

CITY OF MAROA

PO BOX 136

MAROA, IL. 61756

MAROA POSTAL CUSTOMER

MAROA, IL. 61756



## MAROA CITY HALL HOURS

MONDAY – FRIDAY 9 AM – 12 PM & 1 PM – 3 PM

Phone: 217.794.2206

Website: [www.maroaillinois.gov](http://www.maroaillinois.gov)

Maroa Police Department Non-emergency phone:

217.794-5526

EMERGENCY: 911

Maroa Fire Department: 217.794.3375 or 911

Waterworks, Sewer Plant, superintendent of Streets & Alleys

Mike Hoffman

Phone: 217-794.3842 After Hours Water Dept.: 217.519.2102

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**Mayor:** Ryan Wilkey 217.972-1676

**City Clerk:** Crystal Parrott- 217.972.1684

**City Treasurer:** Randi Amettis-217.972.1685

**City Administrator:** Ted Agee- 217.972.1675  
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### **Aldermen/Alderwoman**

Ward-1: Monty Greutman- 217.972.1689

Ward-1: Jeremiah Grider- 217.972.1690

Ward-2: Mark Hunter- 217.972.1680

Ward-2: Blake West- 217.972-1679

Ward-3: Matt Riley- 217.972-1681

Ward-3: Angela Bogle- 217.972.1682  
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**City Attorney:** Lindsey Wise (Brown, Hay & Stephens) Office-217.428.4689

**City Engineers:** Chastain & Associates  
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Call JULIE before you DIG: 1.800.892.0123

## APPLICABLE CITY OF MAROA BUILDING CODES

- ☒ International Building Code: IBC 2024
- ☒ International Residential Building Code: IRC 2024
- ☒ International Existing Building Code: IEBC 2024
- ☒ International Property Maintenance Code: IPMC 2024
- ☒ International Swimming Pool and Spa Code: ISPSC 2024
- ☒ International Mechanical Code: IMC 2024
- ☒ International Fuel Gas Code: IFGC 2024
- ☒ National Electrical Code: NFPA 70 2023
- ☒ Illinois Accessibility Code: IAC 2018
- ☒ ADA Accessibility Guidelines: ADAAG 2010
- ☒ Illinois Plumbing Code: 2014
- ☒ Illinois Fire Code: NFPA 101 2015
- ☒ Illinois Architecture Practice Act: 225 ILCS 305/1989
- ☒ Illinois Energy Conservation Code:
  - o International Energy Conservation Code: IECC 2021
  - o ASHRAE 90.1 2019



## Building Permits & Related Information

In most cases, City permits are required to ensure compliance with building codes, property line setbacks, zoning regulations, and other state and local requirements. Please consider the following information **BEFORE** beginning any projects:

- **Some common projects requiring permits include asphalt or concrete work, structure alterations and additions, new or replacement fencing, swimming pools, solar panels porches, patios and decks, roof repairs or replacement, storage sheds, construction of any new structure, and demolition of any existing structure. Always verify if your project requires a permit prior to beginning any work by contacting City Hall.**
- **Illinois law requires anyone contracting for roof repair or replacement work to be licensed by the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation. City permit petitions require contractors to provide necessary licensing information to help protect businesses, homeowners, and neighbors.**
- **Some projects may require a variance or special use permit to be compliant with the City Code. After a public hearing with the Planning and Zoning Board, a recommendation is submitted to the Maroa City Council for consideration and authorization by ordinance. If the variance or special use is approved, permits can be issued. Due to state regulations regarding publication of notice, this process generally takes 30 to 60 days to complete.**
- **Many projects require property line markers to be located and exposed for setback verification. If property line markers cannot be located, you must have the parcel surveyed prior to receiving a permit.**
- **Fillable PDF petitions for permits are available at [maroillinois.gov](http://maroillinois.gov) and paper copies are available at City Hall. The petition for a permit must be completed in entirety (including all requested information) and submitted to City Hall for verification and approval. A certificate will only be issued after the petition is approved and associated fees are paid. Work on the project can only begin once a certificate is issued and posted.**
- **You are required by state law to contact J.U.L.I.E (dial 811) for locating services before proceeding with any excavation. This includes hand digging at any depth. The individual performing the digging MUST be the one to submit a J.U.L.I.E ticket.**
- **Failure to obtain a building permit prior to work being performed will result in doubled fees, processing delays, and possible fines.**
- **If you have any questions, please contact City Hall at 217-794-2206.**



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**1st-** Maroa Township Community Center Board Meeting @  
5:30PM @ Township Building

**1st- Maroa Township Meeting @ 6:30PM @ Township Building**

**2nd-American Legion Meeting @ 6PM @ Crawford's**

**4th-America's 250<sup>th</sup>- Happy Fourth of July!!**

**6th-City Council Meeting\_@ 6:30PM @ City Hall in Council Chambers**

## 7th- Mason Masonic Lodge Meeting @ Maroa Masonic Lodge

**16th**-Maroa Zoning Board Meeting @ 6 PM

**20th-** Maroa Library Board Meeting @ 6PM @ Library

21st- Water shut off



On behalf of the America 250th Celebration Committee, we extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who helped make this year's celebration such a tremendous success!

To our generous sponsors, dedicated volunteers, parade participants, entertainers, vendors, public safety personnel, city officials, and every community member who attended—thank you for your support, hard work, and enthusiasm. Your contributions made this celebration truly special and helped honor our nation's 250 years of history, freedom, and community spirit.

We are incredibly grateful for everyone who came together to celebrate America and create lasting memories. We couldn't have done it without you.

Thank you for helping make the America 250th Celebration one to remember. We look forward to celebrating with you again!



**DOAK BACKHOE**



*If anyone would like to have anything put in the newsletter, please reach out to Crystal Parrott, City Clerk. You can either email her or call her at City Hall during business hours. If it is appropriate and approved it will be posted in the next newsletter.*

**217-794-2206**

*maroa.clerk1@gmail.com*

### City Hall Gym:

City Hall has a gym available for rental use for special occasions and events.

The gym is \$50.00 to rent and \$120.00 deposit.



### PSN/SHUT OFF

If you happen to get your water shut-off when it's shut-off time, please do not go on PSN and pay. Please call City Hall and get your balance first because PSN will not have the correct amount to get turned back on and PSN does not notify us when a payment is made. So we will not know right away to turn you back on. So it is important for you to call in to City Hall or come in to pay your bill when you get shut-off to get turned back on. We just want to make sure that if you happen to get shut-off that we get you turned back on ASAP when the payment as been paid. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Also please do not put cash or medicine in the drop box!!!

### Newsletter:

Reminder if anyone would like anything in the newsletter please let Crystal Parrott, City Clerk know by email or call her at the office (217) 794-2206. If it is appropriate and approved it will be put in the newsletter.



(217) 794-2206



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### Email-Water Bills

We have been encouraging everyone to get their water bills emailed to them. You can still have it mailed to you as well but this way, you have two ways of it getting to you. You can have it just mailed or just emailed or emailed and mailed. Just let us know and we would be happy to set it up for you. Just call the office and Randi or Crystal can help you with this.

★ *Thank You* ★

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## Few Photos from the Parade



### SECURITY SYSTEMS

· [ADTSecurity.com](http://ADTSecurity.com), an ADT Authorized Company (877-907-6760)  
[ADTSecurity.com](http://ADTSecurity.com)



### SMALL ENGINE REPAIR

· Pest Outpost, LLC Tommy Agee 416 S Wood Street (217-794-2559)

### SNOW REMOVAL

· Doak Snow Removal (217-794-3844)



### STORAGE

· My Space Self Storage Greg & Debbie Ooton 15405 N Wood (217-794-5015 )  
· Spacemaker-Self Storage Tom Rogers 611 N Wood (217-794-5032 or 217-519-1913)  
· Maroa Storage- Steve Bland 115 Williams Way 217-791-3245

### TOWNSHIP

· Jamie Zombro Maroa Township Commissioner 504 S Wood St (217-520-4346)

### TRUCKING

· Braden Trucking 3033 W Washington (217-794-3772)  
· Cunningham Trucking 200 W Taft (217-794-5295)  
· Hoffman Trucking Rt 51 N (217-794-2281 or 800-356-2308)



### WELDING

· Performance Welding LLC  
Greg Hale Sr. (217-412-5723) Greg Hale Jr. (217-412-5722)

### WELL DRILLING

· Mashburn Well Drilling (217-794-3728)

### WOOD SHOP

· Lyle's Woodshop (815-225-7795) 109 N. Maple ST



### POST OFFICE

· Maroa Post Office 200 E Main (217-794-5011)

### RENTAL FACILITIES

- The City Hall Gym 120 S Locust St (217-794-2206)
- The Maroa Township Community Center 119 W Main (Cafe) (217-794-5114)

### RESTAURANTS & TAVERNS

- Agave & Lime Tex-Mex 105 W Main St (217) 775-0517
- Crawford's Pizza and Pub Matt & Hillary Crawford- 535 S Wood Street (217-794-2700)
- Maroa Pub, Inc. 102 W Walnut (217-794-3532)
- Full House Craft Beer Bar, LLC Justin Ford 103 W Main Street  
<https://www.facebook.com/fullhousecraftbeerbar/>

### RETAIL

- Dollar General 561 S Wood St. (217-794-2333)

### RV SALES & SUPPLIES

- Four Winds RV (217-794-2292)

### SATELLITE PROVIDERS

- DIRECTV (877-423-3403)  
<http://www.direct-deals.com/bundles.html>
- Dish  
<https://www.usdish.com/availability/il>

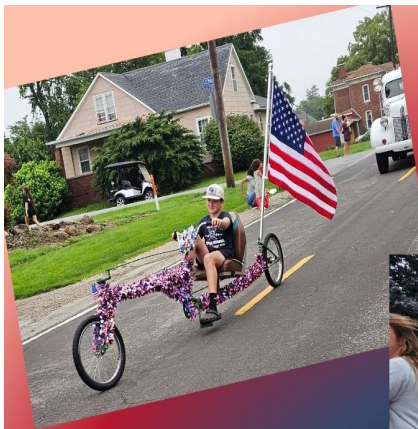
### SEWER

- Alpha Drains 406 E. Jefferson (217-917-5691)  
[alphadrainsillinois@gmail.com](mailto:alphadrainsillinois@gmail.com) [www.alphadrains.llc](http://www.alphadrains.llc)

### SCHOOLS

- Grade School (Forsyth) (217-877-2323)
- Middle School 101 N Cedar (217-794-5115)
- High School 610 W Washington (217-794-3463)
- Unit Office, 641 E Shafer Street, Forsyth, IL 62535 (217-794-3488 extension 5103)





### **LIBRARY**

· Maroa Public Library 305 E Garfield (217-794-5111)



### **LICENSED REAL ESTATE BROKER**

· Richard Kaufman 217-433-4085 Team Heritage  
www.c21quest.com (Century 21 Quest-Farm & Ranch)

### **LUMBER**

· Maroa Lumber Co. 229 E Main (217-794-2226)  
<http://www.maroalumber.com/>



### **MASONRY PROFESSION**

· JD'S Curb Appeal & Beyond 309-359-7139 Facebook: JD's Curb Appeal  
JD'sCurbAppealAndBeyond@gmail.com

### **MOBILE HOME PARKS**

· Maroa Manufactured Housing Community- 602 N. Wood St.- (217) 428-8500

### **OUTDOOR POWER EQUIPMENT**

· Pest Outpost, LLC Tommy Agee 416 S Wood Street (217-794-2559)  
www.pestoutpost.com

### **PEST CONTROL**

· Pest Outpost, LLC Tommy Agee 416 S Wood Street (217-794-2559)  
www.pestoutpost.com



### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

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<https://www.facebook.com/CapturedbyStephaniephotographyanddesign>

### **PLUMBING**

· Larry the Plumber Guy (217-848-7114)  
· Thoms Plumbing & HVAC, Inc. 300 S Walnut (217-794-3326)  
<https://thomsplumbing.com/>  
· Alpha Drains 406 E Jefferson (217-917-5691)  
[alphadrainsillinois@gmail.com](mailto:alphadrainsillinois@gmail.com) [www.alphadrains.llc](http://www.alphadrains.llc)



### GAS/CONVENIENCE STORE

- Casey's General Store 506 S Wood Street (217-794-5261)
- Freedom Oil 101 S Wood (217-280-4390)



### GARBAGE

- GFL Disposal-217-935-5652
- Unique Dumpster Rental- 217-520-2725- 6564 W. Duroc Rd., Maroa  
[www.uniquedumpsters.com](http://www.uniquedumpsters.com) Facebook –  
<http://www.facebook.com/uniquedumpsterrental/>



### GENERAL HOME MAINTENANCE & HOME REMODELING & REPAIR

- Steve's Home Services (217) 433-3608

### GRAIN ELEVATORS

- Topflight Co-op Grain 539 Emery Rd (217-794-2240)
- Topflight Elevator 103 N Oak (217-794-5533)

### GYM

- Ballers Performance Club- 615 N. Wood St.- [info@ballersperformanceclub.com](mailto:info@ballersperformanceclub.com)

### HOME CARE

- Laci Ziegler (217-413-2313) [mylesk2013@yahoo.com](mailto:mylesk2013@yahoo.com)



### HVAC

- Thoms Plumbing & HVAC, Inc. 300 S Walnut (217-794-3326)  
<https://thomsplumbing.com/>

### INSURANCE

- Stoutenborough Insurance Agency 125 W Main (217-794-2245)

### INTERNET

- Frontier <http://internet.frontier.com/> (800-921-8101)
- MR Systems and Wireless Clinton, IL (217-935-2100)
- Rise Broadband (844-411-7473) [www.risebroadband.com](http://www.risebroadband.com)



### LAWN CARE

- George & Diane Campbell 401 N Wood (217-794-5281)

### Little Bit of The Festival





**Please welcome our new  
Chief of Police Mike Donaker**



**(In picture above is Mayor  
Wilkey and Chief Donaker)**

#### COFFEE SHOP

· TLC Coffee House 543 S Wood Street (217-794-2668)  
<https://www.tlccoffeehouse.com/>



#### CONTRACTORS

· Huffman Cabinet Co. 110 N Hickory (217-794-3301)  
· Thoms Plumbing & HVAC Inc. 300 S Walnut (217-794-3326)  
<https://thomsplumbing.com/>



#### COUNSELING

· Casie Laskowski, MA, CADC, LCPC, C-KAP  
The Road Less Traveled Counseling  
PO Box 521 Maroa, IL 61756  
(217) 979-5857 (M-Th 9am-5pm)  
Crisis: call 911 or 988

Emails, calls, and texts will be replied to within 24-hours of the next business day.

If you are in crisis and need immediate care, please call 911 or 988 or go to your local emergency room.

[casie@theroadlesstraveledcounseling.net](mailto:casie@theroadlesstraveledcounseling.net)  
<https://theroadlesstraveledcounseling.net/>

#### CRAFT BEER BAR

· Full House Craft Beer Bar, LLC Justin Ford 103 W Main Street  
<https://www.facebook.com/fullhousecraftbeerbar/>

#### ESTATE SALES

• Meredith Estate Sales On-site (217)358-1014 [karlathomas48@yahoo.com](mailto:karlathomas48@yahoo.com)  
Facebook: Meredith Estate SALES

#### FERTILIZER COMPANIES

· Evergreen FS 389 E. School Rd (217-794-2247)  
· Maroa Ag N. Wood St (217-794-5117)



#### FUNERAL HOME

· Calvert Funeral Home 202 S Wood (217-794-5554)  
<https://www.calvertmemorial.com/>

# Business

## DIRECTORY

### ANTIQUES

- Campbell Antiques Tractors George Campbell (217-794-5281)

### APARTMENTS

- Country Place Apartments 202 S Maple (217-794-5326)
- Hoyt Apartments 103 S. Walnut and 102 W Main (217-794-5414)
- C&R Properties 324 S Wood/105 W Madison/515 & 516 W Jackson St. (217-620-4888)

### APPLE ORCHARD

- Bradshaw Farms - 14260 Lake Fork Ln, Maroa (907-671-3976)
- <https://www.facebook.com/BradshawFarms4u/>

### ATTORNEYS

- Brown, Hawkins, Basola 112 E Main (217-794-3851 or 217-423-3411)

### AUTO SALES

- Maroa Auto Sales 408 S Wood Street (217-412-1312)
- <https://www.facebook.com/maroaautosales/>

### BACKHOE & HAULING

- Doak Backhoe, LLC 112 N Pine (217-412-9080 or 217-412-9454)

### BANK

- Scott State Bank 110 E Main (217-794-2227)

### CAR RESTORATION

- American Street Dreams  
120 N Wood (217-794-2731)

### CAR WASH

- The Wood St. Car Wash Robert & Angela Sarver 406 S Wood Street (217-794-5234)

### CATERING

- Basket Case Catering Tracy Ferrill (217-433-2175)

### CEMETERIES

- Maroa Cemetery E Washington and W Washington (217-853-2044)

### CHURCHES

- Maroa Christian Church 430 E Main (217-794-3492)  
<http://www.maroachristian.org/>
- Maroa United Methodist Church 202 N Walnut (217-794-2209) Parsonage (217-794-5550)  
<https://www.loc8nearme.com/illinois/maroa/maroa-united-methodist-church/6449861/>



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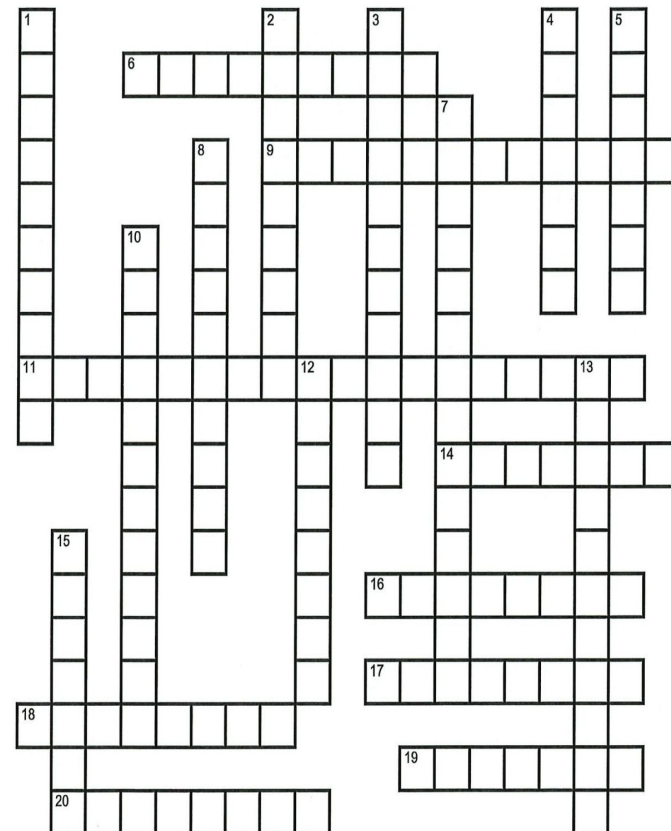
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### ACROSS

- A principal author of the Declaration of Independence
- Freedom from foreign rule
- A 250th anniversary celebration
- Cruel or unjust rule
- Number of original colonies
- Legislative body that declared independence
- Inventor and Founding Father: Benjamin \_\_\_\_\_
- Massachusetts town where fighting began
- Site of the war's final major battle

### DOWN

- Sharing power between national and state governments
- Massachusetts town of the first battle
- A nation's right to govern itself
- Ability to act without oppression
- Signer famous for his large signature
- Having a voice in government
- War that created the United States: American \_\_\_\_
- Official approval of a document
- Britain's settlements in America
- Annual celebration of a past event
- Freedom and self-government



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| Anniversary | Hancock        | Revolution         |
| Colonies    | Independence   | Semiquincentennial |
| Concord     | Jefferson      | Sovereignty        |
| Congress    | Lexington      | Thirteen           |
| Federalism  | Liberty        | Tyranny            |
| Franklin    | Ratification   | Yorktown           |
| Freedom     | Representation |                    |

# Plant a Seed, Read



Come and celebrate you finishing our Summer Reading Program! Enjoy ice cream from the TLC trailer that will be parked at the library, the blow up waterslide, slip N' slide, and other outside activities!

**July 10th at 1 pm at MPL**

## Adult Book Club

July 31<sup>st</sup> at 11 am

*Eat Pray Love* by Elizabeth Gilbert

August 28<sup>th</sup> at 11 am

*Moloka'i* by Alan Brennert



## The Spice Girls Book Club (18+)

July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6 pm

Pen Pal by J.T. Geissinger

August 6<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm

Bared to You by Silvia Day

## Maroa Public Library

Tue, Wed, Thur: 9-6  
Friday: 9-3  
Saturday: 9-1

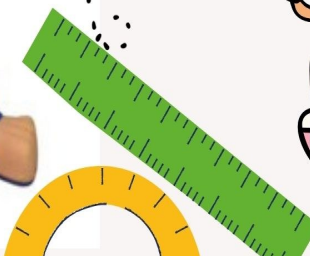
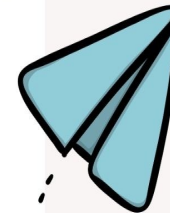


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marp.illshareit.com  
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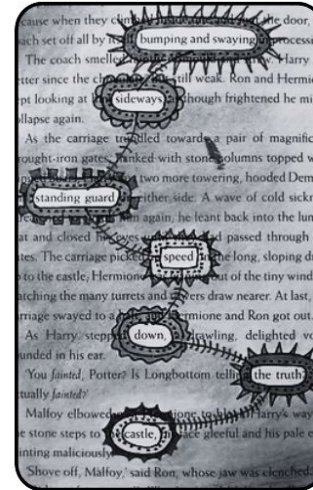
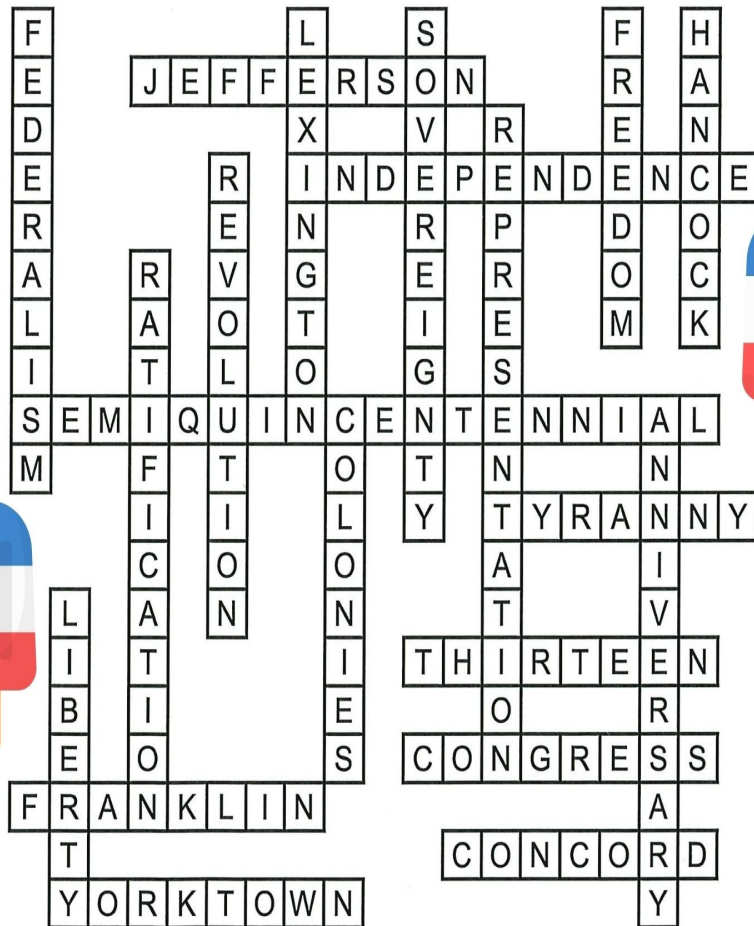
# BACK TO SCHOOL



SCHOOL WILL BE STARTING BACK UP VERY SOON. PLEASE WATCH OUT FOR ALL THE KIDS THAT WILL BE WAITING AT THE BUS STOPS TO GET ON AND OFF THEIR BUS AND FOR THE KIDS WALKING TO AND FROM SCHOOL. ALSO PLEASE BE CAREFUL AT THE ENTRANCES AND EXITS BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL AT WOOD STREET AND 51 AND WASHINGTON STREET AND 51. WE ALL KNOW WE ARE ALL BAD SOMETIMES ABOUT BEING IN A RUSH IN THE MORNINGS BUT IT JUST TAKES A FEW EXTRA MINUTES TO MAKE SURE EVERYONE IS SAFE!!



## SOLUTION



- Blackout Poetry
  - July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 1 pm
- Playgroup & Storytime
  - Thursdays at 10 am
- Lawn Chairs at the Library
  - July 8th at 6 pm
  - Jim May, Emmy award-winning storyteller, and a Bubble Station!

- Morning Sewing: Tuesdays at 9 am
- Senior Exercise: Wednesdays and Friday at 10 am
- Brain Games: 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 11 am
- 3 C's Saturday Coffee: Every 3rd Saturday at 10 am
- Nationwide Reading of the Declaration of Independence
  - July 8th at 5 pm
- U of I Extension: "Cooking with Grandma"
  - July 17th at 1 pm
- Lively Library Bingo (starting August 19th!)
  - Wednesdays at 1:30 pm

- 4<sup>th</sup> of July craft
  - July 7<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm
- Flower craft
  - July 28<sup>th</sup> 5:30 pm
- Flower Pot Ladies craft: August 4<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm
- Lavender Body Scrub: August 25<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm





Welcome  
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**3<sup>rd</sup>-City Council Meeting @ 6:30PM @ City Hall in Council Chambers**

**3<sup>rd</sup>- School Board Meeting @ 6:30PM @ High School Library**

**4<sup>th</sup>- Mason Masonic Lodge Meeting @ Maroa Masonic Lodge**

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## MAROA POST OFFICE



I am officially Retired as of July 31. It has been an honor to be able to work in my home town. I have loved every minute of it. I will miss seeing everyone and staying caught up with all the local happenings.

Nikki (current clerk) will still be here and in charge and will take good care of you.

We have a new clerk who will be helping her out her name is Dana. She will be starting next week.

Mary and Jayden are the rural carriers and have been here with us and will continue to serve you and our wonderful community.

As always just call the office with any questions or concerns.

Tammy (Miles)

