



Veterans Day

Honoring Ohio's Heroes of World War II



Pictured are the crew of Thomas Griffin's plane. Griffin (furthest left) served as navigator during the Doolittle Raid in World War II.

On November 11th, across Ohio, families and communities come together to honor Veterans Day—a day that remembers the brave men and women who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces. Among Ohio's proudest moments is its deep connection to World War II, a time when thousands of its citizens answered the call to serve both at home and abroad.

During WWII, nearly 839,000 Ohioans enlisted or were drafted into military service. These individuals fought on battlefields across Europe and the Pacific, often under grueling conditions. Ohio became a vital hub for not just soldiers, but also for the manufacturing of military equipment. Cleveland's factories produced tanks, Akron's rubber companies supplied tires and military boots, and Dayton engineered precision instruments essential to aircraft. It was a state-wide effort that united everyone toward the common goal of victory.

One remarkable story is that of Major Thomas Griffin from Greenfield, Ohio.

Griffin was one of the brave Doolittle Raiders who carried out the daring bombing raid on Tokyo in April 1942. Against all odds, Griffin's crew navigated dangerous skies in B-29 bombers, becoming national heroes and a symbol of hope for a country struggling through the early days of the war.

Ohio's contributions didn't stop on the front lines. Women in the state also stepped up, working tirelessly in factories and hospitals while supporting war efforts through volunteerism. Rosie the Riveter—a national icon—was embodied by countless women across Ohio, symbolizing resilience and sacrifice.

Veterans Day is a powerful reminder of their dedication. Whether marching in parades, visiting memorials, or hearing veterans share their stories, Ohioans reflect on the legacy left by those who served in WWII. Their courage reminds us of the importance of service, gratitude, and the enduring power of unity, both then and today.

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Interesting Ohio History

Harvey Firestone of Columbiana, OH was an American businessman, and the founder of the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company, one of the first global makers of automobile tires. After graduating from Columbiana High School, Firestone worked for the Columbus Buggy Company in Columbus, Ohio before starting his own company in 1890, making rubber tires for carriages. In 1900 he soon saw the huge potential for marketing tires for automobiles and then founded the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company, a pioneer in the mass production of tires. Firestone, Henry Ford, and Thomas Edison were generally considered the three leaders in American industry at the time.

Spotlight September Winners:

**Bowling Green, OH
& Olive Branch, MS**

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Ohio Logistics Grows in Bowling Green, OH

With 83,000 sq. ft. Building Expansion



The BGSU Supply Chain curriculum is adding value to our BG location! This \$9,000,000 project is scheduled to be complete by April of 2025 and will increase the size of the existing building by 83,000 sq. ft. The facility will be used for general purpose warehousing and light assembly/manufacturing.

Chili Cook-Off



Building #1 in Fostoria has announced the winners of their 6th Annual Chili Cook-Off. 1st Place - **Anton Dixie**, 2nd Place - **Noah Lugibihl**, and 3rd Place - **Chuck Hackworth**. Congratulations to all!

STL Halloween



Instead of a summer picnic, STL decided to go with a Halloween party. It was a feast of delicious food, games and great prizes!

Congratulations!

Robert Browning, 5 Years





Perfect Attendance! Q3 Results Are In Three Month Perfect Attendance

Alastre De Colina, Rosa
Aldrich, Skylynn
Alvarez, Ramiro
Ardo, Joseph
Baker, Eric
Baldwin, Dakota
Beining, Michael
Bercaw, Tania
Blair, Timothy
Borer, Toby
Bozich, Brandon
Bracy, Matt
Bravo, David
Britner, Nathaniel
Brown, Brian
Brown, Michael
Browning, Robert
Bruce, David
Bryant, Nicole
Bryant, Kenton
Buck, Brett
Burdick, Becky
Burkholder, Shelby
Bush, Michael
Camacho, Richard
Caparulo, Frank
Carberry, Christina
Cavanaugh, Alexander
Cayanan, Justin
Centers, Levi
Chitwood, Judith
Christian, Phillip
Christian, Rachel
Christy, Robert
Chumley, Tiffani
Clagg, Kari
Clark, Angie
Clark, Quinton
Colina Atacho, Osmar
Colitti, Diane
Conn, Travis
Cooper, Gary
Couch, Jeremy
Craig, Jeffrey
Crispen, Scott
Crosset, Lois
Daniels, Jason
Darby, Bradley
DePue, Michael
Dillenbeck, Patrick

Dixie, Anton
Dodge, Jamie
Domyk, Anthony
Dorman, Randal
Duncan, Dewarn
Dunn, Andrew
Dunson, Derik
Durgin, Debra
Erway, Michael
Evans, Lee
Fankhauser, Lydia
Farr, Todd
Fausnaugh, Justin
Felts, Michael
Fenush, Thomas
Flaughner, Jack
Fleming, Aubrey
Folinsbee, Patrick
Ford, Austin
Ford, Alexander
Frasure, Michelle
Fruth, Andrew
Giometti, Richard
Girardi, Brian
Gleason, Matthew
Glover, Jhari
Gorvino, Christopher
Grady, Alexander
Gravatt, Michael
Griffin, Kaliyah
Hale, Charles
Hall, Zachariah
Hanley, Gerald
Hargraves, Alex
Harris, Brayden
Harroun, Parker
Haynes, Christine
Helms, Bryon
Hendrix, Austin
Henry, Julianne
Henry, Carol
Herman, Jacquelynn
Hiegel, Tyler
Hoffmann, Jonathan
Holguin, Sophia
Hutchings, BilliJo
Irwin, Rachel
Jamison, Andre
Jayne, Justin
Jochem, Richard

Johnson, Eric
Jones, James
Jones, Christopher
Keegan, Toby
Keeney, Eugene
Kelly, Emmett
Kirkendall, Travis
Knox, Eric
Koch, Casey
Koch, Dale
Koehler, Paul
Lane, Russell
Lathrop, Richard
Lattimer, Ricky
Leckey, Amanda
Lenartavage, David
Lewis, Dominique
Long, JoLynn
Lopez, Hector
Mann, Michael
Mason, Paul
McConnell, Kenneth
McGill, Timothy
McGuire, Kaiya
McHale, Ann
Miguel, Luis
Milazzo, Kenneth
Miller, Ryan
Miller, Jesse
Mitchell, Charles
Moore, Isaac
Mosher, Harold
Myers, Diana
Nelson, Jamie
Nguyen, Leann
Opp, Jayson
Osborne, David
Parker, Steven
Peters, Bridget
Petran, Bryon
Plew, Scott
Polta, Larry
Potts, Scott
Quiroz, Jose
Randall, Bert
Randall, Micah
Rangel, Lindsay
Reese, Dainein
Reffitt, David
Rehkopf, Dustin

Ritter, Amanda
Rivers, Michael
Roberts, Timothy
Robinson, Dallas
Robinson, James
Robson, Catherine
Rohalla, Joseph
Rose, Dakota
Rudecki, Jill
Rutherford, Scott
Salons, Santro
Schmitz, Peggy
Schnipelsky, William
Shaferly, Hannah
Smith, Hannah
Spradlein, Wendell
Spro, Michael
Starace, Timothy
Staup, Michael
Steensen, Dakota
Stevens, Ashley
Storck, Kevin
Strader, John
Straub, Hunter
Strong, Shane
Suber, Robert
Sullen, Malcolm
Suman, Cody
Sutton, Dakota
Taft, Christine
Taylor, Patrick
Taylor, Michael
Taylor, Sidney
Thomas, Mark
Tice, Daved
Tompkins, Deidra
VanDusen, Tim
VonNeida, Evan
VonRapacki, Carl
VonRapacki, Allen
Ware, Kerry
Watkins, Robert
Wetzel, Jena
Whitford, Seth
Wiener, Pauletta
Williamson, Jenice
Wolfe, Rick
Wood, John
Woodard, Lawrence
Youngman, Phillip

Test Your Logistics IQ:

1) Global Tracking Identification Number or Global Trade Item Number. GTIN is the globally-unique EAN.UCC System identification number, or key, used for trade items (products and services). It's used for uniquely identifying trade items (products and services) sold, delivered, warehoused, and billed throughout the retail and commercial distribution channels. Unlike a UPC number, which only provides information specific to a group of products, the GTIN gives each product its own specific identifying number, giving greater accuracy in tracking.



2) Total cost of a computer asset throughout its life cycle, from acquisition to disposal. TCO is the combined hard and soft costs of owning networked information assets. "Hard" costs include items such as the purchase price of the asset, implementation fees, upgrades, maintenance, contracts, support contracts, disposal costs, and license fees that may or may not be up-front or charged annually. These costs are considered "hard costs" because they are tangible and easily accounted for.



November Dates of Importance:

November 3 - Daylight Savings Ends
November 5 - Election Day
November 11 - Veterans Day
November 19 - Gettysburg Address, 1863
November 22 - JFK Assassinated, 1963
November 28 - Thanksgiving
November 29 - Black Friday

Answers to "Test Your Logistics IQ"

2. Total Cost of Ownership
1. GTIN

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Tech Talk *By Ohio Logistics' IT Manager, Mike Spradlin*

Welcome to "Tech Talk," your inside source for all things IT. Hard to believe it's November already and Christmas will be here before we know it. This year, the technology industry is going all out. Particularly in the realms of artificial intelligence, foldable technology, and wearable health. One standout trend is the wave of AI-powered personal assistants. These devices, such as Meta's new smart glasses and upgraded Amazon Echo units, offer more intuitive interactions through conversational AI. Foldable devices are now a thing; Samsung, Google, and Motorola are delivering foldable smartphones and tab-

lets with seamless displays. For health and wellness, wearables like the Apple Watch and Oura Ring have evolved from basic fitness tracking to advanced biometric monitoring, including real-time blood oxygen levels and AI-assisted sleep diagnostics. So, if you have a "techy" in the family, you might want to check these out.

Did you know? The 2023 holiday spend for Americans was \$957 billion.

Fact: The first electric Christmas lights were released in 1882.



Meet Charlene Clifton

Charlene is a one-year Associate and part of the HR team in our corporate office. Read below to learn more about Charlene.



OL: Tell us about your family.

Charlene: My husband Carlton and I will be married 35 years this December 30th. We have two adult children and two grandchildren (under the age of two). I love my new role as a grandma!

OL: What do you like most about your job?

Charlene: I get to meet so many of our Associates face to face and help them with benefits and payroll questions.

OL: What is your favorite home cooked meal?

Charlene: My husband's meatloaf with mashed potatoes and fresh green beans. Yum!

OL: Destination of choice within five hours of home?

Charlene: I could use some suggestions on this, as I have been in Texas for the last 20+ years. I do enjoy going to Pokagon State Park in Angola, IN for our annual family reunion. It's a beautiful place with a lake, hiking, fishing, and Potawatomi Inn.

OL: Favorite childhood memories?

Charlene: The week at the lake! My grandparents would rent a cottage on the lake for a week each summer. My Mom's side of the family would come and stay. We swam, fished, hiked, canoed, made s'mores, played games into the night, and drove the neighbors crazy with our noise!

OL: Best advice ever received?

Charlene: There is a lot of wisdom in the book "Only Love Today" by Rachel Macy Stafford. It puts family life into perspective. It's funny, thoughtful and inspiring!



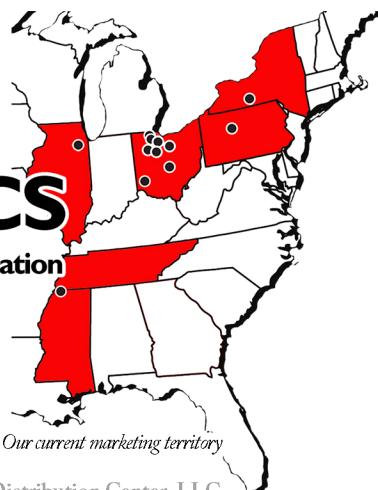
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"The opinion of 10,000 men is of no value if none of them know anything about the subject."

- Marcus Aurelius -

Happy Birthday To You!

OL Ohio

Venessa Beach 11/25
 Tiffani Chumley 11/27
 Alexander Ford 11/22
 Lannay Holmes 11/2
 Brandon Humm 11/25
 Charles Jordan 11/20
 Kyle Kramer 11/13
 Missy Kroeger 11/17
 Russell Lane 11/4
 Kenneth McConnell 11/13
 Kaiya McGuire 11/15
 Charles Mitchell 11/14
 David Osborne 11/11
 Josh Piercefield 11/20
 Micah Randall 11/8
 Andrew Sorg 11/10
 Michael Staup 11/21
 Elizabeth Walter 11/11
 Anthony Weaver 11/2
 Rita Williams 11/7
 Jason Young 11/17

OL Southern Tier Div.

Damien Briggs 11/3
 Nicole Bryant 11/9
 Misty Carey 11/27
 Frank Cramer 11/26
 Debra Durgin 11/5
 Richard Lathrop 11/24
 Steven Parker 11/25
 Dakota Sutton 11/13
 Brian Williams 11/30

It's Your Anniversary!

OL Ohio

Thomas Adams 2 Years
 Timothy Blair 5 Years
 Emily Brose 7 Years
 Shelby Burkholder 1 Year
 Anton Dixie 1 Year
 Tonia Dukes 1 Year
 Lee Evans 1 Year
 Michael Felts 5 Years
 Christopher Floyd 1 Year
 Jesus Gallegos 1 Year
 Jacquelynn Herman 1 Year
 Heather Huether 4 Years
 Barb Krout 6 Years
 Corina Lee 5 Years
 Scott Plew 1 Year
 Lindsay Rangel 5 Years
 Dallas Robinson 5 Years
 James Robinson 5 Years
 Greg Simon 8 Years
 Kevin Storck 5 Years
 Tayler Timler 5 Years
 Kerry Ware 1 Year
 Rick Wolfe 5 Years

OL Southern Tier Div.

Nicole Bryant 4 Years
 Gary Cooper 5 Years
 Michael Harding 2 Years
 Eric Knox 3 Years
 Dennis Mack 5 Years
 Christina Marvin 3 Years
 Rebecca Morseman 3 Years
 Evan VonNeida 1 Year

OL Penn Centre Div.
 Todd Bennett 9 Years

OL Olive Branch Div.
 Kaliyah Griffin 6 Years

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