

# Tuscola Community Spotlight

## EMERGENCY Response

### Friday, March 13

At 4:57 p.m. Tuscola Fire was dispatched to the 800 block of East Daggy to assist Arrow Medical.  
At 4:58 p.m. Tuscola Police were called to the 800 block of East Daggy to assist Arrow Medical.

### Saturday, March 14

At 9:30 a.m. Tuscola Fire was dispatched to Interstate 57 about a car in the ditch. No injuries and Tuscola Police handled the situation.  
At 9:35 a.m. Tuscola Police were called to the 900 block of Meadowview to assist Arrow Medical.  
At 3:19 p.m. Tuscola Police completed a welfare check on the 400 block of south Parke Street, all was well.  
At 9:13 p.m. Tuscola Police completed a welfare check on the 700 block of east Daggy, all was well.  
At 11:43 p.m. Tuscola Police were dispatched to Route 36 and Prairie about a suspicious male. Officers handled the situation and returned the male to his residence.

### Sunday, March 15

At 11:20 a.m. Tuscola Police were called to the Cooper Motel in reference to damage done to a room.  
At 8:35 p.m. Tuscola Police were dispatched to the 600 block of Barker Street in about a civil issue.

### Monday, March 16

At 5:28 p.m. Tuscola Police were called to the 300 block of south Parke Street about a parking complaint.  
At 6:40 p.m. Tuscola Police were dispatched to Polo by the alarm, front door not latched all the way. Area clear and door secured.  
At 7:38 p.m. Tuscola Police executed a search warrant on the 800 block of east Overton. Report on file.

### Tuesday, March 17

At 3:30 p.m. Tuscola Police were dispatched to First State Bank. Area clear, teller accidentally hit the panic alarm.  
At 5:39 p.m. Tuscola Police were called to the Cooper Motel to complete a welfare check.  
At 7:39 p.m. Tuscola Fire was dispatched to the 400 block of North Ohio due to an activated CO detector.  
At 11:28 p.m. Tuscola Police were called to Lambo's to complete a welfare check.

### Thursday, March 19

At 12:02 p.m. Tuscola Police were called to Interstate 57 about a semi rollover. No injuries upon arrival.  
At 12:05 p.m. Tuscola Fire was dispatched to Interstate 57 about a semi rollover. Tuscola Police handled the situation.



Submitted Photo

Gamma Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International recently selected Diana Wyant and Emily Griswell, fifth grade teachers at East Prairie School in Tuscola, to receive SEE (Supporting Early Educators) stipends. Judi Vaughn, Gamma member, presented the awards at a recent chapter meeting held at the home of Stephanie Woodley. Through the SEE initiative, the chapter offers small stipends to support the teaching needs of early career educators in Coles, Douglas, and Edgar Counties. Pictured left to right: Dr. Jennifer Stringfellow, Gamma President, Diana Wyant, Emily Griswell and Judi Vaughn.



Submitted Photos

The Tuscola FFA held a blood drive at TCHS on March 12.

## Peace Meal Menu Mar.

**Monday, March 30** - Beef Stew with Potatoes, Carrots, and Onions, Seasoned Greens, Biscuits, Tropical Fruit

**Tuesday, March 31** - Chili Mac, Tossed Salad, Dinner Roll, Warm Cinnamon Peaches

**Wednesday, April 1** - Shepherd's Pie, Harvard Beets, Pears, Dinner Roll

**Thursday, April 2** - Beef Pattie with Mushroom Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Dinner Roll, Cinnamon Chunky Applesauce

**Friday, April 3** - Fish Sandwich with Condiment, Macaroni and Cheese, Broccoli, Fruit Juice, Bun and Peaches

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.

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## Current Tuscola Restaurant Listings

<p><b>Burger King</b> Mon - Sun 6am - 11 pm Drive Thru Only 217-253-2757</p> <p><b>Casey's</b> Mon - Sun 5am - 11:30 p.m. Carryout and Evening Delivery 217-253-4226</p> <p><b>Cast Iron Pub</b> Mon - Sun 11am - 2pm and 5pm - 8pm Carryout and Curbside Pickup 217-599-1511</p> <p><b>Chinatown</b> Carryout Only 217-253-4173</p> <p><b>Dairy Queen</b> Mon - Sun 10am - 10pm Drive Thru Only 217-253-2500</p> <p><b>Flesor's Candy Kitchen</b> Tue - Sun 7am - 10am and 11am - 3pm Carryout, Delivery, and Curbside Pickup 217-253-3753</p> <p><b>It'll Do 2</b> Temporarily Closed</p> <p><b>Jimmy John's</b> Mon - Sun 9am - 10pm Drive Thru and Delivery Order on the App</p> <p><b>Joe's Pizza</b> Fri - Sat 3:30 - 9pm and Tue - Thurs and Sun 3:30 - 8pm Carry Out and Delivery 217-253-6500</p> <p><b>Lambo's</b> Mon - Sun 5am - 9pm Carry Out and Drive Thru 217-253-3116</p>	<p><b>McDonald's</b> Mon - Thurs 5am - 11pm, Fri and Sat 5am - 12am, Sun 5:30am - 11pm Drive Thru and Carry Out 217-253-5266</p> <p><b>Mi Veracruz</b> Mon - Sun 11am - 9pm Carry Out and Delivery 217-599-1001</p> <p><b>Monical's Pizza</b> Sun - Thurs 11am - 9pm and Fri and Sat 11am - 10 pm Delivery and Curbside Pickup 217-253-4749</p> <p><b>Pizza Hut</b> Sun - Thurs 11am - 9pm and Sat and Sun 11am - 10pm Delivery and Drive Thru Pickup 217-253-6767</p> <p><b>Sol Del Mar</b> Sun - Thurs 11am - 9:30pm and Fri and Sat 11am - 10:30pm Carry Out Only 217-599-1012</p> <p><b>Subway</b> Mon - Sun 10am - 8pm Carry Out and Drive Thru 217-253-5050</p> <p><b>Ta'Carbon</b> Temporarily Closed</p> <p><b>Taco Bell</b> Mon - Thurs 10am - 1am, Fri and Sat 10am - 2am and Sun 10am - 12 am Drive Thru and Curbside Pickup</p> <p><b>The Pantry</b> Mon - Sat 7am - 3pm Delivery, Carry Out, and Curbside Pickup 217-253-8918</p>
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## Douglas County EMA COVID-19 update

To the residents of Douglas County,

The Douglas County Emergency Management Association is announcing the closure of non-essential services in Douglas County. Governor JB Pritzker announced a Stay at Home directive to all citizens of Illinois.

"We want the citizens of Douglas County to know that there should be no panic in this county," said board chairman Don Munson.

"These changes may be different from everyday activities but not disruptive. We need to remain calm...and stay at home," said Munson.

Jobs deemed essential include: Health care workers, grocery store employees, pharmacists, hardware store workers, plumbers, electricians, day care providers, bank tellers and roles that are essential to a business' operations such as payroll and security. This also includes police, firefighters, paramedics and sanitation workers.

For more detailed information about whether a business is considered essential, please go to [HYPERLINK "https://www2.illinois.gov/Pages/news-item.aspx?ReleaseID=21288"](https://www2.illinois.gov/Pages/news-item.aspx?ReleaseID=21288) <https://www2.illinois.gov/Pages/news-item.aspx?ReleaseID=21288>

Local resources are also available from the Douglas County Health Department [HYPERLINK "http://www.dchealthdept.org"](http://www.dchealthdept.org) [www.dchealthdept.org](http://www.dchealthdept.org). The Douglas County Health Department will also be launching a new Hotline at 1/(801) 997-0019.

Illinois residents are allowed to leave their homes to care for the elderly, minors, dependents, persons with disabilities or other vulnerable persons. People also can engage in outdoor activities such as hiking, running or walking as long as they maintain a social distance of 6 feet.

This stay at home plan is in effect from March 21 at 5 p.m. CST until the end of the day on April 7, 2020.

"We need you, and what we can do on the frontlines in Douglas County will help us to get through this crisis," says assistant EMA director, Chana Ray. "Please stay at home."

Signed,  
The Douglas County Emergency Management Agency