

Drive 4UR Community



Don and Debbie Mertz with Patty Evansco display the \$1800 check received from the Ford Motor Company sponsored "Drive 4UR Community" that was held on May 10, 2019. Thank you to the 90 people that came out to drive. For every test drive taken, Ford Motor Company donated \$20 to the cause, for a total up to \$6,000 per event. You are not obligated or pressured to purchase a car, and nobody will contact you afterwards. This is an event for communities that have Ford dealers. We hope you will consider participating in the next "Drive 4UR Community".

Darleen Slovinski was appointed the "official" Quilt Raffle Marshal and did a great job conducting the Quilt Raffle.



From Below The Tower



Patty Evansco

Be heat smart! Keep hydrated by sipping water, iced tea or other beverages throughout the day, keep cool with air conditioning or cool showers, wear light layers, and come to the Senior Center or go to the library to give your body a break from extreme temperatures.

Remember to sign up to receive Code Red on both your home and cell phones and keep your cell phone charged, in case of power outage. You or a family member can sign up for Code Red Alerts on the Village of Millstadt website.

June went by quickly and things are constantly changing here. Jaysa Pfaff from Garden Place came and played bingo and brought everyone a surprise goody bag for prizes. St Paul's Home was here also for Bingo and brought lots of treats for prizes. MCS Teachers Association came for bingo and brought gifts and ice cream and they also helped with lunch. Carol Ashton came with crafting and made beautiful 4th of July centerpieces. On June 19th the quilters were honored with a delicious brunch and gifts of lotion to show our appreciation.

Our big day was Friday, June 21st we started at 7am with an elevator inspection and passed, then we had Mascoutah Senior Center come over to Wii bowl with us and that was lots of fun, and then we had the Quilt Raffle drawing and all three winners were members of St James, and then I went to the Cardinal Game that night and seen Albert Pujols, that was one busy and exciting day! Have a safe

4th of July and enjoy your family.

Let's Take A Ride Over The Bridge And Stop For Ice Cream At Oberweis' on Telegraph Road. July 24 1:00 pm



Thrift Store-New Extended Hours

The Pennywise Thrift Shop, located on the second floor of the Community Center, will be open one evening each month on the third Wednesday, starting July 17, from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm. The thrift shop offers a changing selection of clothing of all sizes, including children's sizes, kitchen and other household items. So if you need kitchen items for a new household or apartment, come shopping at the Pennywise first. Items are not marked with prices but cash donations are accepted. The Pennywise Thrift Shop is also open each week-day from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. All proceeds from the thrift shop support the Millstadt Senior Center. Shop local

Bus Trip

We will enjoy the view as we head to Oberweis Ice Cream Shop. We will stop by JB Cemetery and drive through in the bus and perhaps we may see some deer. We will stop for ice cream before heading home. Spots are limited so please be courteous to your neighbors and sign up only if this trip fits your schedule for the day.

Wednesday, July 31st at 1:00 pm Meet at Senior Center RSVP is required

Millstadt Swimming Pool

The Millstadt swimming pool opened May 25 and will close September 2, 2019. Ashley Crannage is the manager and Macy Copeland the assistant manager.



The hours of operation are 11:00 am to 8:00 pm. Call 476-

3205 for information on passes, swim meets, swim lessons and private splash parties.

Age Smart has required that all volunteers for the Millstadt Community Center undergo a background check, this is a condition of the Grant that is received by the Center. These checks are done to protect not only our clients but our volunteers and employees as well.

Please provide copies of your drivers license by July 30th. If you do not have a printer at home the Center will be happy to make a copy for you.

The Background checks will be completed by the Millstadt Police Department.

Why Are All Those Cars Parked At The McDonald's Lot?

It's 11:45 am and the empty lot north of the Community Center is filling with cars, trucks and even golf carts. What goes on behind those thick brick walls with some of the Village's most beautiful flowers? Well, lots of things and on July 19, a Friday, your invited to enjoy a lunch, visit with friends, make new friends and check out the various activities and services offered at the Senior Center. To start with, a delicious hot lunch is served each week-day at exactly noon. A monthly menu sheet is available in each monthly Senior Talk Newsletter and additional copies are available inside the Senior Center. Meals are provided by the local IGA, Breadeaux's, Schubert's Smokehouse or China King. For a suggested donation of \$4.50, your lunch will include an entrée, vegetable, bread, dessert and beverage. What a deal, but wait, let's remember that our tax dollars support this program and funds are received from the federal, state, township and village level. In addition. donations, fund raisers, like the BBQ, guilt raffles, buncos, Thrift Store, and the annual purse and jewelry sale ensure the continuation of the meal programs including the home delivered meal program or MOWS.

The Sandra M. Bereitschaft Foundation provides additional financial support to the MOWS program. Trivia night, annual dinner, grants and donations allow the SMBF to provide additional support to the MOWS program.

Without all the fundraisers, donations, grants and government support the programs could not continue with just the \$4.50 suggested donation. To deliver one MOWS it costs over \$11.00. Meal costs, container costs, transportation costs, administrative costs all add up to that \$11.00 figure.

We do request that reservations are made for the JULY 19, meal by calling 476-3731 the day before. So, make your reservation, and stop by your Senior Center for a delicious hot meal, and see why all those cars are parked on the "McDonald's" parking lot.

Laminating Tuesdays

If you need something laminated please stop by on Tuesdays and we would be glad to laminate for you free of charge.

Accepting Applications



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Village of Millstadt is accepting applications for Summer Help. Please apply at Millstadt Village Hall.

Annual Golf Ball Drop \$\$\$\$Cash Prizes\$\$\$\$

The annual Millstadt Homecoming is just around the corner and that means the Annual Millstadt Senior Center Golf Ball drop will be on Saturday, night August 31, at 7:30 pm. Note, in the past the Gold Ball



Drop was held at the Fireman's Picnic. Tickets are \$3.00 each or two for \$5.00. Each of the numbered golf balls is placed in a duffle bag and then dropped by one of Millstadt's finest Fireman from a bucket truck onto a simulated golf green. The closest ball to or in the hole will win a cash prize of \$200.00.

Golf balls that fall into the hole will be lifted out and recorded in the order in which they were removed. The golf ball at the bottom of the hole shall be declared the first-place winner. Second prize are two Cardinal tickets; third place is \$100.00 cash and fourth place is \$75.00 cash.

Should no golf balls fall into the hole, it will be necessary to measure surrounding golf balls to determine which one was closest to the hole.

Please sent your check payable to Millstadt Senior Center or call 618-476-3731 and we will ensure your golf balls are in the drop. Tickets may also be purchased at the Homecoming.



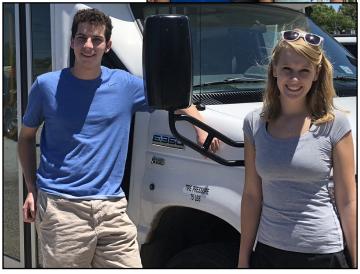
Willis and Doris Steiger had lunch at the Senior Center on July 25th. They enjoyed Beef and Broccoli, Egg Rolls and Crab Ragoon and Sliced Watermelon for dessert. China King caterers the Meals at the Senior Center once a month. Next month China King is preparing Generals Chicken with extras on Thursday, July 18th.

Meals On Wheels Volunteers

This summer our Meals on Wheels volunteers have seen lots of action. With averaging nearly 60 meals on wheels per day we reached out for more help and have had a great response. We don't want you think that we would let just anyone bring meals to you and your safety is our number one priority. Throughout the summer we will be running different pictures of the volunteers and telling you something about them. During July board members from the Sandra M Bereitschaft Foundation will be delivering and visiting clients. On Tuesday July 9th, Debbie and Don Mertz will be delivering meals and look for Janet Mueller and Marlou Eckert on Thursday July 25th and I'm sure they will have a special treat for each of you.

Marsha Davis delivers meals with her two granddaughters (L-R) Micah Davis and Myles Davis. Micah and Myles enjoy helping Mema and seeing the Meals on Wheels clients.





JoJo Holmes and Maxwell Juhas are here for the summer with 9 other volunteers from the National Honor Society at Belleville West High School. The requirements to be in the National Honor Society include 4.0 cumulative GPA, volunteer work at the school or community, done without compensation. All students are leaders, resourceful, good problem solvers, and idea contributors. The student must be of good character and cooperative, demonstrates high standards of honesty and reliability, shows courtesy, concern and respect for others, and generally maintains a clean disciplinary record.

Dates to Remember

July 4, Senior Center closed.
July 4, Fireworks display at dusk.
July 5, Millstadt Farmer's Market. VFW parking lot.
July 6, Paderborn Picnic and chicken dinner.
July 12, Millstadt Farmer's Market. VFW parking lot.
July 19, Millstadt Farmer's Market. VFW parking lot.
July 26, Millstadt Farmer's Market. VFW parking lot.
August 3, St. James Parrish chicken dinner and quilt

Millstadt Red Helpsave Cross Blood Drive Schedule

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July 11, 2019 September 12, 2019 November 7, 2019 January 9, 2020 March 12, 2020 May 7, 2020 July 9, 2020 September 10, 2020 November 5, 2020 3:00 pm - 8:00 pm (St James) 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm MCS 3:00 am - 8:00 pm St James 3:00 pm - 8:00 pm St James 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm MCS 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm MCS 3:30 pm - 8:00 pm MCS

Bag Tournaments Results

June 6, 2019 1st Toni Schneider/ Columbia Delong 2nd Darleen Sandheinrich/Betty Schranz 3rd Ron Jelinek/Barbara Knewitz June 13, 2019 1st Elmer Sandheinrich/Ron Jelinek

2nd Ralph Schneider/Darleen Sandheinrich

3rd Larry Hucke/Toni Schneider

June 20, 2019

1st Elmer Sandheinrich/Barbara Knewitz 2nd Toni Schneider/Ralph Schneider 3rd Ron Jelinek/Jon Jelinek

June 27, 2019

1st Norma Burleson/Columbia Delong 2nd Barbara Knewitz/Betty Schranz 3rd Ron Jelinek/Larry Hucke

May 30, 2019

1st Ralph Schneider/Barbara Knewitz

- 2nd Columbia Delong/Toni Schneider
- 3rd Ron Jelinek/Betty Schranz

Rock Steady Boxing



Stacie Panek from Rock Steady Boxing wish is held at Memorial Belleville Health and Sports Center Monday through Friday. The boxing program is empowering people affected by Parkinson's disease one punch at a time. Trainers and members have seen the benefits this forced intense exercise brings: cognitive changes like increased energy levels and decreased depression, and physical adaptations like walking without falling, picking things up off the floor, and learning to navigate without a cane or walker. If you are interest in joining please contact Stacie Panek at Memorial Belleville Health and Sports Center (618) 398-2778.



Megs Lucky Bags Game

Mark your calendar for July 15th and get here early to get your spot in "Megs Lucky Bags Game" sponsored by Millstadt Pharmacy. The game will begin at 10:30 In June there were many attractive prizes am. including Soda Time Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, Phone Covers, and Reader Glasses gift set including 4 different color interchangeable frame set.



Meg Wessel displays the prizes you can at her win bag contest.

Frances Dickneite sets her aim for the hole while Meg watches.



SIGN UP FOR COMPUTER TUTORING AT THE SENIOR CENTER

BRING YOUR IPAD, IPHONE, ANDROID DEVICE OR LAPTOP AND LEARN THE BASICS. EACH SESSION WILL BE GEARED TOWARD STUDENTS' INTERESTS AND ABILITIES.

NEXT SESSION: FRIDAY, JULY 26 **BEGINNING AT 10:00AM** SIGN UP FOR A 30 MINUTE



PRIVATE LESSON AT THE SENIOR CENTER.

Subscription to Senior Talk

Tired of fighting the lines at local businesses for the latest copy of Senior Talk? To have a copy delivered to your mailbox for the next year, make a \$500.00 donation to the Sandra M. Bereitschaft Foundation, Meals on Wheels program and receive a free one year subscription to Senior Talk. A subscription to the newsletter also makes a great birthday gift.

Wii Bowling Heating Up Millstadt



The Millstadt Township Senior Services Wii bowling league is in its ninth year of providing weekly bowling for seniors. We started the Wii bowling to provide a competitive, fun and entertaining atmosphere for our seniors. Over the past nine years we have had 444 senior Wii bowlers participate.

On June 21, 2019 Katie Stein, Mascoutah Senior Center Director along with five of her seniors came to Millstadt Senior Center for a morning of bowling and fun. Millstadt bowling chairperson Rick Coleman had 2 televisions set up with Wii games.

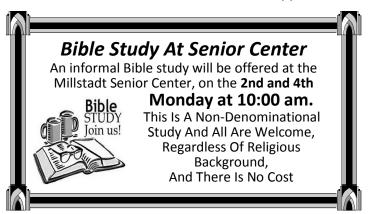
Wii Bowling has become so popular among seniors that a National Senior League was formed to compete in conferences of eight teams. For seven weeks each team bowls against every other team in their conference once. Winners then advance to a playoff lasting one to three weeks. Teams post their scores online each Thursday evening and by Friday morning bowlers can see the results of their competition on the NSL website.

We started out with 12 people bowling and now are up to 18 every Wednesday morning. Director Patty Evansco will discuss with them perhaps moving up to the next level of competition. The entry fee per year for more than 2 teams would be \$200 for the year.

Land of Lincoln Legal Services

Will assist individuals of limited income age 60 and older with power of attorney for property and health care and simple last wills.

Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to noon • By appointment only Call 618-234-4410, ext. 7033 to make an appointment





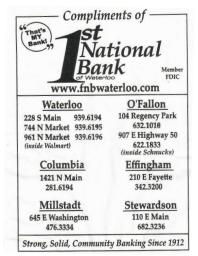
Donations To Garden Place

Claire Marlen and JoJo Holmes using the new cart to load donations for Garden Place. The new cart was recently purchased by the Thrift Store. The cart is wonderful and very easy to use. It holds up to 150 lbs. and will also be used to help distribute the food boxes. Thank you for your donations and patronage at the Thrift Store that allows us to get the "extras".

1st National Bank of Waterloo

Thank you 1st National Bank of Waterloo for supplying dinner napkins for our dining room every day.





Library Archiving Newsletter

Did you miss an issue of "Senior Talk"? While we want you to be sure you see every issue of Senior Talk the Millstadt Library is now offering you an opportunity to catch up on all of our past issues.

Starting immediately, you can view past issues of Senior Talk since its first issue in September 2010. We are very happy and grateful that the Millstadt Library is archiving our newsletter.



Thank You Teachers!!!!!!



Members of the Millstadt Community School Teachers Association came and played Bingo on June 12, 2019. They brought many prizes and ice cream sandwiches, of which everyone enjoyed. This is the 3rd year they have come and entertained during the summer. These teachers do a great job and have fun giving back to the community.

(L-R) Carol Arehard, Karen Witte, Renee Nolte and Julie Lang.

Bus Rider Reminder All Ride Reservations Should Be Made Through The Office Please Do Not Tell Bus Drivers Your



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Millstadt Office 500 S. Illinois Street Millstadt, IL 62260 Tel 618-476-6133

Toll-Free 888-656-0009 Fax 618-656-0007



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Illinois Benefit Access

Check your Income Limit Eligibility for the License Plate discount and/or Ride Free Transit Card:

Your total income last year must be less than



- \$27,610 for a 1 person household (yourself only); or
- \$36,635 for a 2 person household (yourself and your spouse, or yourself and one Qualified Additional Resident); or
- \$45,657 for a 3 person household (yourself, your spouse and one Qualified Additional Resident, or yourself and two Qualified Additional Residents).

If you qualify please contact Millstadt Senior Center at 476-3731 and we can file for this discount for you.







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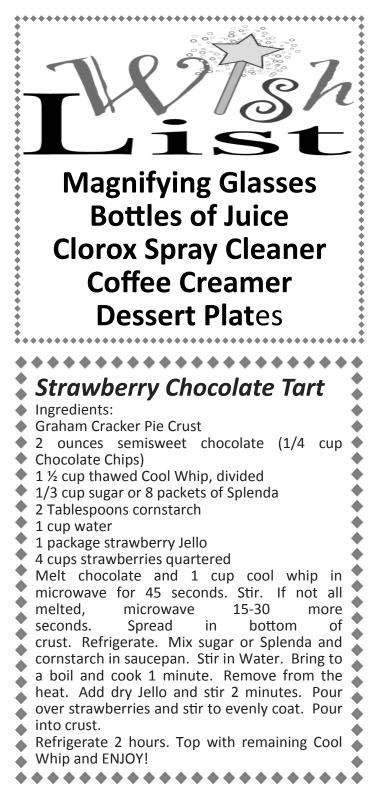


Pennywise Thrift Shop

Stop by the second floor Thrift Store at the Community Center for Christmas ornaments, wreaths, cookie cutters as well as clothing and other household items. Need a sweater to



decorate for an "Ugly Sweater" contest, stop by the Pennywise Thrift Store for a red or green sweater to decorate. All donations support the Millstadt Township Senior Center. Shop local!



Model Railroad Club Forming

Mark A Bauer is forming a Model Railroad Club for Millstadt and surrounding communities. The club is registered as the Millstadt Model Railroad Club. The primary focus of this club is to make a modular model railroad display in partnership with Scout Troop 622 for use in the fall of 2019. This display (train layout) will be set up and operated at various local events and locations in December 2019. Looking for interested modelers or want to be modelers to work with the core group and the Scouts for what we hope to be an annual event. Contact Mark at 618 447 -1794 or mabauer87@gmail.com if you are interested in learning more.

Senior Talk Available On Internet

The Village of Millstadt web site has a variety of information available including the most recent copy of the Senior Talk newsletter, scheduled events for the Village, and copies of the Senior Menu and Activity sheet. Type in the following internet address, <u>www.village</u>ofmillstadt.org.This should bring up the main page of the Village's web site, on the left side of the screen click on Community Center/Senior Center. On the next page, click on the latest edition of Senior Talk which will include the menu and activity sheet for the month.

| Receive the Newsletter in the Mail! Subscriptions are \$30.00 Per Year Due To Postage Increases (12 Issues) Name: Address: |
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Millstadt Sister Cities Organization is sponsoring the 19th annual Ambassadors Exchange. Youth Sophia Biehl, daughter of Robert and Jill Biehl, and Devin Tucker, son of Ryan and Sarah Tucker, will depart June 14 and spend four weeks in Millstadt's sister city. Gross-Bieberau, Germany. Our students and their families will then host their German exchange Luca Amann partners, and Charlotte Breid, who will arrive July 17 and spend a month in Millstadt.

Youth Ambassadors Exchange Visit Of Friends From Millstadt submitted by Birgit

Hartmann-Thierolf of Gross-Bieberau, Germany

In 2016 Pascal Thierolf from Gross-Bieberau and Ethan Lamons from Millstadt were partners in the Youth Ambassador Exchange, and they are still close friends.

Ethan and his parents, Matthew and Kristine, visited Pascal and his family in Gross-Bieberau during May, 2019. Pascal and his family showed their guests nearby castles Veste Otzberg and Burg Breuberg, and took them to the medieval town of Michelstadt where they tasted the world championship Siefert's cream cakes. The Lamons family took part in daily life and enjoyed Schnitzel, Döner, and Kristallweizen (German beer). They spent a day in Frankfurt where Pascal's sister, Ann-Catherine, attends university and plans to come to Millstadt in October for an internship at Belleville West High School.

The Lamons and Thierolf families agreed that the exchange is a fantastic experience.





Ethan, Matthew and Kristine Lamons with Birgit and Ann-Catherine Thierolf

Frank & Birgit Thierolf, Ethan Lamons, Matthew Lamons, Burgermeister Edgar Buchwald and Kristine Lamons

Senior Transportation Program

Need a Ride to the Doctor, Bank Hairdresser, or Dentist? The Senior Center Offers the Only Form of Public **Transportation for the Community** This Service is Available for Persons 60 Years and **Older and Their Caregivers** A Suggested Donation Of \$2.00 For Transportation To and From Doctors, Dentists, **Or Hair Appointments** This Partially Covers the Actual Transportation Costs of \$5.95 For Each Time It Is Provided All donations are Confidential and Are Used To Maintain the Transportation Program For Millstadt Township Seniors Please Contact Patty at 476-3731 With Questions

What's An Estate Sale?

JULY 2019

An estate sale is a way of downsizing household or personal property items without conducting a formal auction or garage sale. The household items are usually left in the home and priced by the professional conducting the sale.

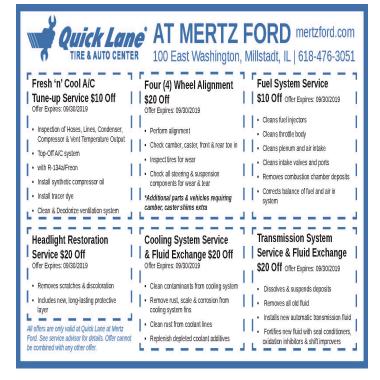
Estate sales are generally conducted by a professional, for a percentage of the revenues. The estate sale administrator will also charge the estate the costs to conduct the sale, including advertising, marketing, research and other fees incurred in giving a successful sale. Contracts are usually agreed to and signed to ensure all costs and actions of the estate professional are agreed to before the sale.

The professional estate sale administrator with the knowledge and experience to price items and determine the need to contact experts to appraise collectible items like cameras, gun collections, cars or jewelry. The administrator will also ensure the unsold items are donated or disposed of.

On **July 15** at 11:00 am, at the Senior Center, Brian Hart from Waterloo, whom frequently conducts Estate Sales in the local area, will provide more details on the process and answer any questions you may have on what an estate sale is about.

Community Center & Park Pavilions Rental

If you are looking for a place to have an anniversary, baby, bridal or birthday party consider renting the Millstadt Community Center or a pavilion at the park. Call the Village Hall at 476-1514 for rental information.



Special Thanks to Concordia Church Floraville UCC Immaculate Conception - Centreville Millstadt Baptist Church St. James Catholic Church St. Michaels Catholic Church Trinity Lutheran Church Zion Evangelical Church For Your Continued Support

DID YOU SIGN IN?

Knowing who is at lunch at the Center is important for a number of reasons. First of all it's good to keep track so if someone isn't there for a few days we can contact them to make sure everything is ok. Second, when you sign in and are registered we are able to submit your name to receive our grant money to help pay for the meals. A way to look at it is that if you aren't registered and signed in we can't send a bill for your lunch to the Area Agency on Aging.



Millstadt Farmers Market

Farmers Markets have a long tradition For a more local flavor in our area. stop by the Millstadt Farmers Market, each Friday from 3:00-6:00 pm for fresh local produce. In May, Connie and Larry Schaefer had some fresh



strawberries that were picked at the peak of ripeness. They were perfect on pancakes, shortcakes or on ice cream. Tammi Sutter had homemade breads, garlic butter, and "cooked cheese". Known as kock kasse by my grandmother, cooked cheese is a combination of cheeses, butter and cream all cooked together. Tammi uses the cooked cheese as a sauce for broccoli or it can be spread on bread. Fresh range free eggs were also available. Both brown and white eggs are available, depending on the chicken. Leghorns lay the white eggs and the Cuckoo Marans lay the large brown eggs. Stop by and visit with the Simply Delicious sales lady or with the lady selling her own handmade jewelry. Flower and vegetable plants are also available, along with fresh popped kettle corn. The list of vendors and produce changes in week so stop in often to see what's available,

This year the Market is again located at the VFW parking lot. Randy Eckert has contacted local truck farmers and other vendors for a local blend of produce and other items for purchase.



Fun Tomato **Facts**

Fruit or vegetable: Here are a few more interesting facts about how tomatoes might fit into your summer menu.

*Tomatoes are actually a fruit

and vegetable! By botanical definition, a tomato is considered a fruit. Nutritionally, it's classified as a vegetable.

*The USDA counts some 25,000 different tomato varieties, including hybrids such as Early Girl, which ripens early in the season, and heirlooms such as Cherokee Purple, named for its color.

*Tomatoes offer health benefits including vitamin C, potassium, fiber and beta-carotene, which the body converts to vitamin A.

*On average, Americans eat nearly 30 pounds of tomatoes per person per year.

Stop by the Millstadt Farmers Market on Friday's at the VFW parking lot. From 3:00-6:00 pm you can visit with local vendors and farmers and pick-out your own locally grown tomatoes. What's better than a BLT with fresh tomatoes and bacon from Schubert's Smokehouse.



Players – Please Come And Join In At 9:00 am Weekdays.

House for Rent

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Rick Coleman

Loren Steele

MaryAnn Conrrad



Farm house for rent at 3620 Mueller Lane, Millstadt. Convenient location. Two bedroom, one bath. No pets, \$750.00 per month. Lease required. Phone 476-1698.

Millstadt Senior Center Meals Report June 2019

| 796 | Congregate Meals |
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| 1,007 | Meals on Wheels |
| 405 | Two Way Rides |
| 20 | Days Open |
| 40 | Average Congregate Clients Per Day |
| 50 | Average Meals on Wheels Clients Per Day |
| \$3.04 | Average Collected from Congregate Diners |
| \$2.35 | Average Collected from Meals on Wheels |
| Clients | 5 |
| \$4.50 | Suggested Donation |

The 2018 Illinois Secretary of State Mobile Unit dates have been set for Wednesdays:

Aug. 14 • Oct. 9 • Dec. 11

Services provided to seniors 55 and older include: driver's license renewals (including vision test, road test, and written exam, if required.)
Other services include: state ID cards and vehicle registration renewals.
An identification card can be obtained for \$20; however, if you are age 65 and older you may obtain a free, non-expiring State of Illinois photo ID card.
Drivers age 75 and older are required to take a driving test to renew their driver's licenses.
All payments must be by checks or credit cards; cash will NOT be accepted.
Appointments required for all services.

Rules of the Road Class: 9:30-11 a.m. Mobile Unit Hours: 10 a.m. - 1:40 p.m. Please call 618-234-4410: Melissa (ext. 7042) or Theresa

(ext. 7043) for questions or to make an appointment.



ADULT COLORING NIGHT

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Operation Food Search

The Millstadt Senior Center once again will be participating in Operation Food Search. Operation Food Search is a Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) a Senior Food assistance Program. What is the CSFP?

The Illinois Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) works to improve the health of older persons at least 60 years of age by supplementing their diets with nutritious USDA commodity foods. CSFP food packages do not provide a complete diet, but rather are good sources of the nutrients typically lacking in the diets of the target population. These include vitamins A and C, calcium and iron.

How does the program operate?

USDA purchases food and makes it available to IDHS along with

funds for administrative costs. IDHS distributes the food to public

and non-profit private local agencies from the USDA distribution

center. Local agencies determine the eligibility of applicants,

distribute the foods, and provide nutrition education. Local

agencies also provide referrals to other welfare, nutrition, and

health care programs such as WIC, food stamps, Medicaid, and

Medicare.

What are the requirements to get food through CSFP? Elderly must reside in the state of Illinois. Older persons must have income at or below 130 percent of the Federal Poverty Income Guidelines.

What foods are provided to participants?

Food packages include a variety of foods, such as non-fat dry milk, evaporated milk, juice, hot or ready-toeat cereal, rice or pasta, peanut butter or dry beans or peas, canned meat or poultry or tuna or salmon or egg mix, and canned fruits and vegetables.

The Millstadt Senior Center will be assisting in signing up candidates for the Food

Call 618-476-3731 to sign up.

Houston What's On The Menu?

What did the Apollo 11 astronauts eat on their eightday trip to the moon back in July 1969? They had 70 bite-size and dehydrated food items to choose from, including beef stew, spaghetti with meat sauce, and scalloped potatoes. The first meal eaten on the moon was bacon squares, peaches, sugar-cookie cubes, pineapple grapefruit drink and coffee.

Bet it cost more than \$11.00 to deliver those meals.

Village Of Millstadt May 13, 2019

Ray Famula made a motion to open the public meeting for annexing property to the Village. Ralph Bowley seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. The property is owed by Andrew and Christen Bendick. It is located at 4908 Union Trail Crossing. There were no supporters or objectors. Ralph Bowley made a motion to close the hearing. Al Lehr seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Streets, Alleys and Sidewalks: Randy Burk stated that before the Village Board meeting the Village Engineer presented the Streetscape plans for the first two blocks of West Washington Street. The ideas are preliminary.

Old Business: Mayor Todd stated he heard from the Safe Routes for School and the Village was again denied sidewalks and curbing from Kossuth Street to Wheat Ridge.

New Business: Commercial Club President Lyle Haas presented the Village with a check for \$10,000 to be used towards the parks. The money is from the profit of the Wing Fling. The Commercial Club has donated \$61,500 towards the parks since 2014.

Mayor Todd stated Ralph Bowley served on the Village Board for 24 years and presented him with a jacket upon his retirement. Ralph stated he really enjoyed his time on the Board and thinks they accomplished a lot.

Crissy Pipik swore in Mike Capell, Randy Burk, and Ray Famula for their new terms as Trustees.

Mike Capell made a motion to adjourn from Executive Session. Ray Famula seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. Ray Famula made a motion to hire Cole Hensel for summer maintenance help. Al Lehr seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Village Of Millstadt

May 28, 2019 Meeting

Present: Mayor Mike Todd; Trustees, Randy Burke, Mike Capell, Ray Famula, Mike French, Al Lehr and Mark Todd.

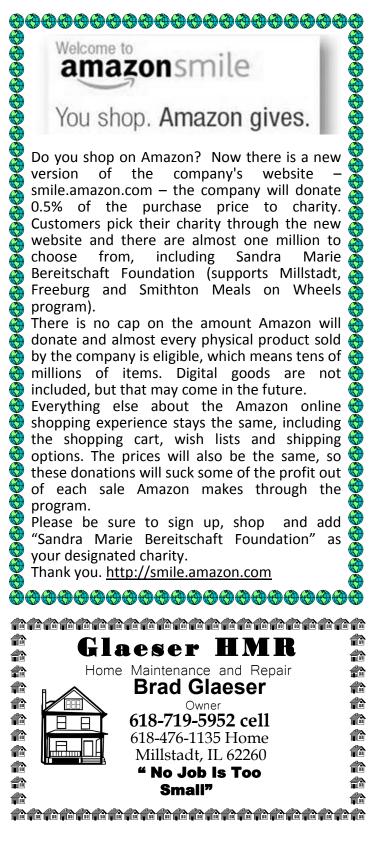
Opened with Public Hearing: Hearing for annexing property to Village. Motion carried unanimously. Property owned by Andrew and Christian Bendick, located at 4908 Union Trail Crossing.

Old Business: Leaf Vac is broken and requires \$4,000 worth of repairs. Alternative is using the yard waste dumpster by the maintenance shed. Mayor Todd would like Board to make decision in next couple of months. Millstadt is one of the only communities that offers this service. Mark Todd asked how many dumpsters the Village gets per year. Mayor Todd answered 8. Tracey Holmen stated a customer could get curbside yard waste for around \$14.00 per month.

Public Building: Scott Baltz stated the Village has 13-14 buildings with hail damage from the May $15^{\rm th}$ storm.

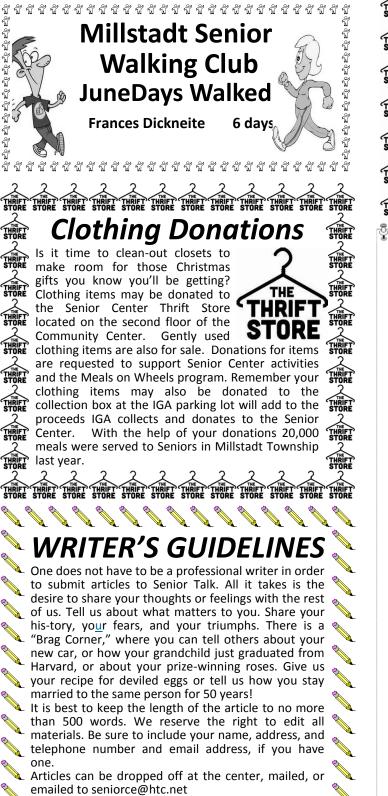
Millstadt Police Department Award D.A.R.E. Scholarship

The Millstadt Police Department presented their 12th annual D.A.R.E. College Scholarship to Andrew McCullough. Andrew is a graduate of MCS and Belleville West High School. He will be an electrical engineering major at SIU Edwardsville this fall.



Little Free Library

The Little Free Library, which looks like a giant bird house, is located in front of the Community Center and is open 24 hours a day. Donations of books may also be made at the library. It is based upon the theory that a borrower may take a book, read it, then return the book for others to enjoy. Books of kinds and for all age groups are available in the library. Stop by select a book or leave one for someone else to enjoy.





Are you celebrating a Special Birthday or Anniversary or have a Special announcement? Please send us a photo and information. Our readers would love for you to share

with us. Please email to seniorce@htc.net or drop off at Senior Center.



Senior Talk Available at These Locations Pick-Up Your copy of the Monthly Senior Talk at One of The Following Millstadt Locations Melva's Family Hair Care 476-7933 Millstadt Barber Shop 476-7273 Millstadt IGA 476-3161 Millstadt Library 476-1887 Dr. Carla Samson 476-3373 Millstadt Pharmacy 476-1701 Millstadt Village Hall 476-1514 Millstadt VFW 476-1180 Mertz Motors (618) 476-3051 St. James Catholic Church 476-3513 Trinity Lutheran Church 476-3101 Zion Evangelical Church 476-1778 Dr. Steve Knoernchild 476-3344 Concordia UCC 476-3377 St. Paul Church, Floraville 473-2285 Dr. Kevin Schmidt 476-3261 St Michaels Church – Paderborn 473-2798 First National Bank of Waterloo 476-3334 Caseys 476-7360 Associated Bank 476-3040 **Michelle's Family Haircut** Millstadt Garden Place 476-1404 **Millstadt Baptist Church** Lee's Home Center 476-1760 **Bonnie's Beauty Shop** Training Room Handy Feed **Country Financial** Schuberts Coffee Mill Café 476-6540 **Divine Nail Salon** Bliss Floral Smithton Village Hall Smithton Library Freeburg Township **Freeburg Pharmacy** Freeburg Library

What Are Those Flying Creatures?

If you've been outside in grassy or wooded areas this spring and early summer, you've probably seen them or been bitten by them. Those flying tiny flies that have a bite like pyranas and will fly up your nose and burrow into your ears, are black flies or buffalo gnats. They are swarming in record numbers this year, in part due to the flooding and heavy rains in our area. The gnats are more irritating than bites because their mosquitoes are more painful. Rather than puncturing the skin of victims, the gnat slices open a small wound with its mouth and laps up the blood. An itchy weld can last for day, and so does the scratching. Bug repellents seem to have little affect on the tiny beasts. Homemade remedies from everything to stuffing laundry dryer sheets in clothing to pouring vanilla extract on your hands and rubbing it on your hands, neck and face or making a spray mist of citronella seem to work only slightly better than store bought bug repellents. How long will we have those tiny gnats gnawing on our face and arms? Frost and colder weather will take care of the pests. Just when we started to enjoy the warmer weather, we remember what colder weather is good for.

Millstadt Township Crews Will Begin Oiling And Chipping Roads

On <u>Monday July 8th and</u> <u>Monday July 15th</u> crews will work on township roads. The roads will not be closed, but drivers are encouraged to use an alternate route.



Canasta Corner



| Thelma Short and Dot Edmondson | 1 |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Barb Louis and Thelma Short | 1 |
| Barb Louis and Norma Burleson | 3 |
| Barb Louis and Evelyn Lucy | 1 |
| Thelma Short and Norma Burleson | 1 |
| Norma Burleson and Betty Schranz | 1 |
| Thelma Short and Bob Louis | 1 |
| Norma Burleson and Evelyn Lucy | 1 |
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Notary Services Are Provided Free At The Senior Center



JULY 2019

Kitchen **Betty Schranz Bob Louis Carol Trever Collen Costello Doris Chaput** Fern Sieber Frances Dickneite Helen Conley Lil Tracy Lucille Reese Norma Burleson **Ralph Schneider Betty McCombs** Cindy McDonald **Carrie Kwentus Collen Costello Darleen Sandheinrich Helen Conley** Mary McGinnis **Michael Walter** Volunteer Driver Charlie Todd **Community Kindness Doris Steiger Thrift Shop** Eileer Doerr Janet Mueller **Orville Mueller** Marlou Eckert Recyling Allen Analla Darleen Slovinski Bert Hucke **Bulletin Board** Decoration Kathy Schaefer **Blood Pressures** David Koch **Meals on Wheels Carol Osick Cheryl Mueth Cindy Bertelsman Debbie Mertz** Jeanette Cory Larry Osick Lindy Knysak Lois Potter Marylou Peter Nancy Kostelac **Ruth Morton** Sandy Muskopf Susan Sager **Cheryl Pierpoint** John Morton Peggy Makriakow George Makriakow Marge Watchel Marilyn Borkowski Renee St Clair

Marsha Davis Melissa Reinhardt Center Maryann Conrad Mary Heberer Marti Gibson (Garden) Jean Colbert Newsletter Don Mueller Jerry Schmitz Kathy Schaefer **Kathy Diedrich** Gary Diedrich Marlou Eckert Judi Jacobs Quilters Judy Sutter (Chairperson) **Rosemary Mathews** Lois Potter Jean Colbert Pat Morris **Doris Adams** Joann Clemens MaryAlice Schmitz Joann Pisel **Beth Kwentus** Pat Schaefer Judy Jacobs **Carol Osick** Janet Heil **Teresa Barbier Rosemary Mathews** Lois Potter Christy Lehr **Ruth Fritzinger** Marlene Hermann Marlene Harzin MaryLou Kochmann Kathy Weygandt Dot Edmondson Panera/Coffee Mill/ Schnucks pickup Marlou Eckert Don and Debbie Mertz Jamie Bereitschaft Jim Bereitschaft Charlie Todd Patty French National Honor Society Maxwell Juhas **Braden Valerius** Anna Baldus Alex Rosenkranz Sam Rosenkranz JoJo Holm **Brayden Easton** Sara Glaeser Patrick Fogarty Claire Marlen **Emily Twellman**

SENIOR NEWS

Millstadt Township Senior Services

Summer 2019 Wii Bowling League Schedule

| 5/1/2019 | 1-2 | 3-4 | 5-6 | 7-8 | 1 | |
|-----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----|--|
| 5/8/2019 | 6-8 | 5-7 | 2-4 | 1-3 | 2 | |
| 5/15/2019 | 5-4 | 1-8 | 7-3 | 2-6 | 3 | |
| 5/22/2019 | 3-6 | 7-2 | 1-5 | 8-4 | 4 | |
| 5/29/2019 | 7-1 | 4-6 | 3-8 | 5-2 | 5 | |
| 6/5/2019 | 2-3 | 8-5 | 4-1 | 6-7 | 6 | |
| 6/12/2019 | 4-7 | 6-1 | 8-2 | 3-5 | 7 | |
| 6/19/2019 | 5-6 | 7-8 | 3-4 | 1-2 | 8 | |
| 6/26/2019 | 2-4 | 1-3 | 5-7 | 6-8 | 9 | |
| 7/3/2019 | 7-3 | 2-6 | 1-8 | 5-4 | 10 | |
| 7/10/2019 | 1-5 | 8-4 | 7-2 | 3-6 | 11 | |
| 7/17/2019 | 3-8 | 5-2 | 4-6 | 7-1 | 12 | |
| 7/24/2019 | 7th/8th | 5th/6th | 3rd/4th | 1st/2nd | 13 | |
| 7/31/2019 | Banquet | | | | | |

Team Number

Team Name

1 Alley Cats (JoAnn Pisel/Janet Pauketat)

2 Sassy Girls (Dot Edmondson/Thelma Short)

3 Odd Couple (Barb Louis/Bob Louis)

4 Spoilers (Lil Tracy/Bob Wheat)

5 Wild Cats (Frances Dickneite/Lois Potter)

6 Rock-N-Bowlers (Elaine Gregson/Cindy Walker)

7 Misfits (Marlene Bruehl/Betty Schranz

8 Lucky Strikes (Rick Coleman/Norma Burleson)

Walk In Our Senior Walk Path Tuesday,

Thursdays, And Fridays. 10 laps = 1/4 mile. Grab your friends or walk alone! If you want us to keep a card on file so you can keep track of your progress.





15% Off Seniors (60+) Must Haven Coupon

THANKS FOR OUR DONORS

Kitchen Supplies Mary Heberer Bob Englebretson (Lemonade, Dawn, Cups) Thelma Short Rich & Beth Kwentus Robert Sheridan (Sugar Free Cookies) Carol, Linda and Mike Speichinger (Ziploc Bags) Maryann Conrad (Dessert Plates) George & Denise Blaha (Dessert Plates) Edith Crabtree (Ziploc containers) Doris Steiger (Eggs) Doris Steiger (Drinking Cups) Betty Schranz (Coffee Creamer) Marlou Eckert (Clorox Spray) First National Bank of Waterloo (Napkins) In Memory of Iris Hight Joann Pisel (Sandra M Bereitschaft Foundation) Lois Potter (Sandra M Bereitschaft Foundation) Leonard & Carol Bueckman Gerhard & Mary Alice Schmitz Hollis & Peggy Denning Susan Sager Kent & Deborah Ohlendorf Ella Melton Millstadt Baptist Church **Brent Miller and Family** Donna Bullock and Cobb Family Kedron Laws and Family In Memory of Carol Gamblin Doug & Kelly Simmonds Anthony & Debra Jarvis In Memory of Buddy Rohr Jackie Motooka YMCA Friends (Pat, Brenda & Zoe) In Memory of Jane Evans Kathleen Demond **Bingo Prizes** Mary Heberer Norma Burleson Betty and Bob Bolt **Thrift Store** Edith Crabtree Nancy Carpenter Mark Lemmon Steve Lemmon **Other Donations** Susan Sager (Monetary) Dwight & Joan Godsy (Monetary) Judy Jacobs (Monetary) Pat Morris (Monetary) Barbara Engle (Wheel Chair and Puzzles) Susan Hopkins (Walkers) Mary Ann Krausz (Cards) Mertz Motors (Monetary - Drive for your Community)





Township Supervisor Denise Blaha Village Mayor Michael Todd Director Patty Evansco Nutrition Staff Sandy Sanders Transportation (Drivers) Ed Luecking **Executive Board** Charlie Todd, President James Palovich Al Lehr Mark Todd Ray Famula George Blaha **Advisory Council Members** John Baltz Carol Osick Darleen Sandheinrich Don Ortmann Kathy Schaefer Lillian Tracy Jerry Schmitz Pat Morris **Rich Brune** Barb Greene Editors Patty Evansco Marlou Eckert Don Mueller Janet Mueller Jerry Schmitz Judy Jacobs



Phone No. 618-476-3731 Fax No. 618-476-3921 email seniorce@htc.net MISSION STATEMENT

The Millstadt Senior Center Is A Place Of Opportunities, A Focal Point In Our Community Where Services Support Positive Aging and Where Educational, Recreational and Cultural Programs Enrich The Lives Of Elders and The Community

Funding for (Grantee) is received from the United States Administration for Community Living, the Illinois Department on Aging, and the AgeSmart Community Resources. (Grantee) does not discriminate in admission to programs or activities or treatment of employment in programs or activities in compliance with State and Federal Statues. If you feel you have been discriminated against, you have the right to file a complaint with the AgeSmart Community Resources by calling **618-222-2561 or 800-326-3221**

RECYCLING PROGRAM

Recycling continues the first Saturday of every month at the Township Garage on East Harrison Street. Volunteers will remove the recyclables, glass, cans, paper, cardboard and number 1 and 2 plastics from your vehicle from 8:00 am to 10:00 am. This program is available for all residents of Millstadt Township and the Village.

Make a Contribution

There are many ways to contribute to Millstadt Senior Center:

Gifts by Cash or Check

We accept gifts by cash or check by mail and in person. Include your name, address and phone number. Checks should be made payable to Millstadt Township Senior Services.

Memorial Gifts and Bequests

The Millstadt Senior Center is establishing an endowment fund of memorial gifts and bequests, to ensure the future of senior services in Millstadt.

We hope that you will remember the Center when planning your estate, or as a fitting means of honoring a departed friend or loved one.

All memorial gifts and bequests will be acknowledged in the Center's newsletter. If you would like to make a provision in your will, the following form is suggested:

I give, devise and bequeath to Millstadt Township Senior Services, a non-profit corporation, located on this date at 102 South Jefferson, Millstadt, Illinois 62260 the sum of \$ _____ (or the property, herewith described)

We Welcome Any Inquiries About Bequests, Please Call Us At (618) 476-3731

"Seniors Come First" Services Available

Meals on Wheels One of the Center's most important programs, the Meals on Wheels program provides daily meals to people who have difficulty getting out of the house and/or cooking for themselves. Not only are we able to supply necessary food, but the driver delivering the meal is able to ascertain how the client is getting along and share some companionship. We have a number of folks dedicated to providing these services. They give freely of their time and energy to deliver the meals, make contact with the recipient and report back to the Center. The majority of the "regular" drivers volunteer one day per week and most have said it is highly rewarding for them.

Lunch Program Lunch is served Monday through Friday at 12 noon. You must be 60 years of age or older to qualify for this program. It is appreciated that if you want lunch you call the center by 3:00 pm in order to sign up for lunch on the following day. When you come in you may sign yourself up for the next day. If you like, you may sign up for the entire week or month. If you know that you can not make it and you have signed up, please call and let us know that you will not be here and tell us when you will be back for lunch. If you have any questions concerning the lunch program please contact Patty Evansco at **476-3731**.

All Lunches Are Catered From the Millstadt IGA, China King And Breadeoux Pizza From Millstadt "The Center is a Great Place to Enjoy Yourself Through Fellowship And Celebrations With Other Seniors of Millstadt"

Senior Information and Assistance provides information or help with services and benefits to residents of Millstadt age 60 and over. We will also visit homebound seniors. If you need this service or would like to schedule a visit, call Millstadt Township Senior Center at 618-476-3731.

Father Bernard Goedde

Father Bernard Goedde of Posen, IL, was granted eternal rest at his residence in Posen, IL on Wednesday, June 19, 2019 at 8:39 P.M. He had attained the age of 73 years, 1 month and 17 days.

Father Goedde was born on May 2, 1946 in St. Clair County, Illinois the son of Bernard and Wilda (Reeb) Goedde. Father Goedde was ordained June 3, 1972 by the Most Reverend Albert R. Zuroweste. He served as associate pastor of Immaculate Conception

Catholic Church in Columbia from 1972 to 1975 and then at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church in Herrin from 1975 to 1978. Father Goedde's first pastorate assignment was at the church at Holy Cross Catholic Church in Wendelin in 1978, where he served for four years and then as temporary administrator in 1978 at the church at St. Stephen's Catholic Churcg in Flora, IL.

In 1982 he went on to serve as pastor at St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Cahokia, in 1991 he went to Damian's Catholic Church in Damiansville and in 1996 he went to St. James Catholic Church in Millstadt.

Emma Richardson

Emma June Richardson (nee Theis), 88, of Millstadt, Illinois passed away at 3:15pm on June 9, 2019.

She was born on July 20, 1930 in Balcom, Illinois to Willie and Mollie (Angel) Theis. She married Lowell Richardson on September 17, 1947 and he preceded her in death on March 1, 2008. Emma is also

preceded in death by her mother, father, and twelve siblings. Early in her life, Emma worked on her family farm with her fifteen brothers and sisters; later, she worked at Paddock Industries for most of her adulthood.

She spent retirement caring for her grandchildren and great nieces and nephews. Emma loved to knit, sew, garden, camp, and fish. She especially loved to ride motorcycles. She spent the majority of her free time with family and friends playing cards.

In her later years, she enjoyed socializing with her friends at Bradford Place. Emma is survived by her three siblings, Gilbert Theis, Marie Cupp (Theis), and Raymond Theis, her daughter, Dorothy Barton (Gary Edwards), her grandchildren Brett (Kat) Barton, Molly (Ryan) Hurley, and her two great-granddaughters Kelty and Kallum Barton, as well as numerous cousins, nieces and nephews. Emma passed peacefully in Swansea, Illinois with her family and the compassionate caregivers of Bradford Place and Family Hospice by her side.





Gale Moore

Gale Jewel Dean Moore, nee Hellwig, 59, of Belleville, IL, born September 6, 1959, in Centreville, IL, died Thursday, May 30, 2019, at Memorial Hospital, Belleville, IL. Gale grew up on the perfect sledding hills outside of Millstadt, IL, as the youngest of four daughters. Gale's childhood was spent working alongside her mother in the



ceramic studio and hair salon. She went on to graduate from Belleville West in 1977. During her time there her local hangout was Belleville West Stadium. Gale devoted her life to her family, raising three daughters and one son. Gale didn't let a day go by without making sure that her babies felt loved and capable of all their dreams. Gale was a precious mother, a beautiful and courageous woman, and a compassionate soul with love beyond compare whose faith stayed strong until the end of her days. Gale had a sense of hope and fight that never faded. She was preceded in death by her parents, Raymond and Gertude, nee Voakes, Hellwig; and a sister, Pam Hellwig. Surviving are her 4 children, Heather (Thomas) Rosenzweig-Clark of Columbia, IL, Lucas Moore of Belleville, IL, Lindsay Moore of Marlborough, MA, and Jesse Moore of New Orleans, LA her former husband, Harry Moore Jr.; four grandchildren, Sage (Brianne) Phillips, Gavin Phillips, William Harry Phillips and Josephina Moore-Wordell; a step-grandson, Everett Clark; two sisters, Valerie (Jerry) Sroka of Fults, and Kim (Robert) Sumner of Belleville, IL; dear friends, Beth Shelton of Belleville, IL, Karen and Doug Richardson of Belleville, IL; and nieces and nephews. Memorials may be made to The National Fragile X Foundation.

The Millstadt Senior Center Expresses Our Deepest Sympathy To The Family,



Father Bernard Goedde Billie H. Heil Muriel Lemmon Gale Moore Bobby Reece Emma Richardson Jackson Shellabarger Wilbert Weinhold

Are You Interested In Learning To Play Different Cards Games?

Evelyn Lucy is organizing a Learning "Card Club" on Tuesdays from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. She will be teaching how to play the game Canasta. If you would like to sign up please contact the Senior Center at 476-3731.



SENIOR NEWS

²⁰ Billie H. Heil

Billie H. Heil, born in Marissa, Illinois on February 2, 1935, passed away June 23, 2019.

Bill was a man who loved his ice cream, his music, and his green velvet chair.

A band director of 49 years, he instructed students of all ages, in all instruments, and his best student was me. Bill obtained his music education degree from Illinois State University

and taught at Millstadt Consolidated School, Wheeling School District, Mascoutah Junior High School, and St. Paul's Catholic School. As a band director, many of his students achieved highest honors in their musical competitions, both individually and in group performance.

Bill's musical career started during his eighth-grade school year when he started his own passion project band, the Dreamtimers. While the band started small, it grew to perform at college inauguration events, college class reunions, and dances. He continued to participate in musical organizations including the honorable American School Band Director's Association, the Joey James Orchestra, Skyliners, the Freeburg Big Jazz Band, the RSVP Orchestra, and the Italian Band of Saint Louis. Although he could play any instrument, the saxophone was his favorite, which is why so many people in his family also played saxophone.

Bill has a large family. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Barbara Elizabeth Heil (nee Simmonds), his children Julia Smith and husband Dennis, Glenn Heil and wife Danielle, and John Heil and wife Tammy, Eric David Ude and wife Jo Ann, Dana Lynn Ude, and Darren Scott Ude.

He is also survived by his grandchildren, Brittany Kennimer, Andrew Smith, Nicholas, Brett, and Mitch Heil, Trevor and Ella Heil, Jeffrey Bonham, David Laux, and Rebecca and Wesley Reno. His family extends to brother Allen and wife Margaret Heil, sisters-in-law Barbara E. Heil, and Dorothy Heil (Dolly), Patricia Dillon, Carol Albers, and brothers-in-law Bill Maserang and Kenneth Simmonds.

He was preceded in death by his parents Harold and Zilpah Heil, brothers Earl, Roy, and Donald Heil. Bill and Barb have shared countless memories over the years, with the fondest ones being the Dreamtimers annual reunions. Barbara recalls fond memories traveling with her husband, but I remember my grandpa as a man that told lots of jokes, loved his vanilla ice cream, and read in his green chair. He was a man that instilled in others his love for music, which carries on today in various ways throughout the family. Bill Heil raised an exceptional family and created incredible musicians. While he has passed on, his legacy will always remain because he truly was the Leader of the Band. Written by Rebecca Floy Reno

Jackson Shellabarger

Jackson W. Shellabarger, 25, of Millstadt, IL, born Friday, April 1, 1994, in St. Louis, MO, passed away Sunday, June 16, 2019 in Granite City, IL. Jackson worked as a Lawn Care Specialist for St. Louis Lawn Care.



He was a member of Adult/Teen Challenge and Narcotics Anonymous.

Surviving are his parents, Matthew and Kristine nee Kammann, Shellabarger of

Millstadt, IL; brothers, Weston Shellabarger of Johnson City, IL and Wyatt Shellabarger of Millstadt, IL; grandparents, Nan and Dennis Judd of Belleville, IL and Phil and Marcia Kammann of Caseyville, IL; Aunts and Uncles, Phil and Angela Kammann and Rachel Shellabarger; Cousins, Jared and Sara Wogoman and Eliza and Katie Kammann. He was a seeker of adventure and loved bowling, snowboarding, wake boarding, fishing, cars and motorcycles. He was a 2012 graduate of BTHS West. He will be missed by everyone he met.

Bobby Reece

Bobby D. Reece, 84 of Millstadt, IL passed away peacefully on June 20, 2019 surrounded by his loving family.

Born on December 9, 1934 he was the son of William and Jesse Reece, nee Karr. Bobby married his wife, Doris on March 12, 1955 in Waterloo, IL and she survives.



In addition to his parents, Bobby was preceded in death by his brother, George Oliver (Lucille) Reece. In addition to his wife, Bobby is survived by a sister-in-law, Lucille Reece of Millstadt, IL, his children: A son, Bobby Reece, Jr. of St. Louis, MO, daughter Donna (Kim) Eckrich of Waterloo, IL, daughter Deborah (Ray) Thorsten of Columbia, IL and son Edward (Patty) Reece also of Columbia, IL. His grandchildren: Amy (T.R.) Brown of Valmeyer, IL, Ray (Julie) Thorsten of Waterloo, IL, Scott Eckrich of Waterloo, IL, Kristen (Mark) Schaefer of Columbia, IL, Edward (Emily) Reece, Jr. of Waterloo and Lauren (Matt) Newsome of Maryland. His great-grandchildren: Cole, Jacob and Emmett Brown, Taylor, Kayla, Hailey and Henry Thorsten, Walton Reece, Jackson Dowler and Jameson Miller in addition to many nieces, nephews and beloved friends.

Bobby lived in Columbia, IL for many years before moving to Millstadt and worked as a construction supervisor for Luhr Brothers, Inc. for 42 years before retiring. Bobby was a member of the Millstadt Sportsman's Club, the Turners of Columbia and the Operating Engineers Local 520. He loved to fish and loved traveling with his beloved wife, Doris during his retirement years.

Wilbert Weinhold

Wilbert "Bill" C. Weinhold, 90, of Millstadt, IL passed away peacefully at his home on Wednesday June 12, 2019.

Born on July 7, 1928 in East St. Louis, IL, he was the son of William G. and Alma Weinhold, nee Hoehn and they precede him in death. Bill married his wife, Rosemary Weinhold, nee Schlemmer on May 14, 1949 and spent 62 wonderful years together until her death on January 5, 2012.

Bill was also preceded in death by his brothers, Ray and Glenn Weinhold and a sister-in-law, Leona Schlemmer.

Bill was a veteran of the United States Army, a devoted member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Millstadt, IL, a life member of V.F.W. post 7980 in Millstadt, IL, The St. Clair County Farm Bureau and AARP. He retired from Mid Continent Spring Company in Kentucky. In his spare time, Bill enjoyed golfing and bowling. Bill is survived by a sister, Phyllis Story of Columbia, IL and a sister-in-law, Maryann Weinhold of Union, MO, special friends Mary Ellen Wilson and her daughter, Elaine, in addition to many nieces, nephews and special friends. At Bill's request, please forego flowers and instead please make a memorial contribution to Trinity Lutheran Church in Millstadt, IL.

Muriel Lemmon

Muriel D. Lemmon, nee Metcalf, 93 years old of Millstadt, IL., passed away on Monday, June 17, 2019 at her residence. She was born June 11, 1926, in West Frankfort, IL.

Muriel had worked as a nurses aid at the Lincoln Home and Castle Haven Nursing Homes. She was also a member of First Christian Church in Belleville, IL.

Surviving are her daughter, Marilyn Lemmon; her sons, Steven (Jacqueline) Lemmon & Mark Lemmon; her grandchildren, Heather (Jerad) Busch, Shari (Seth) Brock, Ryan (Krystin) Lemmon & Rebecca (Matt) Konecek, her great grandchildren, Cooper and Paxton Lemmon, Graham and Grayson Konecek, Drake and Izek Busch, along with other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Ray Lemmon; her grandson, Nicholas Lemmon and her parents, Roy L. & Mabel R., nee Blasdel, Metcalf.