



City of Strongsville News and Updates



Mayor Perciak will Address City March 18

Save the date — the mayor’s annual State of the City address is set to take place on Tuesday, March 18.

It starts at 11:30 a.m. at the Ehrnfelt Rec Center, 18100 Royalton Road.

Mayor Tom Perciak will talk about the city’s fiscal health, upcoming business growth and the other upcoming projects.

He delivers the speech during the Strongsville Chamber of Commerce’s monthly business luncheon. It usually sells out, so reserve a seat early at strongsvillechamber.com.

Concerts, Movies, More at Town Center this Year

The city’s brand new Town Center park will host some equally brand new events this year.

They include an Easter egg hunt and outdoor concerts.

The new venue will also allow the city to expand its outdoor family movie nights and offer a new home for Strongsville Community Band’s Summer series.

Here’s a rundown of upcoming events at Town Center:

April 12 — Easter Egg Hunt, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

June 13, June 27, July 3, July 11, July 18, Aug. 1, Aug 8 —



Strongsville Community Band concert at 7:30 p.m.

June 14 — Summer concert with Funkology, 6 p.m.

June 28 — Movie Night, “Inside Out 2”

July 12 — Summer Concert, Billy Joel/Elton John tribute, 6 p.m.

August 2 — Movie Night, ‘Despicable Me 2’

August 16 — Summer Concert featuring Disco Inferno, 6 p.m.

September 14 — Strongsville Arts Festival, 12-4 p.m.

Sept. 20 — Fall Concert, ESC4P3 - Journey Tribute

City Again Offering Discounted Street Trees to Residents

Strongsville will continue its street tree program this spring, offering residents a chance to have a new young tree planed on their tree lawn.

Deadline to purchase a tree is Feb. 14, or sooner if trees run out.



The program offers residents one 1 ¾” caliper tree planted in their tree lawn for \$155.

The planting will be done by city crews between March and May 2025.

To order a tree, visit strongsville.org and click the Keeping Strongsville Green tab, then choose the Trees page. Click the link to an online form where you can order and pay for a tree.

Save the Dates

- Strongsville Rotary Chili Open (County Fairgrounds) — **Feb. 22**
- Community Band concert (Middle School) — **March 2**
- Duck Race and Kids Fest (Metroparks Chalet) — **June 7**
- Strongsville City Club Rib Burn Off (Commons) — **June 19-21**
- Rib Burnoff Fireworks (Commons) — **June 20**
- Strongsville Homecoming (Commons) — **July 23-26**

Check Strongsville.org or cable TV channel 21 (Breezeline) or 1020 (Spectrum) for more.

Fire Department Offers CPR, First Aid Classes

Strongsville firefighters provide a number of CPR and first aid classes to the community.



The department, in partnership with Southwest General and the American Heart Association, offers three different types of CPR/AED First Aid training for residents, groups and businesses.

They range from a two-hours course for people who want to know CPR and basic first aid for personal use to classes for people who need life-saving training for their jobs. The courses also cover how to use an automated external defibrillator.

A schedule of classes is available at Strongsville.org. For more information, e-mail cpr@strongsville.org or call (440) 580-3269.



Request Public Records Online

The city of Strongsville is improving transparency by making public records more easily accessible to the public.

You can now submit Open Records Requests through an online form.

JustFOIA will help streamline requests. Visit records.strongsville.org.

Here's What's Going on at the Rec Center this Spring

Tickets are on sale now for the **Father-Daughter Dance**, set for Feb. 21 at 6:30 p.m.

Gentlemen can accompany the little girl in their life to the Rec for an evening of music, dancing and pizza. She'll also receive a carnation and keepsake photo. Tickets are \$10 for members, \$15 for non-member residents and \$20 for non-residents, and must be purchased in advance at the front desk.

On March 15, a **Kids Garage Sale** will take place, with tables of toys, clothes, small

furniture and accessories. Earlybird shopping starts at 9 a.m. for \$3 admission, or shop free from 10 a.m. to noon.

Easter Bunny is April 12. Kids can get a digital photo with the Bunny, make a craft and enjoy a treat. Tickets are pre-sale only at \$6 for members and \$10 for non-members.

Fun and Photos with the

Businesses on the Move

Shah's Halal Food has recently opened at 14228 Pearl Road. The franchise has more than 80 locations gyros, platters, sandwiches and sides. It's located next to Antonio's Pizzeria

Shawarma Station is now serving at 14492 Pearl Road, across from Taco Bell. It describes itself as a modern Mediterranean restaurant featuring fresh shawarma dishes.

Qdoba is planning to take over the former Robeks location on Royalton Road west of SouthPark Mall. It's a build-your-own style Mexican restaurant that features burritos, bowls and tacos with a variety of toppings and sauces.