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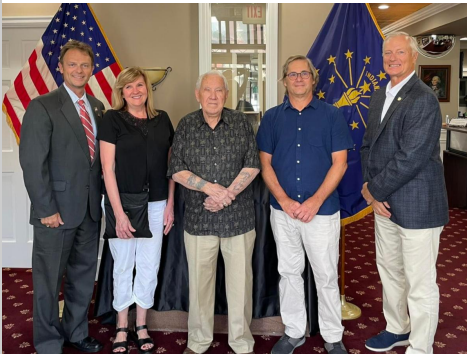
Honoring Heroes



John Menke Award

Earlier this month, Madison's Mayor Bob Courtney had the honor of presenting the 2022 Jon Menke award to Printis Shelton. The award is named after Jon Menke, who was killed while fighting for our country in Baghdad, Iraq. Each year, this award is given in his name to a local veteran.

"Nights like this are so moving as we reflect on the courageous efforts of the men and women who have sacrificed so much for our freedoms. Printis Shelton enlisted in the army at the young age of 17. One year later, he was sent to serve in Inchon, Korea. During his time he earned many medals for his service. Please join me in remembering Jon Menke and honoring Printis Shelton," said Madison's Mayor Bob Courtney.



[Watch the Ceremony](#)

Officer Recognition

In the July 5 City Council meeting, Police Chief John Wallace awarded officer Phillip Wimpee with a life-saving medal of honor in recognition of his response to an overdose victim. And during our July 19 meeting, several officers received the Life-Saving Medal of Honor for their role in the Walnut Street fire rescue. The MPD officers awarded include Ricky Harris, Kayla Taylor-Moore, Nichole Midgett, Kyle Cutshaw, Shawn Scudder, Jared Sweet, Cody Lewis, Jordan Perry, Phillip Wimpee, Josh Nolan, Kyle Potter, Wayne Phillips, Curtis Shelpman, and Bruce Heaton, in addition to Jefferson County Sheriff's Deputy Travis Conover.



Please join us in thanking these HEROES for their exemplary service to our community!

Madison Municipal Airport

Aviation Meeting

On July 21, Mayor Courtney had the pleasure of speaking at the Aviation Indiana Quarterly meeting. It was the perfect opportunity to share with people from all over the state what the airport is doing for our community.

The event saw just over 70 attendees that included individuals from INDOT, Aviation Engineer & Planners, and Airport Operators from all over Indiana. We were honored to host this year's event, and are proud of Madison Municipal Airport KIMS and all they do!

A big thanks to all of the presenters as well as airport staff that definitely made Madison look great!



Economic Redevelopment



Partnerships and meetings

The City of Madison was proud to host the Indiana Economic Development Board of Directors and Governor Holcomb at the Historic Eagle Cotton Mill Fairfield Inn and Conference Center on our Riverfront.

The Board Members enjoyed a tour and an up close view of the only community owned hydroplane in the world, Miss Madison/ Homestreet Bank. Members of the arts community (Madison Area Arts Alliance, Madison Music Movement) also met with IEDC staff to discuss the new Indiana Film and Music Tax credit to help spur economic investment.

Thank you to the Miss Madison Racing Team for all their investment in promoting our community!

The Shoppes...

Sunrise Crossing welcomed retailers; Hobby Lobby, 5 Below and T.J. Maxx, to our community during the groundbreaking event on July 12. This development marks the first of four phases planned for this project. We are excited to welcome these retailers to Madison and see how this space will continue to be developed!



A Note From the Mayor,

Looking back over the last month...

This month, Madison has seen a lot: from the roaring Regatta festivities, Hometown USA Parade, and Firework extravaganza the first weekend in July, to the Shoppes at Sunrise Crossing groundbreaking event and retailer unveiling, in addition to our parks sports leagues that are always running, it's been a whirlwind. When I stop and think of it all, I can't help but remember how much I love Madison and the people who call it home.

As the summer is coming to a close and school is starting back up, I'm excited about what the rest of the year will hold for us. Madison is such a unique community, and each season brings out new elements of what makes it so special.

There are so many things developing across our many departments, and I can't wait to share them with you as things progress.

Thank you for caring about Madison, for investing and believing in it. Together, we can keep bringing Madison the very best it deserves.



Parks Department Updates



Lykos Riverfront Dog Park

The dog park has a new and improved sign thanks to Alysa Stewart's wonderful design! Be sure to check it out the next time you and your furry friend stop by our free dog park for some sunshine, socialization, and exercise. We aim to continue keeping Madison clean, safe, and beautiful, one step at a time. To learn more about our dog park and other parks locations, visit our website!

[Website](#)

Fall Sports & Leagues

Youth sports for fall are now open for registration through the Madison Parks Department. This season's lineup includes Cheerleading, Volleyball, Tackle Football, and Flag Football.

Cheerleading registration is open until August 13 and is available for those entering k-6 grade, and volleyball registration is open until September 26 for those entering 4 and will close on September 23 and is available for those entering 4-6 grade.

Flag football has leagues for grades 1-6 and is open until September 1, and tackle football registration is closed.

To register and find more information on these programs, click the button below:

Register now!



Parks Map

The summer is the perfect time to visit our many parks around Madison! Did you know we have a google map that lists and marks each one? You can find it on our website or by using the button below!

From playgrounds, to the golf course, and shelter houses perfect for a picnic lunch, there is something for everyone. Enjoy the warm weather by visiting a Madison Park!



View the Map Here!



UPCOMING EVENTS



Join us for our monthly Mayor's Movies in the Park this summer! Movies will begin at sundown in Bicentennial Park. Click [HERE](#) to see our movies schedule for the season.

[Movie schedule](#)



We have two Food Truck Fridays left! Join us on August 26 for this paired event with our Movie in the Park showing of Jungle Cruise. Food vendors will be stationed around Bicentennial Park before the movie so you can walk around and get some food before the show.



Join the City of Madison Police Department and Fire Department for National Night Out on Tuesday, August 16 in Jaycee Park on Vaughn Drive! The event starts immediately following the city council meeting scheduled for 5:30 p.m.

[Event Details](#)



To learn more details and information about any City Hall event or operation, visit our website @ Madison-in.gov

We'll be back next month with more, so stay tuned!



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