

GILMORE GAZETTE

JULY 2021

IOWA'S LIMESTONE CAPITAL

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!!



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JULY BIRTHDAYS:

Coraline Fields	1
Allison Lynch	
Kaylee Lanus	2
Amy Ford	3
Robert Otto	
Kory Jones	4
Bailey Cavanaugh	5
Alexis Bjornson	7
Mary Gilbert	
Paul Abens	8
Andrew Niles	
LaVonne Hoover	10
Jasmine Remington	
Tom Cavanaugh	11
Steven Ohnemus	
Gary Johnson	12
Phyllis Brinkman	13
Mike Wittrock	
Susan Nielsen	15
Jamie Ohnemus	
Denny Pederson	
Tom Frederiksen	
Tim Smith	17
Chris Nielsen	
Chevelle Oelberg	
Kathy Stamper	21
April Smith	
Bradley Wiemers	22
Chris McKee	23
Dave Cirks	24
Clay Kritzer	
Marilyn Russell	27
Ashton Wagner	
Dennis Ford	28
Peg Vanderhoff	
Makayla Myers	29
Hunter Jergens	30
Mike Schall	31
Joe Wald	
August Birthdays:	
Linda Tool	2
Jim LaVelle	3
Andy Russell	
Betty Stearns	4
Josh Boles	
Nathan Lynch	
Jacob Jergens	5
Neleigh Almond	6



We celebrate July 4th or Independence Day as the birth of the United States of America! The tradition of Independence day goes back to the 18th Century and the American Revolution. Even though the vote took place on July 2nd, the Declaration of Independence was formally adopted on July 4, 1776.

GOD BLESS AMERICA



Budget Customers

Please remember to check your Budget amounts this month as budgets have been recalculated. This new amount will be what is due for the next 6 months until budgets are again recalculated in January.

CURBSIDE RECYCLING

Bennett Sanitation has resumed Curbside recycling. Please have your items out by the street the **2nd Wednesday** of the month.

Photo Box Available

The photo box is still available for anyone that would like to check it out. We will not be charging for the use of this but the box will need to be checked out. We also have envelopes full of materials for you with instructions on how to set up the photo box and more information. You can check out the web page that was created for this initiative as well: www.iowasbdc.org/photo-box. If you would like to inquire about checking the Lightbox out ,stop in or call City Hall.

Humboldt Co New Alert System

Effective July 1st, Humboldt County will be updating their Alert System to Rave Alert & Smart 911. To sign up, download the Smart911 app on your phone or tablet or visit:

<https://bit.ly/3oLX23e>.

Links can be found on humboldtcountry.iowa.gov and the Humboldt County Law Enforcement Center Facebook Page. To ensure you receive the latest weather and emergency alerts you will need to re-register through the new system.

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2021

FUN DAYS

EVENT SCHEDULE

Friday August 27th

Bounce House
Kids Corn Box
Kids Foam Machine
The Shimon Family Band ON STAGE
Squeelz on Wheels Food Truck
Fire & Ambulance Beer Tent
Kids Movie & Popcorn

Saturday August 28th

City Wide Garage Sales	Putting Contest
5K Run/Walk	Kids Pinata
Library Story Walk	Watermelon Feed
Parade	Kids Water Barrel Fights
Bag Tournament	Escape Rooms
Lunch @ Fire Station	Steak Sandwich@Fire Station
Magician	The Expressions ON STAGE
Bingo	Fire & Ambulance Beer Tent
Vendors	

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

TOM & DONNA
FREDERIKSEN

JULY 3RD

TIM & NATALIE
MILLER

Sunday August 29th

Pancake Breakfast @ Fire Station
Tractor Ride

MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND COME JOIN US FOR
FOOD AND FUN ACTIVITIES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!



Hometown Pride Committee Members cleaning up Sunset Park.

Left to Right: Judy Marchant, Denny Davis, Angie Peters, Jim Peters, Russ Naeve, Lowell Johnson, LaVonne Hoover, & Angie Kritzer.

Last year was a hard, hard year for anyone hoping to make any progress when it came to fundraising. We couldn't get together for any functions; meetings were teleconferences over the phone instead of in person, but we were surprised and humbled by donations that came in the mail from far away. We're hoping that we can keep building towards meeting our much needed matching funds for Sunset Park and continue our vision.

The sad reality is that banks are paying as low as 0.01% interest on savings and Money Market accounts, but did you know that your donations are completely tax deductible? Think about it. If you're not going to make any money on your money, then go at it from the other direction and donate the to Gilmore City Projects Fund. The more you donate, the bigger your tax write off will be. You can rest assured that every single contribution is tracked by a strict regimen and no single individual has access to the funds. We are all working towards a common goal here and that goal is helping instill pride in our community in ways that will hopefully benefit all of us.

Please join us in this effort. We meet once a month at 5:30pm for about an hour. If you'd like more information or would like to donate, please contact a Hometown Pride Committee member. You can follow us on Facebook at Gilmore City Hometown Pride and our email address is: gcpprojectsfunds@gmail.com. Come see what you can do for Gilmore City!

Submitted by Angie Kritzer Committee Members: Lavonne Hoover, Angie Peters, Judy Marchant, Russ Naeve, Missy Ubben

GC-B SCHOOL INFO

The weekly Gilmore City Farmers' Market is on Tuesdays from 4:00-6:00 p.m. in the back (south) parking lot at GC-B School.

Get to perfecting your salsa recipe! We will be having a Salsa Contest at the Gilmore City Farmers' Market on Tuesday, July 13th. Bring entries to the market between 3:00-4:30 p.m. Judging begins at 5:00 p.m. There will be a \$5.00 entry fee per type of salsa. Children 2-18 years of age and adults 19+ years are encouraged to participate. Samples will be available after judging for YOU to decide which one is your favorite. \$100 for first place, \$50 for second place, \$20 for third place. More details about the competition may be picked up at the Gilmore City Farmers' Market .

We will also be having a Cookout Contest on Tuesday, August 17th at the Gilmore City Farmers' Market. Details to come!

Library News

New Books for June 2021

- Minute to midnight, A (Atlee Pine Series) - Baldacci, David
- Daylight (Atlee Pine series) – Baldacci, David
- Long road to Mercy (Atlee Pine series) - Baldacci, David
- Christmas at home - Brown, Carolyn
- Humor for a sister's heart - Books, Howard
- Liquids till lunch : 12 small habits that will change your life for good - Ghiyam, MaryRuth
- Kincaid's Hope (A Virginia Country Roads Novel) - Greene, Grace
- Origins of a story - Grogan, Jake
- Golden Girl - Hilderbrand, Elin
- Seven perfect things - Hyde, Catherine Ryan
- Five Complete Novel Set, Five Complete Novels Series II
- (Utah Blaine/Crossfire Trail/Heller With a Gun/Last Stand
- at Papago Wells/To Tame a Land) (Series II)- L'Amour, Louis -
- Before Summer Ends – Mallery, Susan
- Stepsisters, The - Mallery, Susan

- The Friendship list - Mallery, Susan
- No way out - Michaels, Fern
- Bookstore on the beach, The – Novak, Brenda
- House on Vesper Sands, The (The Inspector Cutter series) - O'Donnell, Paraic
- America 2020- The Survival Blueprint - Stansberry, Porter
- Legacy - Roberts, Nora
- Welcoming, The - Roberts, Nora
- Breakfast at the Honey Creek Cafe (A honey Creek Series) - Thomas, Jodi
- Picnic in Someday Valley (A Honey Creek novel ;) - Thomas, Jodi
- Devil and the dark water, The - Turton, Stuart , author.
- New owner's guide to bulldogs, A - Williams, Carol

Young Adult Books for June 30, 2021

- Tell me three things - Buxbaum, Julie
- All this time - Daughtry, Mikki
- Last thing he told me, The - Dave, Laura
- Five feet apart - Lippincott, Rachael
- You will be mine - Preston, Natasha

- Lake, The - Preston, Natasha
- Twin, The – Preston, Natasha
- Holding up the universe - Niven, Jennifer
- Beginning of everything, The - Schneider, Robyn
- Invisible life of Addie LaRue, The - Schwab, Victoria
- The List - Siobhan, Vivian
- The Paper Girl of Paris - Taylor, Jordyn
- Hate u give, The - Thomas, Angie
- Cheerleaders, The - Thomas, Kara
- Everything, everything - Yoon, Nicola

Summer Reading ended June 30th, we had a great time, a very busy time with over 65 children participating. Pictures will be on the Facebook page. So be on the watch for that. We also have a new reading program started, and it will go on thru August 15th. It will be an on going reading challenge and will earn prizes for every 2 hours you read, finish 1 and start another. Prizes will go from small to large, with large being a Blank Park Zoo ticket, and also a choice of a book, drinking glass, funky pens, and more, with interesting items in between. Come in and see what you can earn. It will be a WIN for everyone!