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Events

- Nov 28-30 City Hall Closed for Thanksgiving
- Nov 30 Christmas on the Square
- Dec 1 See information at right.
- Nov 30 Scholastic Book Fair
- Dec 3 Old Waterloo Firehouse
- Dec 1 Hometown Harmony Christmas Concert
6:30pm at Hope Christian Church
- Dec 5 Annual Christmas Tree Lighting
6:30pm Downtown Waterloo
- Dec 7 Cookie Walk & Craft Fair
9am-Noon at Immanuel Lutheran
- Dec 7 Live Pro Wrestling
6pm at Waterloo VFW
- Dec 12 Explore Waterloo "Warm & Fizzies"
5:30pm at Participating Merchants
- Dec 13 Christmas Bible School
5:30-8pm at Concord Presbyterian
- Dec 14 Butch's Polka Kings
1:30-3:30pm at MoCo History Museum
- Dec 14 Washing for Backstoppers
9:30am-2:30pm at Sure Shine Auto Wash

Holiday Trash Pickup

There will be no recycling pickup on Thanksgiving Day - it will be picked up the next day Friday, November 29.

Santa Float

The Santa Float will again make its way through Waterloo, bringing gifts and holiday cheer to all! **New this year** - we are changing the routes and adding 2 nights, in an attempt to make the routes shorter. Thus, the Santa Float dates will be December 14th-23rd. We are also bringing back the golden tickets! Check our website in December for all the details!

Santa Hut

Santa's Hut will be open between Noon and 4pm the following Saturdays and Sundays:

- November 30th & Dec. 1st
- December 7th & 8th
- December 14th & 15th
- December 21st & 22nd



AMI Water Meter Project

The City of Waterloo is beginning the transition to the new AMI metering system for water. We have contracted with Second Sight Systems to complete this transition. A Second Sight Systems representative will be visiting your property in the near future to change your water meter. They may need access inside your home to complete the installation. This updated technology will allow the City of Waterloo to read meters electronically and provide better services to our customers. For more information, call 618-939-8600 ext. 216 or visit our website at www.waterloo.il.us.



Share the Feast

The Waterloo Lion's Club Annual "Share the Feast" free Thanksgiving dinner will be held Thursday, November 28th at the SPPCS Cafeteria. Meals will be served from 11:30am-1pm. You may dine in or have your meal delivered to your home. Carry outs are also available. Please call Ron & Ruth Ann Mueller at 618-939-6867 to make reservations.



Extreme Leaf Project

On Friday and Saturday, December 6 & 7, LifechurchX volunteers will once again partner with CCSI to provide our community with leaf pick-up services. Also, if you know of an elderly or physically handicapped person who needs help raking and bagging their leaves, we can assist with that as well! To register, please contact City Hall, at 618-939-8600 by Wednesday, Dec. 4. To volunteer, call the church office at 618-939-0228.



Optimist Club Gift Drive

The Waterloo Optimist Club will sponsor its annual Gift Drive to benefit Waterloo families this Christmas. New items can be dropped off at City Hall or the Republic-Times office now through December 6th. The primary age group of these children is ages 5-18. For more information, please contact House of Neighborly Services at 618-939-8680.



Christmas on the Square

The 38th Annual Christmas Walk will be the weekend after Thanksgiving, November 30-December 1. Come join us for shopping, free carriage rides, holiday music, pictures with Santa and more! Pick up a card at any of the 13 merchants, get it stamped at each one and turn it in to enter a prize drawing for \$1,000 worth of gift certificates!

City Hall will have an open house with coffee, hot cocoa and peanut cake from 11am-4pm on Sunday. Also, Saturday from 8am-6pm and Sunday from 9am-4pm, the House of Neighborly Service will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair at the old Firehouse (223 S. Main) - all books are buy one, get one free! Don't forget to vote for your favorite decorated lamp post around the Courthouse Square. For a complete listing of events for the entire weekend, visit the City's website at www.waterloo.il.us/



GLOW Lighted Parade

GLOW is hosting its 8th annual lighted holiday parade as part of the Christmas on the Square weekend. The parade will be held on Saturday, November 30th at 5:30pm. The parade will begin at the Gibault High School parking lot, and will travel up Columbia Ave. head South on Main St and then right onto Mill St., ending at Library St. To enter a float, registration forms are available at www.waterlooglow.com.



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