



GILMORE GAZETTE

NOVEMBER 2023

IOWA'S LIMESTONE CAPITAL

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CITY NEWS

Well, temps are falling and sure has been cold, brr. We've been in fall for a bit now but the closer we got to November we got lots of rain and colder temps so guess we know what's coming next. The farmers got a little break with all the rain so they are finally seeing the light at the end of the tunnel!

And on the 8th day, God looked down on his planned paradise and said, "I need a caretaker." So God made a farmer. ~Paul Harvey

The farmers are wrapping up Harvest 2023 with little left to combine but tillage and fertilizer to go. Thank you to all our farmers, they are the backbone of America. They battle the unpredictable weather with their jobs everyday. They miss meals with their families to put food on our tables and clothes on our backs. Have a Blessed Thanksgiving with your loved ones.

DOG LICENSES

The City of Gilmore City as a way to show compliance with State Code we will provide a required City Dog License with proof of Rabies vaccinations. City Dog Licenses are good for one calendar year beginning in January and expiring in December of each year. Licenses are \$2 per dog through the month of January and up to the last business day of February. After that a late penalty charge of an additional \$20 plus tag fee will be incurred. Dogs found without the required licensing will be turned into the City impound and will incur additional fees and fines.

BURNING OF LEAVES

As a friendly reminder to the citizens of Gilmore City, in accordance to City Ordinance Chapter 135.08 it is prohibited to burn trash, leaves, rubbish, or other combustible materials in any curb and gutter or on any paved or surfaced street or alley. Leaves may be taken to the City Landfill and the guys will burn them.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY'S:

Chester Brundige	6
Jagger Haas Oaklyn Smith Election Day	7
Don Cirks	8
Judy Marchant	9
Glen Markley	10
Veteran's Day	11
Sharon Miller	12
Linda Ross Melissa Ubben	14
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY MIKE & LORI PEDERSON	14
Sandy Fredin Sophia Johnson	15
Angie Vanderhoff	18
Rob Nickman	20
Amanda Hugerich- Janssen	22
Happy Thanksgiving	23
Brandon Edwards	26
Kirk Pisel Jessica Nickman	27
Mary Peterson-Ries Cameron Hanus	28
Dan Tool	29

DECEMBER BIRTHDAY'S:

Elle & Kinnick Schriber	2
Bob Lynch	3
Mary Hanson Denny Frederiksen Kurt Brinkman Marsha Vanderhoff	4
Kenny Ricklefs	5
Kali Wiese	7
Ron Miller	8

CITY HALL/LIBRARY CLOSED DATES:

NOV 10th-Veteran's Day

**NOV 23rd & 24th–
Thanksgiving**

NOV 25th-Library Closed

**Will resume normal
hours Monday Nov 27th**

GILMORE CITY RESIDENTS

Christmas

LIGHTS CONTEST

\$200 CASH PRIZE

sponsored by



CALL CITY HALL TO REGISTER FOR THE CONTEST BY DECEMBER 1ST

CAST YOUR VOTE DECEMBER 9TH AFTER THE CHRISTMAS LIGHTS TOUR

Call city hall to register your name and address for the Christmas Light Contest by December 1st. On December 9th during 'Gilmore City's Christmas in a Small Town' celebration, Santa will be coming into town on a fire truck and others are encouraged to follow Santa around town as he leads you on a tour of the Christmas lights. The tour will finally lead you to the gazebo for the tree lighting ceremony and you will be able to cast your vote for your favorite Christmas lights display. Winner will get a \$200 cash prize sponsored by Habben Custom Carriers.

LION'S CLUB

Don't forget about our donation boxes in the lobby at City Hall. The Lion's Club is always in need of your donated glasses and hearing aid's. These get sent in and sorted so they can be fitted for Adults and children in need. We also have the Flag box for disposing of USA Flags and also the ink and phone boxes. Thank you!



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VETERANS DAY PROGRAM

NOV. 9 | **STARTS AT 1PM**

FOOD, DRINKS, & LIVE MUSIC

COME AND JOIN US IN THE GCB GYM!

THE STUDENTS AND STAFF OF GCB ELEMENTARY ARE
THANKFUL FOR YOUR SERVICE
AND WE WOULD BE HONORED IF YOU WOULD JOIN US.



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GILMORE CITY'S

Christmas

IN A SMALL TOWN

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9TH

GC-B ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

8AM-11AM -- PANCAKES WITH SANTA

8AM-11AM -- CHRISTMAS SELFIES

9AM-3PM -- HOLIDAY VENDOR FAIR

12-2PM -- KIDS' REINDEER GAMES

FIRE STATION

2-5PM HOLIDAY ADULT CRAFT (ADORABLY HAND PAINTED BY NICKI)

3-5PM KADTEES CHRISTMAS MAKE AND TAKE SHIRTS

3-6PM CHILI COOK OFF

3-5:30PM HOLIDAY MUSIC BINGO AND TRIVIA

5:30PM - SANTA ARRIVES -- CHRISTMAS LIGHTS TOUR

GAZEBO

6:00PM -- TREE LIGHTING

6:15PM --VOTE AND ANNOUNCE CHRISTMAS LIGHT CONTEST WINNER

1883 CAFE

4-7PM HOLIDAY DRINK SPECIALS

7PM -- LIVE BAND

Hometown Pride

November 2023

Have you seen the Plaza made of limestone and the sidewalk extension? So beautiful, and we're keeping our noses to the grindstone to keep going with making Sunset Park a destination resting/activity spot that we can all be proud of. Recently, our first graders took advantage of this lovely setting and used it as a launching spot to release the butterflies that they had been raising in a school project. The Pocahontas County Foundation has supported us tremendously throughout our vision for Sunset Park as well as our other corporate sponsors and gifts from families and individuals of our Gilmore City community. We appreciate your support. If you'd like to join our little group or contribute, please reach out to one of our committee members or email us at: gcpojectsfund@gmail.com Committee members: Angie Peters, Judy Marchant, Deb Lanus, Lavonne Hoover, Russ Naeve, Angie Kritzer. **Picture below provided by Humboldt Independent.**



2023-2024 IOWA HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

ATTENTION: RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS
NEED HELP WITH YOUR HEATING BILL?

WHEN TO APPLY:

- Elderly (60 & over) and/or disabled:
October 1, 2023 to April 30, 2024
- All other households:
November 1, 2023 to April 30, 2024

WHAT TO TAKE:

- Proof of Income (for all household members age 18 and over) Depending upon your household income type, income documentation from the past 30 days, the last 12 months, or last calendar year, whichever is easier or more beneficial for you.
- Proof of Social Security Numbers for all household members (documentation required)
- Most recent heat bill
- Most recent electric bill

Humboldt County UDMO

(515)-604-5550 or (515)-604-5551

Pocahontas County UDMO

(712)-335-3335

INCOME MAXIMUMS

Household Size	Annual Gross Income
1	\$29,160
2	\$39,440
3	\$49,720
4	\$60,000
5	\$70,280
6	\$80,560
7	\$90,840
8	\$101,120

For households with more than eight members, add \$10,280 for each additional member.

Gilmore City Public Library

November 2023						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	If you read for 15 min. You can play on xbox!		1 Daycare Reading @ 10 Movie & Snack	2 EARLY OUT of School Tea @ 2	3 NO SCHOOL	4 Craft Day @ Library 9:30 – 11:30
5	6	7 Art Classes at Library 5:00 – 6:00 Book Club Meeting 6:30 We will be reviewing "The Five-Star Weekend" By Elin Hinderbrand	8 Daycare Reading @ 10 Movie & Snack	9 Tea @ 2	10 LIBRARY CLOSED OBSERVANCE OF VETERAN'S DAY	11
12 EARLY OUT of School Movie & Snack	13	14 Art Classes at Library 5:00 – 6:00 Kid's & Adults Welcome Please sign up by Monday for classes	15 Daycare Reading @ 10 Movie & Snack	16 Tea @ 2	17	18
19 THANKSGIVING Make & take items available	20	21 Art Classes at Library 5:00 – 6:00 Kid's & Adults Welcome Please sign up by Monday for classes EARLY OUT of School	22 Daycare Reading @ 10 NO School Movie & Snack	23 Thanksgiving Day NO School Library Closed	24 Thanksgiving Day NO School Library Closed	25 Thanksgiving Day Library Closed
26 	27 Library Board Meeting 5:30	28 Art Classes at Library 5:00 – 6:00 Kid's & Adults Welcome Please sign up by Monday for classes	29 Daycare Reading @ 10 Movie & Snack	30 Tea @ 2	Did you know, that you can read books from your Libby app for free? All you need is a library card! Come get a card today!	

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