and screens, causing premature wear on the equipment.



**FINAL DAY FOR YARD WASTE PICK UP IN NOVEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup>**

# 2024 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION – STATE GENERAL



The State General Election will take place on **Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024**  
Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. at your designated polling location

**Precinct 1** (Voters that live NORTH of Division Road)  
36164 Festival Drive (inside the Community Center) at Beebe Park

**Precinct 2** (Voters that live SOUTH of Division Road)  
36725 Division Road (inside Council Chambers) at City Hall

Avoid the Lines!! Early voting is a convenient and flexible way to make your voice heard in elections. By voting early, you can avoid long lines that occur on Presidential Election Day and have the freedom to cast your ballot at a time that fits your schedule. Early voting helps reduce stress on polling places, making the process smoother for everyone, and ensures that your vote is counted even if something unexpected happens to your schedule on Election Day. Don't wait—make your vote count early!

**EARLY VOTING BEGINS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26<sup>TH</sup> THRU SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3<sup>RD</sup> FROM 8:30 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M. DAILY.**

All interested voters that wish to cast a ballot during Early Voting will vote at this location only:

**Early Voting Precinct (ALL VOTERS)** - 36725 Division Road (inside City Hall)

**Absentee Ballots** are now available for all registered Richmond residents. To request an absentee ballot, contact the Clerk for an application. Any registered voter is eligible to receive an Absentee Ballot (no reason necessary).

**NO MATTER HOW YOU CHOOSE TO CAST YOUR BALLOT, YOUR VOTE COUNTS!**

## SCARECROW DECORATING CONTEST

Interested in participating in Scarecrow Decorating Contest? Forms can be found on the City of Richmond website.



**Completed forms & \$10 fee are due by October 11<sup>th</sup>** and can be dropped off or mailed to Recreation Dept. at 36164 Festival Dr. Richmond, MI 48062 or can be emailed to [parksandrec@comcast.net](mailto:parksandrec@comcast.net).



City of Richmond Trick-or-Treating  
Thursday, October 31, 2024  
6-8pm

Siren will sound to signal the beginning & the end of this event

## NOTIFY ME

Sign up to receive important alerts from the City. The service is customizable to your interests and it's **FREE!**

- Go to the City website, scroll to the bottom & click the "**Subscribe to Notify Me**" link.

- Enter you email address and click "**Sign In**" to begin.

Follow the instructions to customize the communications to your interests.

**WINTER TAX BILLS  
WILL BE MAILED OUT & AVAILABLE ON  
THE CITY OF RICHMOND WEBSITE ON  
DECEMBER 1, 2024**

## CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSTALLATION/INSPECTION



It is with great pleasure that the Richmond Police Department announces a new program for the public. Detective Matthew Palmer has successfully passed the Child Passenger Safety Technician course.

Detective Palmer will be available to install and/or inspect already installed child safety seats by appointment. Contact Detective Palmer at (586) 727-4000 or via email at [mpalmer@richmondpolice.net](mailto:mpalmer@richmondpolice.net) to set up an appointment.

## RICHMOND RECEIVES GRANT FUNDING



The City is excited to announce that we recently received notification that we were awarded grant funding for two upcoming infrastructure projects.

First, U.S. Representative Lisa McClain secured over \$900,000 in federal funding through the EPA budget to replace the water main underneath Main Street from Division Road south to the CN Railroad Tracks. This water main is over 100 years old and its replacement will prevent future breaks and outages.

Second, the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) awarded Richmond a Transportation Economic Development Fund grant of \$250,000. The grant pays for 48% of the eligible road construction costs associated with the Oak and Priestap street reconstruction project next spring. The total project scope includes water and sewer work in addition to the reconstruction of the streets. Both projects are expected to begin in the spring of 2025.



## HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

### Santa Parade & Community Tree Lighting Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup>

- **2:00pm-7:00pm** - Kris Kringle Market at Maniaci's
  - **5:30pm** - Santa Parade begins. Christmas Carols at the Veterans Memorial pocket park.
  - **6:00pm** - Santa arrives. Little Miss Richmond lights the Community Christmas Tree
- After 6:00pm** - Christmas Cash Drawing. Pictures with Santa immediately following the Tree Lighting at Maniaci's (Digital photos \$6 each or take your own) Every Child who visits Santa will receive a small gift from Little Miss Richmond & her court.

## PARKING RESTRICTIONS

Just a reminder that there is No Overnight Parking on any curbed streets within the City of Richmond from December 1st through April 1st.

Cars should be off of the streets from 3 a.m. to 6 a.m. to allow for snowplows to clear the streets.



The no parking restriction is in accordance with Traffic Control Order No. 1-2020. Thank you for your cooperation. Residents are also encouraged to remove their vehicles from the public streets during any snow event to assist the DPW in clearing the streets. Your cooperation allows the streets to be cleared in a timely manner.

## REMEMBER TO SHOVEL YOUR SIDEWALK

The City Code requires that snow be removed from sidewalks within 12 hours following a snowstorm. With the cutbacks in school busing more children are walking to school. Shoveling your sidewalk will keep your children & grandchildren from having to walk in the street. We ask everyone to work together to keep our children & residents safe.

Plows will push snow into your driveway approaches, and in some areas, onto your sidewalks. This cannot be helped. Please do not shovel, push or blow snow from sidewalks & driveways into the travel portion of any street, doing so is a violation of the State Motor Vehicle Code & you may be cited and fined. Place the snow in the public median (between sidewalk & street) in a manner which does not block a sidewalk, obstruct vision, or create a hazard for vehicles. Along the Main Street business district, place the snow within 3-feet of the curb line. Please notify your snow removal company of this requirement.



## SANTA PARADE APPLICATIONS

Santa Parade applications are available at the Richmond Community Center or you can request an application by email: [parksandrec@comcast.net](mailto:parksandrec@comcast.net) or [richmondparade@comcast.net](mailto:richmondparade@comcast.net)



### GOLF CARTS ARE ALLOWED OUT PAST SUNSET FOR THE PARADE!

Santa Parade Applications will be mailed to all City of Richmond registered golf cart permit holders.



Shop at any of the participating businesses between Friday, November 29<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> to be entered into the Christmas Cash Drawing.

Your entry will be made with a purchase of \$10 or more at a participating business, with a maximum of 10 tickets per purchase/per visit /per store.

**The winning ticket will be drawn on Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 6pm at the Community Tree Lighting**

**ENTER FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN A CASH PRIZE OF \$500**

- First & Last Name and phone number must be listed on each ticket
- Must be 18 years or older to participate
- **MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN**

Tickets can be placed in designated boxes for the drawing at any participating businesses. A list of participating businesses will be posted to the City of Richmond website in mid-November.

## HOLIDAY EVENING IN THE VILLAGE

Saturday, December 7, 2024 • 3:30-5pm

Visit with Mrs. Claus in the historic barn, share a book & snacks in the Donley Cabin, join a sing-along in The School Section School. Smart bus transportation will be available to and from the Historic Village.



Visit the village, then hop on a bus to downtown for the tree lighting, parade, and a visit with Santa during Richmond's "Home for the Holidays" event.



# Lois Wagner Memorial Library

35200 Division Rd • Richmond, MI 48062  
Phone: (586) 727-2665 • Fax: (586) 727-3774

Website: <https://www.cityofrichmond.net/Library> • Email: [lwml@libcoop.net](mailto:lwml@libcoop.net)

Hours: Monday - Wednesday 9am - 7pm • Thursday - Friday 9am - 5pm • Saturday 10am - 2pm

## FALL BOOKS & MORE SALE!

October 16th-19th, 2024

**Wednesday 5-7pm**

(Early Bird night! \$5 to enter; free refreshments)

**Thu. & Fri. 9am-5pm**

**Saturday 10am-2pm**

(Bag Sale Day! \$3/bag)

At Lois Wagner Memorial Library • 35200 Division, Richmond

All profits benefit the Lois Wagner Memorial Library



## FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY CHRISTMAS COOKIE SALE

**Cookie Drop Off**

Lois Wagner Memorial Library

Thursday, 12/12 • 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Cookie Sale**

Library Meeting Room

Friday, 12/13 • 12:00 to 5:00 p.m.

**Bakers Needed!**



If you are interested in baking, please contact the library at (586) 727-2665 or sign up online at [www.cityofrichmond.net/library](http://www.cityofrichmond.net/library). Call to set up an alternative drop off time if needed!

*Allergen, gluten & sugar free items welcome!*

*All proceeds benefit the Library.*

## MITTEN TREE COLLECTION

November 1<sup>st</sup> – December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024



The library will be collecting new gloves, mittens, scarves & hats for both children and adults this holiday season. The items may be homemade or purchased, and can be brought to the library during operating hours beginning November 1st. Items will be distributed to local charities after collection.

## ALZHEIMER'S & DEMENTIA CLASS BY SENIOR HELPERS

Thursday, October 3rd, 2024 • 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Understand Alzheimer's and Dementia, track its progression, and utilize the Senior Gems system to assist in caring for your loved ones. No pre-registration is necessary.

## FALL PROGRAMS FOR KIDS

**Lapsit Plus: Ages 16-36 months**

Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

September 17th-October 8th

October 22nd-November 12th

**Preschool Storytime: Ages 3-5 years**

Thursdays at 10 a.m.

September 19th-October 3rd

October 24th-November 14th

## GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

Saturday, November 2nd

10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

The Joan Crawford Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be hosting a free genealogy workshop at the library-please bring any information you know about your ancestry. Pre-registration required; call the library at (586) 727-2665 or email [genealogyrocks1970@gmail.com](mailto:genealogyrocks1970@gmail.com) to register.

## OCTOBER PUZZLE COMPETITION

Saturday, October 26th, 2024

10 a.m. Check In, 10:15 a.m. Start

Library Meeting Room

\$5 per team

Teams of 2-4 contestants will put together a 500-piece puzzle alongside rival teams-the team that finishes first wins a prize! Light refreshments will be provided.

*Please pre-register for each competition by calling the library at (586) 727-2665. Spaces are very limited, so don't delay!*

## PETALS & PUMPKINS ADULT CRAFT NIGHT

Monday, October 7th, 2024

6:00 p.m.

All supplies are provided.

Call the library at (586) 727-2665 or stop at the Circulation Desk to pre-register.



# CITY OF RICHMOND

## SENIOR STRENGTH AND BALANCE

Thursdays, September 12<sup>th</sup> – October 17<sup>th</sup>  
10am – 11am  
Held at the Richmond Community Center

\$40 for the 6-Week Session or \$8 per class



Using equipment and body weight, you will strengthen muscle, keep bones dense and improve your balance, coordination and flexibility. This class is fun and always keeping you on your toes. Chairs are available to use during exercise.

## VOLUNTEER TODAY SENIORS NEED YOU!

### MEALS ON WHEELS

Deliver meals to homebound seniors. Shifts available Monday-Friday at lunchtime with a flexible schedule. Pickup locations near your home or work.

### HANDY HELPERS YARD CLEANUP

Help seniors by raking leaves, cleaning flower beds, window washing and trimming branches. You pick the date and people; we provide the tools. This is a great opportunity for corporate groups, youth groups and individuals.

### FRIENDLY CALLER

Volunteers call bi-weekly to check-in and have friendly conversation. Calls can be made from any location at your leisure. Our system keeps your phone number confidential.

### ADULT DAY CARE

Assist with fun activities and companionship for participants. No personal care. Shifts available daily Monday-Friday, one time a week from 10am – 2pm. Location in Clinton Township.

For more information about these programs call (586) 783-0958 or visit [macombgov.org/seniors](http://macombgov.org/seniors)

## TIVITY HEALTH/SILVER SNEAKERS



The Richmond parks and recreation Office is excited to announce that we are in the process of partnering with Tivity Health/Silver Sneakers. This means some of our programs will be FREE for those individuals who have this benefit. Some of our programs that will be included with the Tivity Health/Silver Sneakers benefit:

- Hall Walking
- Drop-in Pickleball
- Drop-in Adult Basketball
- Aqua Fit
- Senior Swim
- Lap Swim

## GENTLE YOGA

Mondays & Wednesdays • 6pm – 7pm  
Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday, December 11<sup>th</sup>  
Held at the Richmond Community Center

\$8 per class drop-in or purchase a  
6-Class punch card for \$40

Register now at the Community Center  
Call (586) 727-3064 for more information

\*no classes on October 9<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> and  
November 4<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>



## NU-FIT

Thursdays, September 12<sup>th</sup> – October 17<sup>th</sup>  
11:15am – 12pm

\$40 for the 6-Week Session Or \$8 per class

This new class is going to teach you about living a healthy, balanced lifestyle while also getting in a great FUNCTIONAL workout. Material and handouts are included.

## NO TRICKS, ONLY TREATS

THURSDAY, October 31<sup>st</sup> • 6:00-8:00 pm  
Richmond Fire Hall • 69465 Main Street



Kids, come join us for trick or treating and a chance to visit "The Count". The RVFD will provide treats and hot chocolate and for those interested, the Police Department will check candy throughout the event. Parking is available in the Municipal Parking Lot as well as spots along Main Street in the North Business District.

## HALL WALKING

Tuesday, Wednesdays and Thursdays  
6pm – 8pm

At Will L. Lee Elementary School

November 5, 2024 – April 10, 2025

Drop in Fee - \$1 per person  
Discount Punch Card - \$12 for 15 punches

The program is canceled on any days that the Richmond Community Schools cancel and on the following days:

- November 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>
- December 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup>
- January 1<sup>st</sup>
- February 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>
- March 6<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>



# PARKS & RECREATION



Christmas is right around the corner and it's almost time for area Children to write those letters to Santa!!

Letters can be placed in the RED mailbox located in the Veteran's Memorial pocket park,

by the Community Christmas Tree & Santa will mail or email your child a message!

If you wish to receive an emailed copy of the sample letter, please call the Recreation Dept at (586) 727-3064 or email Santa at [santa.richmond.office@gmail.com](mailto:santa.richmond.office@gmail.com)

## ETIQUETTE CLASS

Saturdays, October 5<sup>th</sup> – November 9<sup>th</sup>  
3-4pm at the Roosevelt Civic Auditorium  
\$150 • Ages 6-12

Give your child the gift of manners. Children will explore multiple facets of etiquette through reading and interactive class time. Hands on skills are taught, practiced and secured. Children learn to put into action different styles of communication, respect of self and others, eye contact and proper handshakes, "art of the party", phone skills, poise, and dining etiquette. Many game and activities included and so much more!!



Cost includes 6 hours of instruction, course book and link to dining etiquette video as a lifetime reference.

Pre-registration is required. Call the Parks & Rec Department at (586) 727-3064 or (586) 430-4950 to register today!

## PICKLEBALL

Drop-in Pickleball is available at the Aud  
Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9am-12pm  
\$4/visit • \$48 punch care available



There is only 1 net, so court is first come, first serve. Pickleballs and paddles are available for visitors to use.

# At the AUD

## ADULT DROP-IN BASKETBALL

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays of the Month  
6pm - 9pm  
\$4/visit • \$48 punch card (15 visits)



## DROP-IN PICKLEBALL

M/W/F • 9 am-12 pm  
\$4/visit • \$48 punch card (15 visits)  
Pickleballs and puddles available for use

## ETIQUETTE CLASS

Saturdays 10/5 – 11/9 • 3pm - 4 pm  
For ages 6-12 years old  
\$150

## EUCHRE @ THE AUD

Registration at 6:30pm • Play at 7pm  
\$15/person • \$.25/euchre  
Dates:



- October 18<sup>th</sup>
- November 15<sup>th</sup>
- January 17<sup>th</sup>
- February 22<sup>nd</sup>
- March 29<sup>th</sup>
- April 26<sup>th</sup>
- May 16<sup>th</sup>

**CHECK FOR UPDATES ON CURRENT & UPCOMING PROGRAMS ON THE CITY OF RICHMOND RECREATION DEPARTMENT FACEBOOK PAGE**

## RENT THE AUD!

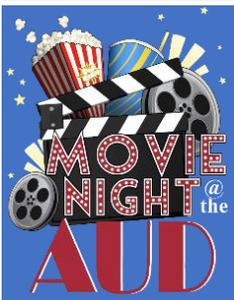
Host your next meeting, birthday party or special event at the Roosevelt Civic Auditorium! For rental information, please contact (586) 430-3950 or email [richmondrecreation.rca@gmail.com](mailto:richmondrecreation.rca@gmail.com).

## MOVIE NIGHT AT THE AUD

Join us for a Family Movie Night at the Roosevelt Civic Auditorium for the showing of

# THE SUPER MARIO BROS. MOVIE

Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup> • Doors open at 6:30pm



## DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN PAY YOUR TAXES & UTILITIES ONLINE?

You can use Credit or Debit cards with the Mastercard, Visa, Discover or American Express logos OR make Electronic Check payments online. The Electronic Check option requires inputting your routing number and either your savings or checking account number.

Convenience fees for these payment methods are as follows:

Credit or Debit Card - 3% of total amount, minimum of \$2

Online Electronic Check:

- \$3 flat fee for any amount UNDER \$10,000
- \$10 flat fee for any amount OVER \$10,000

If you would like to sign up for online bill pay or enroll in automatic payments (in which the City will debit your account directly eliminating a paper check being mailed by your bank), visit the City of Richmond website at [www.cityofrichmond.net](http://www.cityofrichmond.net), look for the "How Do I" heading and select "Pay...Utility Bills". If you have any questions, please call (586) 727-7571 and ask for the City Treasurer.

### IMPORTANT CITY CONTACTS

**POLICE & FIRE EMERGENCY.....CALL 911**

Police & Fire Non-Emergency.....727-4000

City Hall.....727-7571

City Clerk .....727-7571 x-204

City Assessor.....727-7571x-229

City Treasurer.....727-7571 X-208

City Planner.....727-7571 x-228

Dept. of Public Works.....727-7575

Parks & Recreation Dept.....727-3064

City Manager.....727-7571



### COMMUNITY WEBSITES

Richmond Community School District

<http://www.richmond.k12.mi.us/>

Richmond Community School Athletics

<https://websites.eventlink.com/s/rhsbluedevels/>

Richmond Area Historical and Genealogical Society

<https://richmondhistoricalsociety.org/>

Richmond Area Good Old Days Festival

<http://www.richmondgoodolddaysfestival.com/>

Richmond Community Theatre

[www.richmondcommunitytheatre.org](http://www.richmondcommunitytheatre.org)

Northern Macomb Regional Chamber of Commerce

<https://www.northernmacombcc.com/>



Oct 26 <sup>th</sup> - Nov 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Early In-Person Voting 8:30am-4:30pm
October 31 <sup>st</sup>	Halloween – No Tricks, Only Treats & Trick-or-Treating 6-8pm
November 5 <sup>th</sup>	Election Day – Polls Open 7am-8pm
<b>November 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>City Offices, Community Center &amp; Public Library closed for Veteran's Day</b>
November 26 <sup>th</sup>	Yard Waste Collection Ends
<b>November 28<sup>th</sup> &amp; 29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>City Offices, Community Center &amp; Public Library closed for Thanksgiving</b>
December 1 <sup>st</sup>	No Parking on Any Curbed Streets Begins (Cars should be off of the streets 3 am to 6 am)
December 7 <sup>th</sup>	Home for the Holidays Event – Santa Parade & Community Tree Lighting
December 23 <sup>rd</sup> - 25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>City Offices, Community Center &amp; Public Library closed for Christmas</b>
Dec 30 <sup>th</sup> – Jan 1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>City Offices, Community Center &amp; Public Library closed for New Years</b>



### HOUSE WATCH

The Richmond Police Department provides a house watch program to periodically check homes in the owner's absence. This program is intended for residents who will be away for 5 or more days. To participate, please submit a House Watch Form thru the City's website.