

**Quarterly Issues/Programs
List**

For

WMKR (FM) 94.3 Pana,IL

**April 1, 2015 – June 30,
2015**

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City government	4/20/15	5:20 am	1 min 30 sec	City Council approves committee motions
City government	4/21/15	7:21 am	1 min 30 sec	Mayor announces tree planting, Pat Kretzer sworn in, AFSCME wage opener approved
City government	5/18/15	12:19 pm	1 min 15 sec	Richard Hughes to the Tree Board, Plan Commission rezoning, recommendation failed
City government	5/18/15	2:21 pm	50 secs	EMS week, city burying time capsule, Jim Smith hired as band director
City government	6/16/15	4:21 pm	1 min 05 secs	Gina Dunn performing CPR, Dunn awarded a plaque

4/20/15 5am MZ MOD 3 OF 3

The Lake and Airport Committee approved the request and granted a Special Events Permit for the William Walter Catch-A-Fish Day Tournament for Saturday, May 9th from 8-10 a.m. They also waived the bidding process and accepted the quote of some \$23,000 from Stanley Roofing Company for recoating of the airport office and hangar roofs.

The Finance Committee approved the transfer of \$50,000 from the general fund to the water fund for the repayment of the Water Fund Loan. The board also approved the Fiscal Year 2015/2016 budgets for the audit, contingency, hotel/motel, IMRF, Social Security, Municipal Building, fire, police, street, sewer, garbage, Fire and Police Pension, insurance, ESDA and safety; and forwarded them to the City Treasurer for further refinement.

The ordinance committee directed the City Attorney to prepare a draft ordinance creating a Liquor Classification for a Micro Brewery and to also make the revisions to the proposed draft Liquor Ordinance as it was previously discussed.

The Taylorville Council approved the payment of bills totaling some \$450,000. The meeting was adjourned at 7:31 p.m.

4/21/15 5am MZ MOD 1 OF 3

The Taylorville City Council met for their 2nd meeting of the month *Last night* on Monday night.

Mayor Greg Brotherton started the meeting off by inviting everyone to a tree planting at the Christian County Mental Health Development Center located at 707 McAdam Drive for Arbor Day. The planting will take place at 10 a.m. on Friday April 24th.

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Pat Kretzer was sworn in Monday-night as the Chairman of the Board of Approvals and Drew Stephenson was sworn in as appointment to the plan commission.

Aldermen approved a motion of the Wage Opener on AFSCME Council 31 Local 3349 Contract. Alderman Heberling read off the terms of the contract.

Key 1 ...of December 31st, 2017. (:33)

Mayor Brotherton did thank everyone for their professionalism.

5/18/15 5am MZ

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The Taylorville City Council met for their 2nd meeting of the month Monday evening.

Two Aldermen, Bruce Jones and Larry Budd, were absent from the meeting for personal reasons. Mayor Greg Brotherton started the meeting off by appointing Richard Hughes to the Tree Board.

Joe Hauser, Chairman of the Plan Commission, recommended the rezoning of the property at 301 to 315 East Market Street from Residential 2 to Commercial 1. Alderman Martin Vota gives his take on the rezoning and thinks they should be cautious.

Key 1

..a residential area.

(:36)

Aldermen voted 4-2 and the recommendation failed, but they did pass a vote that would bring this up when all Aldermen are available.

5/18/15 Noon MZ Mod 2

In other business at the Taylorville City Council meeting, Mayor Brotherton gave an update about next week being EMS Week. At next meeting, starting at 6:30 p.m. the city will recognize local responders.

Key } ...I'm looking forward to that. (:19)

On Saturday, at a ceremony on the Northwest corner of the Courthouse lawn, the city will be burying a time capsule and combine with the dedication of the Lincoln and the pig statue.

Motion was approved in the band committee to hire Jim Smith as Band Director, Reggie Hohenstein as Band Librarian, and Jan Phillips as Band Manager for the 2015 concert season.

Mod 1

6/16/15 5am MZ

The Taylorville City Council met for their 2nd meeting of the month on Monday Night.

Mayor Greg Brotherton started the meeting off by acknowledging Gina Dunn for performing CPR on Jennifer McClard in an accident back in February. Dunn, who is an employee for Dunn Ambulance, was off duty at the time and did what she knew she had to do.

Key 1 ...or even death. (31)

Dunn was awarded a plaque by Fire Chief Mike Crews and Police Chief, Dave Herpstreith.

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County government	5/19/15	5:20 am	2 min	Christian County Board acts on beer gardens, accepts resignation
County government	5/20/15	7:20 am	2 mins; 30 sec	Christian County Board reads resolution, bridges repaired
County government	6/30/15	1:20 pm	30 secs	Christian County Board to hold special meeting
County government	6/30/15	9:19 pm	2 min; 30 sec	Christian County Board Meeting, adopting prevailing wage ordinance

4/27/15 Noon MZ

On Monday, May 4th, the Shelby County Sheriff's Office will be sponsoring the annual DARE Picnic at Forest Park in Shelbyville.

Graduates who have completed the 12-week program from Shelby County schools will attend. County Sheriff's Secretary, Tina Wade, tells Regional Radio the journey the 5th graders went through to graduate.

Key 3 ...completed the DARE program. (:18)

Around 400 students, teachers, chaperones, and exhibitors will be at the park for the picnic. The students will also get a close-up view of safety and educational demonstrations from a number of organizations and law enforcement agencies.

The graduates will also be competing in different contest. For more information, contact the Shelby County Sheriff's Office at 217-774-3941.

5/19/15 5am MZ

Mod 2

The Executive Committee made motions at Tuesday night's County Board meeting about a proposed language from the States Attorney on beer gardens and premises for the outdoor license holders. Chairwoman, Laura Wilkerson read the following language that was discussed and approved.

Key > ...or served for consumption. (:31)

The licensed premises does not include sidewalks, streets, other portions of the public way, private parking areas or the property outside such permanent structure and beer garden on the property.

Chairman Paul Schmitz informed the committee that Carol Foli had submitted her letter of resignation effective the end of May. He also informed the committee of the circumstances of the county's liability insurance carrier membership. He found out that on county has committed to leave the trust and the other three are gathering new coverage information. With only five members in the trust, the only option is for Christian County to also request bids or quotes for liability coverage effective September 1st of this year.

5/20/15 5am MZ

Mod 1

The Christian County Board met for their monthly meeting Tuesday night at the Christian County Courthouse.

Chairman of the Board, Paul Schmitz read a resolution from West Central Development Council that is asking for a grant they applied for.

Key 1 ...and dispense of the readings. (:38)

The board passed the motion that Christian County supports the efforts of the West Central Development Council, in securing a Fiscal Year 2015 Partnership Planning Assistance grant in the amount of some \$160,000.

At Tuesday night's County Board meeting, the Highway, Building, and Zoning Committee passed a number of motions including an agreement with WHKS and Company for Bear Creek Bridge #12 and #22. These bridges will be repaired with the cost not to exceed some \$97,000. Bids will be taken for the replacement of Rosamond Bridge #9 this month.

An update on projects going on now, the county Highway #1 Bridge South of Micenheimer's will be completed by the end of May and the Radford Road Bridge in Prairieton Township in under construction. The bridge should be finished in this month and roadwork completed by early July.

6-30-15 5 AM DD

Christian County Board Special Meeting Tonight

The Christian County Board will have a special meeting tonight at the Christian County Courthouse. Items on the agenda include adopting the prevailing wage ordinance and waive the per diem for this special meeting.

At their last meeting on June 16, the Audit and Financing committee presented the annual Prevailing Wage Ordinance. It failed to pass due to a 6-6 tie.

Tuesday's meeting is scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m.

6-30-15 7 PM DD

Christian County Board Approves Prevailing Wage Ordinance

The Christian County Board met in a special meeting session on Tuesday night at the Christian County Courthouse. The following board members requested to call the special meeting: Chairman of the Board – Paul Schmitz, Laura A. Wilkinson, Charles DeClerck, Donna Hibbetts, Aaron Allen and Timothy Carlson.

The main item on the agenda was the prevailing wage ordinance. The ordinance is an act of regulating wages of laborers, mechanics and other workers employed in any public works by the county, city, or any public body or by anyone under contract on public works. Chairman of the Board, Paul Schmitz, tells Regional Radio News that it is established by the state of Illinois and it is a fair wage.

Key ↱ (...that's the reason) (:43)

Vince Shaw, a business representative of the Operating Engineers Local Union No. 965 out of Springfield, addressed the County Board that every public body has to pass an ordinance during the month of June that meets the requirement of state statute.

Key ↲ (...of state statute) (:34)

Motion was approved to pass the prevailing wage ordinance. The board also waived the per diem of this special meeting, which means that no one got paid for the meeting Tuesday night, since it was a special meeting. The board adjourned less than five minutes after starting the meeting.

The next regular scheduled meeting for the Christian County Board is July 21 at 6:30 p.m. in the Courthouse.

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Economic development	4/28/15	4:21 pm	3 mins	Downtown Taylorville Committee, Steve Craggs speaks to Kiwanis
Economic development	5/27/15	7:20 pm	1 min	Christian County Economic Development Corporation executive committee meets
Economic development	5/29/15	9:20 am	1 min	Greater Taylorville Chamber of Commerce After Hours at Gowin Parc
Economic development	6/24/15	7:19 am	1 min, 10 sec	Christian County Economic Development Corporation Board meets

4/23/2015 SW 3:00

May Chamber Business After Hours To Be Held At LLCC-Taylorville

The monthly Greater Taylorville Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours event is coming to the Taylorville campus of Lincoln Land Community College next month.

Chamber CEO Patty Hornbuckle tells Regional Radio that the event will be held on the third Wednesday of May, and some phenomenal culinary offerings will be available to attendees.

Key *u* "...so hopefully that's what it is." (:12)

For more information on any Business After Hours events hosted by the Chamber, just contact them at 217-824-4919.

4/28/15 2pm rjm.

The organization formerly known as the Taylorville Main Street Committee, now known as the Downtown Taylorville Committee, was the topic of the guest speaker at Tuesday's weekly meeting of the Taylorville Kiwanis Club at the Taylorville Memorial Hospital auditorium.

Steve Craggs, who has been president of the organization for some 9 years, spoke about the changes the organization has gone thru, upcoming events, and projects the committee is working on.

Craggs serves with a board of 9 local business and townspeople, to help promote the Downtown Taylorville area. He said some of the most popular events the organization has held over the years, includes the weekly Farmers Market going on now thru October, the "Meet the Machines" Day where large equipment is parked on the square for families to see and touch, and the Christmas Parade.

Craggs added that the Downtown Taylorville Committee worked with other non-profit organizations and county officials, to build the newly-completed Farmers Memorial on the square.

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~~Added!~~
← Finished @ 1:00
~~TUES KEY P~~

Currently, the Downtown Taylorville Committee is working on installing a new sound system in the Courthouse clock tower, which will be heard on all 4 sides of the square. Craggs says he's hopeful the system will be installed by Thanksgiving.

Craggs also said that the organization is working with the City of Taylorville and the Greater Taylorville Chamber of Commerce, on purchasing new Christmas lights for the square.

Kiwanis members were reminded of some special upcoming dates. The May 12th meeting will be the 25th anniversary of the local Kiwanis Prayer Luncheon; and May 19th is the annual membership drive cookout at Kiwanis Park.

The Taylorville Kiwanis Club is part of global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time. Weekly meetings are held Tuesdays at noon at the Taylorville Memorial Hospital auditorium. For information on the club, go to taylorvillekiwanis.com.

5/27/15 Noon MZ

The Christian County Economic Development Corporation held their monthly executive meeting last week.

Mary Renner, the Executive Director of the Economic Development Corporation, tells Regional Radio they are in the process of certifying students for the CEO Program. She says they already have their 10 students.

Key 1 ...taken place this summer. (:32)

Other projects talked about, that Renner could not go in to, will represent 200 jobs in a warehouse distribution facility.

The next monthly meeting will be held on June 18th and on June 24th they will have their quarterly board meeting.

5/29/2015

June Business After-Hours at Gowin Parc

The Greater Taylorville Chamber of Commerce has announced that their Business After-Hours for the month of June is taking place at Gowin Parc in Taylorville.

Greater Taylorville Chamber of Commerce CEO Patty Hornbuckle tells Regional Radio the event is planned for June 17th.

Key 4

"...they do real well there."

(:43)

For more information, contact the Greater Taylorville Chamber of Commerce at 217-824-4919.

6/24/15 starting at 5am. Rjm

The Christian County Economic Development Corporation board of directors met for their quarterly meeting during the noon hour on ~~Tuesday~~^{yesterday}, in the board room of the First National Bank of Pana, to review ongoing economic development efforts.

In her report, executive director Mary Renner told board members that a number of business retention calls have been scheduled in the coming weeks. Renner talked with Regional Radio News after the meeting about the importance of those calls.

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Renner added that she's working with several prospective businesses to locate or expand in Christian County.

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Education	5/20/15	5:21 pm	1 min; 15 sec	Regional Office of Education in Vandalia holding six open ELIS labs
Education	5/29/15	3:20 pm	1 min; 40 sec	Lincoln Land Community College's Scott Stallman promoted
Education	6/24/15	7:21 pm	1 min; 30 sec	Students named to MacMurray College Dean's List
Education	6/30/15	12:19 pm	2 min; 30 sec	THS Band in National Independence Day Parade

4/22/15

Sam's Sports

On Saturday, May 9th, 5 former Tornados and the 1998 Football Team will be inducted into the Taylorville High School Sports Hall of Fame

Back in 1995, the THS Hall of Fame was founded to honor the previous ^{athletes}athletics, coaches, teams and friends of sports who have been illustrious on and off the field of play.

Those being inducted with the 1998 Football team are Matt Blomquist, Meredith Curtin, Dr. Lacey Dively Moy, Adam Stork, ^{and}Denny Daugherty. This is the 20th year of the banquet and Chairman of the Hall of Fame, Dave Hixenbaugh, tells Regional Radio about the inductees.

Key

...hall of Fame.

(1:51)

For more information, contact the THS office or call Dave Hixenbaugh at 820-9468.

5/20/15 3pm MZ

The Regional Office of Education in Vandalia will be holding six open ELIS labs to assist those who need help creating accounts, beginning your professional development, or renewing and registering your license.

Regional Superintendent, Julie Wollerman, tells Regional Radio teachers can go and register for license. They will also help with any questions you have.

Key 3 ...for that area too. (:35)

The labs will be coming to a school near you from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. On May 28th and June 1st, they will be at Effingham High School, June 3rd at Hillsboro Junior High School and June 4th at Taylorville Junior High School.

For more information or questions, contact the regional office at 618-283-5011.

5/29/15 1:00 SW

Administrative Changes at LLCC

Change is in the air at Lincoln Land Community College-and we don't mean the renovations that were just recently completed.

Scott Stallman, formerly the Executive Director of the Taylorville, Hillsboro and Litchfield Campuses of LLCC, tells Regional Radio that he is now the Associate Vice President of Outreach at Lincoln Land Community College.

Key 4 “...dual enrollment.” (:23)

Stallman added that Dee Krueger has been promoted from associate director of the Taylorville center to the sole director of the campus, but she will continue to advise students. Stallman says the changes aim to increase the efficiency of the college.

Key 5 “...to reaching those goals.” (:52)

For more information, contact LLCC at 217-786-2200.

6-24-15 5 PM DD

Area Students On Dean's List at MacMurray College

Area students were named to the Spring 2015 Dean's List at MacMurray College in Jacksonville. Students who made the list were: Junior Kendra Brown of Assumption, who is double-majoring in art and business administration. Junior Tarryn Link of Taylorville, who is double-majoring in accounting and business administration, sophomore Carley Prince of Kincaid, senior Elizabeth Suhrbier of Pana, who is majoring in psychology, and Breanna Walton of Edinburg, who graduated in May with a double major in biology and psychology.

In order to be named on the Dean's List, the student must be enrolled full-time and achieve a 3.5 grade point average.

6-30-15 START 7/1/15 DD

Taylorville High School Marching Band In National Independence Day Parade

The Taylorville High School Marching Band will be participating in the National Independence Day Parade in Washington D.C. this Saturday at 11:45 a.m.

There will be a "Pack the Path" in the Jensen's parking lot tonight starting at 7:30 p.m. to show support for the marching band. Director of Music for the Taylorville School District, Chris Gunn, tells Regional Radio News about the history of "Pack the Path" and how it lets the community show their support for the marching band members.

Key A (...off big time) (:41)

Gunn says going to Washington D.C. and performing in the National Independence Day Parade ramps up the whole feeling that our country is the greatest nation in the world.

Key S (...pretty darn good) (:26)

Gunn added that they will view and tour all the memorials, a couple of Smithsonian Museums, the U.S. Capital and watch the President's Marine Band perform at their barracks on Friday night and go to Arlington National Cemetery and participate in a re-flaming ceremony.

Gunn said on behalf of himself, the band, and the band boosters' thank you to the community of Taylorville and those who helped them.

Key D (...represent them well) (:25)

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Health	5/26/15	3:19 pm	2 min; 50 sec	Taylorville Kiwanis Club meeting, TMH Rehab Department speaks
Health	5/26/15	2:21 pm	50 sec	State Rep. CD Davismeyer proposes legislation for Illinois School of the Deaf
Health	6/29/15	4:20 pm	1 min; 15 sec	Christian County TRIAD promotes Yellow Dot Program for medical information
Health	6/22/15	7:21 pm	1 min	CICBC hosting blood drive at YMCA

Illinois nursing home operators say they are getting hit harder than first thought under budget cuts for the current fiscal year. A coalition of nursing home companies believed the recent fiscal year budget fix would cut \$25.5 million of their state funding. Upon further review, that number more than doubled to the 55 million dollar mark. Representative Mary Flowers fears dire consequences... cut (C33)

The operators don't know yet how they'll deal with the funding cuts.

Shawn Balint WFMB

5/26/15 2pm rjm ((((((CORRECTED.))))))

The Taylorville Kiwanis Club heard about the services provided by the Taylorville Memorial Hospital Rehabilitation Department, at the club's weekly luncheon Tuesday at the Taylorville Memorial Hospital auditorium.

Beth Guhlstorf and Emily Tolly of the T-M-H Rehab Department, spoke about the many services provided to area residents. Their department provides occupational, speech and physical therapy in 3 different settings—inside the hospital, as outpatients, and in-home visits.

Guhlstorf said the department is growing in patients and as a result, growing in staff. Tolly said many pediatric patients are helped with speech and motor skills in their early years.

Guhlstorf told the Club that the biggest percentage of the T-M-H Rehab Department outpatients are children, while the biggest percentage of inpatients are geriatric. She added their department saw over 15-thousand patient visits last year.

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WED KEY K 3 (16)

Tolly told the Club that the T-M-H Speech Rehab sees a wide variety of patients.

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WED KEY L 4 (54)

4 guests attended Tuesday's Taylorville Kiwanis Club meeting.

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5/26/15 Noon MZ

On Monday, State Representative CD Davidsmeyer, advanced legislation that will cut governmental red-tape and make it easier to attract top-notch educators at the Illinois School for the Deaf and the Illinois School for the Visually Impaired. Davidsmeyer said he was happy to pass legislation that will make it easier for the School for the Deaf and the School for the Visually Impaired to hire teachers.

Key 3 ...because of the delays. (:23)

SB220 is sponsored by Senator McCann in the Illinois Senate, where it must return for a concurrence vote before heading to Governor Bruce Rauner.

6/29/15 SW 1:00

Yellow Dot Program Helps First Responders

Accidents and unforeseen events on the road can happen in the blink of an eye, and while it's often difficult and unseemly to think about, preparation and preparedness is key to reducing harm of life in these situations.

Richard Peters, Chairman of Christian County TRIAD tells Regional Radio that the senior advocacy group is endorsing a program designed by the Illinois Department of Transportation ~~called the~~ "Yellow Dot Card."

known as the

Yellow Dot encourages motorists to place a small yellow sticker on the back window of their vehicles; alerting first responders to crucial medical information available in the glove compartment.

Key *Q* 5 "....a real life saver." (:39)

As for where to obtain these potentially life-saving booklets?

Key *D* 6 "...for the yellow Dot Card." (:09_

For more information, contact Christian County TRIAD at 217-824-4263.

6-22-15 5 PM DD

The Central Illinois Community Blood Center will be hosting a blood drive at the YMCA on 900 McAdam Drive in Taylorville on Thursday, July 2nd at 10:00 a.m. – 2 p.m. The Bloodmobile will be on site.

To schedule an appointment to donate, contact the Community Blood Center at (217) 241-7550 or visit www.bloodcenterimpact.org and use the code 60145 to locate the drive.

In order to be a potential donor, you must be at least 17 years of age and weigh more than 110 pounds. A photo I.D. or CICBC Donor Card is required to donate. If you have any questions about eligibility, contact CICBC at (800) 747-5401. Donors who have donated on or before May 7, 2015 are eligible to donate at this drive.