



emergency RESPONSE

Monday, Jan. 14

At 5:10 p.m. Tuscola police were called to Bass Outlet and Jockey at the outlet mall to investigate a report of counterfeit bills.

Tuesday, Jan. 15

At 9:20 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 700 block of East Barker Street to complete a welfare check.

Wednesday, Jan. 16

At 6:39 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the west parking lot at the outlet mall to file a criminal damage report.

Friday, Jan. 18

At 8:46 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the intersection of Main and Sale streets in reference to a downed stop sign. City street crew set a temporary sign in its place.

Saturday, Jan. 19

At 9:37 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 100 block of East Ensey Street for a welfare check.

Sunday, Jan. 20

At 1:45 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 800 block of East Buckner Street for a complaint of a barking dog.

Monday, Jan. 21

At 3:30 p.m. Tuscola police returned a purse that was found and turned in at Road Ranger.

Tuesday, Jan. 22

At 9:50 a.m. Tuscola police completed a walk though at North Ward Elementary School.

At 10:05 a.m. Tuscola police completed a walk though at East Prairie Middle School.

At 10:20 a.m. Tuscola police completed a walk though at Tuscola Community High School.

At 7 p.m. Tuscola police were called to Polo Ralph Lauren at the outlet mall for an alarm. All was well.

At 10:50 p.m. Tuscola police were called to First-Mid Bank for an alarm. The alarm was malfunctioning.

At 11:08 p.m. Tuscola police were called to Proud Mary's for an alarm. Glass was broken on the east side of the building.

Wednesday, Jan. 23

At 7:31 a.m. Tuscola fire was dispatched to the 217 mile marker of Interstate 57 in reference to a semi-rollover. Tuscola fire crew provided traffic control. Pesotum fire was also on the scene.

At 10:30 a.m. Tuscola police were called to First-Mid Bank in reference to an alarm.

At 3:31 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 500 block of East South Central Avenue for a request for civil standby.

At 5:55 p.m. Tuscola police received a complaint of a rolling domestic issue. The male and female subjects were found. A suspect was arrested.

Thursday, Jan. 24

At 9:32 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 600 block of East Ficklin Street in reference to a civil issue.

At 11:15 p.m. Tuscola police were called to Lambo's where a male subject was found following a domestic altercation. Underage drinking was involved.

At 11:23 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 200 block of South Carico Street in reference to a domestic problem and underage drinking.

Friday, Jan. 25

At 1 a.m. Tuscola police were called to the 100 block of Van Voorhis. The noise was a loud video game. All was well.

At 11:05 a.m. Tuscola police were completed a walk through at North Ward Elementary School.

At 3:40 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 1000 block of Eastview Drive in reference to a complaint of trash in a yard.

At 4:05 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 700 block of East Barker Street for a welfare check.

At 9:30 p.m. Tuscola police received a theft report by phone.

Saturday, Jan. 26

At 10:45 a.m. Tuscola fire was dispatched to the 800 block of Pinzon Street in reference to a request for lift assistance.

At 5 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the Hackett farm for a report of a calf outside the fence.

At 7:40 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 900 block of Fairview Drive in reference to an open door on an empty residence.

Sunday, Jan. 27

At 12:30 a.m. Tuscola police were called to Lakeshore Drive in reference to a residential alarm. All was well.

At 4:45 a.m. Tuscola police received a complaint of a possible structure fire near Road Ranger. Police found the city dump brush pile had rekindled and the wind blew the smoke south.

At 5:30 a.m. Tuscola police were called to Taco Bell for an alarm. All was well.

At 4:45 p.m. Tuscola police were called to Syngenta for an alarm. The alarm was false.

At 8:25 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 600 block of East Ficklin Street in reference to a complaint of a resident smelling another smoking marijuana. Nothing was found.

At 11:20 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 600 block of East Barker Street in reference to a missing juvenile.

At 11:30 p.m. Tuscola police were called to the 100 block of East Ensey Street in reference to a missing juvenile.

Monday, Jan. 28

At midnight Tuscola police were called to the 200 block of South Carico Street in reference to the same missing juvenile.

Jackie Watson named January TCHS Rotary Student of the Month

Tuscola Community High School senior Jackie Watson, daughter of John and Kate Watson, was selected as Tuscola Rotary Club's January student of the month. She has a 4.0 GPA and is ranked first in her class of 67.

Jackie is a four-year member of the softball team and FBLA, serving as corresponding secretary in her

senior year. As a freshman and sophomore, she was a member of the volleyball and basketball teams, and in her junior and senior years she was part of the cross country team.

Jackie was inducted into the National Honor Society as a junior and has served on the student council in her senior year.



Peace Meal February 4-8

Monday, Feb. 4 – Savory sausage stew with beans, pineapple tidbits, biscuits, warm fruit strudel bites

Tuesday, Feb. 5 – Fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, breaded tomatoes, dinner oll, seasonal dessert

Wednesday, Feb. 6 – Ravioli with meat sauce, broccoli, corn, whole grain wheat (1), banana

Thursday, Feb. 7 – Meatloaf, Delmonico potatoes, spinach, dinner roll, cranberry apple salad

Friday, Feb. 8 – Tuna noodle casserole, peas and carrots, bean medley, whole grain wheat (10), gelatin with 1/2 c. fruit

Call 800-543-1770 for reservation information. Skim milk and desserts with no sugar added are available in many locations. Ask the site supervisor for information. Sometimes we need to substitute on our menus. We still guarantee a nutritious meal. The Peace Meal Senior Nutrition Program suggests a donation of \$3.50 for each congregate and home delivered meal. No older person shall be denied a meal because of their failure to contribute all or part of the cost of the meal. We accept the Illinois Link Card.

ISP troopers prepare for extreme temperatures

Illinois State Police (ISP) officials announced additional patrols and request the public's cooperation when traveling on Illinois roadways in the coming days, according to a press release from the state. ISP Troopers across the state will be diligently checking their assigned patrol areas for stranded motorists, as temperatures could reach record lows and make traveling extremely dangerous. Please be particularly careful when approaching any stationary vehicle with flashing lights; please slow down, and if there is an adjacent lane and you can move over, do so.

"The men and women on patrol will be facing an extra degree of risk to protect the lives of all motorists in this severe weather," stated Acting Director Brendan F. Kelly. "The fewer drivers on the road, the fewer accidents, and the safer everyone will be. Please do them, and all first responders, a favor by staying home or if you must drive, do so with extra care," concluded Acting Director Kelly.

Here are some easy safety tips to remember if travel is necessary in the coming days:

- Allow extra time to get to your destination.
- Avoid unnecessary lane changes, reduce your speed, and increase your following distance on

snowy or ice covered roadways.

- Watch out for black ice - roads that appear clear may be treacherous. Take it slow when approaching intersections, off-ramps, and bridges, all are prone to black ice.

- Dress warmly for the weather. Dress in layers of loose-fitting, lightweight clothing in anticipation of unexpected winter weather emergencies.

- Make sure someone is aware of your travel plans. If traveling a long distance, let someone know your route and estimated departure and arrival time.
- Make sure your cell phone is fully charged. Also, be sure to keep a cell phone charger with you in your vehicle.

- Always carry an emergency car care kit that contains jumper cables, flares or reflectors, windshield washer fluid, a small ice scraper, traction material, blankets, non-perishable food and a first aid kit.

- If you do get stranded, make sure snow is not blocking your exhaust.

- Motorists interested in getting up to date road conditions can go to gettin-garoundillinois.com.

IL Sheriff's Association announces scholarships

The Illinois Sheriffs' Association announces that it will be awarding over \$50,000 in college scholarships throughout the State of Illinois to students wishing to pursue higher education during the 2019-2020 academic year. The scholarships are to be applied to tuition, books and fees only. The student must be enrolled full-time at a certified institution of higher learning within the State of Illinois.

Sheriff Joshua Blackwell, Douglas County, will be awarding one scholarship in the amount of \$500. There will be no restriction on any applicant by reason of race, age, creed, color, sex or national origin. The only limitations are as follows:

- Applicants must be permanent Illinois residents
- Scholarships must be utilized at institutions of higher learning within the

State of Illinois

- Students must be enrolled as a full-time student during the 2019-2020 school year (excluding summer session).

Applications are now available at your local Sheriff's office or on the ISA Website www.ilsheriff.org. Students must complete the application; answer the essay question and return all documentation to the Sheriff's office in their permanent county of residence by March 15, 2019 (must be post-marked by this date).

For more information, please contact your local Sheriff's office, Illinois Sheriffs' Association, high school advising center or college financial aid office.

Sheriff's office looking for burglary information

The Douglas County Sheriff's Office along with the Douglas County Crime Stoppers is seeking information about a burglary to Proud Mary's, located at 1003 E. Southline Road, Tuscola, according to a press release from Sheriff Josh Blackwell's office. The burglary occurred on Tuesday, Jan. 22 between 11-11:07 p.m. An unknown male damaged a window that was located on the east side of the business and subsequently gained entry.

The male then proceeded to the cash register located behind the bar and attempted to gain access to the contents of the cash register, the release says. Surveillance video located at the establishment captured a portion of the crime. The Douglas County Sheriff's Office is asking anyone with information to call 253-



2913 or if you wish to remain anonymous you can call the Douglas County Crime Stoppers at 1-800-280-8316. Tips provided through Crime Stoppers that lead to the successful arrest of the person or persons responsible could lead to a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Your Guide To Local Houses of Worship

First Christian Church
100 E. Church St., Tuscola
253-2394

Worship services: 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.
Sunday school: 9:15 a.m.
Youth Group 7th-12th @6:33 Sundays
After school program 5th-6th, Wednesdays

Tuscola United Methodist Church
901 N. Prairie • 253-4232
Sunday Worship Services:
8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Forty Martyrs Catholic Church
201 E. Van Allen
253-4412

Saturday Evening Mass
5:30 p.m.
Sunday Morning Mass
8:00 a.m.
Daily Mass Mon & Fri:
8:00 a.m.

Immanuel Lutheran Church
600 E. Northline
253-4341

Saturday Evening Service:
5:30 p.m.
Sunday Worship Service
9:00 a.m.

Eagle Mountain Assembly of God
401 E. Sale
253-4444
Sunday Service:
10 a.m.

First Church of God
821 E. Barker St. • 253-2180

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Prayer time 1:30-2:30 p.m.
Wednesday night 6 p.m.
Missionary women meet 2nd
Tuesday each month 6 p.m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
1100 E. Northline Rd
253-3896

Sunday Morning
Sacrament Meeting:
9:30 a.m. and 10:40 a.m.
Wednesday Youth Night
7:00 p.m.

Bourbon Baptist Church
626N Co Rd 475E, Tuscola
Pastor: David Babb
Church 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
email: bourbon.baptistchurch@yahoo.com

United Church of Christ
114 E. Pembroke
253-2532

Sunday Morning Worship:
10:30 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:20 a.m.

Zion United Church of Christ
(Rural Arthur)

Sunday Morning Worship:
9:00 a.m.
Sunday School: 10:15 a.m.

First Baptist Church
300 E. Daggy
253-4231

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.

Faith Baptist Church
300 Northline Road
253-2084

Sunday school: 9:30am
Sunday Morning service: 10:30am
Sunday Evening service: 6:00pm
Wednesday Adult Bible study,
Real Teens, King's Kids - 6:30pm
www.faithtuscola.org

Church of the Nazarene
1001 Egyptian Trail
253-3541

Sunday Worship Service:
10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship:
6:00 p.m.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study and
Prayer: 7:00 p.m.

Calvary Temple 700 E. Main St., Arcola
Pastors: Henry Schrock & Rogelio Gutierrez

Sunday services in English
at 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.
Sunday services in Spanish at 2 p.m.
Bible study/prayer in Spanish Tues. at 7 p.m.
Bible study/prayer in English Wed. at 6 p.m.
Phone 217-246-0104 (Schrock)
or 217-636-4838 (Gutierrez)

Lifepointe Church
700 E. Main St., Arcola • 217-268-4586
Pastor: Scott Howell

Assistant: Henry Schrock
Sunday, 10:30 Worship Service
Wed., 7 pm Bible Study
Spanish Service
Spanish Pastor Rogelio Gutierrez
217-636-4838

Sunday, 5 pm Worship Service
Wed., 7 pm Bible Study

Call The Tuscola Journal
253-5086 to change
any information found
here in the church directory.