

## Wyoming Area news

A service of the Wyoming Lions Club

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

**Wyoming city wide garage sales** will be May 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>. Contact Jean at [rioberbreckling@netins.net](mailto:rioberbreckling@netins.net) by May 3<sup>rd</sup> to have your sale on the map. Sponsored by the Wyoming Area Betterment.

**Faith United Methodist Church: Monmouth**

-Spaghetti Supper, Saturday, April 15th, from 4-7:00 pm

**KOLACHE BAKE SALE**

by the Sacred Heart Church Guild of Oxford Junction

Order by Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> with pick up on Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> at the church

\$10.00/dozen or \$5.00 for a half dozen

To order, call Doris Denniston at 319-480-6963

**Jones County Historical Society pancake breakfast** – Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, at the museum at Edinburgh.

**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!!!!**

**Apr 13** Courtney Dawson

Alaina Jamison

Sheila Paulsen

**Zip Merrill 90<sup>th</sup>**

Rita Balichek

Jay Bentley

**Apr 14** Kristy Loy

**Apr 15** Adam Keith

**Betty (Kreger) Lambert 92<sup>nd</sup>**, 135 Crescent Ct., Monticello, IA 52310

Bob Vacek

**Apr 16** Evelyn Ahrendsen

**Apr 17** Lori West

Luna Eichhorn (3<sup>rd</sup>)

Shirlee Brunscheen

Ashley Pegorick Rodemeyer

**Apr 18** Kyson Denniston

**Apr 19**      Anneka Heiling  
**Apr 20**      Kacie Rickels  
                Linda Ireland  
                Erica Eichhorn Althaus  
**Apr 21**      Tyler Buresh  
**Apr 22**      Lance Brodersen  
                Jim Eggert  
                Leighton Tjaden  
                **Dr. Paul Stevens** (Jade Eichhorn's Dad) **94th**  
**Apr 23**      Dennis Eichhorn  
                Kyrstian Heiken  
**Apr 24**      Alvin Wagner  
                Payton Jamison  
                Kelsey Jamison  
                Ella Osterkamp  
**Apr 25**      Paul Hammond  
**Apr 26**      Dick Fishwild  
                Don Christiansen  
                **JoAnn Paulsen 94th**  
  
**Apr 27**      Matthew Jamison  
                Ben Brownell  
                Sue Brodersen  
                Jon Eichhorn

#### **ANNIVERSARIES:**

**Apr 13**      Mike & Beth Streeper  
                Scott & Carol Andresen (32nd)  
**Apr 17**      Larry & Ginger Wenndt  
**Apr 18**      Steve & Rhonda Poppe (53<sup>rd</sup>)  
**Apr 20**      Cory & Stacy Mohr  
**Apr 24**      Scott & Nancy Collins

#### **REMEMBERING:**

**Kenneth Zimmerman, 85**, of Olin, passed away March 22, 2023. Full obituary may be seen at <https://www.dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Kenneth-Zimmerman>

**Karl "Chris" Dona, 82**, formerly of Delmar, passed away March 27, 2023. Full obituary may be seen at <https://www.dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/KarlChris-Dona>

**Charles A. Hampshire, 84**, formerly of Center Junction, passed away April 1, 2023. Full obituary may be seen at <https://www.dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Charlie-Hampshire>

**Thank You** from the **Wyoming Historical Museum** to everyone who volunteered to help with the recent pancake breakfast. We can't do it without you. In addition to the many locals who helped, we had helpers from Coralville, Anamosa, and Amber. "Celebrity" help came from Byron Freese of the Jones County Historical Society and Doug Edel of the Jones County Community Foundation.

**From the Wyoming Journal – April 9, 1908:**

"The waterworks gains patrons each year and ought soon to be self-supporting. Opera House also is gradually improving in the manner of rents. One of these days Wyoming will have its debts paid and be recovering revenues from both; and are by no means heavy. All of this is being accomplished without the aid of a saloon."

**Looking Back:** This item is from the March 14, 1918, Wyoming Journal . Its message is just as important today as it was then. We are fortunate to have the businesses we have and an extraordinary number of places to eat. Once we were glad to have one, and now we have four to chose from.

"The Hotel Williams under its new management is serving the public well. Landlord Webber has arranged to serve Sunday dinners and our people should plan to patronize them. A good hotel is a valuable adjunct to the town and our people should lend all the encouragement in their power to make Hotel Williams a success under new management."

**The City of Wyoming's website** ([wyomingia.org](http://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.

**Research scientists** recently reported that the swimming pool of the Titanic is still full of water.

**Friends of the Wyoming Public Library** are in the middle of their **2023 Membership Drive**. Individuals can become members and support the library activities for a \$10 membership fee. Businesses can be sponsors at different levels including Business Membership \$25, Bronze Level \$50-99, Silver Level \$100-199; Gold Level \$200-299, Platinum Level \$300 or more. The Friends board meets 4 times per year and helps sponsor different activities and decide how to spend membership fees, they are looking for a few more active members, if you're interested in helping out, please let the librarian know or contact Beth Wright, Haley Carlson, or Melissa Millsap. Membership is tax deductible. Please consider helping our local library by being a sponsor by dropping off or sending in your name/business name, contact information and the membership fee to: Wyoming Public Library, PO Box 139, Wyoming, IA 52362.

**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 [wyo-news@netins.net](mailto:wyo-news@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.*