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From the Village:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

It's hard to believe another summer has come and gone. I hope you were able to enjoy many summer activities. With the end of summer comes the beginning of a new school year. Please be careful and be on the look-out for children going to and from school.

As a reminder to all residents, please do not allow your brush and grass clippings to remain in the streets. Please blow or sweep them up. If allowed to remain in the street, they will be blown or washed into our storm drains. This clogs the storm drains and creates drainage problems during heavy rains.

Phase II of the Lakeview Acres Road Improvement Project will start soon. This phase of the project will improve the portion of Lakeview Acres Road from just south of Route 162 to the bike trail, and will include widening, concrete curbs and sidewalks.

Nixle is a new community information service provider built exclusively to provide secure and reliable communications. Its authenticated service connects municipal agencies and community organizations to residents in real time, delivering information to geographically targeted consumers over their cell phones (via text messages), through e-mails and through Web access. Nixle is offered at no cost to all governments, their agencies and organizations, nongovernmental organizations and consumers.

Through Nixle you, the resident, decide what information you want to receive over what device. Nixle notifications advise about traffic situations, water boil orders, safety tips, community events and ask for community assistance in solving crimes or locating a missing person. Additionally, I will be using Nixle messages to put the call out for community volunteers. Whenever the Village has an event for which we need help, a notification will be sent explaining the event, where and when it will be held and a phone number to call if you are interested in helping out. We hope you will take advantage of this helpful public service. To register, go to www.nixle.com.

The Village of Maryville has been awarded several grants recently: \$100,000 for a water main extension, \$50,000 for fire house improvements and \$250,000 for improvements on Keebler Road.

I would like to offer my congratulations to the following Village residents for being selected as winners of the "Yard of

the Month" awards sponsored by the Maryville Community Improvement Board.

- July Winner: Sherry Nazetta at 8 Sher Nan
- August Winner: Darren & Michelle Huelsman at 708 Andra

Congratulations also to Mother of Perpetual Help Church who was selected to receive the Landscaping of the Year Award. Please feel free to contact me with any comments, questions or suggestions. I enjoy talking with and sharing ideas with you.

Larry Gulledege, Mayor

OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE CLERK

There will be a General Election on November 2, 2010. The last day to register in order to be eligible to vote in this election is October 5, 2010. Voter registration and change of address may be done at Village Hall Monday thru Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Voting is a privilege, take advantage of it!

In order to register you must meet the following qualifications:

- Be at least 18 years of age
- Be a United States Citizen
- Live in Madison County
- Show 2 types of identification (1 of which must have your current address listed). Also, it is required that you use your Social Security Number (or at least the last 4 digits or your driver's license.)
- Been at your current residence at least 30 days prior to the date of the next coming election

We also have notary publics available to notarize documents for you. Notaries are available Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Please call Village Clerk, Tracy Fenton at 345-7028 ext. 4 for more information.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Back-to-School Safety

Another school year has begun and the safety of students going to and from school is very important. Not only do drivers have to reduce speed and be more attentive but parents and students need to follow safety precautions also.

Parents should teach children to cross the street at crosswalks and corners, obey crossing guards, and to look "left-right-left" before entering the street. Parents should develop the safest most direct route, walk it with their children, and encourage the children to take the same route every day (avoid shortcuts).

Children riding bicycles should wear helmets, follow the rules of the road, have a safe cycling route, and be supervised until their skills and judgment are acceptable for safely operating their bicycle.

The Illinois Department of Transportation promotes healthier children through their "Safe Routes" program. The program encourages walking and riding a bicycle to and from school as a great way for our youth to get exercise. The Village of Maryville has received a grant to build sidewalks in the Rolling Meadows area as part of the "Safe Routes" program.

When waiting for the bus children should arrive five minutes before the bus, stay ten feet from the street, and avoid horseplay. Upon boarding or leaving the bus students should wait for the bus to come to a complete stop, cross the street ten feet in front of the bus, and wait on the same side of the street as the bus for caregivers. Parents should remove loose drawstrings and ties from clothing and book bags (use Velcro, snaps or buttons) to avoid entanglements and injury to children.

Parents driving children to school should enforce the law on the use of seatbelts, allow appropriate travel time to avoid speeding, have children enter and exit the vehicle on the curbside, and drop off children in a safe location. Parents with children old enough to drive to school should remind the young drivers of these safety issues.

During the time period of school arrivals and departures, travelers will see an influx of traffic at the intersection of Illinois Route 159 and Town Center Road from St. John Neumann School traffic and on West Main Street from students attending Maryville Elementary School, 6900 West Main Street. Plan your travel time accordingly. Drivers throughout Maryville need to be very attentive to bicyclists and pedestrians in the street but especially in the area of Maryville Elementary School.

Halloween Party

The Maryville Police Department will host the 21st Annual Halloween Party on Sunday, October 31 at the Maryville Grade School. The time will be from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM with costume contests for children ages 0 through 12 years of age. We plan to have entertainment and our usual treats, ice cream, and pizza. This event is supported by the generous donations from local businesses.

APX Alarm Solicitors

You may have solicitors from APX Alarm contacting you. Each solicitor should have a badge with their ID, a name and/or employee number. You can call APX Alarm (1-800-216-5232) and verify that person with one of their representatives or you can go to their website <http://www.apxalarm.com/> and enter the ID number there. On the bottom left hand side of the website there is a place where you can verify any APX Alarm employee. This is the #1 way to find out about the person on your doorstep.

Grant Awards

The Maryville Police Department received two grant awards in August. The first grant is a FY2009 Illinois Law Enforcement Alarm System (ILEAS) MDC Grant. The department will receive a mobile data computer and docking station with a value of \$6,834. The second grant is an Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, American Recovery and Reinvestment

Act, Justice Assistance Grant, Starcom 21 Communications Equipment Award. The department will receive four mobile Starcom 21 radios valued at \$13,033. Sgt. Steve Howe completed and submitted the application on behalf of the department. Nice job, Sgt. Howe.

Chief Rich Schardan

FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Fire Department had 68 responses in June. 53 were for medical service with the remaining being for fire / rescue.

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Thanks to everyone who supported this year's homecoming. A special thanks to the individuals and organizations that volunteered their time. It was a great success this year and could not have been done without you. Remember, all of the proceeds from the homecoming go to support the EMS service by providing funds for training and equipment.

October is fire safety month. Always practice fire safety at home. Things like having a fire escape plan, changing your smoke and carbon monoxide batteries, observing safe practices while burning candles and cooking, and properly maintaining electrical cords and appliances all contribute to making your home safer. Remember, with the cooler weather approaching, it is important to properly maintain your furnace and chimney to reduce the risk of fire and carbon monoxide emergencies

Kevin Flaughter, Fire Chief

BUILDING AND ZONING

Building Permit fees collected in June were \$5,559.81 with an estimated valuation of \$1,175,500. Permits issued:

- 5 Single Family Homes
- 2 Single Family Repair/Alteration
- 3 Deck
- 2 Pool
- 1 Commercial Repair/Alteration
- 1 Commercial Accessory Building
- 1 Signs
- 1 Outdoor Display

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- 7 Single Family Homes
- 1 Single Family Repair/Alteration
- 1 Single Family Addition
- 2 Pool
- 4 Deck
- 2 Signs
- 1 Outdoor Display

PUBLIC WORKS

WOOD CHIPPING PROGRAM

The Village of Maryville has developed a **Chipping and Limb Removal Program** for Maryville residents. Below are the guidelines established for assisting residents with brush and limb cleanup:

- Brush and limb collections will be the **first consecutive Monday and Tuesday** of each month. (For months starting on Tuesday, collection will be the following week.)

- Residents will need to place all brush and limbs within 10' of the street curbing (Debris is prohibited from being placed on sidewalks or streets).
- Brush and limbs are limited to pieces no larger than 10" in diameter and to be manageable by one man.
- Residents must call ahead and make an appointment for pickup prior to the collection days with the address needing to be picked up.
- **Residents may no longer drop limbs or brush at the tower.** The Village only offers pickup service.
- Residents who would like the resulting mulch (free of charge) may call to make arrangements for pickup.
- The Village of Maryville will also be participating in the Madison County Christmas Tree Recycling Program. Please contact the Village in late December for more details.

Water Department

In an effort to offer multiple payment options to our citizens and utility customers, the Village of Maryville is happy to announce the following payment options now available:

- **AUTO PAY:** is the Village's newest and easiest free payment option! With Auto-pay your payment is directly withdrawn from an authorized account on the due date specified. An account statement will still be mailed to you, but you will no longer have to worry about writing a check.
- **FCB BANKS** now accept payments. You must have your water bill stub present to make your utility payment.
- **E-PAY** online payments at www.vil.maryville.il.us. E-Pay accepts Mastercard, American Express, and Discover.
- **VILLAGE HALL** payments are accepted in person during normal business hours, or you may use our after hour drive-up drop box.
- **US POSTAL SERVICE** payments may be mailed to Maryville Water Dept, 2520 N Center, Maryville, IL 62062.

Patrick Presson, Public Works Director

RABIES CLINIC

October 16, 2010
9 a.m. to 12 Noon

Maryville Senior Citizens' Building
500 E. Division Street

Rabies = \$15
Distempter = \$18
Bordetella = \$13
OR

All 3 vaccinations = \$45

Microchip Vouchers \$30

(Dogs must be on leashes and cats in carriers.)

ALLIED WASTE

Maryville Fall Clean Up

Allied Waste will hold Maryville's annual Fall clean up days the week of September 13th through September 17th on your normal pick up day. Large items during clean up dates include furniture, appliances, televisions, mattress sets, large carpets (cut into manageable bundles no longer than 4 ft.). Allied Waste cannot collect tires, car parts, batteries, tires on rims,

dirt, gravel, yard waste, tree stumps, liquid materials or railroad ties. Concrete, shingles and other construction debris are also prohibited. All items must be placed at the curb by 6:00 a.m.

MARYVILLE PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE

2010 Calendar of Events

Sept. 12	6:30p-8:00p	Concert in the Park	Free Event
	Firemen's Park	Sweet Bottom	
Sept. 24	DUSK	Movie in the Park	Free Event
	Library Parking Lot	<i>A Bug's Life</i>	
Oct. 15	DUSK	Movie in the Park	Free Event
	Library Parking Lot	<i>BeetleJuice</i>	

In case of rain, movies will be shown the next evening on Saturday. Southern Illinois Chiropractic will furnish fresh popcorn and First National Bank - Maryville Center and Maryville Pharmacy will provide bottled water for all the movies. All movies are shown on our 28' screen at Maryville Library's parking lot, located at #8 Schiber Court. Look for the green & blue signs on Vadalabene Drive. Bring your lawn chairs, loungers, blankets & bug spray to make your evening comfortable. For more information, contact Curt - 344-5863, Jill -288-7189, Mike - 975-8033, or Sharon at 345-1837.

Oct. 3	1p-3p	Maryville Pooch Party	Drost Park
Oct. 10	3p-5p	Concert in the Park	Free Event
	Firemen's Park	George Portz / Fiddlers' Frolic	
Nov. 13	9a-10:30a	Turkey Trot -	
	Drost Park	5K Run & 1M Accuracy Event	
Dec. 14		Holiday Lighting Contest	

Outdoor decorations judged throughout the Village.

Visit the village web site at www.vil.maryville.il.us for a Park Map and Calendar of Events.

Reminder: Keep taking those pictures of places and people in Maryville over the summer for the Annual "Best of Maryville" Photo and Art Contest to be held in March of 2011!

MARYVILLE HERITAGE MUSEUM

The Maryville Heritage Museum has recently acquired by gift of the artist, two original watercolor paintings by Arvilla Friar of Troy. Both paintings are of the Villa Marie Winery in Maryville. One is a landscape view of the winery from the north, overlooking the lake in front, for which Arvilla won First Place in the seventh "Best of Maryville" Art Contest and Show held on March 14. The second painting is a closer view of the facade of the building, highlighting the architectural design of the front entrance.

Arvilla was born and raised in the Lansing, Michigan area where she spent her entire married life. After the death of her husband, she moved to Troy to be near her daughter and fellow artist, Jerie Artz. She has won awards at the Gateway East Artist Guild annual show and is a signature artist of the St. Louis Watercolor Society. Her favorite subjects have included historic buildings, weathered barns, flowers, hummingbirds, light houses, wildlife and landscapes of the countryside.

The Museum and Heritage Committee is always looking for items to be added to the Museum which is located in the old Fire House on the corner of N.Donk and E. Zupan. The committee is also looking for new committee members. They meet the first Tuesday of every month. If you are interested in getting involved or would like a tour of the museum, contact: Janet Butts 345-4964 or Ed Kostyshock 345-4500.

MARYVILLE COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT BOARD

Greetings from the Maryville Community Improvement Board! Fall is quickly approaching and that means we have two more community events that we would love to see you attend.

First, we are again partnering with Southern Illinois Chiropractic Center for the 2nd Annual Healthy Community Day to be held on Saturday, September 25, 2010 at the gymnasium of the First Baptist Church of Maryville. The Wellness Expo will run from 10:00 a.m. to 2 p.m. The event is a FREE community health fair for the citizens of Maryville and the surrounding communities. The event features health screenings & information booths, a blood drive, I.D. kits for kids, a bounce house, free massages, and personal health records for all attendees. This year a 5K run has been added to the program. The 5K run will begin at 10 a.m. with a 1-Mile Kids Run to follow. For a list of featured exhibitors or just more information please visit www.healthycommunityday.com. Also please call Melissa at Southern Illinois Chiropractic Center at 618-288-7991 with any questions.

Next, the MCIB is planning the 2nd Annual Fall Festival to be held Saturday, October 9, 2010 at Fireman's Park from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Last year's event was a great success and we hope to make this year's even better. Several local non-profit organizations will have booths with activities. The Kiwanis will be cooking the food for the event. Some activities will include pumpkin decorating, the bounce house from the CMT YMCA, a DJ, and more fun and games. We are trying to build on the family atmosphere that we started last year.

This year the MCIB will also be partnering with Grace and Hope Ministries on Saturday, October 9th for another event. That morning, Grace and Hope Ministries will be hosting the Fred Winters Memorial 5K/10K/Fun Run in Fireman's Park. In March 2009, Fred was fatally shot while preaching at the First Baptist Church Maryville. In July 2009, Cindy Winters, his widow, founded Grace and Hope Ministries. Through this ministry, Cindy's mission is "To help others discover God's grace through a personal relationship with Jesus and find lasting hope regardless of whatever tragedy or circumstances experienced in life." The 5K and 10K races will begin at 8:00a.m and the Fun Run will begin at 9:30 a.m. There will be refreshments and activities for kids. Awards will be given to the top runner in each age group upon completion of the race by all participants. All proceeds will go directly to Grace and Hope Ministries. For more information and a registration form, please visit www.graceandhopeministries.org.

We would like to congratulate Yard of the Month Winners Sherry Nazetta at 8 Sher Nan for July, and Darren and Michelle Huelsman at 708 Andra Drive for August! We would also like to congratulate Mother of Perpetual Help Catholic Church as the Landscape of the Year. Please check out these well kept properties if you need any inspiration for your own landscaping projects around your house.

As noted in the last issue of the Village Gazette, the MCIB recently took charge of the planters that are placed around the village. We devised a new plan for the placement of these planters around town and added new plants. We would like to thank Village Board member Ed Kostyshock and to our own Michelle Vermaux for all of their help with this project. With the summer help from the Village now back to school we have instituted a watering schedule among our board to help keep the flowers and plants looking pretty through the end of the Summer and into early Fall.

In other news, the Maryville Community Improvement Board is still working on a website and we hope to have the site up and running very soon. We plan to have event information,

copies of minutes and agendas, and other news available. Also, please feel free to join the MCIB group on Facebook.

The Board has many activities in process and continues to try to find ways to make the Village of Maryville a great place to live. The MCIB meetings are open to the public and are regularly scheduled for the First Monday of every month at Village Hall at 7 p.m. The next two meetings are scheduled on September 13th and October 4th. Currently, the MCIB has one open position on our board. If you would like to help, please notify Mayor Gullede. As always if you do not want to serve on the board, volunteers are always welcome!

Scott Allen
Chairperson

From the Community:

MARYVILLE OUTREACH CENTER

The Maryville Outreach Center is located at 504 East Division Street (next to the Senior Citizen's Center).

Telephone: 345-9693

E-Mail: maryvilleoutreach@yahoo.com

Food Pantry Hours

Tuesday: 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Thursday: 10:00 a.m. to Noon

Saturday: 10:00 a.m. to Noon

Grandma's Attic Open to the Public Shop Hours

Tuesday 5:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m.

Wednesday 10:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Thursday 10:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Saturday 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Purchase gently used clothes, shoes, small household items, books, toys and lots, lots more.

Donations accepted during business hours only
All proceeds help support the Maryville Outreach Center

Residence Assistance Program

Thursday: 10:00 a.m. to Noon

MARYVILLE COMMUNITY LIBRARY DISTRICT

NEW HOURS

Beginning July 1, 2010 Maryville Community Library's new hours will be:

Monday – Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Friday – Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Book Sale at the Maryville Community Library

There are books of all kinds: the latest fiction, cook books, bios, children's books, and more. Hidden treasures, old favorites, and new discoveries can all be yours for \$3.00 a bag. The on-going book sale is held during regular library hours, six days a week. Stop by and browse. We'll even help you carry books to your car.

Upcoming Programs Sponsored by the Library

"Access to Fishing" Program comes to Maryville Community Library

Rods and reels, provided by Illinois Department of Natural Resources, are available to borrow much like checking out and returning a library book. Tackle packets (containing hooks, sinkers, a bobber, etc.) and instructional fishing literature are also available at no cost for users to keep when they borrow a fishing pole. Come in and check one out!

Saturday Storytime

Join us at Maryville Community Library every Saturday at 10:30 for regular Storytime. Saturday Storytime is an interactive program of stories, crafts, songs, and fun for you and your child. This Storytime is for all ages. No registration is required. Hope to see you there!

Teens @ the Library

If you would like to read a book and discuss it with the Teens @ the Library at their next meeting, stop by the Maryville Community Library to join and receive a free copy of the next book. Sign up by visiting the library, call 618-288-3801, or e-mail mve@maryville.lib.il.us.

LARC (Ladies Adult Reading Club)

LARC meets once a month. If you would like to read a book and join our discussion group, visit the library, call 618-288-3801, or e-mail mve@maryville.lib.il.us.

Fundraiser

The Friends of the Maryville Library have collaborated with "My Books About Me!" This fundraising event allows you to create a personalized child or adult book for many occasions. Take a moment to visit www.mybooksaboutme.net to see these wonderful books. If you wish to participate in this program, the Friends will receive a portion of the proceeds from each book sold. When ordering your book, please remember to select **Friends of the Maryville Library** from the Organization Name drop-down box on the ordering page to guarantee that we receive a portion of each sale. Book samples are available at the library for preview.

Databases

You can access the databases from our home page through Databases and Fun Things in our navigation bar on the left or by clicking on the light green box near the bottom that says "click here for databases" (use library card number and last name to login).

Did You Know???

The Maryville Community Library is part of the Lewis and Clark Library System. This means you can request materials from other libraries, which you can check out and return to any system library.

Book Drop

For your convenience, we have a book drop located on the library's front porch. Please do not place video tapes, CDs, or DVDs in the bookdrop because they can be crushed by books or damaged by extreme temperatures. **Books Only Please!**

The Maryville Community Library is located at 8 Schiber Court off Vadalabene Road. Established in 2006 as a member of the Lewis and Clark Library System. The library offers a schedule of activities including story hours, summer reading programs, book clubs, and programs on a variety of topics. More information about these programs and other library services can be found at the library's web site www.maryville.lib.il.us or by calling 288-3801.

COMMUNITY CHURCHES

First Baptist Church of Maryville

7110 State Route 162 (618) 667-8221
www.FBMaryville.org

Engage Community Rally

**September 22 | 5 p.m. – 9 p.m. | Grades 6 - 12
Open to the Public**

For students in grades 6-12, First Baptist Church Maryville will host "Engage Community Rally" formerly known as "See You at the Pole" on Wednesday, September 22nd from 5 p.m. - 9 p.m. This is going to be an awesome day for students from around the area to unite and pray together. We will have food and games starting at 5 p.m. Our guest speaker will be Stuart Hall, who travels and speaks to thousands of students each year. We hope you can be a part of this awesome day. For more information, contact the church office at 667-8221 or visit www.FBMaryville.org.

Team Impact

**Wednesday, October 13th – Sunday, October 17th
Free & Open to the Public**

Team Impact will be at First Baptist Church Maryville on Wednesday, October 13th through Sunday, October 17th! With demonstrations of astounding feats of strength – such as shattering five feet of concrete with one blow from their massive arms and snapping baseball bats in half with their bare hands – Team Impact members are sure to capture your attention; all to share an inspiring message of hope. Team Impact is a group of world-class athletes, including champion power-lifters, previous WWE wrestlers, and former NFL football players. The men of Team Impact travel the globe motivating and inspiring people of all ages and have performed their amazing presentation in front of millions. To learn more about Team Impact, visit www.team-impact.com. For more information about this event, contact the church office at 667-8221 or visit www.FBMaryville.org.

St. Luke's United Methodist Church

6325 West Main Street
Maryville, IL 62062
(618) 345-9911

Sunday Worship 8:00 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.
Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

What's the Buzz?: A Women's Retreat *A Sweet Taste of the Bee-Attitudes*

St. Luke's United Methodist Church is sponsoring their fourth annual women's retreat on Saturday, September 25, from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM. The retreat will feature praise, prayer and worship, along with a healthy serving of games, prizes, comedy, small group fellowship, and more. A light breakfast and lunch will be served. The event is free; however, participants are asked to bring women's and children's personal or hygiene items for donation to the Maryville Food Pantry. The retreat is open to all women everywhere. Registration ends on September 12, and seating is limited, so sign up now! Call Terri Green in the church office at 345-9911 to reserve your spot.

Jump Start Your Faith Journey with the Alpha Class

St. Luke's United Methodist Church is hosting an Alpha Class in their Fellowship Hall on Sunday evenings from 5:30-8:00 PM beginning September 12 and running through November 21. Alpha is an eleven-week course exploring the Christian Faith. It is conducted in a relaxed, non-threatening, low-key way. Each

session is FREE and includes dinner, a stimulating DVD presentation about some aspect of the Christian faith, and interesting small group discussion. This is a wonderful way to meet new friends. Please come join us, one and all, for this thought-provoking and life-changing class. You do not have to attend or be a member of St. Luke's to participate. Register now by calling the church office at 345-9911.

Disciple Bible Study Classes

St. Luke's United Methodist Church will be offering four Disciple Bible Study options this Fall. For those who aren't familiar with Disciple Bible Study, it is a rich and in-depth study of Scripture conducted over a 32-34 week period. Two-hour classes are held once a week to discuss the previous week's reading assignments. There are no tests and participants are not put on the spot to answer questions or read aloud.

You must complete Disciple I before taking one of the advanced classes. This year, St. Luke's will be offering Disciple I on Monday evenings from 7:00 – 9:00 PM, beginning on September 13, and on Thursday mornings from 9:00 – 11:00 AM, beginning on September 16. In addition, Disciple II will be held on Monday mornings at 10:00 AM, beginning on September 13, and Disciple IV on Sunday evenings at 7:00 PM, starting September 12. You don't know how much you don't know about the Bible and God's teachings until you've been in a Disciple Bible Study Class. You do not have to be a member of St. Luke's to participate. Call the church office at 345-9911 to sign up!

Trivia Night Fundraiser Supporting Liberian Missions

St. Luke's United Methodist Church is hosting a Trivia Night and Silent Auction fundraiser on Saturday, September 11, at 7:00 PM, with doors open at 6:15 PM. The cost is \$100 per table with 8-10 players per table. Beverages must be purchased at the event, but teams are allowed and encouraged to bring their own snacks. All proceeds from this event will support the St. Luke's Mission Team departing for the West African nation of Liberia on October 11. Dust off your thinking cap and come out for a fun night of trivia, while supporting a worthwhile cause. Call the church office at 345-9911 to reserve a table.

Get in Shape for the Holidays

St. Luke's United Methodist Church offers FREE low-impact aerobics classes four days a week. Certified instructor Ann Hale will have you sweatin' to the oldies in no time, and you'll be praising the Lord for muscles you didn't even know you had! Join us on Monday and Thursday evenings at 5:45 PM, and Tuesday and Friday mornings at 8:30 AM. You do not need to be a member of St. Luke's to participate. Also, no need to call ahead --just show up and you're in! Mats and resistance bands are provided. Ben Gay is not!

CENTRAL ILLINOIS COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVES

Following is a list of the Central Illinois Community Blood Center's (CICBC) scheduled blood drives for July in Madison & St. Clair Counties. The CICBC is the exclusive supplier of blood for patients in 19 area hospitals, including Anderson Hospital, Gateway Regional Medical Center, Greenville Regional Hospital, Memorial Hospital - Belleville, Saint Anthony's Health Center, St. Joseph's Hospital, Kenneth Hall Regional Hospital and Touchette Regional Hospital. Please consider donating at one of the below drives. For more information, please contact the CICBC at 618-659-0542.

Date	Blood Drive/Sponsor	Address	City	Time
9/1	Advantage Family Chiropractic	2347 Old Collinsville Road	Belleville	2p-6p
9/2	Greenville Library	414 West Main St.	Greenville	3p-7p
9/2	Central Christian Church	1420 Illini	O'Fallon	4p-7p
9/4	Anchor Bay Lighthouse Church	4396 St. Rt. 162	Granite City	9a-12p
9/7	Memorial Hospital	4500 Memorial Dr.	Belleville	10a-4p
9/9	K of C Hall	12454 St. Rt. 143	Highland	4p-7p
9/9	Madison High School	600 Farrish	Madison	12p-5p
9/9	SIUE	Rte 157	Edwardsville	9a-3p
9/11	YMCA	284 North Seven Hills Road	O'Fallon	10a-2p
9/13	Sanford Brown College	1101 East Port Plaza Drive	Collinsville	1:30p-6:30p
9/15	Anderson Hospital	6800 St Rte 162	Maryville	12p-6p
9/15	Bunker Hill High	314 South Meissner	Bunker Hill	8a-2p
9/16	Gateway Regional Medical Center	2100 Madison Ave	Granite City	10a-3p
9/20	Greater Gateway Associates-Realtors	10 Ginger Creek Pkwy	Glen Carbon	10a-5p
9/20	Main Street United Methodist Church	1400 Main Street	Alton	3p-7p
9/20	First Baptist Church	3899 S. St. Rt. 159	Glen Carbon	3p-7p
9/20	Moose Lodge #272	2521 Maryville Rd	Granite City	3p-7p
9/22	Bradford Nat'l Bank	100 East College	Greenville	11a-5p
9/23	Imaging Center	#3 Professional Dr.	Alton	10a-2p
9/23	SIUE	Rte 157	Edwardsville	9a-3p
9/24	Our Lord's Lutheran	150 Wilma Drive	Maryville	3p-7p
9/24	Milton Chiropractic	3464 E Broadway	Alton	9a-12p
9/25	Maryville Senior Center (Sponsored by SW Illinois Chiropractic	500 East Division	Maryville	11a-2p
9/27	Hartford Elementary	110 West 2 nd Street	Hartford	3p-7p
9/27	Fountains of Troy	39 Dorothy	Troy	2p-6p
9/28	Nameoki United Methodist Church	1900 Pontoon Rd	Granite City	4p-7p
9/29	Shiloh United Methodist Church	210 South Main St	Shiloh	3p-7p
9/29	K of C Hall	7132 Marine Rd	Edwardsville	3p-6:30p

ALLIED WASTE SERVICES

TRASH GUIDELINES

- By law, only **non-hazardous** household **solid** waste can be collected. Liquid waste products **cannot** be collected in a liquid state.
- Non-hazardous liquids can be mixed with an absorbent such as Kitty Litter, but **MUST** be completely dry & with the **lid off the container** to show the driver that it is dried out. Please bag paint cans and place inside your 95 gallon trash cart.
- All services are "curbside" which is placed within four feet (4') of the traveled portion of the adjoining roadway. For collection please place your cart 3-5FT from all objects.
- Trash with yardwaste mixed in **cannot** be collected.
- Loose materials must be bagged and placed inside 95 gallon cart.
- Rubbish (waste that rots and stinks) should be bagged **AND** the bag(s) should be placed in 95 gallon trash carts. Do not overload the container. If the lid is not closed the trash will be subject to wind and nuisance animals. Do not put any flammable or hot materials in the container.
- Trash is limited to the 95 gallon cart provided. Additional carts are available for a charge. Please call customer service to order an additional toter.
- **Bulky Trash** includes any type of solid waste that cannot be placed into the 95 gallon trash cart. There are 2 free city wide bulky trash pick up (dates to be announced). Additional bulky trash pick ups are available at a 3 item limit for a minimum \$50 charge. Price depends on the amount of items out for pick up and is a prepaid service. Bulky trash does

NOT include major appliances, automobile parts or components, or any other such items.

- White Goods are to be scheduled for collection through Allied Waste Customer Service **(618) 656-6883**. An additional prepaid charge of \$20.00 per item will be assessed.
 - **Tires and Car Batteries** will not be collected.
 - Medically necessary needles (**sharps**), such as diabetic syringes will only be collected when in approved sharps containers which are available from your syringe supplier or you may use a puncture proof container with a tightly closed lid.
 - **Construction material** or the materials that result from home remodeling projects will not be picked up as part of normal trash or as bulk trash. Some examples of the materials we are unable to pick up:
 - Cabinets
 - Drywall or sheetrock
 - Wood (e.g., 2X4's, plywood, paneling, peg board)
 - Bathroom fixtures (toilets, tubs, commodes)
 - Kitchen fixtures (cabinets, islands. Etc.)
 - Plumbing (pipes, sinks)
 - Large light fixtures (if the fixture does not fit in a 32-gallon can with the lid secured normally, we are unable to pick up)
 - Roofing material (e.g., shingles, ceramic roof tiles, tar paper, gutters, fascia boards)
 - Siding
- This above list is not all-inclusive. Please contact our Allied Waste Customer Service office to inquire about having construction items picked up for an additional charge.

YARDWASTE GUIDELINES

- Yard waste is a 3 month minimum commitment and is an additional charge to the customer.
- Yardwaste is limited to eight (8) items
- No yardwaste collection during the months of January, February and March.
- Yardwaste with trash mixed in cannot be collected.
- Loose yardwaste must be bagged in standard 30-gallon **PAPER** yardwaste bags or placed in designated 35-gallon cans and should not to exceed 50 pounds.
- **YARDWASTE IN PLASTIC BAGS OR BOXES WILL NOT BE COLLECTED.**
- Customer-owned containers used for yardwaste should be marked with a RED "**X**".
- Any limbs set out for pick up in cans should not exceed 3 inches over the top of the can.
- Tree limbs and branches less than four inches (4") in diameter must be tied (with **TWINE - NO WIRE**) in bundles no bigger than four feet (4') long by twenty-four inches (24") in diameter; however, no bundle is to weigh more than fifty (50) pounds. Limbs and branches four inches (4") or more in diameter are considered Bulky Trash.
- Christmas trees will be collected at no additional charge the first two weeks of January. The tree must be free of all decorations including tinsel, garland, ornaments and lights. The tree must also be cut shorter than four feet (4') in length.

RECYCLE GUIDELINES

Every other Week Service: Madison County will provide a 64 gallon recycle cart. Recycle will be picked up every other Friday. See attached for a current list of acceptable recycling materials and pick up schedule.

COLLECTION SCHEDULES

Your Customer Service center will advise you of your current collection schedules. In order to insure collection of your trash, yardwaste, and recycling, please put them out for collection at the curbside **BY 6:00 AM on your scheduled collection day.**

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

There will be no collections on New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day or Christmas Day. The change in service days will be for that day on which the holiday falls. If the holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday no change in weekly trash pickup will occur. – When the holiday falls on a weekday, **ALL** days following a holiday **ROLL**.

For Example:

If the holiday is on a Monday:
Monday goes on Tuesday
Tuesday goes on Wednesday
Wednesday goes on Thursday
Thursday goes on Friday
Friday goes on Saturday

CUSTOMER SERVICE: The Allied Waste Customer Service Department is open to receive telephone calls from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday of each week, excluding holidays.

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