



Mowing begins this month. Residents should make sure yards are clean—no toys, trash, clothing, furniture—nothing to keep the mowers from doing their jobs. As people start to spend more time outdoors they should remember to pick up after themselves and to keep the noise down.

The Eat.Move.Save. Program will be presented again on April 11 and 25 at the Carlinville Rec Hall. This is a beneficial program for those tenants who receive SNAP benefits. The University of Illinois Extension Office has provided this service to teach individuals how to shop while receiving SNAP benefits and then how to create delicious recipes with the ingredients purchased.

See you next month.

*Margaret (Peg) Barkley*  
CEO

## OFFICE NEWS APRIL

*Sunday, April 1, 2018 - April Fool's Day and Easter*

*Tuesday, April 3, 2018 - Office Closed for Staff Meeting at 3:30 p.m.*

*Wednesday, April 11, 2018 - EAT.MOVE.SAVE. Program with Lizzy Conrady (U of I Ext Office),  
Carlinville Rec Hall at 1 p.m.*

*Tuesday, April 17, 2018 - TAX DAY*

*Wednesday, April 25, 2018 - EAT.MOVE.SAVE. Program with Lizzy Conrady (U of I Ext Office),  
Carlinville Rec Hall at 1 p.m.*

When the office is closed, please call **EMERGENCY WORK ORDERS** into the emergency phone number. Please wait until the office opens to call in routine work orders. If you call the emergency line and do not have an emergency, you could be charged.

### Address:

P.O. Box 303  
760 Anderson St.  
Carlinville, 62626  
(217) 854-5393  
Fax: (217) 854-8749

### Office Hours:

Monday-Friday  
8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

### EMERGENCY NUMBER:

**(217) 827-2100**

### EMERGENCIES INCLUDE:

- ◆ Gas leaks
- ◆ Frozen or broken water pipes
- ◆ Exposed electrical wires
- ◆ No heat (if the outside temperature is 45-degrees or lower)
- ◆ Sewer line stoppage (not drain line)- this includes a clogged toilet
- ◆ CO/Smoke detector beeping or chirping

Also fire, flood, or anything that threatens life, safety or property damage.

**PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE INSPECTIONS WILL BE PERFORMED ON  
HORIZON LANE IN GILLESPIE THIS MONTH.**  
**INSPECTIONS MAY TAKE PLACE ON ANY DAY OF THE MONTH BETWEEN THE HOURS OF  
8:00 A.M.- 4:30 P.M., MONDAY-FRIDAY**  
**SPECIFIC DAYS AND TIMES WILL NOT BE GIVEN.**



## ***SMOKE-FREE CAMPUS COMING JULY 30, 2018***

HUD has voted to make all units smoke-free as of July 30, 2018. We have to comply with this law and are making efforts to make the transition as smooth as possible. If you need help quitting please visit:

***WWW.QUITYES.ORG***  
***OR CALL***  
***1 (866) QUIT-YES***  
***(784-8937)***

Jocelyn Drummond (below picture) from Gillespie has been selected as a recipient of the Illinois Association of Housing Authorities Central Council's Education Assistant Grant. Jocelyn has received awards for solo/ensemble music competitions and recently was inducted into the National Honor Society at Gillespie High School. She volunteers her time with the Big Brother/Big Sister program and is active in her church. She will graduate from High School in May 2018 and has been accepted to Blackburn College in Carlinville for the Fall 2018 semester.

**CONGRATULATIONS JOCELYN!**

