



June 2018

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Events

- Jun 18 Vietnam War-A Disrespectful Loyalty 6:30pm at Morrison Talbott Library
- Jun 19 Porta Westfalica Parade & Festival Downtown Waterloo, Parade at 6pm
- Jun 22 Gibault Summer Classic Annbriar Golf Course
- Jun 22 Mary & Martha Rummage Sale
 - -23 8am-1pm at SPPCS
- Jun 23 Monroe County EMS **Family Movie Night** 6:45pm at Monroe County Annex (Rear)
- Jun 24 Midwest Bird & Animal Swap & Sell 5:30-11am at Monroe County Fairgrounds
- Jun 25 Back Pain 6:30m at Morrison Talbott Library
- Jun 26 Municipal Band Concert 8pm at Courthouse Bandstand
- Jun 28 "Chicago: The Musical"
- Jun 28 Timeless Trivia
- Jun 30 Optimist Club Truck & Tractor Pull 10am at Monroe County Fairgrounds
- Jun 30 Valmeyer Mid-Summer Celebration - Jul 4
- Jun 30 The Village of Merrimac Awakened 1:30pm at Monroe County History Museum
- July 3 **Municipal Band Concert**
- 10, 17 8pm at Courthouse Bandstand
- July 4 City Hall Closed for Independence Day
- July 5 **Large Item Pick-Up**
- July 7 The Forts of Illinois 1:30pm at Monroe County History Museum
- July 8 **Downtown Concert Series** featuring Silverback 4-7pm at Courthouse Bandstand
- July 9 **Vacation Bible School**
 - 5:30-8pm at Concord Presbyterian Church
- July 15 Quilts A Bed Turning 1:30pm at Monroe County History Museum

Monroe County Farmer's Market 8-Noon at Family Video every Saturday Military Heritage Day

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Parade Etiquette

We are so excited that summer is here - and that means parades are near! We wanted to take a moment to remind our parade-goers about some important rules and etiquette to help keep these events fun and safe for everyone:

- The golden rule is "burns on the curb, feet in the gutter". The parade needs the entire width of the street for entries and the outer parking space area for operations and emergency vehicles. Please make sure yourself and your children stay on the side of the road. Participants are instructed to hand out candy, not to throw it from vehicles or floats, to avoid children running into the street for these items.
- Please do not cross the route after the Parade starts.
- It may be cool when you first find a place to watch the parade, but it quickly heats up during our summertime parades. Heat exhaustion is very dangerous so remember water, a hat and SPF 30 sunscreen.
- Yes, it's hard to find a parking spot for a big fun parade but blocking someone's business or a resident's driveway is absolutely unacceptable.
- It should go without saying that leaving your litter behind is just plain disrespectful of the very public property to which you've been given the opportunity to enjoy such events. Clean up your mess. ...and teach your children the same.

Yards of Distinction Reminder

There's still time to enter! If you or someone you know has a beautiful yard, please consider nominating them for this great award. Details and entry forms are available online at www.waterloo.il.us. Entry forms are due June 21st.

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.





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