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Water Hydrant Flushing Schedule - 2024

Summer Lawn Watering

Please follow our recommended summer watering schedule by only watering on even or odd days corresponding to your street address number and limit watering to 3-4 hours. This will help ensure our well pump can replace water being used in our tower. Summer water usage typically is much higher than the rest of the year and can strain our water system capabilities.

The six water hydrants located in Indian Creek subdivision will be flushed on the dates listed below. Water hydrants are flushed in order to reduce the build-up of sediments in our water system. This is an important process for improving water quality. Our water operator will flush one hydrant at a time and allow it to run for 10-15 minutes (the next in line hydrant is opened concurrently for a brief period to keep water flowing through the system). Water pressure in our system's lines is maintained by the 35,000 gallons of water in our tower, however, pressure in home lines will be reduced during flushing much like when multiple faucets are opened in your homes. Flushing the hydrants will also stir up sediments so please follow the procedures listed below:

- Do not run water during the flushing time period.
- Following flushing, run water through faucets until clear. We recommend this be done by-passing any treatment/filtering system in your home because of the increased sediment stirred up during the flushing process.

Please mark your calendars with the dates listed below. Flushing will be done between 5:30 a.m. and 6:30 a.m. weather permitting. **Hydrants will not be flushed in freezing conditions or other inclement weather.**

Monday, October 28

Monday, December 30

Monday, November 25

Jim Larson – ICHWA Water Chairperson

Towanda 4-H

The Towanda 4-H club will meet October 8, 2024 at 6:30 in the Towanda Community building. We will have election of officers and will select the project area to study this year. For more information call Carie Vogel (309) 825- 6248 or Jeanie Wagner at (309) 728 - 2852.

-Belle Teufel

Towanda District Library

The Towanda District Library has some exciting events coming up! Mark your calendars for our annual Halloween Party on October 31, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m., featuring games, crafts, and treats for all ages. Please note that the library will be closed on October 8, 9, and 10 for staff attendance at the annual Illinois Library Association Conference, as well as on October 14 in observance of Indigenous Peoples' Day. We look forward to seeing you at the library for exciting events, new materials, and a multitude of services for the community!



October Schedule

Monday

CLOSED 10/14 for
Indigenous Peoples
Day

Tuesday

10/1- Adult Craft
@5:30

CLOSED 10/08

10/15- Spanish
Storytime w/ Guest
Reader @ 5:00

10/22- Book Club @
5:30

10/29- Paws for
Reading @ 5:00

Wednesday

Storytimes Every
Wednesday at 10:30

CLOSED 10-09

10/16- History of
Halloween
Homeschool Event @
2:00

Thursday

CLOSED 10/10

10/31- Halloween
Party from 5-7 pm!

Friday

Storytimes Every
Friday at 10:30

10/25- Special
Storytime with
Author Randi Moxi
@ 10:30

Saturday

10/26- Halloween
Cookie Decorating
@ Noon (Sign-up
Only)

Towanda HCE

Towanda Home & Community Education group will meet on Monday, October 14, 6:30 pm at the Towanda Community Building. The program will be "Services that Normal Township Activity & Recreation Center(ARC) Offer" given by Bev Hornickel. October's community service project is to bring paper towels and/or bleach to be given to the Humane Society of Central Illinois. The minor lesson will be on Malaysia, History Timeline. Malaysia is our international country of Study this fall. Members and guests may also bring small items to fit in Santa stockings for nursing home residents.

HCE stands for Home & Community Education. Towanda HCE is part of the McLean County HCE organization. We meet once a month September through May to give and/or receive great information about many different topics and educational programs. We have an exchange of ideas and enjoy the outing. Guests are always welcome at any of our meetings. For more information about Towanda HCE, contact Cindy, 309-824-4797. In celebration of "October is HCE Month," Towanda HCE will have displays up at the Towanda and Hudson Libraries all month. Come check us out. And pick up some literature about HCE.

McLean County HCE offers many programs and activities during HCE Month. On Thursday, Oct 3, at the McLean County Farm Bureau, will be our International Day: Malaysia presented by speaker, Angela Hicks who visited Malaysia for an international conference. Foods will be tasted as well as other displays highlighting Malaysia. Guests are always welcome at all HCE activities and programs. We will have a bake sale booth on October 5, 10 am - 3 pm at the Old Rugged Barn "Furry Friends & Family Festival."

HCE Attic Treasures and Bake Sale event will be held on Saturday, October 12, 8am-2pm at the Interstate Center, Mini Expo Building. There will be household items, books, small furniture, toys, puzzles, baby items, and fall/Christmas/ holiday items, jewelry, wall decor, small appliances, crafts and BAKED GOODS. We don't sell clothing, but do sell purses, hats, and scarves. So many common and unusual items are brought to sell. The sale proceeds will benefit HCE scholarships and HCE community outreach projects.

For more info: 309-824-4797.

Saturday, October 12, 2024

8am - 2pm

McLean County Association for
Home and Community Education

HCE Attic Treasures
& Bake Sale

INTERSTATE CENTER – Mini Expo Bldg
1106 Interstate Center Dr., Bloomington
Enter through south door – Follow Signs

	<p>Fall/Christmas/holiday items, jewelry, household, books, baskets, linens, toys, dishes, small furniture, wall décor, small appliances, jewelry, lots of miscellaneous, <u>CRAFTS, & BAKED GOODS.</u> We don't have clothing, but do have purses, hats, & scarves</p>
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HOLIDAY FUN WORKSHOP – Get Creative

HCE Cultural Enrichment Workshop

Thursday, October 17, 9 a.m. to noon at the Farm Bureau Building



Come Join in the fun and the spirit of the upcoming holidays! Learn a new crafty art – stenciling a kitchen towel. And while our towels are drying, we can make a cute Christmas ornament – no sewing involved other than putting on some buttons. And best of all, all supplies are provided – your cost is just \$5 (\$7 for non-members) for a fun morning! Bring a



RSVP by October 12 – Debi Stoppkotte call/text(309) 825-8458 or email: gaitedgal54@gmail.com

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McLEAN COUNTY HCE
International Day
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2024
Program begins at 11:00 a.m.

McLean Co. Farm Bureau Auditorium
2242 Westgate Drive
Bloomington, Illinois

Country of Study: MALAYSIA
SPEAKER: Angela Hicks, IAHCE President
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CLASSIFIED



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For Hire:

Millie Harmon is available for both pet sitting and babysitting. Millie has experience pet sitting, is a member of the Junior Zookeepers at Miller Park Zoo and is part of the equestrian team at Lone Ridge Farm. Millie has completed a safe sitter's course and enjoys being with children. She can be reached at 309-665-9053 (Millie) or 309-530-5360 (parent).

Lydia Lueschen is available for babysitting. She has completed a babysitting course along with being CPR certified. Please call or text her mom - Dallas Lueschen- at 309-826-1868.

Aubrey Thomas is available for childcare and pet care. She has taken the Safe Sitter course and is experienced with taking care of several animals. Aubrey will be attending Heartland beginning in Fall 2023. Please call or text her at 309-532-7522. References available.

Jaeden Proesel - Age 16 is willing to do odd jobs such as dog walking, pet sitting, lawn care, etc. Please reach out! 309-310-7470