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NEWCOMERS INVITED TO CONNECT AND EXPLORE

Live Muscatine Welcome Orientation offers opportunity to discover Muscatine

MUSCATINE, Iowa - Are you new to Muscatine and eager to immerse yourself in the community that surrounds you? Look no further than the Live Muscatine orientation. This welcoming gathering offers newcomers the perfect opportunity to connect with fellow residents and uncover the hidden gems that make Muscatine truly special.

The orientation will be held from 12-1 p.m. on Wednesday, March 27, in the Howe Conference Room at The Muscatine Community YMCA. Attendees will be treated to a light meal, fostering an atmosphere of warmth as they embark on their journey to become integral parts of the community.

"Transitioning to a new city involves more than just finding a place to live and going about your daily routines," Megan Francis, a member of the Live Muscatine committee, said. "It's about embracing the community, understanding its history, and tapping into resources available. With Live Muscatine, we aim to provide newcomers with the tools and knowledge they need to truly make Muscatine their home."

Attendees can expect an interactive presentation where they can engage with fellow



New here? Recently moved in the past year or two?

The Live Muscatine Welcome Orientation connects new & prospective residents with Muscatine's rich history, culture, and community resources. Learn about Muscatine, network, and enjoy a light meal. Join us at one of our upcoming events!

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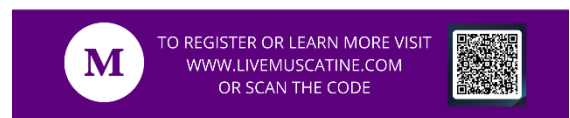
12:00PM-1:00PM

5:30PM-6:30PM

*Free childcare available for youth under 8.
This session only.

The Muscatine Community YMCA

1823 Logan St., Muscatine



newcomers, share experiences, and learn from community leaders. From historical nuggets to practical tips on navigating city services, the Live Muscatine orientation promises to be an enriching experience for all.

To register for the March 27 orientation or future orientations, visit <https://muscatine.com/live-muscatine/> or call 563-263-9996. For other inquiries about the Live Muscatine program, please email Megan Francis at mfrancis@crossroadsmuscatine.org.