



### Angel Tree Signup

This holiday season, Columbus families needing a little extra help with Christmas are invited to attend the Angel Tree Event, being held on Wednesday, December 15th at the Columbus Fire Department from 5-7 pm. Sign-up is required to attend the event, which will include a visit with Santa, gift, treat bags and a coloring contest. The event is open to children ages 10 & Under, who reside in Columbus City Limits.

Registration forms are available for pickup and must be returned by Wednesday, November 17th. Interested in adopting an angel this year? Contact Mindy at (620) 429-2159 extension 7.

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HOLIDAYS AND  
SHOP SMALL®**



### Small Business Saturday

Saturday, November 27th is Small Business Saturday! There are many ways you can help support our local Columbus businesses just in time for Christmas! Shop online or in store, purchase gift cards, dine-in or carry-out dinners, or by simply sharing information on social media. All of these things help local business thrive. Don't forget to #shopsmall this holiday season!

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**November 2021 Updates**



### Office Closed November 11th

In observance of Veteran's Day, City Offices will be closed on Thursday, November 11th. Garbage collection scheduled to run in Ward 4 on Thursday will be collected with Friday's route.



### Work Continues on High School Street

High School is open to thru traffic with paving, signing, striping/markings, curb and gutter, and sidewalks all completed. A retaining wall, grading of ditches and easements are being worked on with seeding to come once Winter is over. All water services in this area are on but further modifications to these lines/meter boxes will continue in the coming month. We hope you are as excited as we are at all the progress that has been made this far!



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## Thanksgiving Office Closures

In observance of Thanksgiving, Columbus City offices will be closed Thursday, November 25th and Friday, November 26th. Garbage collection scheduled to run in Wards 4 & 5 on Thursday and Friday will both run on Monday, November 30th.



## Join 4-H

4-H provides kids with community, mentors, and learning opportunities to develop the skills they need to create positive change in their lives and in their communities. If your child 5 or 6 years of age on January 1, 2022 they are eligible to sign up for Cloverbuds. Children ages 7 to 18 years of age are eligible to sign up for 4-H. To enroll today please visit, [www.v2.4honline.com](http://www.v2.4honline.com). For more information or assistance in getting your child enrolled please contact Valori Stone, Cherokee County 4-H agent at (620) 429-3849.



## Vote on November 2nd

Municipal elections will take place on Tuesday, November 2nd. The City has open seats for Mayor, Treasurer, City Council, and Hospital Board. Make your voice heard by coming out and voting, polls are open from 7 am-7pm at the Community Building.

## KLETC Graduate



We are proud to introduce the Columbus Police Department's newest Officer, Saul Farfan-Ulloa. Saul graduated Friday, October 22nd from the Kansas Law Enforcement Training Center in Hutchinson, Kansas as a member of the 284th Graduation Class. Join us in congratulating him on this achievement!



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