

WYOMING AREA NEWS

A service of the Wyoming Lions Club

Wyoming Cemetery will be holding a workday this Saturday, March 26th, with a rain date of April 12th. Flower removal deadlines are April 15th, July 15th and September 15th.

Faith United Methodist Church (Monmouth) Spaghetti Supper: Saturday, April 2nd, from 4-7 pm, while it lasts. Adults \$10.00, children (6-12) \$5.00, preschool free. Dine in or carryout.

Wyoming Vol. Fire Department's Spring Ride for a Reason. UTV ride on Saturday, April 30th with 4-5 stops. \$30 per UTV/\$40 per 4 -seater or other vehicle. Registration will start at 11 a.m. at the Wyoming Fairgrounds. Ride to begin at Noon. The ride will end at Racks with Adam Keith starting 8 p.m. Pulled pork also.

Midland Ambulance Annual Soup Supper & Silent Auction- April 26th 5-7 pm at Calkins Barn. Soup, sandwiches, Dessert and Drink. Adult \$10 Kids 5-13 \$5 and PreK and under free. Contact any member to donate items. Thank you.

Wyoming Historical Museum Pancake Breakfast – March 27th , 7:00 am until noon. Help is always needed. If you would like to help support the Museum, please contact Jean Oberbreckling.

Jackson County Historical Society Spring Soup Supper & Bake Sale: Thursday, March 31st, at Clinton Engines (605 East Maple, Maquoketa). Bake sale 4:00-8:00 pm and Soup supper 5:00-7:00 pm. \$10.00. Four great homemade soups. Silent auction.

Last Call for Cans: Can collection at the Fire Station will end April 1st. The fund-raiser for the playground equipment will end and the Fire Station site will no longer accept cans. At this time one of the few places accepting cans is the Anamosa Fire Department.

2nd half property taxes are due before April 1st.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!! (check your driver's license)

Mar 17	Wayne Kearney – 79
Mar 21	Ryan “Jr.” Lasack
Mar 23	Megan Harms (grand-daughter of Kathy)
Mar 24	Laney Otte
Mar 25	Makayla Tandle

Mar 26 Matthew Wenndt
 Gage Gile
Mar 28 Jaclyn Fagan
 Abigail Dawson
Mar 29 Lyle Watters - 91st
 Heather Bendixen
 Aubrey (Walters) Brinkman
 Marilyn Gray - 80th - 112-3rd St., Onslow, IA 52321
 Harper Ellerbach
April 1 Hope Holtapp
April 3 Mark Willey
 Libby Christiansen
 Danelle (Clark) Dirks
April 4 Marion Stevens (Jade Eichhorn's mom)
April 5 April DeLarm
 Jerard Gnade
April 7 Stacy Agnitsch
April 8 Don Buchholtz
 Whitney Miller
 Tim Ahendsen
April 9 Mike Williams
 Brittney Boge
 Evan Tjaden
April 10 Nancy Collins
 Deb Williams
 Tenley Brodersen - 6
April 13 Sheila Paulsen
 Courtney Dawson
 Alaina Jamison
April 14 Kristy Loy

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!!

Nov 21 Harold & Evonne Wurst - 60th
Mar 29 Dale & Doni Lineburg
 Dale & Kaye Chatterton
April 1 Daniel & Megan Brunscheen
April 13 Mike & Beth Streeper

REMEMBERING:

Shirley Harris, 82, of Independence (mother of Terry Harris) passed away March 17, 2022. Full obituary may be seen at <https://www.reiffamilycenter.com/memorials/shirley-harris/4881870/obituary.php>

David Brinkman, 70, of Maquoketa, formerly of Oxford Junction, passed away March 16th. Full obituary may be seen at <https://www.carsonandson.com/obituary/642945/david-k.--dave-brinkman/>

Judith Mohr, 69, of Boone, Midland Class of 69, passed away January 12, 2022. Full obituary may be seen at https://www.iowacremation.com/obituary?keyword=Mohr&date_range=

Social Media Scams: About one quarter of all fraud losses reported to the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) during 2021 - \$770 MILLION – resulted from scams that started with social media ads, posts, or messages. That is 18 times as many as 2017. More than 95,000 people said they lost money in a scam involving social media in 2021 – double the number from 2020.

Presented as a service to the Wyoming Library: Cold? Check out a book! You'll still be cold, but you'll have a book!!!

Midland Council of Churches Prayer Breakfast – Wednesday, April 13th at the Cascade Presbyterian Church .

Food Truck will be at Onslow on Tuesday, April 12th from 1:00-2:00 pm at City Hall. Volunteers are welcome to help.

A reminder of and caution concerning the Great Iowa Treasure Hunt. The Treasure Hunt is legitimate and you should check it out for yourself and for family and friends. Make sure that you are on the correct site. If not, you may find some service offering to do the search for you and charge a fee. The Treasurer of State charges no fee for the return of your money. A family name check found 47 matches across the state of Iowa. Of those, 9 are direct family members. The site to find the search is: iowatreasurer.gov/for-citizens/great-iowa-treasurer-hunt. Or, just search for Treasurer, State of Iowa and there will be a link.

Midland Council of Churches is hosting Lenten Services, Wednesdays at 7:00 pm at the Cascade Presbyterian Church on March 23rd and 30th and April 6th. Refreshments and fellowship after each service. The church is located at 216 Polk St., Cascade.

The playground can drive will end the first weekend of April. We would like to thank everyone who donated cans! There are just a couple items left to do to complete the playground: Install a couple of benches around the playground; and finally to plant some trees to help shade it in the summer. Again thank you for your donations and support over the last 3 years on this project! Kristina and Steve Agnitsch and the Wyoming Fair board.

Wyoming Annual Grass and Weed Abatement Notice- Grasses, weeds, brush, dense growth shall be kept at a maximum of 6” in residential, business and Industrial property from May 1 to October 31. No other notice will be given before the City will abate the notice and shall assess all costs incurred to the property. The property owner has the right to appeal the matter to the City Council under Section 50.08 of the City Code of Ordinances. For more information contact the Clerk’s office.

Hospice of Jackson County has been awarded the Hospice CAHPS 2021 Award of Distinction. This award is presented to home health organizations that have demonstrated superior performance in patient satisfaction. Hospice of Jackson County is proud to provide Wyoming, all of Jackson and surrounding counties with complete Hospice services including bereavement and Advanced Directive paperwork. If interested in learning more call 563-652-0123.

Business Opportunities in Wyoming-

Holly's Town Super Market -After 33 years of running the store Holly is looking to retire soon! Holly's carries special items like Iowa native wines, cards, Edgewood Locker items. Does not have to be a grocery store. Approx. 4,700 square feet building.

Old Wyoming Drug Store-approx. 4,700 square feet

Starting a new business? Was your business negatively impacted by COVID-19? Are you looking to expand? The ECICOG's Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) is intended to support these exact situations. For a limited time, ECICOG's RLF loans have a 0% interest rate for the first two years! Business owners in Benton, Iowa, Johnson, Jones, Linn, and Washington Counties should apply soon, before this opportunity runs out. Visit ecicogrlf.org or contact Robyn Jacobson at robyn.jacobson@ecicog.org to learn how to apply!

Wyoming residents Open Burning of yard waste only until June 1. Burning of any trash, leaves, rubbish or other material in any curb or gutter or on any paved street or alley is prohibited. To prevent plugging of storm drains or culverts do not put yard waste into storm or street ditches. There is no dumping in Little Bear Creek. Do not blow your grass into the street when mowing.

The First Presbyterian Church of Onslow, Iowa will celebrate 150 years this June 12, 2022 with an open house. The church is seeking addresses for leaders and former members who have moved. Also, historical information about the church and its' community involvement. Please submit to : onspres150@yahoo.com or mail to First Presbyterian Church, Post Office Box 5, Onslow, IA 52321 NOTE-CORRECTED EMAIL

Senior Dining is held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month at the Memorial Hall.

HACAP Water Assistance for Low-Income Households can assist in reconnection and help avoid disconnection. Must be under income maximums, demonstrate a water burden and currently be experiencing a water crisis. Must demonstrate legal U.S. status. To apply call the Jones County HACAP office at 319-462-4343 or hacap.org/energy.

Reservations

Wyoming Fairgrounds call or text Steve Agnitsch at 319-480-2883.

Memorial Hall contact Holly's Town Supermarket at 563-488-2220.

Calkins Barns contact Wyoming City Hall at 563-488-3970 Monday – Friday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Onslow Presbyterian Church services will be held in Cascade during March at 9:30am.

Wyoming Methodist Church

Food Pantry: Saturdays from 9:30 to 10:00 am.

Services: 9:30 a.m. Sundays

Zion American Lutheran Church services– Pastor Dennis Rodenberg on Sundays @ 10:30 am.

You don't have to be a Wyoming resident to get the newsletter. Anyone can sign up at wyonews@netins.net. Submit items to this same address.

We need your stories, ideas, birthdays, anniversaries, honors, accomplishments. We'll help you write or rewrite. We don't have a reporting staff to gather the information, so you are our reporters. If news is sent by mail or delivered to the city hall collection point, the name and phone number of the contact person must be included. This is required so contact can be made to clarify or certify some part of the information that was submitted. If you have news to submit please do so by 10 a.m. on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Thirty words or less. Please feel free to make a copy of this newsletter to share with your friends or neighbors who do not have email.



Can you PAWS 4 A CAUSE?

The Midland National Honor Society chapter is raising money for Animal Welfare Friends in Monticello. This is our service organization for the school year. We would love your support at the **Anamosa Craft Show on April 2nd (9am-2pm) at the Lawrence Community Center.**



Items will include dish clothes, pot holders, bibs, picture frames, dish towels, repurposed wood decor, water bottles, dish scrubbies, wall decor, wreaths, epoxy cups, epoxy pens, wood rounds, beaded pens, holiday decor, candle melts, etched glassware, and floral arrangements.

If you are able to donate, NHS would love-

- dish scrubbie donations
- to accept monetary donations

Please drop-off at the Wyoming building.



Help support Animal Welfare Friends!!



Trenton, Allison, Elizabeth, Chiara, Zain, Hannah, Gracie F., Karley, and Ms. Kaftan (Moose Stoop Crafts)
Animal Welfare Friends is a 501c3 non-profit organization, so your donation is tax deductible.