

# FREE Midweek Brief

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## GO and Play Macombopoly!!!

Macombopoly begins Thursday on Macomb's Historic Downtown Square!

Check it out this weekend along with the Spring Vendor Market with over 80 Vendors, local sidewalk sales, MAC Spring Art Market and Macomb's new escape room, MJ's Escape!



## Record-Breaking Generosity: Western Challenge Day of Giving Raises \$432,198 for WIU

MACOMB/MOLINE, IL - The Western Challenge Day of Giving, held on April 24, was a testament to the unwavering dedication of Western Illinois University's donor community. On Purple and Gold Day, 1,165 donors across all 50 states united in generosity to raise a record-breaking \$432,198. This remarkable achievement speaks volumes about Leatherneck Nation's commitment to advancing WIU.

This year's event also saw an unprecedented amount of match and challenge funds pledged, exceeding \$135,000, significantly contributing to its success. The overwhelming support during the Western Challenge marks a significant milestone for WIU, setting a new standard for philanthropic impact within Leatherneck Nation.

"Today and every day, our donors demonstrate the influence of philanthropy on Western's growth and the transformative opportunities it provides for our students," Clare Thompson, vice president for Advancement, Alumni Relations, and Athletics said. "We are beyond grateful for their support, which allows us to build a brighter future for Western and all who call it home."

"With so many exciting developments underway at Western Illinois University, from the construction of the Center for Performing Arts to plans for a new Financial and Com-

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### Read in Friday's Community News Brief

- Local High School Spring Sport Pictures
- Local Real Estate Transactions

Neighbors Taking Care of Neighbors...



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POLICE REPORTS

McDonough County Sheriff

4/27

Jaya Renee Lewis, 21, Chicago, was charged with DUI/alcohol

Chanon Hakeem Davis, 30, Macomb, was arrested on a McDonough County warrant, DUI/alcohol

Robyn Anastasia Oliver, 27, Macomb, was charged with aggravated unlawful use of a weapon  
Calvin Charles Chavez, 23, Macomb, was arrested on a McDonough County body attachment warrant

Courtney Hanae Brown, 21, Chicago, was arrested on a McDonough County warrant

4/28

Dave Maguire, 74, Macomb, was charged with DUI/alcohol

Dalton Wayne Maynard, 32, Niota, was arrested on a foreign warrant

4/29

Porshay Damarianna Williams, 19, Chicago, was charged with domestic battery

David Andrew Hammack, 34, Bushnell, was charged with drivers license revoked or suspended

Dale Kendall Daugherty, 65, Canton, was charged with driving with suspended license

Macomb Police Department

4/26

Mujeeb O. Ayoola, 20, Chicago, was charged with speeding over statutory limit, op wipers w/o headlights/1/2nd, disregarding stop sign, improper signal

4/27

Ava M. Ruggles, 19, Aledo, wa charged with misrepresentation of age by a minor/possession of false ID

Curtis D. Cassidy, 45, Adair, was charged with careless driving

Jacob R. Long, 20, Carthage, was charged with purchase, acceptance, possession, consumption of alcohol

4/28

Ryan K. Muhleman, 54, Bushnell, was charged with disorderly conduct

Preston J. Carle, 25, Macomb, was charged with failure to give information after striking unattended vehicle, failure to reduce speed, operating an un-insured motor vehicle

4/29

Shelton E. Sharkey, 30, Macomb, was charged with prohibitive noises

McDonough County Real Estate Tax Bills

The McDonough County Real Estate Tax Bills were all mailed on Wednesday, May 1, 2024. If you have not received your tax bill in approximately 10 days, please contact the McDonough County Treasurer's Office (309) 833-2032 and we can make arrangements to mail a duplicate tax bill. If you have an address change, please contact the McDonough County Supervisor of Assessments Office (309) 833-5305 and update that record.

The due dates for the real estate tax bills for 2023 payable in 2024 is Friday, June 7, 2024 for the first installment and Friday, September 6, 2024 for the second installment.

You may pay your real estate tax bill at most of the banks in McDonough County through the date of the second installment. You must take your tax bill with the attached tax stubs with you to pay at the bank. You may also pay in person at the McDonough County Treasurer's Office, by mail, the silver drop-box located on the sidewalk on the southside of the Courthouse (tax stub with check in sealed envelope), or online payments with a credit/debit card on the county website: mcg.mcdonough.il.us and choose the County Treasurer and read and follow the directions. Please note that payments made after 4pm at the drop-box are on the next business day.

TODAY'S JOKES

Q: What do you call a policeman sleeping in bed?  
A: An undercover cop!

Q: What do you call a doctor who fixes websites?  
A: A URL-ologist!

Owl Storage advertisement with QR code and 50% off offer.

Macomb Audiology & Hearing Aid Center advertisement featuring Dr. Christine M. Standard.

Vintage Treasures & Toys advertisement for Antiques & More.

Jojo's Video Poker & Slots advertisement for Hump Day Happy Hour.

Community News Brief advertisement with contact information and subscription details.

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Obituaries Sponsored by **CT** **Clugston-Tibbitts Funeral Home and Monuments** Macomb | Blandinsville **ctfh@macomb.com** **309-833-2188**

## Death Notices

### Max D. Sayers

94, of Industry

Max D. Sayers, 94, of Industry passed away at 10:40 p.m. Wednesday, May 1, 2024 at the Elms Nursing Home in Macomb.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 6, 2024 at Clugston-Tibbitts Funeral Home in Macomb with Pastors Jeremy Westlake and Charles Walden officiating.

Burial will be in Pennington Point Cemetery west of Adair with full military rites being conducted by the Macomb American Legion and Macomb VFW.

Memorials may be made to West Prairie Presbyterian Church. You may leave condolences and sign the guest book online at clugston-tibbitts.com.

### Fred G. Kinlaw Jr.

60, Blandinsville, formerly of Vancleave, MS

Fred G. Kinlaw Jr., born August 15, 1963, passed away on April 16, 2024.

There will be a Celebration of Life at Glenwood Park Shelter House in Macomb, IL, on Friday, May 10 at 4:30pm.

### Davie Lee McCoy

82, of Macomb

Davie Lee McCoy, 82, of Macomb, passed away at 5:00 PM Thursday May 2, 2024 at his residence.

Services will be at 10:30 AM Friday May 10, 2024 at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Macomb. Visitation will be Thursday May 9, from 5-7 PM at the Dodsworth-Piper-Wallen Funeral Home. Burial will be in Camp Creek Cemetery. Memorial Contributions may be made to Colchester Friendway Field. Please sign guestbook or leave condolences at www.dodsworthfh.com.

Death notices (name, death date and services) run free of charge. Families who wish to have a complete obituary published in the Tuesday or Friday Community News Brief newspaper (including picture, family, work history, hobbies and other information) should request the Community News Brief to the funeral home that is handling the services OR submit it directly to communitybrief@gmail.com. Cost is \$45 and includes a laminated copy of the obituary.

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### David A. Paisley

91, of Macomb

David A. Paisley, 91, of Macomb, passed away at 9:07 AM Sunday April 28, 2024 at the Lamoine Assisted Living and Memory Care in Macomb.

A celebration of his life will be at Wesley United Methodist Church on May 18, 2024 at 11AM with Pastor Scott Grulke and Pastor Melly Momo officiating. Visitation will be from 9-11AM. Luncheon will be served following the service.

Burial of the ashes will be in Ripley, IL cemetery at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be made to Wesley United Methodist Church or the Joseph and Mary Stipanowich Math Scholarship Fund at WIU. Dodsworth-Piper-Wallen Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Please sign the guestbook at www.dodsworthfh.com.

### Kay Ellen Haskins

75, of Marietta

Kay Ellen Haskins, 75, of Marietta, passed away at 3:24 am on May 1, 2024 at OSF St. Francis Hospital in Peoria.

Cremation Rites were accorded by Martin-Hollis Funeral Home. Services will be held privately. In lieu of flowers memorials are suggested to the Marietta Fire Department. Please sign the guestbook and leave condolences at www.martinhollisfh.com.

### Judy Eileen Reynolds

75, of Table Grove

Judy Eileen Reynolds, 75, of Table Grove passed away at 8:37 a.m. Monday, April 29, 2024, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield.

A visitation took place on Saturday, May 4, 2024 at Shawgo Memorial Home in Astoria. Interment will be private at a later date. Memorials may be made to the Industry United Methodist Church Food Pantry or the Ipava Christian Church. For more information or to leave an online condolence visit <http://shawgomemorialhome.com/>.

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### Theresa M. McMullen

of Bushnell, formerly of Table Grove

Theresa Marie McMullen, Bushnell, formerly of Table Grove, passed away May 2, 2024.

Visitation was held Sunday, May 5 at Shawgo Memorial Home in Astoria. A funeral mass was held on Monday, May 6 at St. Paul Catholic Church in Macomb. Burial was in Woodland Cemetery immediately following services.

Please view the full obituary sign the guestbook or leave condolences at [www.shawgomemorialhome.com](http://www.shawgomemorialhome.com).

### Timothy James McDonald

64, of Macomb

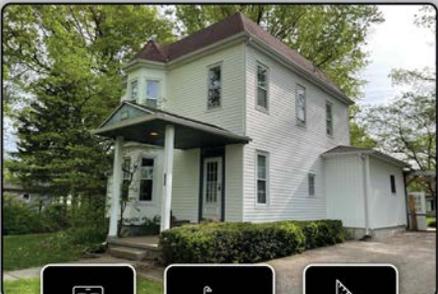
Timothy James McDonald passed away Friday, May 3, 2024, at the Elms in Macomb, Illinois.

Private graveside services will be held in Oakwood Cemetery. A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be given to the McDonough County Humane Society, MDH Hospice, or the First Presbyterian Church.

Dodsworth-Piper-Wallen Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Please sign the guestbook and leave condolences at [www.dodsworthfh.com](http://www.dodsworthfh.com).

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# Community Calendar

## *Blandinsville*

### **WEDNESDAYS**

#### **Christian Church Youth Program**

Every Wednesday for 5th grade thru High School students from 4-5:30pm throughout the school year.

### **THURSDAYS**

#### **After-School Program**

Blandinsville Christian Church After-School Program will be held every Thursday for Kindergarten through High School students from 4:00pm until 5:00pm throughout the school year.

### **SATURDAYS**

#### **Story Hour and Crafts**

Saturdays at The Blandinsville-Hire Library at 10 AM. Snacks available. Check out the many new kids and young adult books. Spend some time at the library and take a book home to read!

### **THURSDAY, MAY 9-11**

#### **136th Blandinsville Farmers Picnic**

There will be carnival rides, Baking contest, kids tractor pull, Kiddie parade, fishing derby, food and so much more.

## *Bushnell*

### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 8**

#### **BPC Kindergarten Screening**

2-5:30 pm. Call the school (309) 772-9464 for an appointment.

### **FRIDAY, MAY 10**

#### **BPC Pre-School Screening**

8am-2pm. Call the school (309) 772-0464 for an appointment.

### **SUNDAY, MAY 19**

#### **Class of 2024 Graduation Ceremony**

at 2pm in the B-PC High School Gym.

### **FRIDAY, MAY 24**

#### **B-PC FFA Alumni Bingo Night**

at the VFW more details coming.

## *Colchester*

### **EVERY MONDAY**

#### **Colchester Library Story Hour**

from 10:45-11:45am. Books, crafts, songs and fun!



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### **FRIDAY, MAY 10 & SATURDAY, MAY 11**

#### **City Wide Yard Sales**

Colchester will be having City Wide Yard Sales on May 10th and 11th just in time for clean up days the following weekend!

### **FRIDAY, MAY 17**

#### **City Wide Cleanup**

Non-Acceptable items are: Tires, Batteries (car size), Yard waste, Propane tanks, Large amounts of construction material (doors, windows, railroad ties, siding, etc.), Hazardous chemicals (weed killers, insecticides, etc.), Motor oil, anti-freeze, etc., Televisions or computer monitors and Large quantities of ashes. Please pick up/clean up refuse from your property and put it curbside no sooner than May 15th!

## *Industry*

### **SATURDAY, MAY 11**

#### **Industry Fire Department Fun Run**

Registration starts at 11AM, Ride starts at 1PM. \$20 per vehicle/driver, \$10 per additional rider. Riders 15 years old - 0 are free. You must be at least 16 to drive. Anyone under 18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult. There will be concessions nearby before & after the ride. There will be parking for trailers. Please message the Industry Fire Department if you have questions.

## *Macomb*

### **FRIDAY, APRIL 26**

#### **One book One community Festival Event**

5:30-7:30 pm.

### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 8**

#### **The Page Turners Book Club**

meets the second Wednesday of every month from 4:30-5:30pm in the Macomb Public Library Meeting room. The public is invited to attend.

### **THURSDAY, MAY 9**

#### **Unveiling of Macombopoly Game**

We invite everyone to join us at 11am for a very unique ceremony to honor one of Unforgettable Forgottonia's most illustrious daughters - Lizzie Magie, inventor of the game Monopoly! Witness the transformation of Macomb's historic Downtown Square into the World's Largest Monopoly Game! This one-of-a-kind permanent attraction will feature not only giant game pieces but an immersive state of the art app which allows visitors and gamers to play the world's most popular board game around the entire 4,000 feet length of the Macomb Square developed with our partners at eATLAS.

Submit your calendar item or photo to [communitybrief@gmail.com](mailto:communitybrief@gmail.com)

### **MAY 9 - MAY 11 (WHILE SUPPLIES LAST)**

#### **Big Brother, Big Sisters Plant Sale**

Shop from over 150 different varieties of annuals and hanging baskets from 8am-7pm at Fortress Bank, 500 E. Jackson, Macomb.

### **FRIDAY, MAY 10**

#### **McDonough County Retired**

#### **Teachers Meeting**

at Trinity Lutheran Church, 123 S. Campbell, Macomb, at 9am. The Speaker is Brenda Sayre: Your Family's Treasures, A Link to the Past but What About the Future, Instillation of 2024-25 Officers, Announcement of scholarship winner.

### **SATURDAY, MAY 11**

#### **Market on the Square Pop-up Event**

from 10am - 3pm Inside of Square in Downtown Macomb. Vendor applications are now open! To apply go to: <https://forms.gle/ygYLZxLsTxV9tJURA>

### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 15**

#### **Antiques & Collectibles Club**

will meet at 7 p.m. in the Community Room at City Hall. This month's speaker will be Bill Taylor of River City Coins and Appraisals in Burlington, IA. All meetings are open to the public.

### **SATURDAY, MAY 18**

#### **Class of 2024 Graduation Ceremony**

7:30 PM at Western Hall, Western Illinois University

### **SUNDAY, MAY 19**

#### **Legion All You Can Eat Breakfast**

Sons of the American Legion All You Can Eat Breakfast from 7-10:30am at the American Legion Post 6, 221 E. Washington St. Open to the public. \$8 per person, \$7 for Seniors 55 and up, children 6 and under are free.

## *Plymouth*

### **SUNDAY, MAY 26**

#### **Little Creek Alpacas Beach Party**

Come out to Little Creek Alpacas (2105 N 50th Rd, Plymouth, IL) from 1pm-5pm for our 2024 Alpaca Beach Party Season Grand Opening! There will be vendors and the Quesal Puppet Troupe will be performing a special puppet show around 1:30pm. Carol Jean & Jera will be playing live music from 2:30pm-5pm. Regal Face Painting will be joining us with her artistic skills (please note, face painting is cash only), and we will also have a Rock Painting Station (free will donation). Coolers are allowed this year if you'd like to pack some drinks & snacks.

## *Beardstown*

### **SATURDAY, MAY 18**

#### **Kirsta Anderson Benefit**

at the RoundHouse Event Center in Beardstown from 11am-10pm. \$10 cover charge includes: 1 meal & kids activities. Live music, bounce houses, silent auction, bake sale, basketball, Bingo, wiffle ball, kick ball, Texas Hold'em tourney, 50/50 raffle, bags tourney & face painting.



**The Cafe**

Ready for some music to start the weekend? We have Pomatone playing for us from 5:30-7:30pm on Wednesday, May 8. On Thursday, May 9 we have local talent with Open Mic night from 8pm-midnight. Stop back in on Friday, May 10 we have New House (Droopy) taking the stage from 9-midnight.

**Blandinsville Farmers Picnic**

Stop by Slup's during the Blandinsville Farmers Picnic to check out JAB on Saturday, May 11 from 8pm-midnight. Jab is a band full of seasoned musical Veterans. Having played extensively in the midwest and Eastern states. JAB plays songs covering 6 decades and many Genres. Rock and Classic Rock music made to dance and have a great time.

**Gold Hills Golf Club**

Come out to Gold Hills on Friday, May 10 we have Mike Murphy bringing his talent on Friday, May 10th from 5:30pm - 8pm. Stop out and show Mike your love for live music. We look forward to seeing everyone.

**Macomb Farmers Market, Chandler Park**

The Macomb Farmers Market will host local guitarist and vocalist Bob Logan during the Saturday, May 11 Farmers Market (held from 8 am to noon in Chandler Park). Starting at 10 am on Saturday, Bob will be performing free in the Chandler Park Gazebo. All are invited to come enjoy the music."

Submit calendar items to [communitybrief@gmail.com](mailto:communitybrief@gmail.com)

**WIU**

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modities Trading Lab on our Macomb campus and advancements like the Bilingual Early Learning Center and renovated Chemistry lab on our WIU Quad Cities Campus, our donors have truly elevated this year's Day of Giving to be "The Next Big Thing" for our University and our students," Tim Hallinan, director of Annual Giving said.

The Western Challenge, a pivotal annual tradition since 2016, plays a significant role in Western's fundraising efforts, supporting the WIU Foundation's Annual Fund campaign. This year's contributions will support various campus initiatives, including academics, athletics, campus improvements, student retention initiatives, student life enhancements and scholarship opportunities.

For those inspired to make a difference or learn more about the impact their generosity can have, visit [wiu.edu/give](http://wiu.edu/give), email [wiufoundation@wiu.edu](mailto:wiufoundation@wiu.edu), or contact the WIU Foundation at (309) 298-1861.

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## Vintage Connection Open House Friday



Meet Sirina Waddell; she recently opened Vintage Connection located at 409 West Main Street in Bushnell, IL. Her shop is filled with unique and beautiful items from all over the world, showcasing her Thai heritage and many

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**Memorial to my brother  
Richard Haskins**  
Eternity In View



inherited eternal death.

Hebrews 9:27 *And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment.*

We have all heard of the word hell in some way. Hell is a real place and is the place of eternal judgement for sin.

Revelation 20:14-15 *And death and hell were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death. And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire.*

The good news is the story does not end there. God made the way for the judgement of sin to be paid. The Eternal God left heaven to become a man to die for sin, in our place.

Romans 5:8 *But God commendeth His love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.*

Most people have heard the name of Jesus Christ in some way. Jesus is God come in the flesh.

Luke 2:11 *For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.*

Matthew 1:23 *Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call His name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us.*

Jesus was born to die on a cross for our sins.

John 19:17-18 *And He bearing His cross went forth into a place called the place of a skull, which is called in the Hebrew Golgotha: Where they crucified Him, and two other with Him, on either side one, and Jesus in the midst.*

1 Peter 2:24 *Who His own self bare our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness.*

Sin has been paid in full but does not mean we are all saved from the judgement of sin. It is more than knowledge of Jesus life and His death over 2,000 years ago. You must by faith

trust Jesus died on the cross for you to give you eternal life.

John 3:16 *For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.*

For God so loved the world is everyone who is born. **that He gave His only begotten Son** Jesus came to die for the sins of the world. **that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish** is whosoever trust Jesus death, burial, and His resurrected life from the dead for the payment of their sins shall not perish in the second death. **but have everlasting life** is you trusting Jesus death on the cross in the place of your own sin and death, He gives you eternal life.

We will not see eternity until we die. Only by faith in Jesus Christ are we able to view eternity. The only way to see eternal life is to trust Jesus died for you on the cross, His burial and resurrection from the dead the third day as the only payment for eternal death.

John 6:47 *Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on Me hath everlasting life.*

There are no other options of everlasting existence after death. Heaven

is where eternal life is, hell is where eternal death is.

God loves you so much He will give eternal life to anyone who will trust Him.

John 3:15 *That whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have eternal life.*

Come trust Jesus gave His life for you so He could give His life to you.

Acts 16:31 *Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved.*

The moment you trust Jesus to save you from eternal death to give you eternal life He did.

1 John 5:11 *And this is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in His Son.*

Tell Jesus you are trusting Him to save you and give you eternal life.

Today Jesus I believe your death on the cross was for me to pay what I owe for my sins. I am trusting you as my Saviour from sin and eternal death and be my only way to heaven. Thank you for saving me and giving me eternal life.

Richard had this testimony that he believed Jesus died for him and gave him eternal life.

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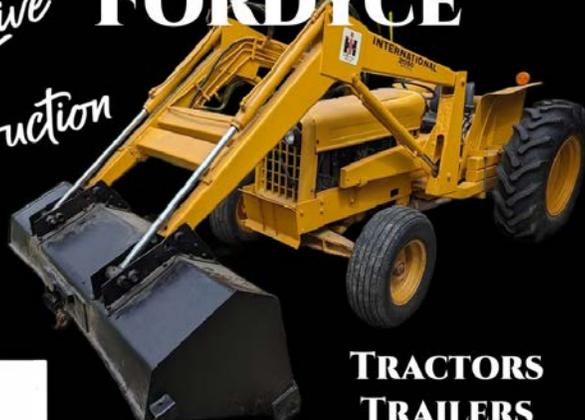
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*Any Questions, please feel free to call Jackie at: Home: 309-837-5790 or cell 309-313-3864*

### MCDONOUGH COUNTY PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION REGULAR PART-TIME CDL DRIVER POSITIONS

The City of Macomb, Illinois is currently seeking applications to fill regular part-time CDL driver position in the Public Transportation Department. Applicants must be at least 21 years of age, have a high school diploma or equivalent and have a valid driver's license. A Class B CDL license with passenger endorsement is required within 180 days of employment.

The CDL driver is responsible for providing public transportation to the general public and disabled individuals certified under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) utilizing fixed routes within the City of Macomb. Evening and weekend availability needed.

The salary range for the position is \$18.08/hr. to \$24.10/hr. For individuals that do not have a CDL at the time of hire, the non-CDL pay rate would apply until the CDL license is obtained. A DOT pre-employment physical, drug screen and background investigation will be required prior to employment. McDonough County residency required.

City of Macomb permanent part-time benefits include prorated vacation/personal/holiday pay and IMRF retirement benefits.

General employment applications are available at the Mayor's Office in Macomb City Hall; 232 E. Jackson Street, Macomb, IL or on-line at: <https://cityofmacomb.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/APPLICATION-FOR-EMPLOYMENT-.pdf>

Completed applications for this position must be returned to the Mayor's Office in City Hall no later than 5:00 p.m. on **May 17, 2024.**

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### MCDONOUGH COUNTY PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION TEMPORARY PART-TIME CDL DRIVER

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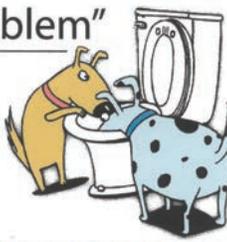
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The City of Macomb, Illinois is currently seeking applications to fill a position in the Wastewater Division of the City of Macomb Public Works Department. The position to be filled is a Maintenance Worker. Once the correct license is obtained, advancement can be made to Operator I.

This position assists in completing tasks related to the operation and maintenance of the City's Wastewater Treatment Plant. The successful applicant shall have the ability to operate small equipment and hand tools; operate heavy equipment, as qualified; and perform manual labor to complete assigned tasks. Following directions and performing recordkeeping are essential. Working safely and independently in an environment that is sometimes undesirable is required.

A Class B CDL license is required within 180 days of employment. Residency within McDonough County will be required along with a pre-employment physical, drug screen and background investigation. High school diploma or GED required. An Operator I position requires appropriate licensing.

The salary range is \$35,501.27 - \$50,119.45. City of Macomb full-time benefits include group health and life insurance; optional dental and vision insurance through payroll deduction, paid vacation, sick leave, and personal leave; deferred compensation plan option; cafeteria plan option; and IMRF retirement benefits.

General employment applications are available at Macomb City Hall; 232 E. Jackson Street, Macomb, IL or on-line at: <https://cityofmacomb.com/employmentapplication/>

Completed applications for this position must be returned to the Mayor's Office in City Hall no later than **5:00 p.m. May 14, 2024.**

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### CITY OF MACOMB WATER TREATMENT MANAGER

**Full-Time** Pay range: **\$64,500-\$86,300**  
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The Water Treatment Manager is responsible for oversight of the water treatment plant and distribution system. They provide ongoing supervision and coordination of the water production staff including work schedules, assigning and reviewing work, training, evaluating performance, interviewing, and recommending the hiring, evaluation and discipline of employees. Keeps and maintains variety of records in the department. The Water Treatment Manager assists the Public Works Director in developing and managing the operating budget, assessing and specifying Capital needs, and the procurement of materials and supplies.

**Qualifications:**

- Graduation from an accredited institution with a bachelor's degree in a relevant discipline
- Preferred minimum of 5 years of experience in water treatment and distribution
- Possession of a valid Illinois Class A Water Operator's Certificate or ability to obtain one within 6 months
- Preferred minimum of 5 years of experience in relevant supervision and management of employees
- Relevant training and experience may be substituted in lieu of education and experience requirements.

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 G L L E C P T R I P S H D L R I Z O D Y  
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 R P L F T I A S B T H M O R I N S F A O T  
 B W O R D S P C T A V T S A O V E L F E  
 P R Z Z E N S H A D E M V E R F O N F N

Find the following words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally and backwards.

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|-----------|---------|----------|----------|
| BACKYARD  | GARDEN  | PLANNING | SHADE    |
| BEDS      | HARVEST | RAIN     | SOIL     |
| COMPOST   | HOSE    | RAISED   | SUNLIGHT |
| CULTIVATE | MEASURE | ROOTS    | TILL     |
| DEPTH     | NURTURE | SEASON   | WATER    |
| FERTILIZE | PESTS   | SEEDLING | WEEDS    |

# STRANGE BUT TRUE

By Lucie Winborne

\* Forget "hair of the dog" -- a banana milkshake sweetened with honey is one of the best ways to cure a hangover. The banana helps calm the stomach while the honey builds up depleted blood sugar levels.

\* If you sign up for the National Do Not Call Registry, anyone who places a sales call to your number can be fined up to \$40,654 per call.

\* Asian hair grows 30% faster than Caucasian hair.

\* The rainbow eucalyptus tree sheds strips of bark as it grows, revealing a green inner layer that changes color over time, taking on vibrant blue, purple and orange hues.

\* Java junkies, did you know that when coffee spread from Arabia to Europe, some people called it a "Muslim drink" and wanted it banned? Fortunately, it became widely accepted when the Pope tried a cup and liked it enough to declare it a Christian beverage.

\* In much of the U.S. it is illegal to buy a new car directly from the manufacturer.

\* Japanese scientists successfully created an MRI machine that can record dreams and reconstruct them for you to watch while you're awake.

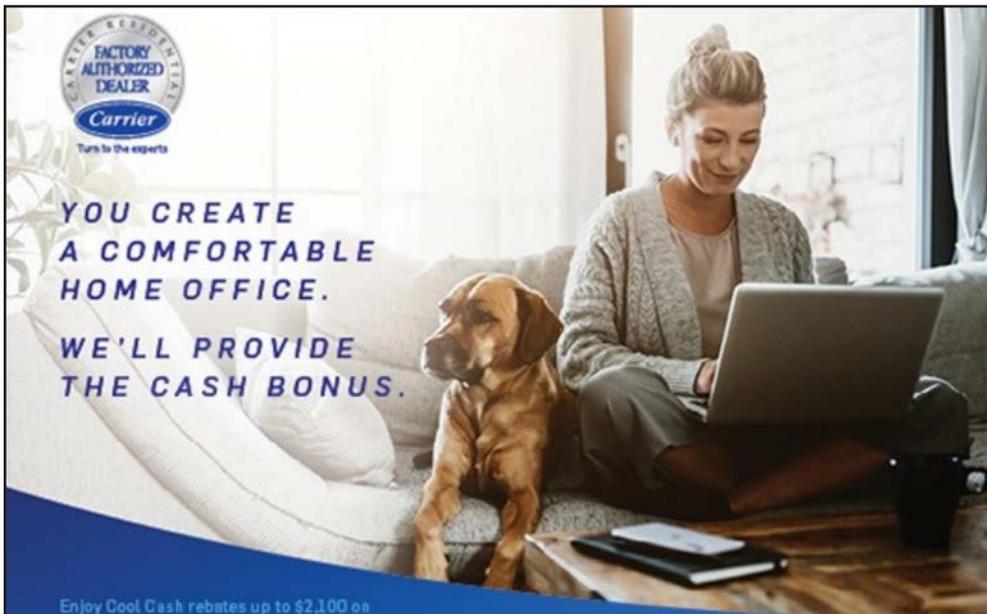
\* In 1818, the U.S. began building a fort near the New York-Quebec border to defend against invasions from Canada. After two years they realized the fort was actually on the Canadian side. The abandoned project was appropriately named Fort Blunder.

\* Blue-eyed people have the highest rate of alcohol dependence.

\* Ever wonder if you have a doppelganger? Head on over to Twinstrangers.com, where you can register to find your lookalike from anywhere in the world by uploading photos, selecting your facial features, and looking through matches.

Thought for the Day: "A wise man can learn more from a foolish question than a fool can learn from a wise answer." -- Bruce Lee

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**FOR SALE:** 1985 700 Yamaha Maximum, 29,000 actual miles, windshield, black saddlebag, 250 amp radio, excellent condition. \$1500 OBO. Call 309-333-7979.

**FOR SALE:** 1999 Chevy Silverado pickup truck. Long bed with bed liner and single cab. 103,000 miles, 2 owners. 5.3 engine. Always kept up on oil changes and maintenance. \$4000. Call 309-333-3119.

**FOR SALE:** 2018 red Chrysler Pacifica, 115,000 miles, \$20,000 OBO. Call 309-221-2904.

**FOR SALE:** 2006 Chevrolet Equinox, 191,000 miles, runs and drives well, looks good. \$2800. We also take trade-ins. A-1 Automotive, 1002 E. Jackson St., Macomb.

**FOR SALE:** 2002 Pontiac Grand Prix, runs and drives good. \$1000. A-1 Automotive, 1002 E. Jackson St., Macomb.

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**FOR SALE:** French Bulldog Puppies, AKC registered, Black & tan, blue w/ tan points, first shots, dewormed, health certified, ready 9/23. Taking deposits \$1500-\$2000. Serious inquiries only. Contact 309-326-8723.

**FOR SALE:** One crypt in the Bushnell Mausoleum. \$550. Call 309-221-1959.

**FOR SALE:** Simplicity zero turn mower, good condition, 33" deck, Briggs & Stratton 18.5 HP motor. \$1000. Call 309-333-7974.

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## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:** Sturdy folding table 30 in. by 6 ft. Like new. Light ivory color. \$99. Phone: 309-836-2066.

**FOR SALE:** 17' Delhi Aluminum Canoe \$250. Call 309-333-3458 for more information.

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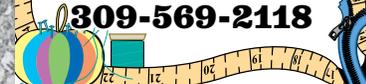
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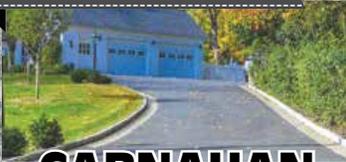


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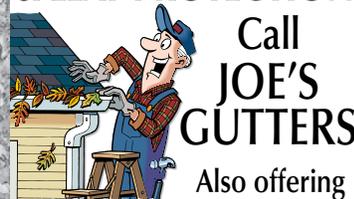
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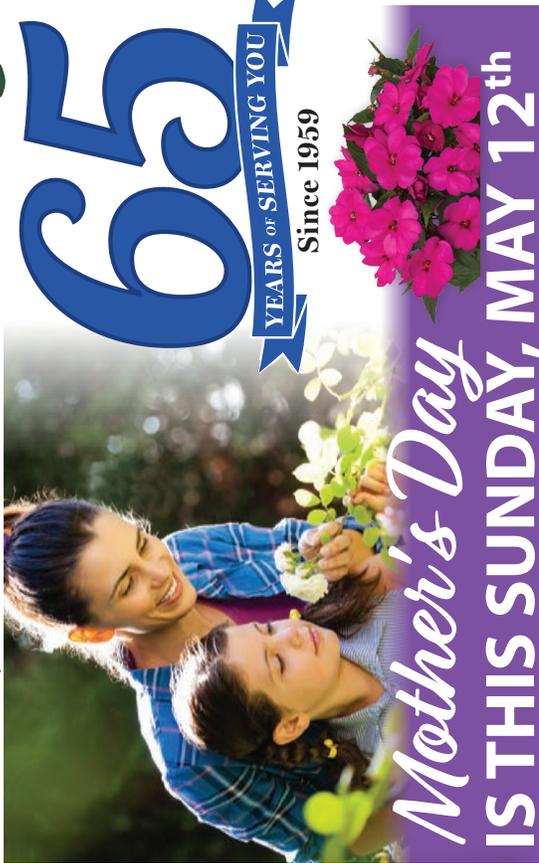


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