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WPL NEWSLETTER

Official Newsletter of the Wymore Public Library



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Welcome

BY AUSTIN JACKSON

Welcome to the June edition of the Wymore Public Library Newsletter! We are happy to have you reading the newsletter! Thank you to all who submitted! If you have anything you would like to see put in the newsletter, we kindly request that you be willing to write up a short article and provided a photo if you so desire. We are happy to give you credit for your article and photo. We will put it in the newsletter at no charge to you. If you have any feedback on the newsletter, you can contact us at (402) 645-3787, email us at wymoreplibrary@gmail.com, or even stop in at the Library. Deadlines for submissions for the June newsletter is Monday, June 26th. With all that being said, we hope you enjoy the newsletter. Happy reading!



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Summer Reading at Your Library

BY AUSTIN JACKSON

It's that time of the year again! Summer Reading starts tomorrow! We have many great things planned such as attendance prizes, a fun reading challenge, exciting activities, and even a magician! There are many fun times and good books to be read at Summer Reading. We hope you can join us again this year as well celebrate all together now!



Wymore Public Library would like to thank BlueMore Roasters for being the first sponsor of the WPL Newsletter. If you are looking for great tasting coffee, be sure to check them out on Facebook at BlueMoreRoasters or email them at BlueMoreRoasters@gmail.com.



Community Plays "A" Game to Improve Parks

SUBMITTED BY NEIL VAN BOENING

The 6th Annual Golf FUNdraiser was again, a champion round of golf for the Wymore Blue Springs community. 26 golfers teed off at 10:00 a.m. on a beautiful Saturday morning, April 30, with all levels of aptitude at the spectacular Wymore Country Club. The course was in excellent condition, especially considering the severe drought conditions of southeast Nebraska. Although it was intended to be a "FUN" activity with various, never repeating, entertaining methods of teeing off at each tee-box, the 3 nonprofit organizations and the 13 2-person teams kept it all "fairways and greens" on the path to improving the area parks. Many area businesses, and there were many, are appreciated for their hole sponsorships and flag prizes. The immediate goal is to replace the North rest room in Wymore's Arbor State Park. The value of teamwork can never be sufficiently appreciated; however, the Wymore Country Club allowed an early season Saturday for a golf activity, as well as the Wymore Blue Springs Area Fund, an affiliate of the Nebraska Community Foundation, and the Kiwanis Club of Southern Gage County combined efforts to "ace" the day with close to \$2900 headed for a direct hit on a new restroom installation. For continued success of the community, remember that it is the area businesses who support our local organizations.





Memorial Day Luncheon SUBMITTED BY CAROL ALLEN

Connie Carpenter of the Blue Springs United Methodist Church presented a check of \$1,300 to Shirley Martin, treasurer of the Blue Springs Cemetery Association.

This Money was a donation raised during the annual Memorial Day Luncheon held at the church on Memorial Day.

Thanks to everyone for supporting the cemetery.

Pictured left to right: Connie Carpenter, Shirley Martin, RosaLee Reedy, Roland Hardin, Bob Allen, Carol Allen, Jodi Adams, Gale Hardin, & Dan Disney



Police Chief Job Opening SUBMITTED BY CITY OF WYMORE

The Wymore Police Department is accepting applications for the position of Police Chief. Applicant must be 21 years of age, have a high school diploma and be of a good moral character, with no felony, serious misdemeanor or major traffic convictions, a valid driver's license and in good physical condition. Nebraska Law Enforcement Certification is required. Post-secondary education preferred, but not mandatory. Applicants must meet requirements for the Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center. Pay rate is dependent on education, qualifications, training, and experience. Benefits package includes health insurance, life insurance, retirement plan, paid leave, holiday pay, uniforms provided, and cellular telephone. All applicants will undergo an extensive background investigation, psychological examination, drug/alcohol testing, and must be willing to work a variety of shifts to include nights, weekends, and holidays. Interested applicants may contact the City of Wymore, 115 West E Street, Wymore, NE. 68466, call (402) 645-3377 or e-mail cityclerk@cityofwymore.com. Cover letter, resume and City application (all required) will be accepted until the position is filled. All positions open at the City of Wymore are subject to Veterans' preference. City of Wymore is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Police Officer Job Opening

SUBMITTED BY CITY OF WYMORE

The Wymore Police Department is accepting applications for the position of Full-Time Police Officer. Applicant must be 21 years of age, have a high school diploma and be of a good moral character, with no felony, serious misdemeanor or major traffic convictions, a valid driver's license and in good physical condition. Nebraska Law Enforcement Certification and post-secondary education preferred, but not mandatory. Written and physical agility testing waived for Nebraska certified applicants who submit a copy of valid certification with application/resume. Uncertified applicants must meet admission requirements for the Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center. Pay rate is dependent on education, qualifications, training, and experience. Benefits package includes health insurance, life insurance, retirement plan, paid leave, holiday pay, uniforms provided, and cellular telephone. All applicants will undergo an extensive background investigation, psychological examination, drug/alcohol testing, and must be willing to work a variety of shifts to include nights, weekends, and holidays. Interested applicants may contact the City of Wymore, 115 West E Street, Wymore, NE. 68466, call (402) 645-3377 or e-mail cityclerk@cityofwymore.com. Cover letter, resume and City application (all required) will be accepted until the position is filled. All positions open at the City of Wymore are subject to Veterans' preference. City of Wymore is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

May Raider Report

BY AUSTIN JACKSON

For all things Southern Public Schools, check out the monthly Raider Report at https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=aPURSquCXrQ.The Raider Report is a great way to get news about Southern! Be sure to check it out!

Senior Legion Boys SUBMITTED BY LAURIE VITOSH



Left to right looking at picture

Head Coach. Stuart Vitosh. Joshua Harding, Carsen Goes, Alex Wenzbauer, T J Vitosh, Connor Hroch, Chance Swearingen, Kale Maguire, David Parde, Dylan Dendinger, Preston Engelman, Callan McKinney, Braydin Wendland. Not Pictured Asst Coach Tom Penner.

Wymore Legion Jr Baseball team SUBMITTED BY LAURIE VITOSH



Left to right Head Coach Jim Wenzbauer, Ben Sohol, Peyton Denner, Carsen Goes, David Parde, Noah Troxel, Draedyn Lichty, Jake Behrends, Bo Sohl, Jacob Ward, Drake Day, Cale Clifford, Dylan, Dendinger, Teghan Rosebaugh, Braydin Wendland, Callan McKinney, Asst Coach John Denner. Not Pictured. Logan Penner.

Vonda Roberts Card Shower

SUBMITTED BY RENE BORGMAN

"The Clover Lady" will be celebrating her 95th birthday on June 1st. Please join us in wishing her a Happy Birthday with a card sharing a special memory or a story! Cards can be sent to 1807 Ella Street Apt. A Beatrice, NE 68310. Thank you!



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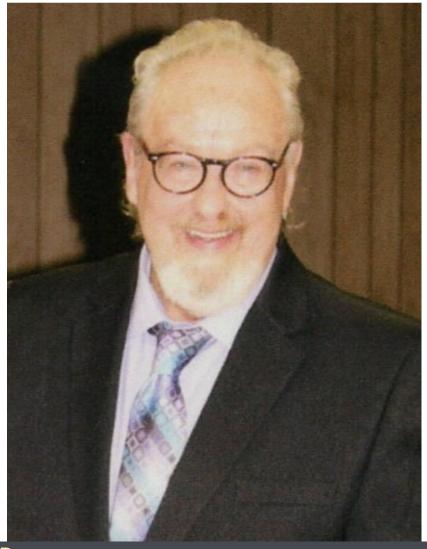
Alvin Ray Martin Obituary

SUBMITTED BY LAUGHLIN-HOEVET FUNERAL HOME

Alvin Ray Martin, known as "Al" to those who loved him most, was a compassionate, supportive, funny, and humble man. Born on August 5, 1956, in Beatrice, NE. He was a 1975 graduate of Beatrice High School and worked as a therapy aide at Beatrice State Development Center for around 37 years.

After retiring in 2020, Alvin found joy in his hobbies, which included watching and feeding birds, eagle watching, and fishing. He was always up for a good adventure, whether it was hanging out with his lifelong friends Tony and Greg Medina or going on drives to impress his beloved wife, Jeanne, by picking up the biggest rocks for their yard. He spent many nights on the porch or by the fire enjoying a beer and dancing around in his Homer Simpson shorts. Alvin had a passion for "fly tying" and left a basement full of materials as a testament to his love for this craft. He cherished being picked on by his adoptive daughter Alyssa and spending time with her and her daughter Madison. Alvin also enjoyed road trips visiting his friend Norma Sedlacek and was a past member of Blue Birds Across Nebraska. As an avid lover of the environment and animals, Al's advice for all: "Plant a tree and have compassion for anyone you meet."

Alvin is survived by his wife, Jeanne Martin; son Zachary Martin and his children, Taionna and Quezay; sister Carol Wescott; stepsons Bobby (Susi) Sedlacek and Allen "Burl" (Janet) Sedlacek; step-grandchildren, Morgan, Megan and Hunter Sedlacek, and Dennis and Sarah Sedlacek; step-great- grandson, Silas Sedlacek; special daughter, Alyssa Arntt and her daughter Madison; several nieces and nephews and a host of extended family and friends. He was preceded in death by his father Vernon Martin, mother Dorothy Schafer, son Lucas Martin, and brothers Ronald, Rodney, and Douglas Martin. A private memorial service will take place at a later date.



Donald Lee Cooper Obituary

SUBMITTED BY LAUGHLIN-HOEVET FUNERAL HOME

Donald Lee Cooper was born July 22, 1930 to Fred and Elsie (Wagner) Cooper in Beatrice, Nebraska. He was the youngest of three boys, Teddy, Jim and Donald. On May 19, 2023, Donald put his arms around his daughter, Donna, in heaven.

Don was a veteran of the U.S. Navy. He served from 1947 until 1951, during the Korean War.

He married Shirley Salts on August 2, 1952 and they had 4 daughters and one son: Judy (John) Jones of Mission, Texas; June (Dave) Fette of Crete, Nebraska; Donna Holly (heaven); Debbi (Bob) Scheideler of LaVista, Nebraska; and Jerry (Cindy) Cooper of McAlester, Oklahoma. Fourteen grandkids: Jennifer, Julie, Jyl, Joy, Jeannie, Nicole, Clay, Adam, Lisa, Angela, Stacey, Scott, Trevor and Tyler. Thirty great- grandkids: Stacey, Morgan, Cody, Will, Elsa, Elise, Maya, Trevor, Lola, Caden, Everett, Lillian, Claire, Lilly, Alex, Megan, Zachary, Aryal, Paige, Leah, Henry, Finn, Declan, Julia, Ethan, Layla, Ruby, Violet, Gray, and Forest. Five great- great-grandkids: Sophiah, Amiliah, Juliah, Paisley and Brinley.

Don had his own business, Don Cooper Trucking, in the Wymore, Nebraska area. He was a contractor at the Phillips Ammonia Plant in Beatrice, Nebraska. In 1998, he retired to Mission, Texas. Dad, or Handsome Don (he told all that he liked to be called that) was always at our school and sporting events. He ran the chains at the football games. Dad also had trouble remembering names and would give nicknames such as: Twiggy, Rachet Jaws, Sweet Pea, Bubble Butt, Crane Operator, Captain, Swivel Hips, Ding Bat, Grapefruit Lady, Garbagegut, Needlenose, Little Pants, and Windy to name a few.

A great memory we have of him is riding in the back of the dump truck while he raised and lowered the bucket and we slid up and down. He had a lot of sayings that his kids and grandkids have had so much fun learning and having fun with. He always liked to give the kids their first Oreo cookie and loved to watch them make a mess.

After moving to Mission, he became known as the mayor of Golf View Estates. He always told new people who were moving in that they had to throw a party or give him \$50. He had a parking place at the pool and beware to anyone who parked there.

His father, mother, mother-in-law, father-in-law, daughter Donna, brothers Jim and Teddy, 4 brothers-in-law, 2 sisters-in-law, nephew Mike, niece Patti, and 2 great-granddaughters preceded him in death.

Private graveside services will be held as per his wish at the Wymore Cemetery.

Way Back When

SUBMITTED BY LOIS MILBURN

Blue Springs Sentinel (June 1902) – A PLEASANT SURPRISE - As our Post Commander was about to call the Post to order Saturday, a gentle tap on the door was heard. It was announced that J. H. Casebeer, editor of the Blue Springs Sentinel had a few words he would like to say to the boys. He was admitted and gave us a nice little talk about his recent trip to some of the battle fields of the war of 1861-65m especially of Lookout Mountain. He then produced a very neat gavel which was made from a piece of timber grown on or near the mountain. With a few appropriate remarks, he presented it to the Post. Post Commander Taylor thanked the Editor handsomely for the gift on behalf of the Post. EFORCE THE ORDINANCES – The city has erected a pound on the city lot back of the standpipe and propose that pasturing animals on the street shall cease. This is proper and we hope the officers will see to it that the ordinances are rigidly enforced. City ordinances should be enforced, or the ordinances repealed. We believe that one of the most vicious ideas in our civilization is that one that violates the law with impunity, yet a great many people will hold up their hands in holy horror at some man bootlegging whisky or violating some moral code while they will violate some other code as quick as the other fellow, if its provisions happen to cross their wishes.

Weekly Wymorean (June 1923) – A large water wheel arrived for the Black Brothers hydro-electric plant at Blue Springs last Tuesday. The wheel weighs 42,000 pounds and two cars were necessary to haul it. Dynamos and other machinery have been ordered and their arrival is expected at most any time. The new plant is to be equipped with the very latest devices for the manufacture of electric power. Thirteen carloads of cattle, 498 head, went through Wymore, Friday, over the Burlington from Texas to Greeley Center, Neb., where they will be fed for market. The horse and buggy belonging to Robert Rice of Blue Springs, which was taken a few days ago from the streets of Wymore, was recovered on the farm of John Pisar, Wednesday night, and two young men were taken into custody by the Wymore officers near the Kansas line. One of the two men had been employed at the Pisar farm previously, so he knew just where to locate the small amount of money, revolver, and saddle horse with which they attempted to continue their adventures. They were released to the custody of their parents awaiting further action by county authorities.

Wymore Arbor State (June 1973) – Twenty-three-year-old Ted Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Henderson of Wymore, joined the Gage County Sheriff's Office Monday as new communications man. Henderson's duties at the office will include manning the radio, teletype, and phone, as well as keeping surveillance over the jail, according to Sheriff Fred Steinkamp, Jr. A 1967 graduate of Wymore High, Henderson attended Fairbury Junior College for two years and most recently has worked as shoe store manager at Newton, Iowa. He and his wife, the former Kathy Johnson of Filley, are seeking a home in Beatrice. Henderson joins a brother, Mike, already on the sheriff's staff. SCHOOLHOUSE MUSEUM OPENS WITH NEW CURATOR, NEW AIM – Wymore's schoolhouse museum opened its doors Friday with a new curator-manager and a new aim for the 1973 season. Sixteen-year-old Southern High senior, Gregg Mullens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mullens, Wymore, is the museum's new curator-manager for the tree-month season-June 1 through Aug. 21, from 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Wednesdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. And the museum's new aim-a more concerted effort to gain items for display will be part of Mullen's job, according to Ron Eltiste, Wymore Historical Society representative and Southern High history instructor. Through a Wymore Sertoma Club grant, money to operate the museum recently was provided for the second consecutive year, Eltiste said. With the museum open again, Historical Society members are hoping to add to displays this year, giving credit to those who bring items to show. Eltiste said the group is especially interested in securing articles related to early rural education, since the museum itself is the former old Pleasant View School building moved from District 81 in May 1967 to McCandless Park on Highway 77 to be used as a Monument to Rural Education." Last year's curator, Jerry Fairbanks, of Wymore, had one new set of items to show last summer-the ninth edition, 1897 copyright, of Encyclopedia Britannica, given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mettscher of Blue Springs. That set of volumes is shelved at the front of the building now, along with other old books. Besides the addition of new items, the Historical Society also is tentatively planning a Scrub-Up Day for the building's interior, Eltiste said, although no definite date has been set. Helping with these historical projects will be part of Mullen's duties, but greeting visitors will be his main job. On an average, 200 to 300 guests are generally signed on the museum's register each summer. Last year's visitors were from 14 states-Nebraska, Oklahoma, Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, Arizona, Texas, California, south Dakota, Colorado, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, and Minnesota.

Wymore Arbor State (June 1998) West End Grocery Ad included Crisco cooking oil (48 oz)-\$1.88, loaf of bread-99 cents, boneless hams-\$1.19 per pound, bacon-\$1.49 per pound, sirloin steak-\$2.79 per pound, bananas-3 lbs. for 98 cents.

Southern Junior High boys 1600 m relay team broke the old record of 4:08.9 (1987) to 4:07.0 set at Junior High SNC held at Geneva on May 9, 1998. Runners on the relay team are Crif Scheideler, Travis Hardin, Ryan Trump and Tyler Ray. The 1987 team was Steve Watson, Tim Zvolanek, Todd Miller and Dustin Martin.



Blues Brats & Beers in Blue Springs

Register at OnePropertyNE.com







Cornhole Tournament

By Boyer Limousin, Steve Hovendick - Edward D. Jones



\$50 PER TEAM WITH A TICKET INCLUDES A BEER, A BRAT, & 2 KOOZIES STARTS @ 1:00PM AT THE BLUE SPRINGS PARK 32 TEAMS

KIDS TOURNAMENT 16 AND UNDER TO START FOLLOWING THE ADULT TOURNAMENT \$20

Contact & Registration - Morgan Kostal

(402) 239-9977

A fundraiser for One Property at a Time - a 501(c)-3 - Blue Grass & Blues Bands in the Park

BLUES BRATS & BIKES IN BLUE SPRINGS



SIGN UP!



DAM BIKE RIDE **PICK YOUR DAM**



BLUE SPRINGS * HOLMSVILLE * BARNESTON



JUNE 3RD **BLUE SPRINGS PARK** STARTS AT 3PM

MAY 15TH

Early Registration Deadline to get shirt & 2 tickets good for a brat or a drink

\$40



DRAWING FOR 2 \$125 VISA GIFT CARDS

Start & Finish in Blue Springs Park with Blue Grass & Blues Band in the park

Contact Mary at



MaryElls1954@icloud.com



(402) 540-1646

One Property At a Time - a 501 C3 Fundraiser

SAM WYMORE DAYS 2023

JUNE 97H-117H

THEME: 100 YEARS OF DISNEY

FRIDAY JUNE 97H

10.00 AM-COMMUNITY COFFEE @ BLUE SPRINGS METHODIST CHURCH

12:00-7:00 PM-FLEA MARKET/VENDOR FAIR @ARBOR STATE PARK (CONTACT DENICE HOWELL 402-239-9834)

600-900 PM-BLOCK PARTY DOWNTOWN 87TH & E

(CONTACT TIM SEDLACEK 402-239-5065)

*CARNIVAL GAMES
*BOUNCE HOUSES

"MECHANICAL BULL "FOOD TRUCKS & MORE

7.00 PM-SIGN UP FOR LITTLE TUGGERS PEDAL TRACTOR PULL-DOWNTOWN; PULL AT 7.30 PM

9.00 PM-100 AM-JAKE KLOEFKORN @ YHE DOGHOUSE BEER GARDEN (NO MINORS)



SUN JUNE 117H

8AM-? FLEA MARKEY/VENDOR FAIR @ARBOR SYAYE PARK

9.00AM-3 MAN SCRAMBLE GOLF TOURNAMENT @ WYMORE COUNTRY CLUB SPONSORED BY PAPA B'S (CONTACT LARRY SCHMIDT 402-806-1217)

SAY JUNE 107H

7AM-DARK-FLEA MARKET/VENDOR FAIR @ ARBOR STATE PARK (CONTACT DENICE HOWELL 402-239-9834)

US OUT ON FACEBOOK AT SAM HYMORE DAYS 2021 AND BEYOND

7.30-9.15AM-PANCAKE FEED @ WYMORE COMMUNITY CENTER (FREE WILL DONATION TO SOUTHERN GAGE KIWANIS)

8AM-1 MILE, 5K, & 1 MILE PREDICT WALK-BEGIN & END DOWNTOWN (CONTACT JERRY REMPE AT JREMPE®SOUTHERNSCHOOLSORG)

9AM-YOAM-PARADE CHECK-IN @ CHURCH OF CHRIST HOW 77 & M
(CONTACT RHONDA BROWNAWELL AT RHONDA@BRAEMARBUILDING.COM)

10:30AM-PARADE BEGINS @ 77H & M AND ENDS AT HOPE WYMORE PARKING LOT-TROPHIES WILL BE AWARDED

1130-1 PM (OR SOLD OUT) DINNER @ FIREHALL (PROCEEDS TO SUPPORT FIRE DEPARTMENT)

11.30-1PM (OR SOLD OUT) VAN'S CHICKEN BBQ @ MCCANDLESS CONCESSIONS, (PROCEEDS TO SUPPORT YOUTH MISSION TRIP)

12:00-8PM-FREE SWIM @ WYMORE AQUATIC CENTER

12.00PM-? CORNHOLE YOURNAMENT @ 77H & F SY (CONTACT KYLE AMES @ 402-80G-5403 OR ERIN LENNERS @ 402-223-9513)

12:30-3:30 PM-RAILROAD MUSEUM OPEN @BURLINGTON NORTHERN PARK DOWNTOWN; WELSH HERITAGE CENTER OPEN @ 307 S 7TH & SCHOOLHOUSE OPEN IN MCCANDLESS PARK

100PM-GARDEN TRACTOR PULL W/HUFF-N-PUFF SLED @ ARBOR STATE PARK WEIGH IN AT 12:30 (CONTACT TROP WALTERS @ 402-335-7117)

2.00-SCAVENGER HUNT: STARTS @ MCCANDLESS CONCESSION STAND PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED

5PM-VAM PARKING LOY PARTY @ J&M LIQUOR-BEER GARDEN, LIVE MUSIC, & SNACKIN' WAGON

9PM-VM KENT SIEBE @ THE DOCHOUSE BEER GARDEN (NO MINORS)

9.00-MOVIE UNDER THE STARS @ ARBOR STATE PARK

FOLLOWING MOVIE (APPROX. 10:30) C&C FIREWORKS SHOW @ARBOR STATE PARK



You Are Invited To Participate In

The Southern Community Band Sam Wymore Days Parade Performance June 10th At 10:30AM

Open to Alumni,
Community Members, Band Students currently in the
grades 6-11, as well as the 2023 graduates

We rehearse at Southern HS.
The rehearsal dates are:
June 1, 8 7-8pm.

May 30 & June 5, 7 9-10am.

We will play approximately 1-2 pep band songs. The parade theme is: Celebrating 100 Years of Disney. If you have decorations for movies or movie posters, please bring them! Uniform will be decided once we know what we plan to do for decorations.

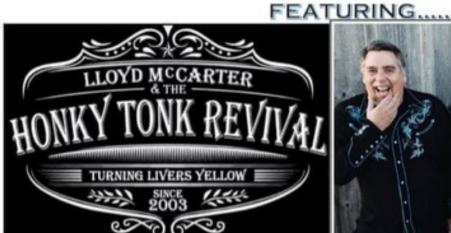
Contact Mr. Nielson at (402)-209-7022, or gnielson@southernschools.org to let him know what instrument you play and if you want the music before our rehearsals. If at all possible, we would like to see you at 3 of the 5 rehearsals. But, if you live out of town, then just come join us when you can.

Mr. Nielson can scan and send the music to you.



PRESENTS

SAM WYMORE DAYS PARKING LOT PARTY!!!





SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH 2023 BEER GARDEN OPEN 5PM TO 1AM LIVE MUSIC FROM 9PM-12AM

FOOD BY SNACKIN' WAGON



Shave Cooper-(402) 239-6413 Sully-(402) 239-4556

SERVING FROM 5PM TO 7PM

BEEF SHORT RIBS, BABY BACK RIBS, MISSISSIPPI POT ROAST SANDWICH, BBQ GREEN BEANS, BAKED BEANS, & POTATO SALAD



Sam Wymore Days Pancake Breakfast

Come hungry for an all you can eat pancake breakfast

7:30 to 9:15 a.m.

Wymore Community Center



<u>Free Will Donation</u> with proceeds going to club projects focused on youth in our community, i.e., school backpack program, adopt a family, etc.

Kiwanis empowers communities to improve the world by making lasting differences in the lives of children.

Come join us!

McCandless Baseball Game Schedule

SUBMITTED BY NEIL VAN BOENING

Start time 6:30

CP WHITE: FRED STEVENS, COACH PITCH

CP RED: MATT HENRICHS, COACH PITCH

PEE WEE: FRED STEVENS, KID PITCH

COACH PITCH GAMES AT 6:30 & KID PITCH GAMES AT 8:00

JUNE

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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04	CP Red vs DO	06	07	CP Red	09	10
11	CP White Pee Wee	13	14	CP Red	16	17
18	CP White vs CP Red Pee Wee	20	Pee Wee vs DO	CP White	23	24
25	CP White vs DO	27	28 CP Red VS DO	29	30	

Jerry Rempe Retirement Party

SUBMITTED BY BRENDA REMPE

Jerry Rempe will be retiring from 39 years in the Southern District #1. His family will be honoring him with an open house for his dedication to education on July 1st from 3-? at the Wymore Country Club. Please join us if you wish!

Welsh Window Contest

SUBMITTED BY MARTHA STROTHER

This fall, (Thursday, August 31, 2023), the North American Festival of Wales will be held in Lincoln NE. This festival will include a day tour to Beatrice/Wymore, NE for the Homestead National Monument, the Great Plains Welsh Heritage Center, the one-room Pleasant View Schoolhouse and Bethel Cemetery.

As part of the preparation for this festival, The Great Plains Welsh Heritage Center would like to challenge the businesses in Wymore to paint their windows with Welsh themes. This would be a city wide contest with a first place winner receiving \$500, second place \$300, and third place \$200.

The window paintings will need to be pre-approved by the Great Plains Welsh Heritage Center. The paintings could include: Welsh flag, green hills with sheep, leeks, corgi dogs, daffodils, red dragon, Welsh love spoon, Welsh football (Wrexham), Welsh costume, Welsh tea cakes, Welsh Castle...

The preliminary drawings should be sent to Welshwindowcontest@gmail.com by July 15. The drawings will be approved by July 30 and painting needs to be completed by August 25 in order to be considered entered in the contest.

Contest winners will be announced by September 5 with prize money awarded during the month of September.

Southwest Riders Meetings SUBMITTED BY CORANNE MOSS

Southwest Riders 4H meets every Monday at the arena 6pm. Adults are welcome too. Join us!



Community Coffee

Here is the monthly schedule for the Community Coffees. The Coffees are from 10:00am-11:00am.

June 2nd- Wymore Public Library

June 9th-Blue Springs Church

June 16th- Wymore Food Pantry (Use West door.)

June 23rd- St. Mary's Catholic Church

June 30th- Church of Christ

If anyone would like to host a coffee, please contact Judy Henrichs, at 402-645-3194.

Book & Bake Sale

Book & Bake Sale is on a temporary pause while the library works on cleaning and updating the basement. We will be sure to update everyone when we have more info.

D&D Club

D&D Club will meet in the library on the second and fourth Friday every month, from 4:30pm to 7:30pm. In June, these dates fall on June 9th and June 23rd. Dungeons and Dragons is a tabletop roleplaying game where players form adventuring parties and explore fantasy worlds. It is free to play and helps to develop creativity and critical thinking, as well as math and social skills. New players are always welcome! Bring paper and something to write with. Recommended for adults and teens 13+.

Wymore Food Pantry

The Wymore Food Pantry is open the third Monday of each month from 8:30am-10:30am. June 19th is when it is open next. If you have an emergency, please call 402-520-4000.

Wymore Food Market

The Wymore Food Market is available to families with children ages 1-18 who attend Wymore Southern School District. The Food Market is open on the third Wednesday of the month at Wymore Methodist Church from 3:30pm-5:30pm. For more info, please contact Rod Goes.

Wymore-Blue Springs Area Fund Meeting

The Wymore-Blue Springs Area Fund is having their monthly meeting on June 27th at 7:00pm in the library. The meeting will run until adjourned. Public attendance is welcome and encouraged. To become a member, inquire at the meeting or contact Janice Cohorst at 402-645-8384.

Kiwanis Meeting

The Kiwanis Club is having their monthly meeting at 6:30pm at the American Legion, Anderson Post 25 on June 14th. Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month. The meeting will run until adjourned. Visitors are always welcome. If you have any questions, you may contact the President, Glennis McClure.

Wymore City Council Meetings

Here is the monthly schedule for the City Council Meetings. The meetings start at 7:00pm and run until adjourned.

June 7th- City Council Chambers

June 21st- City Council Chambers

Agendas are available through the City Office.

To be put on the agenda, contact the City Office at 402-645-3377.

Blue Springs City Council Meetings

Here is the monthly schedule for the City Council Meetings. The meetings start at 7:00pm and run until adjourned.

June 6th- City Council Chambers

June 20th- City Council Chambers

Agendas are available through the City Office.

To be put on the agenda, contact the City Office at 402-645-3539.

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Famous Authors

DIRECTIONS: Find and circle the famous authors' last names in the grid.

Look for them in all directions including backwards and diagonally.

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ANGELOU, Maya
AUSTEN, Jane
CHRISTIE, Agatha
DICKENS, Charles
DICKENSON, Emily
FAULKNER, William
FITZGERALD, F. Scott
HEMINGWAY, Ernest
JOYCE, James
KAFKA, Franz

KEROUAC, Jack
KING, Stephen
MAILER, Norman
MELVILLE, Herman
ORWELL, George
ROWLING, J. K.
SHAKESPEARE, William
SHAW, George Bernard
STEINBECK, John
TOLSTOY, Leo

TWAIN, Mark VERNE, Jules VONNEGUT, Kurt WILDE, Oscar WOOLF, Virginia



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