



March 2014

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Events

- Mar 21 More Than Just Desserts**
6-10pm - for Violence Prevention Center
Four Points Sheraton, Fairview Heights
- Mar 22 Dreamland Palace Train Show**
10am-3:30pm
- Mar 24 Seasonal Cuts**
11am - 8pm at Morrison Talbott Library
- Mar 28 Electronics Recycling Day**
9am - 1pm at Monroe County Soil & Water Conservation District Office
www.CJDECYCLING.com
- Mar 29 March Into Spring Quilt Show**
9am - 2pm Immanuel Lutheran Church
- Mar 29 Human Support Trivia Night**
6pm at Waterloo VFW
- Mar 30 Midwest Bird & Animal Swap & Sale**
5:30 - 11am Monroe County Fairgrounds
- Apr 4 Vendors for a Cause Quarter Auction**
visit vendors4acause.weebly.com for more info
- Apr 4-6 Gibault Musical**
Call 939.3883 for more information.
- Apr 4-6 Our Town**
& 11-13 Shows all weekend at Capitol Theatre.
www.masctheatre.org
- Apr 6 Ham Shoot**
Noon - Waterloo Sportsman's Club
- Apr 9 Monroe County EMS Association CPR Certification Class**
6pm - Monroe County Annex Building
- Apr 10 Monroe County Business Expo**
6 - 9pm Columbia American Legion
- Apr 11 Discover Historic Waterloo**
7pm - An Evening of Quilts
Colonel Morrison Home
- Apr 12 Garden Conservancy's Open Days Program**
www.gardenconservancy.org/opendays
- Apr 12 Murder in Maybury Dinner Theater**
6:30pm - Gibault High School Cafeteria
Contact 939-8047 for more info.
- Apr 18-19 City Hall Closed for Good Friday**

40 Year's War at History Museum

The History Museum of Monroe County opens on April 5 with the "40 Years War," a 3-month special exhibit. Below is a list of events through April 13th. You can find a complete listing and description of all of the special programs and supporting exhibits on our website at www.waterloo.il.us.

- April 5 - 12:30pm "La Belle Fontaine" by Bill Wilson/Dennis Patton
1:45pm "North American Rev. War & War of 1812 Historic Sites" by Dale Phillips
- April 6 - 12:30pm "Martha Washington" by Barbara Kay
1:45pm "Widder's Landing and Remember the Raisin" by Eddie Price
- April 12 - 12:30pm "Illinois' Only Military Library" by Richard Brett Downey
1:45pm "How We Dressed Back Then" by Theresa Sanders
- April 13 - 12:30pm "Pierre Menard in His Home" by Darrell Duensing
1:45pm "The Wood River Massacre" by Cathy Bagby



Pinwheel Coloring Contest

The Violence Prevention Center of Southwestern Illinois is sponsoring a coloring contest for Monroe County students from Pre-K to 2nd Grade. The contest is designed to bring attention to Child Abuse Awareness Month, which is held in April.

Entry forms will be delivered to local schools, but can also be picked up at City Hall or downloaded from the City's Website at www.waterloo.il.us. The contest will run from April 1st through April 11th. Coloring sheets can be turned in at your local school or at Waterloo City Hall. Violence Prevention staff and supporting community members will present contest winners with prizes donated by local businesses.

The Violence Prevention Center is a non-for-profit agency serving Monroe, Randolph and St. Clair counties with domestic violence services including a hotline, 800-924-0096.



Take Me Out to the Ballgame!

The WHS Baseball Team is selling discounted Cardinals Baseball tickets for April 27. There are two promotions for this game! Fans 15 & under will get to run the bases after the game, and receive a Molina/Carpenter Silver Slugger Mini-Bat. If enough tickets are sold, the WHS Baseball Team will have the opportunity to play in Busch Stadium on May 9th. Contact Mark Vogel (618-604-9454) before April 1st if you would like to purchase tickets. Tickets are \$30 each.



Kiwanis Club

Waterloo Kiwanis Club is looking for new members. They meet on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 12:30pm at the Waterloo Country Club, but attendance is not mandatory for membership. The group participates in fundraisers and service projects to give back to the community. For more info., contact Tammy Brinkmann at 618-939-6194.



Local Craft & Flea Markets

Spring is right around the corner, and that means it's almost time for flea markets and craft fairs! There are several events planned and vendor spaces available:

- April 24 - "What Women Want" Girls Night Out! May 10 - May Market
Scott Credit Union, Waterloo 618-939-5300 Courthouse Square 618-939-5300
- May 3 & 4 - WHS Band Parent's Flea Market May 10 - Market at the Spring
Monroe County Fairgrounds 618-570-8362 Bellefontaine House twoboysandsomegoats@gmail.com



Monroe County Barn Quilt Trail

The Monroe County Barn Quilt Trail committee is seeking community members who would like to display a barn quilt on their property. For more information, visit www.pen2paper.org/monroe-county-barn-quilt-trail.



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Welcome

The City would like to welcome the following new businesses to our community:

Escape Salon & The Clothes Line Boutique
123 West Mill Street

Remember to support local businesses and shop Monroe County first.