MT. VERNON
ILLINOIS

Creativity Redefined!

Welcome Packet



1100 Main St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864 | 618-242-5000 | mtvernon.com

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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
  ..... instagram.com/mtvfestivals
- Market Days: ..... facebook.com/MtVernonMarket
- Mt. Vernon Parks: ..... facebook.com/mtvparksandrec
- 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 nationally 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 painting 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 ear 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

MT. VERNON ILLINOIS Tourism

City Contacts

CITY OFFICIALS

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

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

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

Councilman, Jay Tate
618-242-6802
councilmantate@mtvernon.com

Councilman, Mike Young
618-242-6802
councilmanyoung@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 pm in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 1100 Main St., Mt. Vernon, IL. 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 at 7:00 pm, City Hall
- **Minority Affairs & Human Relations Commission**
  4th Thursday, 4:30 pm, City Hall
- **Mt. Vernon Park & Recreation Board**
  2nd Monday, 6:00 pm, Rolland Lewis Building, Veterans Park
- **Fire & Police Commission**
  Meetings called as needed, City Hall
- **TIF Board**
  Meetings called as needed, City Hall
- **City Housing Authority**
  3rd Tuesday, City Housing Activity Building, 4217 Rose Lane
- **Mt. Vernon Tourism Advisory Board**
  3rd Tuesday (even months), 1:00 pm, Innovation Hub, 123 S 10th St., 5th Floor
- **Downtown Mt. Vernon Development Corporation**
  2nd Wednesday, 12:00 pm, Kingdom Seed Ministries, 118 S. 9th St.



Additional Contact Info.

City website: mtvernon.com

Strategic Building Plan website: buildmtvernonilcom

Tourism website: enjoymtvernon.com

Jefferson County Development Corporation

Tony Iriti, Executive Director

618-731-5369

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 JCDC.

Jefferson County Chamber of Commerce

Jamie Storey, Executive 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 advocation 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 the public. 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, Citizen's Police Academy, 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 2 - 1111 Airport Rd. | 618-242-4587
- Station 3 - 714 S. 42nd Street | 618-242-7708

Parks & Recreation

The Park Office is located in the south end of the Rolland W. Lewis Building in Veterans Park at 800 S. 27th Street.

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 mtvernon.com/parks to find out more about our parks. More information about the Aquatic Zoo waterpark can be found at mtvernon.com/parks-recreation/aquatic-zoo-water-park.

Parks Director, McKenzie May
618-242-6808
parksdirector@mtvernon.com

Parks & Recreation
Mon-Fri 8 am -12 pm & 1 pm -5 pm
618-242-6892 | 618-242-2727 after hours
parksandrec@mtvernon.com

MT. VERNON ILLINOIS
Parks and Recreation

Aquatic ZOO



City Department Contacts

DEPARTMENT	NAME	TITLE	PHONE	EMAIL
Billing Services			618-242-6189	
Building Inspector		Building Inspector	618-242-6830	buildinginspector@mtvernon.com
City Manager	Nathan McKenna	City Manager	618-242-6802	citymanager@mtvernon.com
City Engineer	Brad Ruble	City Engineer	618-242-6830	brad.ruble@mtvernon.com
Finance	Dan Plumb	Finance Director	618-242-6825	financedirector@mtvernon.com
Fire Department	Chris Yenne	Fire Chief	618-242-6880	chris.yenne@mtvernon.com
	Brad 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 & 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	Assistant Police Chief		tchapman@mvpdorg
Public Works	Matt Fauss	Director	618-242-6853	matt.fauss@mtvernon.com
	Stephen Talley	Assistant 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 your 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 the City Hall parking lot and in front of the Appellate Courthouse. Or you can pay online at mtvernon.com.

Every customer, residential or 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.

City Water Information

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 uner 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 am - 4:00 pm
Schedule Service Reconnect: Monday through Friday - 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

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 Info.

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

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

Republic Services
1-800-634-0215
Customer Service Hours:
Monday through Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm & Saturday 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
republicservices.com

Trash Pick-Up: All trash needs to be curbside beginning at 6:00 am on pick-up day. If the company misses your receptacle on pick-up day, contact Republic Services at 1-800-634-0215 (printed on receptacle). The City requires receptacles to be removed from the cub 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. Tash pick-up service will run one day late following each of these holidays.

Trash Receptacles: Each resident will be supplied with on 96-gallon receptacle. Receptacles are to be placed curbside or in alleyways with the arrow pointing forward. Any customer wanting an additional receptacle will need to contact Republic Services. Please call 1-200-634-0215 for additional information.

Report missing or damaged receptacles to Republic Services at 1-800-634-0215.

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.

For full details and maps visit:
https://www.mtvernon.com/resident-services/garbage-and-recycling/collection-schedules/ or scan the QR code.

City Trash Service Info.

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Bulk Waste Pick-Up: 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 1-800-634-0215. 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 Receptacles: One receptacle will be supplied to each resident for recycled materials. Each resident will be supplied with a separate recycling receptacle. Recycling receptacles are to be placed at curbside or in alleyways with the arrow pointing forward.



Jefferson County Contacts

County Website: jeffersoncounty.illinois.gov
County Courthouse: 618-244-8000
Fire Department - 911
Sheriff's Department - 911
Sheriff Non-Emergency: 618-244-8004
Office/Mailing Address:

Jefferson County Courthouse
100 South 10th Street
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
jeffcoboard@jeffil.us | 618-242-8000 ext. 2

COUNTY BOARD MEMBERS

Randy Edwards
Steve Draege, Vice Chair
Wayne Hicks
John Howard
Cliff Lindeman, Chairman
James Malone
Timothy Marlow
Joey McDermot
Jeffrey Nowland
Adam Ortgiesen
Fisher Overstreet
Jeff Williams
Tyler Williams
Michael T. Young

BOARD MEETINGS

- **Full Board Meeting**
  7:00 pm on the 4th Monday of each month, unless changed due to a holiday
- **Public Safety Meeting**
  6:00 pm on the Wednesday before the Full Board Meeting
- **Highway Meeting**
  7:00 pm on the Wednesday before the Full Board Meeting
- **Fiscal Meeting**
  7:00 pm on the Thursday before the Full Board Meeting

All other committees will be held as necessary prior to the Fiscal Committee Meetings. All meetings take place at the Jefferson County Courthouse.

Other Elected & Appointed County Officials

DEPARTMENT/OFFICE	NAME	PHONE	EMAIL
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/Highway Dept.	Brandon Simmons	618-244-8031	countyengineer@jeffil.us
Superintendent of School	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	618-244-7134	dph.pjefferson@illinois.gov
Emergency Management Coordinator	Steven Lueker	618-244-8000 ex. 2080	slueker@jeffil.us
Public Defender	Julie Kozuszek	618-244-8014	



Additional Service Providers City & County

ELECTRIC/NATURAL GAS

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

Tri-County Electric Co-Op
3906 Broadway, Mt. Vernon, IL
618-244-5151
tricountycoop.com

Village of Bluford
1005 W. 4th St., Bluford, IL
618-732-8773

TELEPHONE/CABLE/INTERNET/SATELLITE

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

Clearwave
1-877-552-9283
clearwavefiber.com

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

DirecTV
directv.com

Dish Network
dish.com

HughesNet
1-877-393-3585
hughesnet.com

Spectrum
1-866-322-0760
spectrum.com

T-Mobile
1-844-839-5057
t-mobile.com

Verizon
4201 Broadway, Suite B
1-800-880-1077
verizon.com

Wisper
1-800-765-7772
wisperisp.com

Additional Service Providers City & County

ADDITIONAL COUNTY WATER SUPPLIERS

Bonnie Water Dept.
618-242-5646

Dix-Kell Water & Sewer
618-266-7701

Ina Sewer
618-437-5305

Northeast Water
618-242-8807

Opdyke Belle-Rive Water
618-756-2289

Rend Lake Conservancy District
618-439-4321

Rend Lake Inter City Water
618-435-3676

Village of Bluford
618-732-8773

Village of Woodlawn
618-735-2110

Waltonville Sewer & Water
618-279-7226

Whittington Water
618-629-2221

Woodlawn Waste
618-735-2329

PROPANE SUPPLIERS

Harper Propane
618-242-4359

Knapp Propane
618-244-3160



Additional Resources

MEDIA

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

Southern Illinoisan
618-529-5454
thesouthern.com

WDML 106.9 FM
618-242-3333
wdml.com

WMIX 94.1 AM FM
618-242-3500
wmix94.com

WVYN 90.9 FM
618-895-3030
wvyn.org

TRANSPORTATION

American Cab
618-244-1200

Bart Transportation
(St. Louis Airport Shuttle)
1-800-284-2278

City Cab
618-242-0290

Enterprise Rent-A-Car
500 S. 34th St., Mt. Vernon, IL
618-242-3700 | 1-800-736-8222
enterprise.com

Greyhound Bus
102 Potomac Blvd.
618-244-2167 | 1-800-231-2222
greyhound.com/bus/mount-vernon-il

Mt. Vernon Outland Airport
100 Aviation Drive, Mt. Vernon, IL
618-242-7016
mtvernonairport.com

Mt. Vernon Transportation
618-244-1300

Need A Ride 618
10094 E. Richview Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL
618-417-5347
needaride618.com

SCT (South Central Transit)
15178 IL-37, Mt. Vernon, IL
618-532-8076 | 1-800-660-7433
southcentraltransit.org

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
deaconessillinoiscrossroads.com/provider

SSM Health Good Samaritan Hospital Physician Locator
1-888-257-6098
ssmhealth.com/find-a-doctor

URGENT CARE

Deaconess Illinois Clinic Express
3111 Broadway, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-241-0300
8:00 am - 8:00 pm daily

Express Care
1104 S. 42nd St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-315-6360
Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 8:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Sunday 12:00 - 4:00 pm

Prompt Care
2712 Broadway, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-2000
Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

SSM Health Express Clinic
602 S. 42nd St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-899-3278
Mon-Sat 7:00 am - 7:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am - 2:00 pm

Healthcare

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Jefferson County Health Department
4102 S. Watertower Place
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-7434
jeffersoncountyhealthdept.org

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HOME HEALTH

Addus Home Care
2929 Broadway,
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-4481
addus.com

LHC Home Heath Care
11 Cusumano Plaza,
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-0934 | 1-866-608-4848
lhcgroup.com

Mederi Caretenders
4111 N. Water Tower Place, Suite E
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-3516 | 618-988-1840
lhcgroup.com/locations/mederi-caretenders-of-mount-vernon/

SSM Home Care
2 Good Samaritan Way
618-242-4600
ssmhealth.com/services/health-at-home





Homeless Shelters

Lifeboat Alliance
1717 Jefferson Ave, PO Box 76
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-4088
lifeboatalliance.org

Lifeboat Alliance is a 501c3 non-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. For more information email lifeboatalliance@gmail.com.

Family Life Shelter
12580 N. Sparrow Lane
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
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, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-1108

Opportunities for Access
4206 Williamson Place, Suite 3
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-9212 | TTY: 618-244-9575

Cultural & Historical

Appellate Courthouse
Main St. & N. 14th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-3120
Please call in advance for tours.
illinoiscourts.gov/courts/appellate-court/districts-fifth-district/

C.E. Brehm Memorial Library
101 S. 7th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-6322
mtvbrehm.org

Cedarhurst Center for the Arts
2600 Richview Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-1236
cedarhurst.org

Jefferson County Historical Village
1411 N. 27th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-246-0033
jchshistoricalvillage.org/
cedarhurst.org


D.A.R. Statue

The Granada Theatre
108 N. 9th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-315-6100
thegranadatheatre.com

Rend Lake Community Orchestra
Rend Lake College
468 Ken Gray Parkway, Ina, IL 62846
618-437-5321
rlc.edu


Appellate Courthouse

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

C.E. Brehm Memorial Library houses an extensive collection of genealogical materials as well as the Daughters of the American Revolution Records.

Veterans Resources

American Legion Post 141
816 Main St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-4561
Meeting, 3rd Monday at 6:00 pm

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

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

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 28
618-231-1333
Meet at the Rolland Lewis Building
2nd Tuesday at 6:00 pm

Mt. Vernon VA Clinic
4000 S. Water Tower Place
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-249-2910

Veterans Hall of Honor
Mt. Vernon Outland Airport
100 Aviation Drive,
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-7016
mtvernonairport.com

VFW Post 1376
P.O. Box 1562
Meets at the Elks Lodge
1107 Jordan St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
2nd Tuesday at 7:00 pm

Mt. Vernon Memorial VFW Post 9233
Mt. Vernon Outland Airport
100 Aviation Drive,
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-315-9223
Meets 3rd Thursday at 7:00 pm



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 Resources

Bluford Ruritans
814 6th St., Bluford, IL 62814
618-732-8571

Delta Theta Tau Sorority
Norma Shreve
2400 Pace Ave., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-6749

Jefferson County Crime Stoppers
Sharon Martin
211 N. 10th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-8477

Jefferson County Habitat for Humanity
123 S. 10th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-0792

Jefferson County Shrine Club
618-214-7178

Masonic Hall
124 N. 10th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-1582

Mt. Vernon Elks Lodge #819
1107 Jordan St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-4885

Mt. Vernon Lions Club
Mike Ancona
7th & Pace, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864

Mt. Vernon Rotary
P.O. Box 2456
Meets every Tuesday at noon at Joe's Pizza & Pasta, 819 Jordan St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864

Mt. Vernon Rotary West
P.O. Box 684
618-242-3237
Meets every Monday at 7:00 am at The Hub, 123 S. 10th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864

N.A.A.C.P.
Brenda Cain
618-237-3443

Mt. Vernon Clubs and Organizations

CHILDREN | YOUTH | FAMILY

4-H
University of Illinois Extension
3452 Broadway, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-0780
extension.illinois.edu/bcjmw

Aquatic Zoo
1700 S. 34th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-0691
mtvernon.com/parks-recreation/aquatic-zoo-water-park

Boy Scouts of America
St. Mary's Catholic Church
115 N. 14th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-5353
stlbsa.org

C.E. Brehm Memorial Library
101 S. 7th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-6322
mtvbrehm.org

Cedarhurst Youth Programs
2600 Richview Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-1236 ext. 248
cedarhurst.org

Girl Scouts of Southern Illinois
4 Ginger Creek Parkway,
Glen Carbon, IL 62034
1-800-345-6858
gsofsi.org

King City Games
401 S. 10th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-816-7007
kingcitygames.com

Mt. Vernon Recreation Club
311 N. 34th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-2369

Mt. Vernon Parks & Recreation
Rolland Lewis Community Building
800 S. 27th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-6890
mtvernon.com/parks

NuBowl Lanes
1315 N. 17th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-0300
nubowl.com

YMCA of Jefferson County
1304 Broadway, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-5345
mtvernonymca.org

Miscellaneous Clubs & Organizations

Cedarhurst Quilters, Basketeers, Clay Club, & Book Club
P.O. Box 923
2600 Richview Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-1236
carrie@cedarhurst.org

Jefferson County Custom Knife Club
618-242-4514

Jefferson County Genealogical Society
c/o Brehm Library
P.O. Box 1311
101 S. 7th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-6322

Jefferson County Ministerial Alliance
P.O. Box 575, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-3434

Mt. Vernon Festivals, Inc.
P.O. Box 1708
123 S. 10th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-3151
festivals@mtvernon.com

Mt. Vernon City Schools Foundation
618-244-8080

Mt. Vernon Township High School Foundation
P.O. Box 672, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-3700

United Way of South Central Illinois
716 Main St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-8000
uwsci.org



Mt. Vernon Festivals, Inc. puts on Fall Fest, Mt. Vernon's largest festival that takes place downtown annually in lage September.

Educational Resources

MT. VERNON CITY SCHOOLS

Dr. Nick Osborn Primary Center
Kindergarten - 3rd Grade
401 N. 30th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8068
mtv80.org

Zadok Casey Middle School
6th - 8th Grade
1829 Broadway, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8080
mtv80.org

JL Buford Intermediate Education Center
4th & 5th Grade
623 S. 34th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8064
mtv80.org

Mt Vernon Township H.S. #201
9th - 12th Grade
11101 N. Wells Bypass, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-3700
mvths.org

K-8 SCHOOLS

Bethel SD #82
1201 Bethel Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8095
bethelgradeschool.org

Grand Prairie CCSD #6
21462 N. Richview Ln., Centralia, IL 62801
618-249-6289

Coram Deo Classical School
1600 Salem Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-9338
coramdeoschool.org

Field CCSD #3
21075 N. 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. IL Hwy 148, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8072
jbradford@mcclellanschool.net

Educational Resources

K-8 SCHOOLS

Opdyke-Belle Rive CCSD #5
19380 E. 4th St., Opdyke, IL 62864
618-756-2492
obr5.org

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

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

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

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

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

K-12 SCHOOLS

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

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

Waltonville CUSD #1
804 West Knob St., Waltonville, IL 62894
618-279-7211
wcusd1.org

Woodlawn CCSD #209
300 N. Central St., Woodlawn, IL 62898
618-735-2631
woodlawnschools.org

Educational Resources

CHILD DAY CARE & EDUCATION

Bright Start Child & Family Education
104 S. 32nd St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-2462

Bumblebee Childcare & Pre-K
2917 Veterans Memorial Drive, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-4973

Dr. Andy Hall Headstart & Pre-K
301 S. 17th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8087

Logan Street Daycare & Pre-K
800 N. 42nd St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-4102

Regional Office of Education (ROE) Pre-K
1710 Broadway, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8010

St. Mary Educational Daycare
1416 Main St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-5353

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
roe25.com

McKendree University
mckendree.edu/online

Rend Lake College Marketplace
327 Potomac Blvd., Suite B, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8107
rlc.edu

Rend Lake College
468 N. Ken Gray Pkwy, Ina, IL 62846
618-437-5321
rlc.edu

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale
online.siu.edu

Pet Resources

VETERINARIANS

Lamczyk Veterinary Clinic
12246 Sparrow Lane, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-204-5837
mountvernonvet.com

Thousand Hills Veterinary Clinic
714 Fairfield Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-3325
thvclinic@gmail.com

PET BOARDING & KENNELS

Country Acres Kennel
17198 E. Fairfield Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-1084

Kennelpark
10720 N. Wells Bypass, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-242-5223

Jagger's Doggie Daycare & Boarding
414 E. Main St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-316-7021
jaggersdoggiedaycare.com

Poodles to Hounds, LLC
730 IL-15 Unit 1, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-315-6500
poodlestohounds.com

Janet's All Breed Dog Grooming & Boarding
10098 E. Richview Rd., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-5466

ANIMAL SHELTER

Jefferson County Animal Shelter
107 Perkins Ave., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
618-244-8024
jeffersoncounty.illinois.gov/services/animal_control/animal_adoptions.php

