

# December, 2021

Williams County Board of Developmental Disabilities offers this calendar of events happening in our area throughout the month. We hope you will find many of these events of interest for you and your family and friends.

**\*\* Unless otherwise noted, these events are not WCBDD sponsored or supervised.\*\***

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Event Information</i>	<i>Cost</i>
Now thru 12/12	Varies by date/time	<b>"Christmas Story - the Musical" - Adrian, Croswell Theater, 129 E Maumee St.</b> "You'll shoot your eye out!" Ralphie and friends come to life on stage in this musical adaptation of the beloved 1983 film of the same name. Phone: 517-264-7469	Varies by seating
Now thru 12/19	Mon-Thurs 9am-5pm, Fri-Sat 9am-8pm, Sun 12pm-5pm	<b>Festival of Gingerbread - Ft. Wayne, IN</b> The History Center, 302 E Berry Street. Wheelchair accessible. <a href="https://fwhistorycenter.org/">https://fwhistorycenter.org/</a> Check their website for additional activities at festival and any additional costs for some activities.	\$6 adults, \$4 seniors and youth, 2 and under free
Now thru 12/31	6-10 PM	<b>Blue Jackets Fantasy of Lights - Ft. Wayne,</b> Franke Park, 2826 S Calhoun St. Phone: (260) 744-1900. Drive thru light event of 300,000 LED on 130 larger than life displays.	\$10/car \$20/van
Now thru 1/2/22	Tues-Sat 10am-5pm; Thurs 10am-8pm; Sun Noon-4pm	<b>Alpine Holiday Showcase - Ft. Wayne, IN,</b> Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory, 1100 S Calhoun St. Wheelchair accessible. Phone: 260-427-6440. Closed: Mondays, Christmas Day, and New Year's Day.	Adults: \$5 Children: \$3
Thru 12/31	Closes at: 9 PM; Last admission: 8 PM	<b>"Lights Before Christmas" - Toledo Zoo &amp; Aquarium, 2 Hippo Way.</b> You may reserve your time/date online to visit the event. Polar bears are off site at this time. Questions? 419-385-5721	\$20-23 per person unless member
Thru 12/31	6 - 9:00 PM Closed Mondays, & Christmas Eve/Day	<b>Shipshewana's Joy of Lights - Shipshewana, IN</b> This is a drive thru event of nearly a mile and a half of more than two million LED lights & displays. Tune radio to their Christmas broadcast.	\$20/car - may be purchased online
12/1/21 thru 2/9/22	6 - 7:00 PM	<b>SO Basketball Practice - Bryan High School,</b> unless otherwise noted, will remain on Wednesdays. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	
12/4	9 AM - 3 PM	<b>West Unity Omnibus Annual Craft Show - West Unity,</b> Kissell Bldg, 509 N Main St. Lunch Available.	Free Admission
12/3, 4 & 5	Friday: 5-9 PM Saturday: 10 A-5P Sunday: 11 A - 4 P	<b>Heralding the Holidays, 2021 - Toledo</b> Botanical Garden, 5403 Elmer Dr. Father Christmas will be there Friday evening. This will be a chance to purchase unique Christmas gift (glass, pottery, fiber art, garden club items). Food vendors will be available. For more info: 419.270.7500	Free Admission & Parking
12/3 & 4; 12/9, 10, & 11	7:30 PM	<b>"Murder at Rosie's Gin Joint" - Bryan,</b> Goldsmith Theater/Williams County Community Theater, 208 W Butler St. Event takes place in the Roaring 20's (1920's that is!) This is a family friendly event for the whole family. Call: 419.636.6400 to reserve your seats!	All Seats: \$12
12/4	9 AM - 1 PM	<b>Limitless Christmas - Paulding,</b> 900 W Caroline St. at We Are Limitless. There will be 20+ artisans and food vendors available.	

12/4	9 AM - 3 PM	<b>17th Annual Craft Show Fairview Elementary School - Sherwood</b> Corner of 127 & Blosser Road. Gym & hallways are filled with crafts & vendors.	Free Admission & Parking
12/4 & 12/11	9 AM - 12 PM	<b>"Make &amp; Take Terra Cotta Pot Art" - Soaring Arts, Napoleon, 119 W Washington St.</b> Children under 12 should be accompanied by an adult. <i>While supplies last!</i> Jen Nofziger will be on hand to help you create your work of art!	Free!
12/5	11 AM - 4 PM	<b>Christmas Village Craft Show - Ridgeville Corners, American Legion Post 454, S031 CR 19</b>	
12/6	5 - 6:00 PM	<b>"Fall Nutrition Program"</b> with Becky McGuire & Jodie Fredericks. December program will be held on zoom. Join Zoom Meeting at 5:00 PM <a href="https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0Wk2NFUHTm9DZz09">https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0Wk2NFUHTm9DZz09</a> Meeting ID: 924 0508 3659 Password: 182774	Free
12/6	6:30 PM	<b>SO Basketball Game Adults - Bryan YMCA, 1 Faber Drive.</b>	Free
12/7	4:00 PM	<b>SO Bowling - Bryan Lanes, 1307 W High St.</b> Contact Angela to pre-register or to cancel. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	\$2 - includes shoes
12/12	2:00 PM	<b>"Murder at Rosie's Gin Joint" - Bryan, Goldsmith Theater/Williams County Community Theater, 208 W Butler St.</b> Event takes place in the Roaring 20's (1920's that is!) This is a family friendly event for the whole family. Call: 419.636.6400 to reserve your seats!	All Seats: \$12
12/12	3:00 PM parking lot opens	<b>Fireworks - Christmas Cruise Thru - Hicksville, Defiance County Fairgrounds, 530 S Main St.</b> Parking lot will open 3-5:30 then close temporarily until 6:46 PM. All cars in parking lot will proceed through the light display after Fire Dept. gives all clear. Event will take place regardless of weather.	Not listed.
12/14		<b>Adult Christmas Event at the Montpelier Moose. Reservations due November 30 Please do not arrive before 5:45 PM!</b>	
12/15	7:30 PM	<b>"Million Dollar Quartet Christmas" - Broadway in Toledo, Stranahan Theater, 4645 Heatherdowns.</b> Follow along with the gang's usual antics as we journey through a story of Christmas past, present, and future. It's a jam packed evening of holiday hits and classic characters you won't want to miss! Call for ticket info: 419.381.8851 or email: <a href="mailto:boxoffice@stranahantheater.org">boxoffice@stranahantheater.org</a> <b>Masks will be required!</b>	Varies by seating
12/16 thru 12/19	Varies by date/time	<b>Disney on Ice Mickey &amp; Friends - Toledo, Huntington Center, 500 Jefferson Ave.</b> <a href="https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/">https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/</a> to order your tickets.	Varies by seating
12/17	7:00 PM	<b>Mannheim Steamroller Christmas - 35th Anniversary - Toledo, Stranahan Theater, 4645 Heatherdowns. Masks are required!</b>	Varies by seating
12/18	10:30-11:30 AM	<b>Meet Mrs. Claus - Montpelier Public Library, 216 E Main St., Mrs. Claus</b> will be in Santa's house to hear wishes and for photos.	
12/18	7:30 PM	<b>"Under the Streetlamp: Hip to the Holidays" - Adrian, Croswell Theater, 129 E. Maumee St.</b> Phone: 517-264-7469; email: <a href="mailto:office@croswell.org">office@croswell.org</a> for ticket information.	Varies by seating

12/19	7:00 PM	<b>First Baptist Church - Bryan</b> , 925 E Fountain Grove Dr. During the evening service, Mia Strayer will be playing her harp and singing Silent Night in English and Gaelic (Irish).	
12/20	5 - 6:00 PM	" <b>Fall Nutrition Program</b> " with Becky McGuire & Jodie Fredericks. December program will be held on zoom. Join Zoom Meeting at 5:00 PM <a href="https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0Wk2NFIHTm9DZz09">https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0Wk2NFIHTm9DZz09</a> Meeting ID: 924 0508 3659 Password: 182774	Free
12/20	6:00 PM - Away	<b>SO Basketball Game Both Teams - Defiance</b> Good Samaritan School, 195 Island Park Ave.	
12/21	4:00 PM	<b>SO Bowling - Bryan</b> Lanes, 1307 W High St. Contact Angela to pre-register or to cancel. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	\$2 - includes shoes
12/24 thru 01/02/22		<b>Williams County Board of DD</b> will be closed for the holidays	
12/25		<b>Merry Christmas!</b>	
12/27	7:00 PM	<b>Harlem Globe Trotters - Toledo</b> , Huntington Center, 500 Jefferson Ave. <a href="https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/">https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/</a> to order your tickets.	Varies by seating
12/28	5:30 PM	<b>December Birthday Celebration! Bryan</b> - The December Birthday event will be held at the Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St. We will have PIZZA & Pop - for a better idea on how many will be attending, contact Stacy at 419.485.8331 Ext. 1203 by December 21 with your favorite pizza topping to ensure enough food is order.	

# January, 2022

*Date                      Time    Event Information    Cost*

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*Happy New Year!*

1/3		<b>Williams Board of DD Office will be open</b>	
01/04 & 01/18	4:00 PM	<b>SO Bowling - Bryan</b> Lanes, 1307 W High St. Contact Angela to pre-register or to cancel. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	\$2 - includes shoes
1/4 thru 1/9	Varies by date	" <b>Come From Away</b> " - <b>Broadway in Toledo</b> , Stranahan Theater, 4645 Heatherdowns. The true story of 7000 stranded passengers and the small Newfoundland town that took them in. Call for ticket info: 419.381.8851 or email: <a href="mailto:boxoffice@stranahantheater.org">boxoffice@stranahantheater.org</a> <b>Masks will be required!</b>	Varies by seat
01/05 & 01/26/22	6 - 7:00 PM	<b>SO Basketball Practice - Bryan</b> High School, unless otherwise noted, will remain on Wednesdays. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	
1/10 - MONDAY	5:00 PM	<b>January Birthday Celebration - Bryan</b> , Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St., Join us as we celebrate those with January birthdays! <i>This is a change from past months! We will include the Nutrition Program! Contact Stacy: 419.485.8331 Ext. 1203 with name and contact info.</i>	
1/12	6:30 PM	<b>SO Basketball Game Adult Game - Holland, OH</b> , Proclaim FM Building, 7112 Angola Rd. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	

1/17		<b>Martin Luther King Day - Williams County Board of DD will be closed.</b>	
1/19	6:00 PM	<b>SO Basketball Game <i>Both Teams</i> - Napoleon</b> , Filling Home of Mercy, N-160, 7729 OH-108 (State Route) Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	
1/20	7:00 PM	<b>Reba - Live in Concert - Toledo</b> , Huntington Center, 500 Jefferson Ave. <a href="https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/">https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/</a> to order your tickets.	Varies by seat
1/24	5:00 PM	<b>Warm Up with Winter Nutrition! - Bryan</b> , Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St. Becky & Jodie, OSU Ext. will be offering a "Meatless Meal" option. <b>Contact Stacy: 419.485.8331 Ext. 1203 with name and contact info. Join Zoom Meeting at 5:00 PM</b> <a href="https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0WWk2NFhHTm9DZz09">https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0WWk2NFhHTm9DZz09</a> Meeting ID: 924 0508 3659 Password: 182774	
1/28 thru 2/6	Varies by date	<b>"Les Miserables, School Edition" - Adrian, Croswell</b> 129 E. Maumee St. Phone: 517-264-7469; email: office@croswell.org for ticket information. All actors are students of Michigan and NW Ohio.	Varies by seat
1/29	8:00 PM	<b>Alice Cooper - Stranahan Theater, Toledo.</b> 4645 Heatherdowns. For Ticket information: 419.381.8851 or email: boxoffice@stranahantheater.org <b>Masks will be required!</b>	Varies by seat
1/31	6:00 PM	<b>SO Basketball Game <i>Both Teams</i> - Bryan</b> , YMCA, 1 Faber Drive. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	

# February, 2022

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Event Information</i>	<i>Cost</i>
2/01 & 2/15	4:00 PM	<b>SO Bowling - Bryan</b> Lanes, 1307 W High St. Contact Angela to pre-register or to cancel. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	\$2 - includes shoes
2/1	Immediately Following Bowling	<b>Officers meeting for advocacy group - "A Community For a Purpose" (FKA: "Voices of the People) Alex, Chris G., Jeff, &amp; Jerry.</b>	
2/2 & 2/9	6:00 PM	<b>SO Basketball Practice - Bryan</b> , High School	
<b>2/7 MONDAY</b>	5:00 PM	<b>February Birthday Celebration - Bryan</b> , Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St., Join us as we celebrate those with February birthdays! This is a change from past months! We will include the Nutrition Program! Contact Stacy: 419.485.8331 Ext. 1203 with name and contact info.	
2/8	6:30 PM	<b>A Community For a Purpose (FKA: Voices of the People) Meeting - Bryan.</b> Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St. Reconnect with friends. Share ideas. Hear about upcoming meetings. Enjoy a snack!	
2/14		<b>Valentine's Day</b>	
2/17- 2/20	Varies by date	<b>"Waitress" - Stranahan Theater, Toledo</b> , 4645 Heatherdowns. Meet Jenna, a waitress and expert pie-maker who dreams of a way out of her small town and rocky marriage. Ticket information: 419.381.8851 or email: boxoffice@stranahantheater.org <b>Masks will be required!</b>	Varies by seating

2/19	7:30 PM	<b>"Classic Whitney: Alive!" - Adrian</b> , Croswell Theater 129 E. Maumee St. Phone: 517-264-7469; email: office@croswell.org for ticket information. One night only! It's more than just a tribute show ... it's a spectacular, roof-raising salute to one of pop music's greatest divas!	Varies by seating
2/21		<b>President's Day - Williams County Board of DD will be closed</b>	
2/24	7:00 PM	<b>Jeff Dunham "Seriously?" - Toledo</b> , Huntington Center, 500 Jefferson Ave. <a href="https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/">https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/</a> to order your tickets.	Varies by seating
2/28	5 - 6:00 pm	<b>Warm Up with Winter Nutrition! - Bryan</b> , Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St. Becky & Jodie, OSU Ext. will be offering a "Healthy Desserts" option. <b>Contact Stacy: 419.485.8331 Ext. 1203 with name and contact info.</b> Join Zoom Meeting at 5:00 PM <a href="https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0WwK2NFHHTm9DZz09">https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0WwK2NFHHTm9DZz09</a> Meeting ID: 924 0508 3659 Password: 182774	

# March, 2022

## March is recognized as DD Awareness Month

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3/1 & 3/15	4:00 PM	<b>SO Bowling - Bryan</b> Lanes, 1307 W High St. Contact Angela to pre-register or to cancel. Contact Angela Luke for questions: (567) 210-1020.	\$2 - includes shoes
3/1	Following Bowling	<b>Officers meeting for advocacy group - "A Community For a Purpose" (FKA: "Voices of the People) Alex, Chris G., Jeff, &amp; Jerry.</b>	
3/4 - 3/6	Varies by date	<b>"Mr. Popper's Penguins" - Adrian</b> , Croswell Theater 129 E. Maumee St. Phone: 517-264-7469; email: office@croswell.org for ticket information. <b>Saturday, March 5, 2:30 PM is a sensory-friendly production.</b>	Varies by seating
3/7	7:30 PM	<b>Black Market Trust - Bryan</b> , Arts & Education Auditorium, 120 S Beech St. Doors open 45 mins before concert begins. For tickets, contact: 419.636.3550. Mix in harmony with Rat Pack style and you have an award winning performance.	Cost not known
3/8	6:30 PM	<b>A Community For a Purpose (FKA: Voices of the People) Meeting - Bryan</b> . Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St. Reconnect with friends. Share ideas. Hear about upcoming meetings. Enjoy a snack!	
3/13		<b>Daylight Savings Time! - Don't forget to move your clocks one hour forward!</b>	
3/14	5 - 6:00 pm	<b>Warm Up with Winter Nutrition! - Bryan</b> , Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St. Becky & Jodie, OSU Ext. will be offering a "On the Go Snacks" option. <b>Contact Stacy: 419.485.8331 Ext. 1203 with name and contact info.</b> Join Zoom Meeting at 5:00 PM <a href="https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0WwK2NFHHTm9DZz09">https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0WwK2NFHHTm9DZz09</a> Meeting ID: 924 0508 3659 Password: 182774	

3/16	7:30 PM	<b>"The Simon &amp; Garfunkel Story" - Broadway in Toledo</b> , Stranahan Theater, 4645 Heatherdowns. NOTE: Simon & Garfunkel do NOT appear in the show. The show will have a live band, popular Simon & Garfunkel songs, videos, and photos. Call for ticket info: 419.381.8851 or email: <a href="mailto:boxoffice@stranahantheater.org">boxoffice@stranahantheater.org</a> <b>Masks will be required!</b>	Varies by seating
3/18 thru 3/20	Varies by date	<b>Monster Jam - Toledo</b> , Huntington Center, 500 Jefferson Ave., <a href="https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/">https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/</a> to order tickets.	
3/20		<b>First Day of Spring!</b>	
3/22	5:30 PM	<b>March Birthday Celebration</b> - Location to be announced. Each person will be responsible for their own transportation and expense.	
3/28	5 - 6:00 pm	<b>Warm Up with Winter Nutrition! - Bryan</b> , Williams County Annex, 1425 E High St. Becky & Jodie, OSU Ext. will be offering a "Quick Lunches" option. <b>Contact Stacy: 419.485.8331 Ext. 1203 with name and contact info.</b> Join Zoom Meeting at 5:00 PM <a href="https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0WWk2NFhHTm9DZz09">https://osu.zoom.us/j/92405083659?pwd=MnVRQWhNanRWM0R0WWk2NFhHTm9DZz09</a> Meeting ID: 924 0508 3659 Password: 182774	

## Additional Info:

	Sports, Music, Entertainment	<b>Huntington Center - Toledo</b> 500 Jefferson Ave. Events include Walleye Hockey, entertainment on ice, concerts. <a href="https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/">https://huntingtoncentertoledo.com/events/</a>	
	More than Books!	<b>Williams County Public Libraries (WCPL) - Bryan, Edon, Edgerton, West Unity, Stryker, Pioneer</b> Check the website of the Williams County Public Library or their Facebook page for events. The libraries have a lot of events each month.	
	Classes	<b>Just Be Original (JBO) Fine Arts Academy - Defiance</b> , 1500 N Clinton St. Phone: 419-438-5522. Email: <a href="mailto:justbeoriginalfineartsacademy@gmail.com">justbeoriginalfineartsacademy@gmail.com</a> <a href="https://www.justbeoriginal.com/">https://www.justbeoriginal.com/</a> JBO offers classes for parties, fundraisers, just for you. They say they offer something for everyone from 3 to 103 years of age.	
	Travel & Adventure	<b>Looking for places to visit or a vacation location? Check out:</b> <a href="https://www.onlyinyourstate.com/">https://www.onlyinyourstate.com/</a> Then look for the state of interest.	
	Events, Classes & Entertainment	<b>Sauder Village - Archbold</b> , 22611 State Route 2, Phone: 800-590-9755 <a href="https://saudervillage.org/">https://saudervillage.org/</a> Check Sauder Village for future events. All special events for December have been sold out!	
	Events & Entertainment	<b>Huber Opera House - Hicksville, OH</b> Check out the Huber of upcoming events! December has events all month long! <a href="http://www.https://huberoperahouse.org/">www.https://huberoperahouse.org/</a>	
	Entertainment, Dining, Hotel	<b>Blue Gate Theater - Shipshewana, IN</b> 105 E Middlebury St. Call: 260.768.4725 for ticket information and reservations. The Blue Gate offers events at the Theater and the new 1500 seat Performing Arts Center, 760 S Van Buren St. While there dine at the Blue Gate Restaurant. Not ready to return home? Stay at the Blue Gate Garden Inn, 800 S VanBuren St. To make reservations: 260.768.4725.	Ticket costs vary



	Shopping	<b>Soaring Arts Studio - Napoleon</b> , 119 W Washington St. Phone: 419.592.0535. Soaring Arts offers a variety of art mediums for sale. All made by individuals with disabilities.	Cost varies
	Sun, Wed, Thurs: 11-5; Fri, Sat: 11-8	<b>Toledo Museum of Art - Toledo</b> , 2445 Monroe St. Phone: 419.255.8000. Please note all visitors to the TMA are required to wear face coverings	Free to visit.
	Shopping or Classes	<b>Sunshine Studios - Maumee</b> , 305 Conant St. Phone: 419.891.8877. Check out Sunshine for shopping or classes <a href="https://www.sunshinestudio.org">https://www.sunshinestudio.org</a> . Classes are reasonably priced. Most classes are items in clay and will require a second trip to collect item. The shop offers many items made by area individuals.	
	Live Theater	<b>VanWert Civic Theater</b> - 118 S Race St. Box Office: 419-238-9689 Website: <a href="https://vwct.org/">https://vwct.org/</a>	

*You will not receive another calendar until April, 2022.*

*Thank You!*