

MT. VERNON ILLINOIS

Creativity Redefined!

Welcome Packet







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**all addresses listed in this guide are Mt. Vernon, IL 62864 unless otherwise noted.*



Welcome...

I'd like to take this opportunity to welcome you to Mt. Vernon, The Festival Arts City! Be sure to check out enjoymtvernon.com and mtvernon.com for information about events and happenings in and around Mt. Vernon and for municipal questions that may arise.

Additionally, if you utilize social media be sure to like and follow these pages:

Enjoy Mt. Vernon:	facebook.com/enjoymtvernon instagram.com/enjoymtvernonil/
Mt. Vernon Festivals:	facebook.com/mtvfestivals
Market Days:	facebook.com/MtVernonMarket
Mt. Vernon IL:	facebook.com/MtVernonIL/
Mt. Vernon Parks:	facebook.com/mountvernon.parks.5
Aquatic Zoo:	facebook.com/aquaticzoowaterpark
National Fitness Court:	facebook.com/MTVFitnesscourt

Our city slogan is "*Creativity Redefined*". Mt. Vernon certainly is an artistic city with a creative nature. It is home to the accredited Cedarhurst Center for the Arts and many other traditional art and performing arts venues. But we don't stop at traditional art... we show our creativity all over the city in numerous ways from paintings to hot rods, from live music to our pets... we show our creativity through the things we are passionate about.

Mt. Vernon Festivals, Inc. is a non-profit 501c3 organization with a mission of: *Celebrating creativity through a series of festivals, artisans in action to earn and maintain Mt. Vernon's Festival Arts City reputation.*

Mt. Vernon's festivals are known for embracing the extraordinary and providing creativity with a twist in Mt. Vernon, IL where creativity is constantly being redefined.

We welcome you to Mt. Vernon and encourage you to live "Creativity: Redefined!" every day!

Angela Schrum, Director
Mt. Vernon Tourism
P. O. Box 1708 | 618-242-3151





City Contacts

CITY OFFICIALS

Mayor John Lewis
618-242-6802
mayorlewis@mtvernon.com

Councilman Donte Moore
618-242-6802
councilmanmoore@mtvernon.com

Councilman Ray Botch
618-242-6802
councilmanbotch@mtvernon.com

Councilman Mike Young
618-242-6802
councilmanyouth@mtvernon.com

Councilman Joe Gliosci
618-242-6802
councilmangliosci@mtvernon.com

The City Council holds its regular meetings on the first and third Mondays of the month, except when a Monday falls on a holiday. In that instance, the Council meeting will be held on Tuesday. The regular meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 1100 Main Street. Throughout the year, Council holds several special workshop sessions for a more detailed presentation and analysis of information and/or projects.

City Manager, Nathan McKenna, 618-242-6802
citymanager@mtvernon.com

Deputy City Clerk, Becky Barbour, 618-242-6808
cityclerk@mtvernon.com

Administrative Assistant, Lindsay Burris, 618-242-6808
lindsay.burris@mtvernon.com



Board/Commission Meetings

- Planning and Zoning Commission, 2nd Monday,
7:00 p.m., Mt. Vernon City Hall
- Minority Affairs & Human Relations Commission, 4th Thursday,
4:30 p.m., City Hall
- Mt. Vernon Park & Recreation Board, 2nd Monday,
6:00 p.m., Rolland Lewis Bldg., Veterans Park
- Fire & Police Commission,
Meetings called as needed, Mt. Vernon City Hall
- TIF Board,
Meetings called as needed, Mt. Vernon City Hall
- City Housing Authority, 3rd Tuesday
City Housing Activity Bldg., 4217 Rose Lane
- Mt. Vernon Tourism Advisory Board, 3rd Tuesday (even months),
1:00 p.m., Innovation Hub, 123 10th Street, 5th Floor
- Downtown Mt. Vernon Development Corporation,
2nd Wednesday, 12:00 p.m., Kingdom Seed Min., 118 S. 9th St.



Additional Contact Information

City Web Site: mtvernon.com

Strategic Building Plan web site: buildmtvernonil.com

Tourism Web Site: enjoymtvernon.com

Jefferson County Development Corporation

Brian Harland, Executive Director

618-244-3554

jeffcodev.org

For detailed information about available land and buildings, demographic and local market information, coordination of site tours, wage and labor costs, transportation information, financing, taxes and incentives, please contact the Jefferson County Development Corporation.

Jefferson County Chamber of Commerce

Jamie Storey, Exec. Director

618-242-5725

southernillinois.com

The Mission of the Greater Jefferson County Chamber is to provide a platform to strengthen and support members by promoting growth and development through networking, marketing, education and advocating for our region.

C. E. Brehm Memorial Public Library

Esther Curry, Director

618-242-6322

mtvbrehm.lib.il.us

Originally Carnegie Library, we became a district library serving three townships comprising Mt. Vernon, Illinois in 1899. The library has over 125 years of history and service to the community. The district expanded in 2003 to cover 15 townships in Jefferson County. The library staff makes over 71,000+ items available to you. A special genealogy collection is included and several online resources are available, including the ability to check out eBooks and audiobooks.



City Services

Police Department

Emergency: 911

Non-Emergency: 618-242-2131

Crime Stoppers Hotline: 618-242-8477

Detective Division: 618-242-0215

mvpd.org

The quality of life for a community begins with a feeling of safety in our homes and streets. The Mt. Vernon Police Department currently has forty sworn officers, seven telecommunicators and a three-member secretarial staff. The department is composed of the following: Detective Division, K-9 Division, Traffic Division, H.R.T. Team, Field Training Program, Administrative Staff & Chaplain.

The officers of the department support the community through their involvement through Neighborhood Crime Watch, Crime Stoppers, Elderly Services and more.

Fire Department

Emergency: 911

Non-emergency: 618-242-2000

mtvernon.com

Mt. Vernon currently has three stations manned 24/7 to protect the lives and property of the residents who live and work in Mt. Vernon, as well as people visiting and traveling through. The Mt. Vernon Fire Department holds an Insurance Service Office (ISO) rating of a Class 3. The ISO rating is a measurement of the effectiveness of fire protection services. Insurance companies base their fire insurance premiums on this rating, generally offering lower rates to communities with the better protection rating of a 3.

Fire Stations

Station 1 - 1100 Main Street, 618-242-2000

Station 3 - 1111 Airport Rd., 618-242-4587



Station 4 - 714 S. 42nd Street, 618-242-7708

Parks and Recreation

The Park Office is located in the south end of the Rolland W. Lewis Building in Veterans Park at 800 South 27th Street. Their phone number is 618-242-6890.

The Mt. Vernon Parks and Recreation Department offers a variety of interesting, exciting, and fun things to do, as well as services to residents and visitors to Mt. Vernon.

The department's mission is to improve the quality of life within the community by providing activities, facilities, and opportunities for enhanced physical, mental, and social health.

Visit www.mtvernon.com/parks, to find out more about our parks. More information about the Aquatic Zoo waterpark can be found at enjoymtvernon.com/directory/aquatic-zoo/.





City Department Contact Numbers

Departments	Name	Title	Phone	E-mail
Billing Services			618-242-6189	
Building Inspector		Building Inspector	618-242-6830	buildinginspector@mtvernon.com
City Manager	Nathan McKenna	<i>City Manager</i>	618-242-6802	citymanager@mtvernon.com
City Engineer	Brad Ruble	City Engineer	618-242-6830	brad.ruble@mtvernon.com
Finance	Stephanie Bailey	Finance Director	618-242-6825	stephanie.bailey@mtvernon.com
Fire Department	Chris Yenne	Fire Chief	618-242-6880	Chris.yenne@mtvernon.com
	Bryan Jennings	Assistant Fire Chief		Bryan.jennings@mtvernon.com
Fleet Services	Mike Shannon	Director	618-242-6859	mike.shannon@mtvernon.com
Human Resources	Sascha Traxler	Director	618 242-6810	hrdirector@mtvernon.com
Parks and Recreation	McKenzie May	Director	618-242-6890	parksdirector@mtvernon.com
	Aquatic Zoo		618-241-0691	
Police Department	Robert Brands	Police Chief	618-242-2727	rbrands@mvpd.org
	Travis Chapman	Asst. Chief		tchapman@mvpd.org
Public Works	Matt Fauss	Director	618-242-6853	matt.fauss@mtvernon.com
	Stephen Talley	Asst. Director		Stephen.talley@mtvernon.com
Tourism	Angela Schrum	Director	618-242-3151	angela.schrum@mtvernon.com



City Water Information

Water Deposits

All new customers and most rental customers are required to pay a deposit prior to moving in. Deposits can be made at City Hall, 1100 Main Street.

Residential Deposit: \$100.00
Commercial Deposit: \$150.00 minimum

Connection of Services

The following information will be needed for new accounts: name, service address, billing address, telephone number, and social security number. If you rent or lease, you will also need your lease agreement.

Billing Information

Payment is due in the office 16 days after the bill date. Water service will be disconnected if the balance remains unpaid. To have service restored, the account balance must be paid in full plus a minimum administrative fee of \$25.00. For reconnection of services after normal business hours, an additional overtime charge of \$150.00 will be assessed. Failure to receive a bill or notice, or being out of town, does not relieve the customer of their responsibility to pay the bill. Please notify our office if you experience problems receiving your bill.

Bills may be paid by mail, in person at City Hall, at drop boxes located in City Hall parking lot and in front of the Appellate Courthouse or pay online at mtvernon.com.

Every customer, residential and commercial, has a water meter. All meters are read monthly. All active accounts will be sent a minimum bill. An account is considered active if utilities are on at the meter. The billing rate per 1,000 gallons consumed is added to the minimum to calculate the total bill.



Illegal Tampering

The City of Mt. Vernon strictly prohibits tampering with sewer manhole lids or turning on/off any fire hydrants, water valves, or water meters, including removal of lockout devices that have been installed by City personnel. Violators are subject to and will be prosecuted under applicable laws. \$50.00 fine.

Disconnection & Reconnection

If you are moving and wish to discontinue service, notify the Billing Services office at City Hall at least 24 hours in advance. Please have your forwarding address available.

The City has the right to disconnect service for the following reasons:

1. Non-payment of bills
2. Returned bills that were unable to forward
3. Returned checks
4. Falsifying billing information
5. Illegal use of water
6. Refusal to allow the Water Department to inspect your meter, yard, or building
7. Non-compliance with City rules and regulations

Scheduled Service Disconnect:

Wednesday – 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Scheduled Service Reconnect:

Monday thru Friday - 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Emergency Water Service

The City of Mt. Vernon has personnel available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week to correct or assist with any problems with your water service. If an emergency occurs after hours, please call the Mt. Vernon Police Department at 618-242-2131. Please limit after-hour calls to emergencies only. Billing or other questions will be answered during normal business hours at 618-242-6819.



City Trash Service Information

Trash Service/Yard Waste/Bulk Pick-up/Recycling

The City of Mt. Vernon contracts these services with Republic Services.

Republic Services

800-634-0215,

Customer service hours:

8 a.m. – 5 p.m. Monday – Friday,

Saturday 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.

republicservices.com

Trash Pick Up: All trash needs to be curbside beginning at 6:00 a.m. on pick up day. If the company misses your tote on pickup day, contact Republic Services 1-800-634-0215 (printed on tote). The city requires totes to be removed from curb within 24 hours after pick up.

Holiday schedule: The following days will be observed. New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day. Trash pickup service will run one day late following each of these holidays.

Trash Totes: Each resident will be supplied with one 96-gallon tote. Totes are to be placed at curbside or in alleyways with the arrow pointing forward. Any customer wanting an additional tote will need to contact Republic Services. Please call 800-634-0215 for additional tote information.

Report missing or damaged totes to Republic Services: 800-634-0215.

Residential Yard Waste Collection: Yard waste will be collected year-round. Customers with regular trash service on Monday and Tuesday will have their yard waste picked up on Tuesday. Customers with regular trash service on Wednesday and Friday will have their yard waste picked up on Wednesday. Customers with trash service on Thursday will have their yard waste picked up on Thursday.



Bulk waste pickup: Bulk items, i.e. furniture, mattresses, small appliances or other materials from a residential source will be picked up at the request of the customer. **No electronics accepted.** Please call Republic Services customer service at 800-634-0215. You must call customer service by Wednesday to have items picked up on Friday.

Construction materials: i.e. roofing materials, drywall, siding, room additions or remodeling material. **No paint accepted.** Republic Services will offer roll-off containers for these types of materials in 10, 20, and 30 cubic yard containers to the residents of Mt. Vernon. Please call customer service at 1-800-634-0215 for more information.

Recycle Totes: One tote will be supplied to each resident for recycled materials. Each resident will be supplied with a separate recycling tote. Recycling totes are to be placed at curbside or in alleyways with the arrow pointing forward.

RESIDENTIAL SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING

Convenient and Easy! All Recyclables in One Cart!

YES

All Fibers
which include:
Cardboard
Newspapers
Magazines
Junk Mail
Phone Books
Office Paper
Folders



YES

All Empty Containers
which include:
Tin, Steel, Aluminum Cans
Plastics containers
with recycling symbol
#1, #2, #3, #4, #5 & #7
Aseptic Packaging (Tetrapak®)
Gable Top Containers

NO

Bathroom Waste – Paper Towels, Tissue, Napkins
#6 Plastic – Polystyrene Foam (Styrofoam™)
Plastic bags (return to stores)
Wet Waste – Liquids, Paint
Ceramics and Pyrex®
Food Waste
Electronics
Kitty Litter
Glass Containers





Jefferson County Contacts



County Website: jeffersoncounty.illinois.gov/
County Court House – 618-244-8000 Fire – 911
Sheriff's Department – 911
Sheriff Non-Emergency 618-244-8004

Office/Mailing Address:

County Courthouse
100 South 10th Street
jeffcoboard@jeffil.us 618-244-8000 ext. 2

COUNTY BOARD MEMBERS:

Cliff Lindemann
(Chairman)

Wayne Hicks

John Howard

Tyler Williams

Steve Draege
(Vice Chair)

James Malone

Timothy Marlow

Joey McDermott

Jeffrey Nowland

Adam Ortgiesen

Fisher Overstreet

Jeff Williams

Michael T Young

- **Full Board** | 7pm on the fourth Monday of each month, unless changed due to a holiday
- **Public Safety** | 6pm on Wednesday before Full Board Meeting
- **Highway** | 7pm on Wednesday before Full Board Meeting
- **Fiscal** | 7pm on Thursday before Full Board Meeting
- All other committees will be held as necessary prior to Fiscal Committee Meetings



Other Elected and Appointed County Officials

Department/Office	Name	Phone	E-mail
Animal Control	Martin Boykin	618-244-8024	jeffcoac@att.net
Assessor	LeeAnn Crunk	618-244-8016 ext. 7	lacrunk@jeffil.us
Circuit Clerk	Randy Pollard	618-244-8007 ext. 1	jeffcocircuitclerk@jeffil.us
County Clerk/Recorder	Joseph Davis	618-244-8020 ext. 3	jeffcoclerk@jeffil.us
County Engineer/Hwy Dept	Brandon Simmons	618-244-8031	countyengineer@jeffil.us
Superintendent of Schools	Matt Renaud	618-244-8040	mrenaud@roe13.org
Sheriff	Jeff Bullard	618-244-8004	sheriffjeffbullard@gmail.com
State's Attorney	Sean Featherstun	618-244-8025 ext. 6	sfeatherstun@jeffil.us
Treasurer/Collector	Bob Watt	618-244-8010 ext. 8	treasurer@jeffil.us
Coroner	Roger D. Hayse	618-899-0188	rogerdhayse@gmail.com
Health Department Administrator	Amy Harrison	618-244-7124	dph.pjefferson@illinois.gov
Emergency Management Coordinator	Steven Lueker	618-244-8016 ext. 7	slueker@jeffil.us
Public Defender	Matt Vaughn	618-244-8013 ext. 5	





Additional Service Providers- City & County

Electric/Natural Gas

Ameren Illinois
1-800-755-5000
ameren.com

Tri-County Electric Cooperative
3906 Broadway
618-244-5151
tricountycoop.com

Village of Bluford
618-732-8773

Telephone/Cable/Internet/Satellite

AT&T
618-244-9001
3909 Broadway #104
att.com

Clearwave
877-552-9283
clearwavefiber.com

Cricket Wireless
618-315-6296
3106 Broadway
cricketwireless.com

DirectTV
directv.com

Dish Network
dish.com

HughesNet
877-393-3585
hughesnet.com

Spectrum
866-332-0760
spectrum.com

Verizon
4201 Broadway Ste B
(800) 880-1077
verizon.com

Wisper
800-765-7772
wisperisp.com



Additional Water Suppliers in County

Northeast Water
618-242-8807

Village of Bluford
618-732-8773

Dix-Kell Water &
Sewer
618-266-7701

Bonnie Water Dept.
618-242-5646

Opdyke-Belle-Rive
Water
618-756-2289

Waltonville Sewer &
Water
618-279-7226

Whittington Water
618-629-2221

Village of Woodlawn
618-735-2110

Ina Sewer
618-437-5305

Woodlawn Waste
618-735-2329

Rend Lake
Conservancy District
618-439-4321

Rend Lake Inter City
Water
618-435-3676

Propane

Harper Propane
618-242-4359

Knapp
618-244-3160





Media

Mt. Vernon Sentinel
moringsentinel.com
618-246-2000

WMIX AM FM 94
618-242-3500
wmix94.com

Southern Illinoisan
618-529-5454

thesouthern.com

WDML 106.9 FM
618-242-3333
wdml.com

WVYN 90.9 "The Vine"
618-895-3030
wvyn.org

Transportation

Mt. Vernon Outland Airport
100 Aviation Dr.
Mt. Vernon IL 62864
618-242-7016
mtvernonairport.com

SCT (South Central Transit)
800-660-7433

Bart Transportation
(St. Louis Airport Shuttle)
800-284-2278

American Cab
618-244-1200

Enterprise Rent A Car
500 S. 34th St.
800-736-8222
618-242-3700

Mt. Vernon Transportation
618-244-1300



Healthcare Hospitals

**Deaconess Illinois
Crossroads Hospital**
8 Doctors Park Road
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-5500
deaconessillinoiscrossroads.com

SSM Health Good Samaritan Hospital
1 Good Samaritan Way
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-4600
ssmhealthillinois.com

Physician Locator Services

**Deaconess Illinois Crossroads
Hospital Physician Locator**
618-241-8727
Deaconessillinoiscrossroadshospital
.com/provider/

**St Mary's Good Samaritan
Physician Locator**
888-257-6098
ssmhealth.com/find-a-doctor

Urgent Care

Deaconess Illinois Clinic Express
618-241-0300
3111 Broadway
8:30 a.m. – 9 p.m. Every Day

Prompt Care
2712 Broadway
618-244-2000
9 a.m. – 5 p.m. M-F

Express Care
1104 S. 42nd Street
618-315-6360
9 am. – 8 p.m. M-F
9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Saturday
12 p.m. – 5 p.m. Sunday

SSM Health Express Clinic
602 S. 42nd Street
618-899-3278
7 a.m. – 7 p.m. M-S
8 a.m. – 2 p.m. Sunday



Health Department

Jefferson County Health Dept
4102 S. Watertower Place
618-244-7134
jeffersoncountyillinois.com/contact-health-dept

Home Health

Addus Health Care
2929 Broadway
618-244-0934
addus.com/

LHC Home Care
11 Cusumano Plaza
618-242-0934
lhcgroupp.com

SSM Home Care
2 Good Samaritan Way
618-241-1679

Mederi Caretenders
411 N Water Tower Place Suite E
618-242-3516
patientcare.com



SSM Health Good Samaritan Hospital





Homeless Shelters

Lifeboat Alliance

PO Box 76 -1717 Jefferson Avenue

Phone: 618-244-4088

lifeboatalliance@gmail.com

Lifeboat Alliance is a 501c3 not-for-profit organization with the vision of "Helping the Homeless Weather Life's Storms." Their mission is "To be a Christian ministry of shelter, resources, and support to the homeless." Lifeboat Alliance is a 33 room shelter with separate wings to serve men, women, and families. Target clients are people wanting to make a sustained life-change to long-term housing with a stable income. To learn more about Lifeboat Alliance visit www.lifeboatalliance.org.

Family Life Shelter

12580 N. Sparrow Lane

Phone: 618-242-2002

familylifemtv.com

Family Life Shelter is a ministry of Family Life Church. The vision of Family Life Shelter is to put hope within reach. They exist to provide hope for the homeless and needy in our community. They do this by offering shelter, meals, resources, classes, support, and love. Their goal is to see people healed and restored so that they can become reestablished as successful community members. Family Life Shelter serves men and women who are over the age of 18.

Living Assistance/Resources

Angels on Assignment

1201 Broadway

618-242-1108

Opportunities for Access

4206 Williamson Place, Suite 3

(618) 244-9212

TTY: (618) 244-9575





Mt. Vernon Clubs and Organizations

Children/Youth/Family

4-H

University of Illinois Extension
4618 Broadway
618-242-0780
extension.illinois.edu/bcjmw

Aquatic Zoo

1700 S. 34th Street
618-242-0691
mtvernon.com/culture-parks-recreation/aquatic-zoo/

Boy Scouts of America

St Marys Catholic Church
115 N 14th Street
618-242-5353
stlbsa.org/

Cedarhurst Youth Programs

2600 Richview Road
618-242-1236
cedarhurst.org

Girl Scouts

Southern Illinois Council
4 Ginger Creek Parkway
Glen Carbon, IL 62034
800-345-6858
gsofsi.org/

Mt. Vernon Recreation Club

311 N. 34th Street
618-244-2369

Mt Vernon Parks & Recreation

Rolland Lewis Community Building
800 S 27th St
618-242-6890
mtvernon.com/parks

NuBowl Lanes

1315 N. 17th Street
618-242-0300
nubowl.com

R & J Tactical Lazer Tag

Times Square Mall
618-204-0519
rjtacticallazertag.com

YMCA of Jefferson Co

1304 Broadway
618-242-5345
mtvernonymca.org

The Zone

103 Shiloh Drive
618-315-6299
thezonemtv.org



Cultural and Historical

Cedarhurst Center for the Arts

2600 Richview Rd.

618-242-1236

cedarhurst.org

Jefferson County Historical Village

1411 N. 27th St.

618-246-0033

historicjeffersoncountyil.com

The Granada Theatre

108 N. 9th Street

618-315-6100

thegranadatheatre.com

Rend Lake Community Orchestra

Rend Lake College

468 No. Ken Gray Parkway

Ina, IL 62846

618-437-5321

rlc.edu

Appellate Courthouse

Main Street & N. 14th Street

618-242-3120

Please call in advance for tours.

C. E. Brehm Library

101 S. 7th Street

618-242-6322

mtvbrehm.org



Appellate Courthouse



D.A.R. Statue at C. E. Brehm Memorial Public Library

Brehm Library houses numerous genealogy records including the Daughters of the American Revolution Records.



Veterans

American Legion Post 141
816 Main Street
618-242-4561
Meeting, 3rd Monday at 6:00 p.m.

Sons of the American Legion
Post 141
618-237-4985

AMVETS Post 4
Meet at the American Legion
2nd Wednesday at 6:00 pm

Veterans Hall of Honor and Museum
Mt. Vernon Outland Airport
100 Aviation Drive
Inside the Koziara Terminal
618-242-7016
mtvernonairport.com

Disabled American Veterans
Chapter 28
618-231-1333
Meet at the Rolland Lewis Building
2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:00 p.m.

Mt. Vernon VA Clinic
4000 S. Water Tower Place
618-249-2910

VFW Post 1376
P.O. Box 1562
Meets at the Elks Lodge
2nd Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

Mt. Vernon Memorial VFW Post 9233
Mt. Vernon Outland Airport
100 Aviation Drive
618-315-9223
Meeting, 3rd Thursday at 7:00 p.m.



Framed tribute pages of veterans from the community are featured along the walls at the Mt. Vernon Outland Airport along with uniforms and artifacts from various United States conflicts and wars, including weapons and medals.



Civic

Mt. Vernon Elks Lodge #819

1107 Jordan Street
618-244-4885

Masonic Hall

124 N. 10th Street
618-242-1582

Mt. Vernon Rotary

P.O. Box 2456

*Meets every Tuesday at Noon
Joe's Pizza & Pasta, 819 Jordan Street

Bluford Ruritans

814 6th Street
Bluford, IL 62814
(618) 732-8571

Mt. Vernon Lions Club

Mike Ancona
7th & Pace

Mt. Vernon Rotary West

P.O. Box 684
(618) 242-3237

*Meets every Monday at 7 a.m.
First United Methodist Church
1300 Main Street

Jefferson County Crime Stoppers

Sharon Martin
211 North 10th Street
(618) 242-8477

Jefferson County Habitat for Humanity

123 S. 10th
(618) 244-0792

N.A.A.C.P.

Brenda Cain Secretary
(618) 237-3443

Delta Theta Tau Sorority

Norma Shreve
2400 Pace Avenue
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
(618) 244-6749

Jefferson County Shrine Club

618-214-7178



Miscellaneous Clubs and Organizations

Cedarhurst Quilters, Weavers, Clay Club

P.O. Box 923
(618) 242-1236
carrie@cedarhurst.org

Jefferson County Custom Knife Club

(618) 242-4514

Jefferson County Genealogical Society

c/o Brehm Library
PO Box 1131
101 South 7th Street
(618) 242-6322

Jefferson County Ministerial Alliance

P.O. Box 575
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
(618) 242-3434

Mt. Vernon City Schools Foundation

(618) 244-8080

Mt. Vernon Township High School Foundation

PO Box 672
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
(618) 244-3700

Mt. Vernon Festivals, Inc.

P.O. Box 1708
618-242-3151
festivals@mtvernon.com

United Way of South Central Illinois

123 S. 10th Street, Suite 202
618-242-8000
uwsci.org/

Fall Fest is Mt. Vernon's largest festival. It is held downtown in late September/early October each year.





Educational Resources

Mt. Vernon City Schools

Dr. Nick Osborn Primary Center

Kindergarten - 3rd Grade
401 N 30th St
618-244-8068
www.mtv.80.org

Zadok Casey Middle School

1829 Broadway
618-244-8080
www.mtv.80.org

JL Buford Intermediate Education Center

4th & 5th Grade
623 S 34th St
618-244-8064
www.mtv.80.org

Mt. Vernon Township H.S. #201

11101 N. Wells Bypass
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-3700
<http://www.mvths.org>

K-8 Schools

Bethel SD #82

1201 Bethel Rd
618-244-8095
bethelgradeschool.org

Grand Prairie CCSD # 6

21462 N Richview Ln
Centralia, IL 62801
618-249-6289
gp6.org

Coram Deo Classical School

1600 Salem Road
618-244-9338
coramdeoschool.org

Field CCSD # 3

21075 North Hails Ln
Texico, IL 62889
618-755-4611
fieldpanthers.com

Farrington CCSD # 99

20941 East Divide Rd
Bluford, IL 62814
618-755-4414
jhodges@farrington99.org

McClellan CCSD # 12

9475 N II Hwy 148
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8072
jbradford@mcclellanschool.net



Mt Vernon Christian School
817 Woodland Drive
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-5404
mtvernonchristian.com

Spring Garden 4-8
511 S Elm, PO Box 129
Ina, IL 62846
618-437-5033
sgd178.org

Opdyke-Belle Rive CCSD # 5
19380 E 4th, PO Box 189
Opdyke, IL 62872
obr5.org

St Mary's Parochial School
1416 Main St
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-5353
stmary.school

Rome Grade CCSD # 2
233 West South St
Dix, IL 62830
618-266-7214
rome2.net

Summersville SD # 79
1118 E Fairfield Rd
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8079
summersville79.com

Spring Garden K-3
14975 E Bakerville Rd
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8070
sgd178.org

K-12 Schools

Bluford Unit Schools #318
907 Sixth St, PO Box 19
618-732-8462
Bluford, IL 62814
blufordschools.org

Woodlawn CCSD
300 North Central St
Woodlawn, IL 62898
618-735-2631
woodlawnschools.org

Waltonville CUSD
804 West Knob St
Waltonville, IL 62894
618-279-7211
wcusd1.org



Child Day Care and Education

Bumblebee Childcare & Pre-K 2917 Veterans Memorial Drive 618-242-4916	Logan Street Daycare & Pre-K 800 N. 42 nd Street 618-244-4102
Bright Start Child & Family Education 104 S. 32 nd Street 618-244-2462	St. Mary Educational Daycare 1416 Main Street 618-242-5353
Dr. Andy Hall Headstart & Pre-K 301 S. 17 th Street 618-244-8087	ROE Pre-K 1710 Broadway 618-244-8040 Roe13.org

Other Educational Resources

C E Brehm Memorial Library

101 S. 7th St
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-6322
mtvbrehm.org

Hamilton-Jefferson Counties

Regional Office of Education

(Teacher Certification, GED Testing,
Bus Driver Training, Criminal
Background Checks, Truancy
Advocate)
1704 Broadway
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8040
<http://www.roe25.com>

McKendree University

www.mckendree.edu/online

Rend Lake College Marketplace

327 Potomac Blvd, Ste B
Mt Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8107
<http://www.rlc.edu/>

Rend Lake College

468 North Ken Gray Parkway
Ina, IL 62846
618-437-5321
rlc.edu

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale

online.siu.edu



Pet Resources

Veterinarians

Thousand Hills Veterinary Clinic
714 Fairfield Road
618-242-3325
thvclinic@gmail.com

Lamczyk Veterinary Clinic
12246 Sparrow Lane
618-204-5837
mountvernonvet.com

Pet Boarding & Kennels

Country Acres Kennel
17198 E Fairfield Road,
618-244-1084

Jagger's Doggie Daycare & Boarding
414 E. Main Street
618-316-7021
jaggersdoggiedaycare.com

Janet's All Breed Dog Grooming & Boarding
10098 E Richview Rd.
618-244-5466

Poodles to Hounds, LLC
730 IL-15 Unit 1
618-315-6500
poodlestohounds.com

Kennelpark
10720 N Wells Bypass
618-242-5223

Animal Shelter

Jefferson County Animal Shelter
107 Perkins Avenue
618-244-8024
https://jeffersoncounty.illinois.gov/services/animal_control



PawFest, a celebration of pets, is held in Mt. Vernon the second Saturday of June each year! Find more information at mtvfestivals.com!