

#### August 2018

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### **Events**

Aug 21 Municipal Band Concert & 28 8pm at Courthouse Bandstand

Aug 22 Mo Co EMS Ice Cream Social 3-5pm at Courthouse Bandstand

Aug 24 Waterloo Homecoming & 25 See information at right.

Aug 25 Optimist Club 5K Run 8am at Rogers Elementary

- Aug 26 Midwest Bird & Animal Swap & Sale 5:30-11am at Monroe County Fairgrounds
- Aug 26 Great Horned Owls Become Parents 1:30pm at Monroe County History Museum
- Aug 30 Pioneer Gravestones of So. Illinois 6:30pm at Morrison Talbott Library
- Sept 1-3 City Hall Closed for Labor Day
- Sept 1 WHS Band Parents Flea Market
- & 2 Sat 8am-3pm, Sun 9am-2pm at Monroe County Fairgrounds
- Sept 8 Waterloo Bulldog Color Run 4:45pm at Gardner Elementary Soccer Field

Sept 9 Downtown Concert Series featuring Brad Noe 4-7pm at Courthouse Bandstand

Sept 13 Chamber of Commerce Golf Classic Annbriar Golf Course

Sept 14 Explore Waterloo Block Party 7pm at JV's Downtown Bar & Grill

Sept 14 Rummage Sale

**& 15** 6-8pm Fri, 8am-1pm Sat at Concord Presbyterian Church

- Sept 15 Bulldogs Hockey Krispy Kreme Sale 7am-Noon at Rogers & Hamacher
- Sept 15 Tea/Luncheon/Fashion Show 12:30pm at Monroe County History Museum

Sept 15 Optimist Club Blue Army Bull Bash 7pm at Monroe County Fairgrounds

> Monroe County Farmer's Market 8-Noon at Family Video every Saturday

Visit the city's website for details and contact information.

#### **Trash Pickup Reminder**

Just a reminder, there WILL BE trash pickup on Labor Day, Monday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>.

#### Newsletter Courtesy of your Mayor and City Council

939-8600



## Waterloo Homecoming

This year's Homecoming will be held August 24th & 25th. The parade will begin at 5pm on Saturday. This year's theme is "Take Me Out to the Ballgame." The parade route begins on Moore St. at Illinois Ave., left on Fourth St., left on Library St., right on Mill St., left on Main St. and ends at First St.

To register for the parade, call Butch Sparwasser at 618-806-8104. For safety reasons, throwing items from vehicles/floats is prohibited. Please walk and hand out items. For information on vendor booths, contact Tammy Warden at 618-670-0754.

Rides and games begin at 5pm each night and food service starts at 4pm. There is also live music scheduled for both nights, so come on out and have a great time!



### **Senior Academy**

The Waterloo Police Deptartment will again be hosting the Senior Police Academy on the second floor of City Hall. Classes will be held from 1-3pm on Wednesdays beginning September 5<sup>th</sup> and ending on October 17<sup>th</sup>. The Senior Academy is open to those 50 years of age or older. This is a free program, financed by the Waterloo Police Community Services Fund.

To register, call the police department at 939-3377.



### Get There Safe with Lyft!

Public Ride Sharing platform, Lyft, is now available in the Waterloo area. Download the app and search for "Southern Illinois" or "Waterloo, IL" to locate services in our area.

#### **Riders**:

- 1. Sign Up Pick how you pay: Charge card or Paypal
- 2. Ride Choose your destination, see your up front cost, get a ride in minutes, track your ride, identify the car, the license plate and the driver, rate your driver, view your receipt in email.

#### Drivers:

You can also sign up to be a driver! Be your own boss, work when you are able, get paid instantly, anytime! Get started by filling out an online application at *www.lyft.com/drive-with-lyft*. You must be 21, pass a free DMV and background check and have a smartphone.



### Veterans Day Ceremony

The City of Waterloo, along with the Waterloo School District, VFW, American Legion and Waterloo Park District would like to locate any service member with a Waterloo address for a special ceremony this Veterans Day. This year we are looking for Veterans that served during 1990 to 2000. Please contact Mayor Smith with the following information: Veteran's name, branch of military, rank, dates served and any overseas deployments/wars served.

Phone: 939-8600 ext. 200 Email: mayorsmith@waterloo.il.us.

**Reminder:** The City of Waterloo is transitioning to a new metering system for electric, water and gas. City employees will be installing the new equipment and new meters in all households and businesses. You will be notified when each meter is changed at your home by a door hanger. If you have any questions during this transitional period, please give us a call at 939-8600.

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