

## September

- 8th - Waterloo Chamber of Commerce Downtown Concert Series** • 4:30-7pm • Courthouse Bandstand
- 13th - Night at the Museum: "The Story of Peterstown and the Merchant Prince!"** • 6:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County
- 14th - Chalk-a-Lot** • 8:30am-4:30pm • Mill Street between Main & Market
- 14th - Explore Waterloo Day - Fall Edition** • Participating Merchants & Restaurants
- 14th - Col. Morrison's 200th Birthday Celebration** • Morrison-Talbott Library
- 21st - Optimist Club Tuff Hedeman Breakout Series Bull Riding** 7pm • Monroe County Fairgrounds
- 26th - "4-H Then & Now"** • 6:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County
- 27th & 28th - StubbornFest, Oktoberfest Celebration** 3-11pm Fri., Noon-11pm Sat. • Stubborn German Brewing Co.
- 29th - Midwest Bird & Animal Breeders Swap & Sale** 5:30-11am • Monroe County Fairgrounds

## October

- 4th & 5th - Haunted Trail** • 7-11pm • Waterloo Sportsman's Club
- 11th - Night at the Museum: Bellefontaine House**
- 11th & 12th - Haunted Trail** • 7-11pm • Waterloo Sportsman's Club
- 12th - PumpkinFest** • 9am-4pm • Courthouse Square
- 13th - Oktoberfest** • 9am-4pm • Historic Maestown
- 13th - Historical Architectural Tour** • Downtown Waterloo
- 17th - Explore Waterloo's Witches Night Out** • Participating Merchants & Restaurants
- 18th & 19th - Haunted Trail** • 7-11pm • Waterloo Sportsman's Club
- 20th - "The Making of Corn Dollies? (Wheat Weaving)"** 1:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County
- 26th - Oktoberfest** • Gibault Catholic High School Gym
- 27th - Midwest Bird & Animal Breeders Swap & Sale** 5:30-11am • Monroe County Fairgrounds
- 31st - Trunk-or-Treat** • 5:30-7:30pm • Courthouse Square

## November

- 9th - "Remembering Rex's Corner"** • 1:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County
- 9th - Kaskaskia Trail Chorus Annual Show** • 7:30pm • Turner Hall, Columbia
- 10th - Turkey Shoot & Meat Raffle** • Noon • Waterloo Sportsman's Club
- TBD - Veterans Day Ceremony**
- 11th - Veterans Day Laying of the Wreath Ceremony** • 11am Veterans Memorial at Lakeview Park
- 14th - "Who is Buried in the Moore/Bellefontaine Cemetery?"** 6:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County
- 24th-Dec 1st (excluding Thanksgiving Day) - Waterloo Christmas Walk** • Participating Merchants & Restaurants
- 28th - Lion's Club Share The Feast** • 11:30am-1pm • Waterloo VFW
- 30th - GLOW Lighted Holiday Parade** • 5:30pm • Downtown Waterloo

## December

- 1st - Lamppost Decorating Contest Judging** • Noon-3pm Courthouse Square
- 1st - 10th Annual Community Christmas Tree Lighting** 6:30pm • Corner of Mill and Main
- 12th - Explore Waterloo's Warm & Fizzies** • Participating Merchants and Restaurants
- 12th - Christmas Open House** • Morrison-Talbott Library
- 14th - Cookie Walk** • 8am-Noon • Saints Peter and Paul Catholic School
- 14th - "Greetings from Times Past"** • 1:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County
- 14th-23rd - Santa Float** • 5-8:30pm • Residential Areas of Waterloo
- 30th - Noon Year's Eve Party** • Morrison-Talbott Library

Events subject to change.  
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# 2024 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



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## February

**16th-18th - "She Loves Me"** presented by Monroe Actors Stage Company • Shows all weekend • Capitol Theatre

**17th - Trivia Night** • 7pm • Waterloo Sportsman's Club

**25th - Wurstmart & Quilt/Cash Bingo** • 11am-5pm • Saints Peter and Paul Catholic School

## March

**1st - Taste of the Region** • Gibault Catholic High School Gym

**2nd - Waterloo Mercantile 4th Anniversary Celebration**  
10am-4pm • Waterloo Mercantile Co.

**9th - Explore Waterloo's It's Your Lucky Day!** • Participating Merchants & Restaurants

**15th - Daddy-Daughter Dance** • HOPE Christian Church

**16th - WCP's St. Paddy's Day 5k Walk/Run** • 8:30-11am  
Downtown Waterloo

**17th - Ham Shoot & Meat Raffle** • Noon • Waterloo Sportsman's Club

**21st - Waterloo Chamber of Commerce Annual Social** • 6pm  
Acorns Golf Links

**23rd - HSS Trivia Night** • 7pm • Hecker Community Center

**29th - Vietnam Veterans Day Program**

**31st - Midwest Bird & Animal Breeders Swap & Sale**  
5:30-11am • Monroe County Fairgrounds

## April

**7th - "WWII Pacific Battles"** • 1:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**12th-14th & 19th-21st - "The Mousetrap"** presented by Monroe Actors Stage Company • Shows all weekend • Capitol Theatre

**13th - Coming Home 1st Anniversary Celebration** • 9am-4pm  
Coming Home

**13th - Southern Illinois Sheep & Craft Festival** • 9am • Monroe County Fairgrounds

**20th - "What the Kimmswick Bone Bed Reveals About Life 12,000 Years Ago"** • 1:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**22nd - Ice Cream Social** • 1-3pm • Camp Wartburg

**25th - "A Whole Lot of Shaking Going On"** • 1:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**28th - Midwest Bird & Animal Breeders Swap & Sale**  
5:30-11am • Monroe County Fairgrounds

**28th - GCHS Women's Club Poker Run** • 11:30am-5:30pm  
Starts at Hopskeller Brewing Co.

## May

**2nd - "A Tale of Two Forts"** • 6:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**2nd - National Day of Prayer Breakfast** • HOPE Christian Church

**4th & 5th - WHS Band Parents Flea Market** • 8am-3pm Sat.,  
9am-2pm Sun. • Monroe County Fairgrounds

**5th - Fruehlingsfest/Springfest** • 9am-4pm • Historic Maeystown

**11th - "Southern American Bottom Archaeological Project"**  
1:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**11th - Optimist Club Beer-B-Que** • Downtown Waterloo

**18th - FirebirdFest** • Downtown Waterloo

**20th - Camp Wartburg's Golf Outing** • 12:30pm • Acorns Golf Links

**26th - Midwest Bird & Animal Breeders Swap & Sale**  
5:30-11am • Monroe County Fairgrounds

**27th - Memorial Day Ceremony** • 11am • Courthouse Square

**28th - Summer Band Concert Season Opening Night** • 8pm  
Courthouse Bandstand

**31st - "Picnic"** presented by Monroe Actors Stage Company  
Shows all weekend • Capitol Theatre

## June

**1st-2nd & 7th-9th - "Picnic"** presented by Monroe Actors Stage Company • Shows all weekend • Capitol Theatre

**1st - GLOW Community Yard Sale** • 7am-2pm • Waterloo

**2nd - Optimist Club Car Show** • Downtown Waterloo

**4th, 11th, 18th & 25th - Summer Band Concert Season** • 8pm  
Courthouse Bandstand

**6th - "Shipwrecks"** • 6:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**7th & 8th - Saints Peter & Paul Picnic** • 4pm • Saints Peter and Paul Church

**9th - Waterloo Chamber of Commerce Downtown Concert Series** • 4:30-7pm • Courthouse Bandstand

**14th - Chamber Golf Tournament** • 1:00pm • Acorns Golf Links

**15th - "The Great Chicago Fire - Did the Cow Do It?"** • 1:30pm  
History Museum of Monroe County

**15th - HSS Shine Your Light Gala** • 5pm • The Falls, Columbia

**18th - Porta Westfalica** • 4pm Festival begins, 6pm Parade  
Courthouse Square

**21st - Gibault Golf Tournament** • Annbriar Golf Course

**30th - Midwest Bird & Animal Breeders Swap & Sale**  
5:30-11am • Monroe County Fairgrounds

**30th - Fireworks Display** • Dusk • HOPE Christian Church

## July

**2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th - Summer Band Concert Season**  
8pm • Courthouse Bandstand

**4th-7th - Baseball Tournament & Valmeyer Mid-Summer Celebration**

**11th - "Outhouses"** • 6:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**14th - Waterloo Chamber of Commerce Downtown Concert Series** • 4:30-7pm • Courthouse Bandstand

**19th & 20th - Explore Waterloo's Black Friday/Christmas in July** • Participating Merchants and Restaurants

**21st-28th - Monroe County Fair** • Monroe County Fairgrounds

## August

**6th, 13th, 20th & 27th - Summer Band Concert Season** • 8pm  
Courthouse Bandstand

**9th - Night at the Museum: Peterstown House**

**9th & 10th - Randy's Double R Bar Block Party** • Randy's Double R Bar

**10th - "H. Schrieber & Sons' General Store, A Family Perspective"** • 1:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**10th - JAKES Day** • 8am • Waterloo Sportsman's Club

**11th - Waterloo Chamber of Commerce Downtown Concert Series** • 4:30-7pm • Courthouse Bandstand

**17th - Monster Truck Fun Night** • Monroe County Fairgrounds

**18th - Fire Department BBQ & Car Show** • 8am-5pm  
Historic Maeystown

**22nd - "Jessie James, the Man, the Myth and the Movie"**  
6:30pm • History Museum of Monroe County

**24th - Optimist Club 5k** • Rogers Elementary School

**24th - Camp Wartburg's Dinner Auction** • 5pm • Orlando's, St. Louis, MO

**25th - Midwest Bird & Animal Breeders Swap & Sale**  
5:30-11am • Monroe County Fairgrounds

**31st & Sept 1st - WHS Band Parents Flea Market** • 8am-3pm  
Sat., 9am-2pm Sun. • Monroe County Fairgrounds