NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE SPOTTER TRAINING

FEBRUARY 6, 2020—6:30 pm-8:30 pm
JEFFERSON COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
1409 HERCULANEUM INDUSTRIAL DRIVE
HERCULANEUM, MO 63048
PLEASE RSVP TO JINA AKINS—636-797-5381

Come learn about the science behind tornadoes and other types of severe weather! This will be an interactive session aimed at teaching you about weather and how you can help the National Weather Service in your community!

Are You Signed Up with Code Red?
Click on "Weather Warning"
1. What is your name? Tom Nahlik
2. Do you have a nickname? Tommy
3. How long have you been a 9-1-1 dispatcher? 25 years
4. Are you an introvert or extrovert? Extrovert
5. What is your favorite thing about being a 9-1-1 dispatcher? When the radio room is A BUZZ!
6. Tell us about your family (spouse, kids, pets, etc.) Wife - Married just over a year, 3 boys, 1 girl, three dogs and chickens
7. What is your proudest moment at work? Becoming the radio tech.
8. What would you sing at karaoke night? I don’t do karaoke.
9. If you could only eat one meal for the rest of your life, what would it be? Bacon and eggs.
10. Do you have a pet peeve or superstition? Full moon brings out the weirdos.
11. What do you do when you’re not working? Work some more.
12. If you had a warning label, what would it say? Allergic to stupid people.
13. Do you have a mantra? No brains, no headaches.

We will have a Business Seminar on Solar System, Savings for your Commercial Building Utilities, on Thursday February 27 at 3 p.m. at Electro Savings CU 1805 Craigshire Road in Maryland Heights.

We will cover how the system works and it’s installation, your potential cost savings, Ameren & other rebates available plus the low cost financing that can help pay for this investment. Free and open to public. Light refreshments served.

For more info or to reserve your spot please email ppettey@escu.org or call 314-434-6470 406.
In connection with the partnership between Jefferson College and the St. Louis Astronomical Society (SLAS) to develop an astronomical observatory in phases on the Hillsboro campus, the College will host several observation nights for those who want to learn more about astronomy.

The College is already using the undeveloped site as a teaching and learning opportunity for students enrolled in science and astronomy classes in connection with lab assignments and in-class discussions.

Additionally, the public is invited to look through telescopes provided by the College, SLAS, and amateur astronomers to learn more about this exciting new development for everyone in Jefferson County and the surrounding region.

The educational events, called “Star Parties,” are free and open to all ages. Each observation night will be held at the Jefferson College Observatory site, located near the Softball Field on the Hillsboro campus, accessible from Jefferson College Drive. All events will be held on Sunday evenings, weather permitting.

**Star Party Dates Include:**
- February 9, 7-10 p.m.
- March 8, 7-10 p.m.
- April 5, 8-11 p.m.
- May 3, 8-11 p.m.
- June 7, 8:30-11:30 p.m.
- July 5, 8:30-11:30 p.m.
- August 9, 8:30-11:30 p.m.
- September 6, 8-11 p.m.
- October 4, 7-10 p.m.
- November 8, 7-10 p.m.
- December 6, 7-10 p.m.

Those who attend may bring their own astronomy equipment or use a limited number of telescopes provided.

For the events event to occur, skies must be clear or only partly cloudy. In case of inclement weather, particular events will be cancelled and not rescheduled. For cancellation information, visit the Jefferson College Observatory Facebook page at www.facebook.com/JCObservatory/ or the St. Louis Astronomical Society website at www.slasonline.org/observatory.

For questions or additional information about Star Parties, contact Jefferson College Physical Science Instructor Maryanne Angliongto at 636-481-3318 or email manglion@jeffco.edu.

**Observatory Location**

From St. Louis, travel South on Highway 21 to the Jefferson College/Hayden Road exit. Turn right onto Hayden Road and then left onto Jefferson College Drive. Farm Road will be approximately one-quarter mile on the right.

The observatory's purpose is to engage the community to learn more about the science of astronomy and physics. It will become the first public observatory in Jefferson County affiliated with SLAS. Regular stargazing and solar viewing events for the public will be hosted by Jefferson College and SLAS. A variety of events such as eclipses, transits, comets, and meteor showers are expected to draw large audiences. Educators and students of K-12 schools will be encouraged to make use of the observatory for educational projects.

The observatory will be developed in phases over several years as funding is secured. Project funds will be raised from public donations, grants, and corporate sponsors. Project rollout will be determined by available funding for each phase.

**Additional Information**

Jefferson College Observatory website – https://www.jeffco.edu/Observatory

Jefferson College Observatory Facebook - www.facebook.com/JCObservatory/

Thursday, February 13, 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.
Charity Crafting:
Learn to Make Cancer Port Pillows
Searching for a way to contribute? Donate your time and learn how to make port pillows for the cancer patients at SSM Cancer center. All skill levels welcome.

Wednesday, February 19, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's
Learn about typical age-related changes, common warning signs of Alzheimer's, how to approach someone about memory concerns, early detection, the benefits of a diagnosis, the diagnostic process, and Alzheimer's Association resources. Presented by Alzheimer's Association.

To register for these events:
www.jeffcolib.org – Calendar of Events, or call 636-296-5171. Walk-ins also welcome.

The Power of Community Grants Available . . .
Apply January 1 thru March 31
Through Electro Savings Credit Union

Bring your ideas on how to improve your community. Eligible projects/programs include, but not limited to:

♦ Education ♦ Healthy and Social Services ♦ Individual and Family Wellness
♦ Neighborhood Stability and Revitalization ♦ Other Community Development needs

Goal must be tied to a specific program/project -
• Measurable
• Impact on Community
• Have explicit objectives listed
• Have a predetermined cost

Packets with completed form and other information can be dropped off no later than March 31 by 5:00 p.m. Grant recipients will be notified by May 31, 2020.

For further information and for the form go to the Power of Community Grants section of www.ElectroSavings.com or call Pat Pettey at (314) 434-6470, ext. 1406.
Community Emergency Response Training (CERT) is a series of classes that prepares you to help yourself, family, coworkers and neighbors in the event of a crisis in your community. Through this interesting series of classes, you will learn about emergency preparedness and receive training through a partnership of professionally trained local emergency responders and CERT trainers to learn life-saving skills!

Training is free, but registration is required.
Call 636-797-5381 to sign up today!

Jefferson County Office of Emergency Management
1409 Herculaneum Industrial Drive, Herculaneum, MO 63048
Beginning February 20, 2020, Thursday evenings 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm

| Disaster Preparedness     | Thursday, February 20, 2020 |
| Fire Suppression          | Thursday, February 27, 2020 |
| Disaster Medical Ops I    | Thursday, March 05, 2020    |
| Disaster Medical Ops II   | Thursday, March 12, 2020    |
| Light Search & Rescue     | Thursday, March 19, 2020    |
| Terrorism & CERT          | Thursday, March 26, 2020    |
| CERT Organization         | Thursday, April 02, 2020    |
| Disaster Psychology       | Thursday, April 09, 2020    |
| Final Exercise & Graduation| Thursday, April 16, 2020    |
SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 2020
9:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.
DE SOTO SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
815 Amvets Drive, De Soto, MO

For Information about reserving a booth, etc.
Call 586-5591 or email desoto_chamber@yahoo.com

Check Out the Chamber’s Event Calendar:
http://desotomochamber.com/calendar-events/
https://www.facebook.com/desotomochamberofcommerce/

Jefferson County Extension Office

Embryology: Chicks in the Classroom

The Embryology program encourages hands-on scientific learning and
discussion of issues related to human and chicken development as children
take care of eggs that hatch into chicks. The 2-week long embryology sessions will
begin this year with egg delivery on March 10, 2020 or April 14, 2020.

Educators if you would be interested in hatching chicks in your classroom,
we offer a free Embryology training session.

Topics include operating incubators,
caring for eggs and chicks, managing risk and classroom activities.

Deadline to register is Feb 12.

you need more information please call our office:
636-797-5391
Need Information on Resources Available to Jefferson County Citizens?

Just go to www.join-n.org and click on 2019 Resource Directory. It is updated about every three or four months by a JOIN-N volunteer. This is a very valuable resource for the County.

Thank You

Margie Sammons
Crystal City Library
BK Graphics, Brenda King
Hillsboro Lions Club
Robin Scott
De Soto Public Library

Jefferson County 9-1-1 Dispatch
Next Steps for Life
Jefferson College
Jefferson Co. Health Department
Beth Cobb
Kathy Maddox
Craig Leutmeyer
Laura Ketchum
C & S Insurance (Stan Morga)
Electro Savings Credit Union
De Soto Chamber

University of Missouri Extension - Jefferson County
Jefferson County Community Partnership (JCCP)

JOIN-N APPRECIATES THE SUPPORT OF THESE MEMBERS.
It’s not too late to join this group of JOIN-N members.
Dear JOIN-N supporters:

Amazon Smile is a great way to support JOIN-N without costing you any money. Amazon Smile will donate to JOIN-N with each purchase made through Amazon Smile. Here is a link for you to check out http://smile.amazon.com/ch/43-1850668

Members, please "like" JOIN-N and invite your friends to "like" JOIN-N also.

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2020

Organization/Business: ____________________________________________________________

Contact Person: _________________________________________________________________

Address: _______________________________________________________________________

Phone: ___________________________  E-Mail: ______________________________________

Web Site: _______________________________________________________________________

(A link to your web site is included in membership)

Two-sentence description of your business or organization to be included on the JOIN-N membership page:
________________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________
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Memberships run January through December.

___ Renewal Membership  ___  New Membership

___ $10.00 Individual Membership

___ $25.00 Small Business / Organization

___ $200.00 Corporate

___ Donation  I don't wish to be a member of JOIN-N, but please accept my donation of $ _____ to help provide valuable information to Jefferson County residents.

You may also use PayPal at  http://www.jeffersoncountyonline.org/about/paypal.shtml

- An e-newsletter is sent out to members and posted on the JOIN-N website.
- Members are featured in each issue of the JOIN-News if they have something special going on.
- Members may send in event/meeting information to be published in JOIN-News.
- Memberships are categorized on the JOIN-N web site for easier access and greater exposure.
- Links from the JOIN-N home page to “Business Resources” lists the “Member page” link first.
- Everything possible is done to give members the exposure they need.
- JOIN-N is on Facebook. The e-newsletter is promoted there and a link is on the JOIN-N home page

FOR OFFICE USE

Date: Rec’d.: ________________
Date: Deposited: ________________
Check #: ____________________

Created in the Fall of 1997 to fulfill a vision to provide valuable information to the citizens of Jefferson County
Staffed by a group of dedicated community-minded volunteers
RESOURCE ADDITION / UPDATE FORM

To ensure the accuracy of the Jefferson County Resource Directory, submit changes using this form and either mail it to
JOIN-N
P.O. Box 497, Hillsboro, MO 63050
or e-mail it to join-n@outlook.com

Attach your agency brochure, if available.

( ) Addition  ( ) Update  ( ) Correction

Name of Agency: ________________________________________________________________

Mailing Address: ________________________________________________________________

Street Address: ________________________________________________________________
(If different than mailing address)

Phone Number: ________________  Fax Number:______________________________

E-Mail Address: ________________________________________________________________

Web Site: ________________________________________________________________

Services Offered: ________________________________________________________________

Does Your Organization Need Volunteers?  ( ) Yes  ( ) No

Additional Information: __________________________________________________________

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