CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July 1 - Library Closed

July 3-4 - Independence Day Observed (City Office & Library Closed)

July 5 – Adult Summer Reading Program (see library corner)

July 10- Regular Monthly Council Meeting

July 17 - Book Club (see library corner)

July 18 - Family Fun Night (more information on back page)

July 24 – August Newsletter Deadline 5PM

(boydennewsandevents@gmail.com)

REMINDERS

Tree Trimming: All trees must be 15' above the street surface and 8' above sidewalks. Please trim your trees accordingly.

Property Upkeep: Lawns (mowing of grass and weeds) and junk (unlicensed vehicles and debris). Please take the time to make sure your property is in compliance for the above issues.

Camper/ RV/ Trailer Parking: Campers, RVs, and trailers should not be parked more than 48 hours on the street at any location within the city.

Dog Ordinances: Please be advised that the city has ordinances which govern dogs at large, unleashed, and a noise ordinance for barking. The Sioux County Sheriff's Dept. should be notified if you have a dog complaint at 737-2280.

PLAYGROUND SAFETY

Splashpad! Hours are 10am-9pm **Centennial Park Hours:** The Park is closed 11 pm-5 am

Basic tips to RESPECT & PROTECT...

*Utilize playground equipment correctly

*Do not climb/hang on basketball rims and tennis nets

*Put litter in its place-trash receptacles are located throughout the parks

*Do not put household trash in park trash cans

*Shelter houses: please take full trash bags to the large dumpster located in the parking lot

*Rake ball field near home plate, bases, and pitcher's mound after using

*Show respect for others. No rough play is allowed!

*Name calling and cursing are inappropriate behavior and will not be permitted

*Parents are expected to enforce these tips

*The City of Boyden is not responsible for lost or stolen property

These tips have been established to provide a safe and enjoyable experience for everyone!





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BOYDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY CORNER

The Library will be closed Saturday, July 1st and Tuesday, July 4th. Enjoy your holiday weekend.

Great job to all the kids out there that have been part of our Summer Reading Program! Thank for picking up your packets and coming to our activities! It was a GREAT June!! Even though the Summer Reading program part is done, you can still keep turning in your "tickets" for the big prizes. We have extra reading logs that you can continue to use. Just ask us for them. The last day that we will accept tickets is July 14. We will be contacting you if your ticket is drawn. Keep coming to the library and keep checking out books!!

Tween/Teen Summer Reading Challenge ends on July 21. Keep reading!

Adult Summer Reading Program The kids had fun with their Summer Reading Program so now it is time for the adults to have some fun!! Starting on July 5 each time you come to the library to check out a book you will be able to put your name in a basket. (One ticket per book you check out) The last day you can do this is on August 16. We will be drawing out two winners for a \$20 gift card. We will have a list of which ones you can choose from. Have fun reading!! This is for adults 19 and older.

Boyden Book Club will be meeting on Monday, July17, at 7:00pm in the library. We will be reading the book "Ask Again, Yes" by Mary Beth Keane this month. Please let the library know if you need a copy of the book!

A big THANK YOU to those that brought food items in for our Summer Reading Program-thank you so much!!

Boyden's 2022 Water Quality Report will be displayed at the City Office. Please contact the city office (725-2371) if you'd like a copy.

4th of July Fireworks Reminders:

The Code of Ordinances for discharging fireworks within the city reads:



- 1. No person under the age of 18 shall discharge a DOT 1.4 class consumer firework without parental supervision.
- 2. Any person shall only discharge a consumer firework device on real property they own or property where consent has been given. Novelties, including snakes, sparklers, or caps, can be discharged on a public place so long as all trash, wrappers, and wires are properly disposed of.
- 3. Consumer fireworks shall not be discharged by persons showing visible signs of, or determined to be, intoxicated or under the influence of a drug or narcotic.
- 4. Any person discharging a consumer fireworks device assumes all responsibility for its operation and the consequences thereof. No person shall discharge a consumer fireworks device in a reckless manner or manner likely to cause death, injury, fire, or property damage.
- 5. No person shall discharge a consumer fireworks device outside the following dates and hours:
 - a. July 1 through July 7 from the hours of 9:00 am until 10:00 pm. Exception: discharge hours are extended to 11:00 pm on July 4 only.
 - b. December 30 through January 1 from the hours of 9:00 am until 10:00 pm. Exception: discharge hours are extended to 12:30 am on January 1.

To see the full ordinance, copies are available at the city office, library, or on the city's webpage.



Have you seen the beautiful flowers along Main Street and at the Veterans Memorial? We would like to thank the city guys for watering the Main Street flowers, and Rosie Diekevers for watering the Veterans Memorial flowers. They do a wonderful job at keeping Boyden Beautiful!

Citizens State Bank will be closing at 5:00 pm on Monday, July 3 and will be closed on Tuesday, July 4 in honor of Independence Day!

THANK YOU

A big "THANK YOU" to all the businesses and individuals who donated door prizes and monetary donations (see full list on next page), and to those who volunteered in any way for the Boyden Community Club Golf Tournament on Friday, June 23rd.

Also, thank you to the Otter Valley Country Club for hosting the tournament and to the golfers who were able to attend. All proceeds were given to the Boyden Ambulance Team. We're looking forward to holding this event again next year!

Pictured is Aiko Kamies who made and donated this wooden American Flag for the Boyden Community Club Golf Tournament.

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Family Fun Night! Tuesday, July 18th Boyden Centennial Park 6-8 pm

Grilled pork burgers from Siouxland Pork
Producers
SDSU Ice Cream Truck

Play games, eat ice cream, and have an awesome summer evening!

Freewill Donation for Boyden Awana



Sponsored by the Boyden Awana Club!!