

THE SERGEANT BLUFF

HORIZON

Save the Date! CommCon 17

CommCon 17 (Community Conversation) has been scheduled and you're invited! It will be held on **Wednesday, April 17th at 903 Topaz Drive beginning at 6:00 pm.**

There will be FREE Food* served by Pizza Ranch.



School Superintendent Chad Janzen and Mayor Jon Winkel will be speaking.

We hope to see you there!

*Serving of food begins at 5:45 pm.

ELECTRONIC RECYCLING EVENT

The City of Sergeant Bluff is sponsoring an electronics recycling event on Saturday, April 13th between 9 am and 12-noon next to the Community Center. They will take all sorts of electronic items, which includes anything with a circuit board in it. Cash or check is acceptable and can be paid at the event. Fees range from \$5.00 to \$45.00.



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WHEN IT RAINS IT DRAINS

Storm Water will transport pollutants carelessly left or intentionally placed in or near a storm drain into bodies of water used for drinking water, swimming, or fishing.

- * Never dump anything down storm drains.
- * Use fertilizers sparingly and sweep up driveways, sidewalks and roads.
- * Never mow or sweep grass clippings onto the street.
- * Don't hose down driveways (either sweep up or blowback into the yard).
- * Direct downspouts away from paved surfaces.
- * Take your vehicle to the car wash or wash it on the grass.
- * Check car for leaks and recycle motor oil.
- * Pick up after your pet.
- * Seed bare spots in your lawn.
- * Use a compost pile or yard waste collection bin.

For more information about storm water, visit: www.iowastormwater.org

COMPOST PASS & SPRING CLEANUP WEEK

The compost site will open for Spring Cleanup week on April 8-13th. After free cleanup week, regular seasonal days and hours will resume. The fee for appliance disposal applies even during cleanup week. Please see the information included with the last newsletter for details. **YOU CANNOT USE LAST YEAR'S PASS AND YOU CANNOT ENTER THE COMPOST SITE WITHOUT ONE.** A new annual pass must be obtained each year. Please stop by City Hall to pick up your 2024 Annual Pass. Bring your vehicle plate number!

CLEANUP WEEK HOURS:

April 8th – 13th

Monday – Friday 9:00 am to 7:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

CALENDAR

Apr 2 – Planning & Zoning Meeting @ 6:00 PM

Apr 9 – Council Meeting @ 5:30 PM

Apr 17 – COMMCON 17

Apr 17 – Library Board @ 5:30 pm

Apr 19 – Utility Bill Due Date

Apr 23 – Council Meeting @ 5:30 PM

Apr 30 – Community Action Team @ 12:00 PM

Recycle Calendars are available at City Hall

Food Pantry – 3rd Sat. of each month 8-11 am

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SPRING HYDRANT FLUSHING SCHEDULE

The Water Department will be flushing hydrants this spring. This is done to maintain a high quality of water throughout our system. During these times, you may experience darker than normal water. This is a normal occurrence during the hydrant flushing process. The schedule is as follows:

April 8th -12th: Old Town & Rec Complex

April 15th-19st: Pioneer Park Addition, Golden Flats, Schools, Airview, Port Neal Road, Sgt Square Dr, Settlers Point

April 22nd-26th: Prairie View I, II, III, and IV, Gaul Dr, Bluffs Blvd and Convergys N, Lloyd Housing

April 29th-May 3rd: South Lewis Blvd., Fox Run, Estates West, Woodford's and Bridge mobile home, Serenity Point

May 6th-10th: Camelot, Oak Hills, Meadowbrook I, II and III, Water Plant, Baker Drive, Pioneer Valley

May 13th-17th: Kingston, 8th St, Pioneer Rehab, Dogwood, W Ridge Rd, Warrior Rd, Baker Prairie Bluff, 1st St

May 20th-24th: Any other areas that may have been missed.

If excessively rusty water is experienced, or if it persists, please contact the Public Works Department at 943-9602 or City Hall at 943-4244 and someone will check into it as soon as possible.



SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP

Summer Adventure Camp Registration is now open. Camp will be Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from June 3rd to July 12th. Registration caps at 150 kids! Don't delay! Registration ends on May 13th at 5pm. Register at:

www.sergeantbluffparksandrec.com

LIBRARY ACTIVITIES (LOCATED AT 503 4TH ST)

April 2 – Interactive Talk on Solar Eclipse, 10:00am-11:00am

April 4 – Rock Painting, 5:30pm-7:00pm

April 8 – Eclipse Viewing

April 13 – Story Time & Craft, Ages 5-10, 1:00pm-2:00pm

April 18 – Author Genevieve Radosti on "I Was A Twenty Something Cinemama" 6:00pm-7:00pm

April 29 – Sgt Bluff Book Club, 7:00pm

CHANGES TO FIREWORKS DAYS & HOURS

Over the next couple of months you will be seeing reminders in our Newsletters about the changes to our permissible hours for discharging fireworks. The number of available days to discharge fireworks has decreased, but the hours on those days for discharging fireworks has been extended.

Permissible times for discharging fireworks is as follows:

1. July 3rd from the hours of 4:30 pm until midnight.
2. July 4th from the hours of 12 pm (noon) until and up to 12:00 am (midnight).

For more information please see Ordinance Chapter 41

