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## Events

Many community events are currently cancelled to comply with the Restore Illinois Metrics and to follow Social Distancing measures in an effort to help prevent the spread of the Coronavirus. Please do your part to follow these mandates, so that we can keep our community safe, and return to our <u>'normal" lives as soon as possible.</u>

### Apr 17 Walk-Up BBQ

9am-3pm at Rural King Benefiting Waterloo Knights of Columbus Please wear masks and follow social distancing.

- Apr 24 Meet Me In St. Louis 1904 World's Fair 1:30pm at MoCo History Museum
- May 1-2 WHS Band Parents Flea Market Saturday 8am-3pm, Sunday 9am-2pm Monroe County Fairgrounds
- **Spending Time Trapping!** May 2 1:30pm at MoCo History Museum
- May 15 Spinning and Felting Wool 1:30pm at MoCo History Museum
- May 22 Household Hazardous Waste Collection

8am-3pm at MoCo Fairgrounds Visit www.waterloo.il.us for a list of acceptable wastes

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

## Swim Team Sign-Ups

Waterloo Piranhas Swim Team sign-ups are happening now. You can register online at www.waterloopiranhas.com or in person April 28 from 7-9pm at Acorns Golf Links.



## Welcome

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

Tin Shed Diesel 509 Park Street

Edward Jones - Collin Moore 736 N Market Street

T-Mobile

875 North Illinois Route 3

Remember to support local businesses and shop Monroe County first.

## Waterloo Has Heart

April is National Volunteer Month. Each year in April, individuals and organizations across the United States celebrate National Volunteer Month to honor the important impact volunteers have in our communities, and to encourage even more people to start volunteering.

It's the perfect time to officially launch a new website: "Waterloo Has Heart". This website is a way for community organizations, church groups, and others to post opportunities for people to volunteer. To submit an opportunity to serve, you can simply visit the website and fill out the online form. We also encourage people who do volunteer to go to the site and log the hours that they serve. This information can be used on grant applications or award nominations that could result in receiving funds for community improvement projects in the future.

Thank you to Amanda Chase for developing this website for the community. We are so fortunate to have such a great community full of people willing to help others. This website is a great tool that will make it much easier for you to find ways to do so!

www.waterloohasheart.com

HOME!

# GLOW Community Yard Sale

GLOW (Great Ladies of Waterloo) is hosting their annual Community Yard Sale on Saturday, June 5th from 7am until 2pm. Register before May 26th to be included on the yard sale map so shoppers can find you! Registration is only \$5 for a home listing, or \$10 if you would like to have your sale in two parking spaces at the commuter parking lot at Fourth and Library Sts. We kindly ask that all shoppers follow COVID 19 social distancing safety guidelines per the CDC and wear masks when shopping. For more information, or to obtain your registration form, stop by City Hall or visit www.waterlooglow.com.

# CODERED

## weather Code Red Weather Warnings

While Spring brings beautiful weather, it can also bring some serious storms. Sign up for CODE Red Emergency Notification System, so you will be aware when a dangerous storm is approaching. You can sign up on our website at: www.waterloo.il.us/ourcommunity/emergency-services/

# **Large Item Pick Up Day - April 29**

The City of Waterloo has contracted with Reliable Sanitation to pick up large household items, that are not included in our regular scheduled pickup. Please note not all items are allowed, such as televisions, tires, doors, toilets, etc. For a complete list of unacceptable items, please visit the City's website: www.waterloo.il.us. Also, each household is limited to two items.

# **Military Welcome Home**

Do you know someone returning home from serving our country overseas? Let us help you welcome them home! We would love to recognize them at a City Council meeting and welcome them home on behalf of the community. Contact Sarah Deutch, Community Relations Coordinator, at sdeutch@waterloo.il.us or 939-8600 ext. 211.

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