



## Events

- May 18** Monroe County EMS Open House  
5-8pm at Monroe County EMS
- May 21** 4th Annual Biking for Babies  
9am at Life Network
- May 21** Monroe County History:  
Coming to a Novel Near You  
1:30pm at History Museum of MoCo
- May 22** Midwest Bird & Animal Swap & Sale  
5:30-11am Monroe County Fairgrounds
- May 23** John Mohl Golf Outing  
1pm at Acorns Golf Links
- May 25** Coloring Calm  
1-3pm at Morrison Talbott Library
- May 28 & 30** City Hall Closed  
*(trash will still be picked up Monday)*
- May 30** Memorial Day Ceremony  
11am at Courthouse Square
- May 31** Municipal Band Concert Opening Night  
8pm at Courthouse Bandstand
- June 3-5** MASC presents "Death Trap"  
& 10-12 Shows all weekend.
- June 4** GLOW Community Yard Sale  
7am-2pm See information at right.
- June 4** MoCo Bicentennial  
Ceremonial Board Meeting  
10am in Harrisonville
- June 5** Optimist Club Car Show  
Courthouse Square
- June 5** John Deere 2-Cylinder Show  
Monroe County Fairgrounds
- June 5** Fellowship BBQ & Ice Cream Social  
10:15am at Immanuel Lutheran Church
- June 7** Municipal Band Concert  
& 14 8pm at Courthouse Bandstand
- June 8** Coloring Calm  
1-3pm at Morrison Talbott Library
- June 9** Summit of Hope  
10am-1:30pm at Hope Christian Church
- June 10** Discover Historic Waterloo Tour of the Town  
6-7:30pm Historic Waterloo Buildings
- June 10 & 11** St Peter & Paul Picnic
- June 11** Myths & Facts About Lincoln  
1:30pm at History Museum of MoCo



## Yards of Distinction

Do you have a beautiful flower garden, or a well manicured lawn? The sixth annual Yards of Distinction contest is underway and open to all homeowners or rental tenants within the City of Waterloo. Several categories will be considered and judged by the Waterloo Garden Club on June 26. Details of the contest and entry forms are available at City Hall, Chamber of Commerce office, or online at [www.waterloo.il.us](http://www.waterloo.il.us) and will be accepted through June 23, 2016.



## Farmer's Market

The Farmer's Market has returned to the Family Video parking lot and will be open from 7:30-11:30am every Saturday through October 31st. Stop by to get your fresh, local produce, plants and baked goods! New vendors call 618-792-3596.



## Community Yard Sale

GLOW (Great Ladies of Waterloo) is hosting their fifth annual Community Yard Sale on Saturday, June 4th from 7am until 3pm.

For a \$5 registration fee, you can be included in advertisements and your location placed on a map that will be distributed to shoppers. You may also choose to locate your sale in the commuter lot, next to Western Egyptian for \$10 (**new location: previous years it was the City Hall parking lot**). For more information or to obtain your registration form, stop by City Hall. You can find/print the registration form at [www.waterlooglow.com](http://www.waterlooglow.com).



## WHS Band Flag Fundraiser

Show your National Pride and support the WHS Band! For each holiday listed, a 3' x 5' U.S. Flag on a pole will be placed in your front yard. The flags will be installed at least one day before the holiday and removed after the holiday. Cost is \$40 for a one-year subscription and is available to residents in the Waterloo School District. For more information call Christine at 314-276-6631 or visit the City's website: [www.waterloo.il.us](http://www.waterloo.il.us).



## Keep Mosquitos Away

You can lessen mosquito bites by reducing the number of mosquitoes in an area. One way is to eliminate their breeding places: any objects that hold as little as 1 tablespoon of water for 7 to 10 days — the time it takes for eggs to hatch and larvae to mature. Commonly overlooked breeding spots include old tires, clogged gutters, abandoned tubs and buckets, and cemetery urns.

Also, stock up on citronella candles. The candles have been shown to reduce mosquito bites by up to 42 percent while being burned.

Another good way to help shoo mosquitoes off your deck or patio is to use a fan. Mosquitoes may be great smellers, but they are weak fliers. If you often sit on an unscreened porch, install an overhead ceiling fan: you'll be cooler and have fewer bites.

You also can reduce your personal attractiveness to mosquitoes. Avoid using highly perfumed soaps and shampoos, wear loose-fitting clothing, which forms an air barrier between you and the bugs, and use an herbal repellent.

### Welcome!

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

Stubborn German Brewing Company - 119 North Main Street

Ruby's - 881 North Illinois Route 3

Action Graphics - 511 Park Street (the former Fast Stop Convenience Store)



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