### CARLINVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2023

### MEET THE MEMBER: MOTHER ROAD ANTIQUE MALL



Mother Road Antique Mall was opened in June 2016 by Virginia Brown who has over 50 years of experience in the antique business. Located on the Historic Route 66 Downtown Carlinville Square, they have a wide variety of antiques, collectables, primitives, glassware, and other one-of-a-kind items. Within the antique mall, they host several vendors from the area with specialty items in their booths, including Dixie Bell paints, and various handmade items.



**Perry Brown**: Mother Road Antique Mall Owner & Market Days Coordinator.

#### **MARKET DAYS**

In 2017, a group of retail business owners from Downtown Carlinville and within the community, created a once-a-month event centered on the Historic Carlinville Square, now known as Market Days. Over the years, Market Days has helped boost Carlinville tourism and bring shoppers in from other counties. A large variety of vendors and farmers, combined with the small hometown atmosphere, have made Market Days a great success for our local economy.

Market Days is on the first Saturday of the month, April through November. If you are interested in becoming or returning as a vendor, or are a local farmer/individual that would like to participate by selling plants, produce, or food, please contact:

Mother Road Antique Mall
106 N. Side Square, Carlinville, IL 62626
217.854.8029 motherroad2@gmail.com

#### **1** /MotherRoadAntiqueMall

### (f) /carlinvillemarketdays

## CARLINVILLE CHAMBER "AFTER HOURS"

State Farm Office - Richard Oswald 200 W Main St Thursday June 22nd, 5:00pm-6:30pm



Carlinville Area Hospital: January's After Hours hosi

If you would like your business to be signed up to host either our Coffee Meet or After Hours networking events, please contact the Chamber at **chambercarlinville@gmail.com**.

## June 3rd: MARKET DAYS

@ The Carlinville Square 8am-3pm Kid's games: 11am - 1pm

#### June 3rd: LIBRARY SIDEWALK SALE

@ Carlinville Public Library Carlinville, IL

@ 9:00am - 12:30pm

#### June 3rd - 4th: 2023 SPRING FESTIVAL

@ Anderson MansionMacoupin County Historical Society920 Breckinridge St.8am - 4pm Each Day

FREE Parking & Admission

#### June 6th - 11th: MACOUPIN COUNTY FAIR

@ Macoupin County Fair Grounds 21368 IL-4, Carlinville, IL www.macoupincountyfair.org

## June 22nd: CHAMBER AFTER HOURS

@ State Farm Office 200 W. Main Street @ 5:00pm - 6:30pm

#### June 30th: MUNY BAND

- @ Carlinville Square Gazebo
- @ 7:00pm

For a full list of events, visit our Community Calendar on www.carlinville.com





**CONGRATULATIONS!** 



Congratulations to the CHS graduating class of 2023! We wish you the best of luck in all your future endeavors!



Photo by: Macoupin County Historical Society

#### MCHS SPRING FESTIVAL!

JUNE 3rd and 4th, 9am - 4pm. Tractor Parade (pictured above), Live Music, Food, Vendors, and more! For more details, visit:

www.mchssociety.org



**SAVE THE DATE! JULY 2ND, 2023** 

Carlinville Winning Communities presents the 9th Annual **Independence Day Celebration** at the Macoupin County Fairgrounds.

FIREWORKS @ 9:30PM Free Admission & Parking Rain Date: July 3rd

# HISTORY CHANNEL'S "AMERICAN PICKERS" RETURNING TO ILLINOIS!

**JULY 2023** 





The American Pickers are excited to return to Illinois! They plan to film episodes of The History Channel hit television series throughout our area in July 2023.

"As they hit the back roads from coast to coast, the Pickers are on a mission to recycle and rescue forgotten relics. Along the way, they want to meet characters with amazing stories and fun items. The American Pickers TV Show is looking for leads and would love to explore your hidden treasure. If you or someone you know has a unique item, story to tell, and is ready to sell...we would love to hear from you! Please note, the Pickers DO NOT pick stores, flea markets, malls, auction businesses, museums, or anything open to the public. If interested, please send us your name, phone number, location, and description of the collection with photos to:"

**americanpickers@cineflix.com** or call **(646) 493-2184** Facebook: **@GotAPick** 

## **Don't miss MARKET DAYS!**JUNE 3RD, 2023, 8AM-3PM





Photos by: Perry Brown

We would like to invite you to come to Market Days on our beautiful Carlinville Square the first Saturday of every month from April through November!

These events have a wide variety of vendors; you can always find a unique product to keep for yourself or give as a great gift! And while you are on the Square, check out all our shops and boutiques, and have some delicious food at our great restaurants! We hope to see you there!



CHILDREN'S GAME STATIONS: 11AM-1PM With special guests, The 2023 Carlinville Pageant Queens!

Sponsored by the Carlinville Chamber