

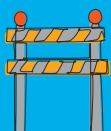
Research shows...



We're increasingly spending more time alone, disconnected from one another and our communities.



Most people value and are interested in connecting with those different from themselves to work toward a shared goal.



The most common barrier cited for meeting new people is a lack of opportunity.

Everyone has a seat at **The Big Table®**!



Launched in 2016 as an annual event, The Big Table is an opportunity to bring people together, hear new perspectives, and actively listen to our neighbors.

We invite you to add **YOUR** voice during this annual community-wide day of conversation. Together, we can help build a kinder, more connected community—one conversation at a time.

- WHEN:** Tuesday, October 21, from sunrise to sunset
- WHO:** Everyone
- WHERE:** Across central Ohio
- HOW:** Host your own Big Table conversation or attend a public table. Registration opens September 9 at columbusfoundation.org/thebigtable.