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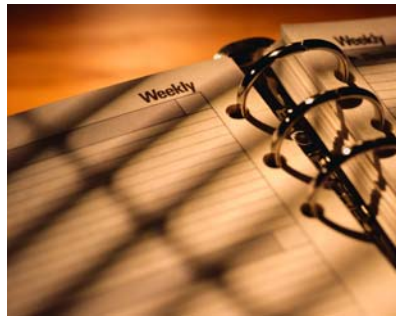
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Visitors and New Members Always Welcome!

**Meetings: Second & Fourth Thursdays
at 7:00 p.m. Lower Level**

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

700 South Sixth Street, Springfield, Illinois



2007 SPRINGFIELD CAMERA CLUB CALENDAR

January 11 **Competition**

Club Meeting at Church

Exhibition / Competition

Prints - Bring up to 4 each of
B&W and Color prints

Slides - Bring 4 slides

Digital images-bring 4 images on a CD

January 25 Program

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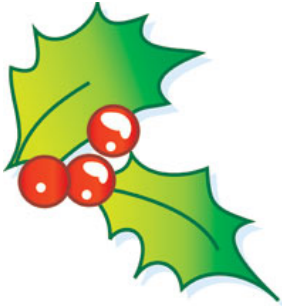
Playtime for Dog

by

Dick McLane

Holiday Highlights

Some of the events celebrating the season in the Springfield area.



Carlinville Christmas Market

Dec. 1, 3-9 p.m., **Dec. 2**, 9 a.m.-6 p.m., **Dec. 3**, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. A holiday market featuring arts, crafts, food, carriage rides, trolley tours, carolers, and a holiday house walk. Carlinville Town Square

Christmas in Virginia

Dec. 1, 5-8 p.m. **Dec. 2**, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. The town of Virginia hosts various activities, crafters, and food vendors at businesses Friday even. & on Saturday, the library has ornament making, food, & crafts.

New Salem Area Merchants Christmas

Dec. 1, 2, & 3 Browse around numerous antique, gift, and floral centers and enjoy extended hours Friday for candlelight shopping. Petersburg and Salisbury (632-4392; www.newsalemmerchants.com)

Springfield Jaycees & Ansar Shrine Holiday Parade

Dec. 2, 10 a.m. This year's theme is "12 Days of Christmas." Downtown Springfield (217-528-8669,

11th Annual Pre-Kwanzaa Holiday Expo

Dec. 2, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Minority businesses' holiday expo features vendors selling clothing, books, art, cosmetics, fragrances & calendars. Boys & Girls Club of Spfld, 300 S. 15th St. (217-220-1725)

Illinois Humane's Holiday Whiskers and Hounds Dinner and Silent Auction

Dec. 7, 5 p.m. A cocktail and appetizers hour followed by a live auction to benefit Illinois Humane, The Firefighter's Lake Club, 940 W. Lake Shore Dr. (217-698-3804, www.illinoishumane.org)

Winter Craft Day

Dec. 9, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Children's afternoon to create a handmade gift for someone special, and parents are invited to participate with their children. Illinois State Museum, 502 S. Spring St.

Christmas Open House

Dec. 10, 1-4 p.m. Walk through one of Springfield's historic homes decorated for the holiday season. Light refreshments will be served. The Brinkerhoff Home, 1500 N. Fifth St.

Christmas Walk Through

Dec 15 & 16, 6-8 p.m. Eastview Baptist Church presents "Telling About Christ's Birth." Free gift bag for all attendees. Eastview Baptist Church, 2277 E. Black Ave.

Dana-Thomas House Luminaria Sunday

Dec. 17, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Tour Frank Lloyd Wright-designed home by candlelight. 301 E. Lawrence Ave.

20th Anniversary First Night Springfield

Dec. 31, 1 p.m.-12:01 a.m. The family-friendly alternative New Year's celebration begins with children's activities followed by music, art, and, dance with the big finale of fireworks at midnight.

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September 1, 2006 to August 31, 2007

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- MUSEUM SHOWS..... Paul Puckel
- PSA REPRESENTATIVE..... Rachel Rexroat
- WEB MASTER..... Eric Volkel-Barno



Rocky Mountain Wildflower

by
Allen Oehlert

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Art is born of the observation and investigation of nature.