



INK NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2020

Happy Thanksgiving!



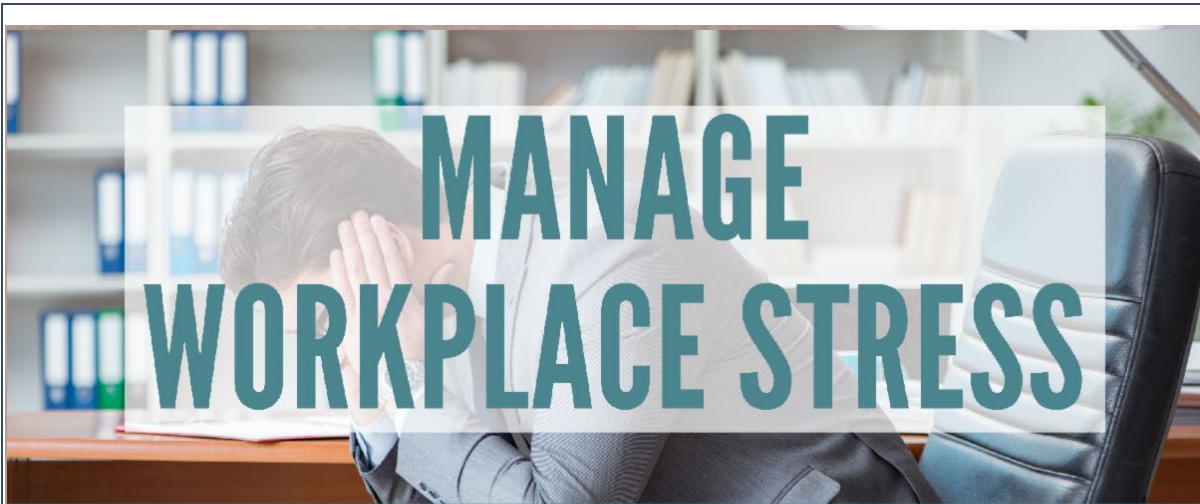
Honoring our Service Members & Families

TO OUR VETERANS, CURRENT SERVICE MEMBERS,
AND THEIR FAMILIES - THANK YOU!

MILITARY FAMILY APPRECIATION MONTH



NOVEMBER IS MILITARY FAMILY MONTH, A
TIME TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE TREMENDOUS
SACRIFICES OUR MILITARY FAMILIES MAKE
EVERY DAY. WHETHER IT'S SEPARATION
FROM LOVED ONES OR ADJUSTING TO NEW
LIVING SITUATIONS, THEY EMBODY THE
STRENGTH, RESILIENCE AND COURAGE THAT
ARE MODELS FOR US.



MANAGE WORKPLACE STRESS

- The list of stress factors in today's world grows longer every day. People react differently to living in this pressure cooker. Some become aggressive while others become passive or just shut down altogether.
- Regardless of the reaction, the results are the same – personal and organizational productivity grind to a halt, creativity dies, and momentum vanishes.
- Now you can do something about the destructive forces of stress in the workplace.
- Learn to assess your current reactions to stress so that you can stop worrying and start working up to your full potential.

EMPOWER YOURSELF TO

- Examine different types of stress and their impact
- Explore principles for handling stress more effectively
- Identify ways to convert common negative reactions into positive outlooks
- Develop strategies for managing stress with peers
- Focus your energies to be more productive

EMPLOYEE VIRTUAL TRAINING NOV. 23 - DEC. 11, 2020

**A SURVEY WILL BE SENT ON DEC 11TH TO
RECEIVE INCENTIVE CREDIT FOR
COMPLETING THIS TRAINING.
FOR QUESTIONS CONTACT
HRCOMMUNICATION@TOMPSC.COM**

Brought to you by the
Town of Mount Pleasant
and Dale Carnegie

[Click Here to View the Training](#)

Check Out the ERC's Holiday Happenings

Angel Tree

The ERC invites you to help the East Cooper Community Outreach Adopt a Family Program this year through our Angel Tree event.

Here's how it works:

Visit the digital gifting sign up sheet below. Purchase the item you signed up for and return the gift under the tree at Town Hall. All gifts must be unwrapped and placed under the tree by December 18.

For more information, contact Kate Dolan Miller at kmiller@tompsc.com



[Click Here to Participate in the Angel Tree](#)

SANTA PAWS IS COMING TO THE TOWN



The ERC invites you to help the Charleston Animal Society with Presents for Pets! Help local animals in need this holiday season by donating directly to their website, or donating items to the Presents for Pets bins at the locations below:

Town Hall lobby - Jones Center - Senior Center - Six Mile - Fire Stations #1-7

[Click Here to Donate to Presents for Pets](#)

WHO'S THE UGLIEST OF THEM ALL?

Wear your best/worst holiday sweater on December 18 and email a photo to Communications to enter the competition and win a prize!

**STAY TUNED FOR THE LINK AND
VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE SWEATER**



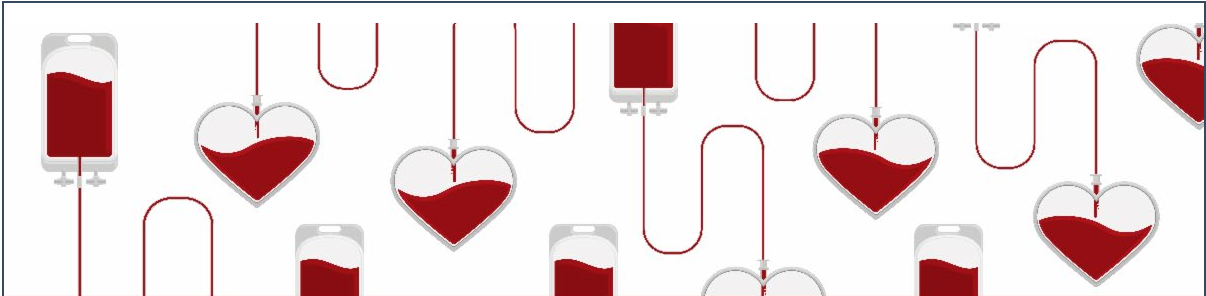
STAY TUNED FOR OUR

Holiday Decoration Contest

BEGINNING ON DECEMBER 1, EMAIL A PHOTO OF YOUR OFFICE, WORKSPACE, LOBBY OR DEPARTMENT TO COMMUNICATIONS. THE SUBMITTAL DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 18. ENTER ALONE OR AS A GROUP. A LINK WILL BE SENT TO YOU TO VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE.




Give the Gift of Life for the Holidays



sponsored by your
Employee Relations Committee:

**AMERICAN RED CROSS
BLOOD DRIVE**



December 2 | 8AM-3PM | Emergency Operations Center

All donations will be tested for COVID-19 antibodies. You will receive notification within 7-10 days of your antibody status.

Sign up at www.redcrossblood.org or Text BLOODAPP to 90999 to download the app
If you have questions or are interested in volunteering, contact Dana Henderson

See Who's Climbing the Leaderboard

IncentFit LEADERBOARD

IncentFit Winners (first to reach \$250)

Christiane Farrell
 Craig Oliverius
 Shelli Davis
 Alan Opachinski
 Matt Krasowski
 Dana Henderson
 Derek Russell

THROUGH 11/23/2020

1. Kathy Frame	\$235.00
2. Don Wollenbecker	\$231.00
3. Toni Herman	\$228.50
4. James Aton	\$223.50
5. Tim Haak	\$213.50
6. Hikeem Green	\$205.50
7. Eric DeMoura	\$205.50
8. Cathy Godsey	\$203.00
9. Kim Valentine	\$193.50
10. Brittany Brunson	\$187.50

DECEMBER

FITNESS SCHEDULE

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
5:00PM: STRENGTH TRAINING (KK)	4:45PM: ZUMBA (BF)	1:00PM: BARRE (CT)	6:30AM: BOOT CAMP (KK)	12:00PM: YOGA (CT)

Congratulations for Your Years of Service!



CONGRATULATIONS TO MPPD
VICTIMS ADVOCATE RUTH TOCCO

25 YEARS OF SERVICE

WITH THE TOWN OF MOUNT PLEASANT!





CONGRATULATIONS TO ADMIN SERVICES
ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN JEANNINE LAWITZKE ON

10 YEARS OF SERVICE

WITH THE TOWN OF MOUNT PLEASANT!



CONGRATULATIONS TO MPPD DET. STEPHANIE BUONO ON

5 YEARS OF SERVICE

WITH THE TOWN OF MOUNT PLEASANT!





CONGRATULATIONS TO MPPD PFC HOYT ROWELL ON
5 YEARS OF SERVICE
WITH THE TOWN OF MOUNT PLEASANT!



December Years of Service Candidates



KEVIN THOMPSON, POLICE DEPARTMENT - 5 YEARS
HENRY COBBS, PUBLIC SERVICES DEPARTMENT - 15 YEARS

CONGRATS TO THE ABOVE STAFF MEMBERS ON THEIR

YEARS OF SERVICE

WITH THE TOWN OF MOUNT PLEASANT!



Check Out The New Life Events Series

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LEVICA KIRVIN

COURT ADMINISTRATOR

RETIREMENT DATE: NOVEMBER 30, 2020

YEARS OF SERVICE: 32 YEARS

Favorite Moments

Meeting and working with the love of my life, Det. Charlie Kirvin. Time spent with my court family and helping others.

Pearls of Wisdom

Always smile and say hello to those you encounter daily. A little kindness goes a long way.

The Future

Spending time with my grandchildren.



YOUR EMPLOYEE RELATIONS COMMITTEE



Aaron Senter - Administrative Services

Lilia Montero - Court

Dana Henderson - General Government

Sean Harshaw - Fire

Kate Miller - Planning

Adam Willis - Police

Andrew Dolan - Public Services

Haley Vaughn - Recreation

David McLawhorn - Transportation



