

CALENDAR

- February 2 – Community Blood Drive
Demco Center – 12:30-5:30 pm
- February 12 – Regular Monthly Council Mtg – 5:30 pm
- February 12 & 13 – Valentine Story Hour (see library corner)
- February 13 – Squishmallow Painting (see library corner)
- February 19 – Book Club (see library corner)
- February 19 – President’s Day
- February 19 – CSB/Boyden Insurance Closed
- February 20 – Chop, Chop (see library corner)
- February 22 – Squishmallow Painting (see library corner)
- February 23 – March Newsletter Deadline
(boydennewsandevents@gmail.com)
- February 26 – Club 56 (see library corner)



BOYDEN COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2024

City Office, 609 Webb Street, Boyden, IA 51234
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Email us at: boyden@premieronline.net
Call us at: (712) 725-2371

** WINTER REMINDERS **

--**Snow Removal**- State and City Code prohibit property owners from moving snow from private property or sidewalks onto the street. Doing so creates hazardous driving conditions upon the roadway.

--**Sidewalk Snow Removal**- City Code states that it is the responsibility of the abutting property owners to maintain a safe and hazard-free condition of any sidewalk outside the lot and property lines and inside the curb lines or traveled portion of the public street. This includes where the sidewalk flows into the street at intersections. Maintaining safe paths to the churches and to the elementary school is important for everyone’s safety. Please scoop the snow off your sidewalks so they are safe for pedestrian travel, especially for the children and elderly within our community.

--**Fire Hydrants**- If you have a fire hydrant on your corner or near your property, the Fire Department is asking for your help. If possible, please take the time to scoop the snow away from the hydrant in case of an emergency. Doing so will save the department valuable time during an emergency situation.

--**Parking Restrictions**- there is no overnight parking on Boyden City streets November 1 through April 1. Vehicles left overnight on city streets during this time will be ticketed.

--**Extra Weekly Garbage**- Do you find yourself having extra garbage or recycling weekly? If so, don’t forget you can purchase an “Extra Garbage Tag” from the City Office for \$1/tag. Each tag will be the equivalent of one-35-gallon garbage can OR two garbage bags. You are NOT limited to one tag per week. If you have a 60-gallon garbage can, but feel you’d like to exchange it for a 95-gallon can, please contact O.C. Sanitation at 737-2645 and make arrangements with them to make that switch. This extra charge will show up on your water bill.



BOYDEN COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

Community Center
Friday, February 2nd
12:30 pm - 5:30 pm
714 Main St | Boyden



Text: LIFESERVE to 999-777 | Call: 800.287.4903 | Visit: lifeservebloodcenter.org



The city is accepting applications for the assistant softball coach for summer rec this summer.



Contact the city office for information or an application.
712-725-2371 or boyden@premieronline.net
Applications due by February 15, 2024

Boyden Public Library Corner

Valentine's Story Hour! Choose between Monday, February 12 from 6:30pm – 7:15pm OR Tuesday, February 13 at 9:30am – 10:15am at the library. All kids 3-6 years old are welcome. Please sign up at the library. If you know of someone new in town that have young children, please share this information with them! Please sign up in the library.

Come check out our new Valentine's Scavenger hunt!! We will have this available from February 6 - ???.

Squishmallow Painting Class... These classes are happening on February 13 and February 22. Check with the library if there are any open spots. Both classes are at 3:45pm.

Chop,Chop will be meeting on Tuesday, February 20, right after school. Registration is full for the group.

Boyden Book Club - The Book Club is reading *The Great Alone* by Kristin Hannah this month. The monthly book discussion will be held on February 19 at 7:00p.m. in the library. Please let the library know if you need a copy of the book.

Club 56 - The next Club 56 meeting will be on February 26th right after school. Please note that this is a different date than usual because of Boyden Hull not having school on February 19th. See you then!!

Has it been a while since you have visited the library? Please visit us! These are our hours:

Tuesday 1:00-5:30pm
Wednesday 1:00-7:00pm
Thursday 1:00-5:30pm
Friday 10:00am-4:00pm
Saturday 9:00am-12:00pm



Looking ahead.....

Someone from Oak Grove.... Will be coming on Tuesday, March 5 at 3:45pm. The theme is "Everything Comes from Something," All ages will enjoy this event!

Save the date!!! We will be having our Dad's Belgian Waffle Supper on Thursday, March 21 at the Demco Center. More details will be coming your way!

2023 Boyden Charities Drive. The 2023 Boyden Charities drive raised \$ 20,755. The local and area charities are very grateful for your support

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**Citizens State Bank & the
Boyden Insurance
Agency will be closed on
Monday, February 19 in
honor of President's Day.**

Boyden Insurance Agency

*817 Main Street
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Would you like an insurance quote from Boyden Insurance Agency?

IF INTERESTED IN ANY TYPE OF INSURANCE PLEASE GIVE US A CALL,
“WHERE QUOTES ARE ALWAYS FREE.”



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Boyden Insurance Agency is here for all your insurance needs!!