



## CALENDAR

- March 5 – Sarah Davelaar (see library corner)
- March 8 – BCC Scholarship Deadline
- March 10 – Daylight Savings Time Begins
- March 11 – Regular Monthly Council Mtg (5:30 pm)
- March 14 – Squishmallow Painting (see library corner)
- March 18 – Club 56 (see library corner)
- March 18 – Book Club (see library corner)
- March 19 – First Day of Spring!!
- March 21 – Library Waffle Supper
- March 25 & 26 – Spring Story Hour (see library corner)
- March 25– April Newsletter Deadline
- March 26 – Spring Craft Day (see library corner)
- March 30 – Easter Egg Hunt (see attached flyer)
- April 2 – Spring Story Hour (see library corner)

### Recycling Reminder



**Items accepted** – Boxes & cartons, paper & plastic cups, flattened cardboard, newspaper, mail & magazines, aluminum cans, empty aerosol cans, plastic food containers & plastic bags.

**Items NOT accepted** – batteries & cellphones, CD's & DVD's, glass, diapers & pet waste, food waste, clothing, foam containers, medical supplies, fluorescent bulbs, and tissue & toilet paper.

### \*\* REMINDERS \*\*

**--Animals at Large** - It is unlawful for any owner to allow an animal to run at large within the corporate limits of the city. Please keep your animals on a leash.

**--Parking Restriction-** 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.

**--Utility Bill Payments/Auto Debits-** Do you find you seem to forget to pay your water bill by its due date? If so, you are encouraged to sign up for FrontDesk. You will have access to monitor your monthly water bills, set up automatic payments, and several other features. Please contact the city office if you are interested in getting signed up!



# BOYDEN

## COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

MARCH 2024

City Office, 609 Webb Street, Boyden, IA 51234

Visit us at: [www.boydeniowa.net](http://www.boydeniowa.net)

Email us at: [boyden@premieronline.net](mailto:boyden@premieronline.net)

Call us at: (712) 725-2371

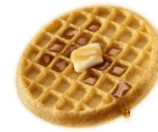
## WAFFLE TIME!

**Boyden Public Library's Dad's  
Belgian Waffle Fundraiser**  
THURSDAY, March 21, 2024

5-7 pm @ Demco Center

Free Will Donation

**Hope to see you there!**



### Summer Rec Packets

Summer rec packets will be coming out soon!  
Please watch the city's Facebook  
page for more details.



**Do you have information for  
the Boyden Newsletter?**

\*Send your information to

[boydennewsandevents@gmail.com](mailto:boydennewsandevents@gmail.com)

**\*April Deadline: March 25, 2024 @ 5pm\***

\*\*Items are subject to review prior to publishing.

## ***BOYDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY CORNER***

**Sarah Davelaar from Sioux County Conservation...** will have a presentation at the library on Tuesday, March 5 at 3:45 pm. All ages are welcome!! The theme is "Everything Comes from Something."

**Our last round of Squishmallow painting** will happen on Thursday, March 14 at 3:45. This class is full!! Thank you to Christina Sohl for painting these and for the interest in the classes!

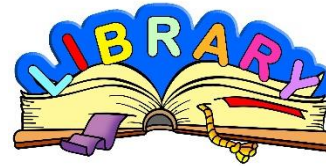
**Club 56** (program for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade girls) will be meeting right after school on Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Boyden Book Club.** The Book Club is reading "*Have You Seen Luis Velez?*" this month. The monthly book discussion will be held on March 18, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. in the Library. Please let us know if you need a copy of the book.

**Waffle Supper!! Thursday, March 21** Serving time is 5:00pm-7:00pm. Come to the Demco Center and eat a Dad's Belgian Waffle and support the library. We are raising funds for a Cover One Book Repair machine and for programming. Please make plans to attend this event. We hope to see you there!

**Spring Story Hour at the Library!** Dates are Monday, March 25 at 6:30pm OR Tuesday, March 26 at 9:30am and Tuesday, April 2 at 9:30am OR 6:30pm. All 3-6 years old are welcome! Please sign up at the library. We have a great time listening to books, playing games and meeting new friends. Any questions please feel free to ask and please invite your friends to come join us!

**Spring Craft Day** will be happening Tuesday, March 26 from 3:00pm-5:00pm. Kids can come and go during this time to make a variety of crafts. All ages are invited.



### **Boyden Community Club SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

The Boyden Community Club is offering two (2) \$250.00 scholarships to two high school seniors who meet the following criteria:

- Must complete the application requirement
- Must have an affiliation with the Boyden Community
  - Boyden Address OR
  - Boyden Telephone Number OR
  - Attends a Boyden Church

To apply, please pick up an application form from your high school guidance counselor and mail the complete application to:

Boyden Community Club  
PO Box 341  
Boyden, IA 51234

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN IS FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 2024.**

# Easter

## EGG HUNT



SATURDAY, MARCH 30

10:00 AM

BOYDEN CENTENNIAL PARK

(Inclement Weather-Library)

Ages 0-10 years welcome!

*Sponsored by the Boyden Community Club*



Citizens State Bank of Sheldon & Boyden is proud to announce our **11<sup>th</sup> Annual COMMUNITY SHRED DAY on Friday, April 26 from 1-3pm!**

Proper discarding of records helps protect your identity! Throwing your private, personal documents in the trash can lead to identity theft. Citizens State Bank invites you to gather all your outdated important papers and place them into either garbage bags or paper bags. Then, simply bring your shred bags to **Citizens State Bank Sheldon's back parking lot**, at the corner of 8<sup>th</sup> Street and old highway 60 where staff from Citizens State Bank and Shred-It will ensure all of your documents are safely & completely shredded immediately!

\* This event is for individual use only and not commercial use. \*

**Save  
the  
Date**



Boyden Bash will be held  
June 20-23, 2024  
more details to come!!

## SPRING CITY WIDE CLEANUP MAY 2<sup>ND</sup>, 2024

### CITY OF BOYDEN RESIDENTS

Flags are now available at your city office.  
Cost is \$15.00 per household.

**ALLOWABLE ITEMS:** normal household trash and home cleanup, furniture, wood items, mattresses, and carpets.

**For all items below please contact NW IOWA LANDFILL at (712) 324 - 4026 to get options for proper disposal.**

**NON-ALLOWABLE ITEMS:** Building & remodeling materials, construction/shingles, wood chips, auto parts (tires, batteries, etc.), concrete, steel/iron, yard waste, tree branches, oil, house/yard chemicals, or wet paints.

**NO WHITE GOODS:** Stoves, Water heaters, Washers or Dryers, Microwaves, Humidifiers or Dehumidifiers, Air Conditioners, Refrigerators & Freezers.

**NO ELECTRONICS:** TV's and all computer components (printers, monitors, keyboards, mice, CPU's, etc.)

