# Wyoming Area news

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# A service of the Wyoming Lions Club

We also have the newsletter available on the https://www.wyomingia.org website.

Team Roping, Calf Roping, and Barrell Racing at the Wyoming Fairgrounds. Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup> by K-K Ranch Roping. Starting at noon.

**HACAP Food Truck at Onslow,** Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> from 1:00 pm to 2:00 p.m. Everyone welcome, volunteers always welcome.

Wyoming city wide garage sales- Friday and Saturday May 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>. Contact Jean at rioberbreckling@netins.net by May 3<sup>rd</sup> to have your sale on the map. Sponsored by the Wyoming Area Betterment.

**Annual Jones County Historical Society Spring Breakfast in the Depot –** Edinburgh Museum, Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 8 am to 1 pm, including plant and bake sale.

Midland 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Band and Choir Spring Concert - Monday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.

**Midland Academic Awards Ceremony - Wednesday, May 10**<sup>th</sup> **– 6:00 pm** in the Commons. Open to the public. Everyone is invited to attend. Honoring those who have received scholarships and other academic awards.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Wyoming Methodist Church is not a collecting point for Goodwill. Items are being left in the Church entry way and they have no use for them. The Church handles the food pantry distribution only.

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!**

April 28	Sarah Fishwild
	Lawson Brandenburg
April 29	Lorie Dunne
-	Judy Hodgden Nelson
May 2	Bob Leonard - 92 <sup>nd</sup>
_	Samantha Drummy
	Renley Larkey - 5th
May 4	Melina Drummy
May 5	Fred Dauber - 94th - P.O. Box 107, Onslow, IA 52321
_	Gary Michaud
May 6	Mark Thomas
_	Tessa Dake

Darrell West

May 9 Shayla Thomsen

May 10 Marinna Kroh

Jordan Manners

May 11 Elaine Hammond

#### **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!!**

**April 29** Brandon & Demi Franck

May 3 Wendell & Gail Schwebke - 55<sup>th</sup>

Scott & Melissa Porter

May 6 Kirk & Brenda Hayden

May 11 Steve & Cindy Dirks - 38<sup>th</sup>

#### **REMEMBERING:**

**Verlon R. Huston, 80,** formerly of Wyoming, passed away April 16, 2023. Full obituary may be seen at <a href="https://www.dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Verlon-Huston">https://www.dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Verlon-Huston</a>

#### **NEW ARRIVALS!!!!**

**Tate Thomas Sorgenfrey – April 11<sup>th</sup>.** Tate is the new son of Cameron and Katie Sorgenfrey. Lane is his proud and helpful big brother. Grandparents are Jerry and Kim Sorgenfrey, Susan and Doug Cairy and Dave Dirks. Great grandparents are Pat Sorgenfrey, Tom and Margaret Rohwedder, and Eldon Stickley.

**Check out the new build!** Wyoming Mutual Telephone Company is adding a solar panel system. This will also provide covered parking area for employees. See attached.

**Wyoming Historical Museum** was pleased to host a tour by two antique car clubs last weekend. The groups were the Hawk A Model A Club of Cedar Rapids and the Antique Auto Club of America Cedar Rapids Region. Over 20 members enjoyed the Museum and many made plans to come back again. Contact any Museum commission member to book a tour for your family, friends, club, or organization.

## **Looking Back: Midland Times,**

**May 2, 1991 -** Mark Doll of Onslow and Sid Mais of Seattle, WA,, both 1971 Midland graduates, returned from an April Rugby tour of New Zealand.

**April 28, 1988 –** article entitled "Experience Proves to be Best Teacher" featured interviews with Mrs. Pauline Antons of Midland, Mrs. Shirley Petersen of the Lost Nation School, and Mrs. Wilma Himebaugh of the Olin School.

**The City of Wyoming's website** (wyomingia.org) has a new look. You can sign up for alerts on your phone or email. The City will be discontinuing its Facebook page.

**We missed** reporting in the last issue the damage done by the storm on April 7<sup>th</sup>. Lots of trees and sheet metal damage east of Dollar General. From there west, little or no damage. At the Fairgrounds, the horse entry building was tumbled out across the field. With the major electrical work planned for this spring, the building was going to be moved. The electrical improvements will include a well-lighted arena.

## FIRE SAFETY INFORMATIONS AND FREE SMOKE ALARM

**Midland 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Students of Mrs. Pam Lehrman** have been researching smoke alarms and fire safety due to the house fire in Onslow last fall. The students have written letters as part of a public safety campaign. They have been in contact with the Red Cross. The local fire departments have agreed to participate in the Red Cross' "Sound the Alarm Program". Please see the attached for more information and how to get a free smoke alarm installed in your home.

**Senior Dining** is held on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays of the month at the Memorial Hall.

**Onslow/Cascade Presbyterian Church Services –** April in Cascade and May in Onslow at 9:30 am

#### Reservations

Wyoming Fairgrounds call or text Steve Agnitsch at 319-480-2883. Memorial Hall contact Holly's 319-480-4566. Calkins Barn contact Patti Whitmarsh at 563-488-8404.

## **Wyoming Methodist Church**

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

Services: 9:30 a.m. Sundays

You don't have to be a Wyoming resident to get the newsletter. Anyone can sign up at <a href="wyonews@netins.net">wyonews@netins.net</a>. 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.