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9-1-1
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Mike Hoffman
Phone: 217.794.3842 **After Hours Water Dept.:** 217.519.2102
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City Clerk: Diane Edwards 230 W Jackson, 217.737.5954
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City Administrator: Ted Agee 509 N Locust, 217.454.5951
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Ward-2: Blake West 298 N Ash, 217.855.4392
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City Attorney: Jim Jankowicz 101 South Main Street, Suite 505 Decatur, IL 62523 Office: 217-428-6629
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Scott State Bank: 217.794.2227
Maroa Post Office: 217.794.5011
Maroa Public Library: 217.794.5111
United Waste Service: 217.425.4011
Maroa Forsyth Grade School: 217.877.2023
Maroa Forsyth Middle School: 217.794.5115
Maroa Forsyth High School: 217.794.3463
Maroa Forsyth Schools Unit Office: 217.794.3488
Election Polling Place: City Hall Gym

WE ALSO HAVE BOOKS!

Just a FEW of our current new releases:

Adults:
Andromeda Revolution by Michael Crichton
Confession Club by Elizabeth Berg
Code of Honor by Tom Clancy
Twisted Twenty-Six by Janet Evanovich

Youth:
Wrecking Ball by Jeff Kinney
The Fowl Twins by Eoin Colfer
The Toll by Neal Shusterman
Legacy by Shannon Messenger

Picture Books:
Roly Poly by Mem Fox
How I Met My Monster by Amanda Noll
The Thank You Letter by Jane Cabrera

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FCA Huddle @ MFHS

Who: Any Current MFHS student

What: This will become a student led Fellowship of Christian athlete's glorifying GOD through the joy of Competition and praising the abilities and opportunities that our Holy Savior Provides

Where: MFHS Band Room

When: 7:30-8:00 AM, 1st and 3rd Wednesday's of Every Month-September to May - Breakfast will be Provided.

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The water quality report may be found at the following URL.

Paper copies will not be mailed out. A paper copy is posted at City Hall and if you wish to have a paper copy, you may contact City Hall at 217-794-2206 to request one.

https://maroaillinois.gov/file/606/2018%20Drinking%20Water%20Report.pdf

January

2 - V.F.W. Post #3287 6 pm at Library

2 - American Legion 6:30 pm at Library

7 - Maroa Masonic Lodge #454 at 7 pm

8 - Maroa Township Meeting 6:30 pm - 540 S Wood Street

9 - Maroa Township Community Center Board Meeting 6:30 pm - Community Center

13 - Maroa Youth League meeting 6 pm at City Hall - Public welcome

15 - Maroa Lions Club 6:30 pm at the Methodist Church

20 - Library Board Meeting 6:30 pm at the Library

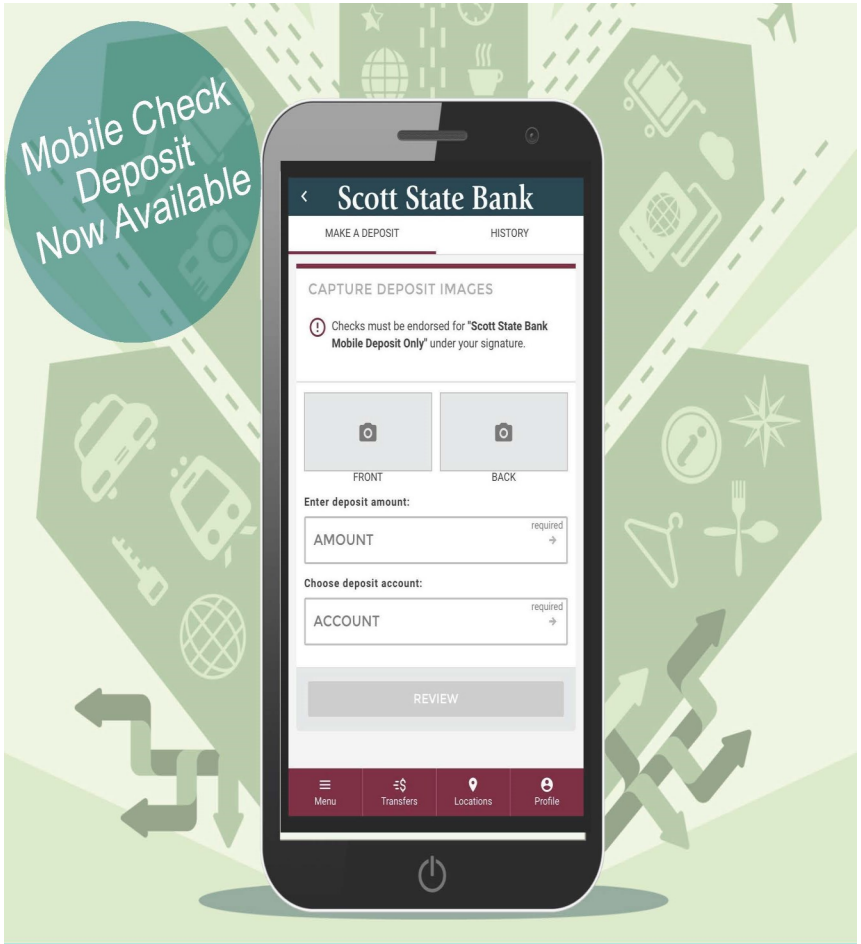
21 - H.C.E 5:30 pm at Crawford's

27 - Police Committee Meeting 6 pm at City Hall

27 - City Council Meeting 6:30 pm at City Hall

28 - Shut off for unpaid water bills starting at 10 am

"What you do makes a difference, and you have to decide what kind of difference you want to make."
— Jane Goodall



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February

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24 - City Council Meeting 6:30 pm at City Hall

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And therefore is winged Cupid painted blind."
— William Shakespeare, A Midsummer Night's Dream

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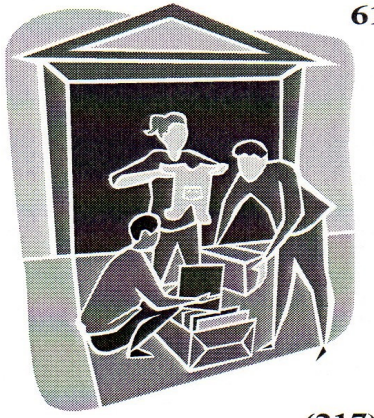

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Pastor Mary Alice Cunningham
Adult Sunday School 9 am
Worship 10:10 am

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MAROA FORSYTH SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS

- Honor Roll - Visit the News section at www.mfhs.mfschools.net to see all of our outstanding students!
- Trojans of Tomorrow: Planning for a Bright Future - Visit www.mfschools.net/trojans-of-tomorrow to see the most popular options for the future of our district facilities.
- Thank You - The middle school was able to make a major upgrade to our 8th grade fitness offering thanks to the Clinton YMCA. The organization gave us the equipment they are replacing.
- Choir Festival - Congratulations to Allison Beller, Kennadie Ohlemeyer, Katie Nilles, Zoe Christian, Avika Sharma, and Lexi Nilles for being chosen to represent Maroa-Forsyth Grade School on November 4 at the Illinois Music Education Association Elementary Choral Festival at Eastern Illinois University.

newsletter

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Thank you for your help with this matter. We have a lot of new faces at the Post Office and they are all trying hard and with your help it will all work out.

Please remember that if you want to give to your postal carrier something for the holidays, please do not give cash/ check to them. They are not to accept it. We appreciate the kind gesture but as Federal Employees, we may not accept money.

ATTENTION!

****NOTICE- The Post Office is NOT a drop off/pick up site for UPS or FedEx. ** Thank you.**

- Lego League - Maroa-Forsyth Grade School has started a Lego League! Members include Nicholas Brooks, Alexa Hurst, Jacob Knuppel, McKenna Munjoy, Dalten Paine, Avika Sharma, Bianca Swartz, and Camden Trendler.

The City of Maroa used the Leaf Vacuum to collect the leaves from residents here in town. It was a success. The weather did not work to our advantage some of the time but we do appreciate all that participated. It was nice to see that there was very little burning this fall. The environment and people thank you. The City Crew deserves a great BIG THANK YOU! It was a learning experience but they got the job done.

The City Water Department needs your help

Please check around the outside of your house and if you have bushes and/or brush growing up and it is near the water meter on the outside of your home, please make sure to trim it back so that the water department is able to get to your meter.

There are some homes that the meter is blocked with brush and they are not able to get a reading. Thank you in advance for your help with this matter.

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