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2023

free
MONTHLY



BVFD Notes



We spent 92 man hours responding to 31
Emergency calls in March,

We responded to:

- 23 - EMS Calls
- 1 - Structure Fires
- 0 - Vehicle Fires
- 1 - Grass Fires
- 2 - Vehicle Accidents
- 0 - Boat Rescues
- 4 - Misc. Calls

89 - Total Emergency Responses for 2023

Training: 6 members spent 24 man-hours doing
regular crew duties.

11 members spent 2 hours training on Air
Lifting Bags and our New Foam Nozzle.

We would like to give a BIG "Thank You" to
Tom & Pam Harland for making us a delicious
shrimp boil and desserts for our meeting
night.

It was very much appreciated!

Respectfully submitted by:

Chief Doug Anderson

Buffalo Volunteer Fire Department

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Hello pollen my old friend, you've come to clog my
head again.....

KNOCK-KNOCK! WHO'S THERE? COMEDY PRESENTS:

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MAY
19**

**DOORS
6:00 PM**

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7:00 PM**

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18+ TO
ENTER**

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**ATM ON
SITE**

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RAFFLE**

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MUCH
MORE**

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COMMUNITY
CENTER**
426 CLARK ST
BUFFALO, IA

City Wide Yard Sales

will be

May 12-14.

Anyone who would like their address on the City map,
please call City Hall at
563-381-2226..





Buffalo History 101

The old Knights of Pythias Hall was built in 1850 and used as a school until 1900, when the Buffalo school was completed. The hall then was moved to a new site. From 1919 to 1931, Chris Zogg, the Postmaster, sold

patent medicines there, and the building was used as an early movie theater.

MOTHER'S COOKBOOK



WHITE TEXAS SHEET CAKE

- | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------|
| 1 C. butter | 1 C. water |
| melt and bring to boil add: | |
| 2 C. flour | 2 C. sugar |
| 2 eggs | 1 tsp. almond |
| 1 tsp. salt | 1 tsp. soda |
| 1/2 C. sour creme | |

Bake 350 degrees 20 min on a jelly roll sheet.

Frosting

- | | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| 1/2 C. butter | 1/4 C. milk |
| 4 1/2 C. powder sugar | |
| 1/2 tsp. almond ext. | |
| nuts if desired (walnuts) | |

Jan Heilmann

Many of the vintage recipes are from an old Buffalo women's' cookbook, dated June 1921, which was passed to me from my late grandmother, Virginia Carson. See Jan/Feb 2013 edition for more info) Others were submitted several years ago for a Church cook book.

Sgt's Corner

Finally, it getting warmer outside. Just a reminder that the parks close at dark. Also, if you are walking your dog at the park, please remember to pick up after them.

There is a city ordinance for that. Baseball season is starting and the diamonds at the park will be in use for games. Please pick up after yourselves and if you have some free time, stop by and watch a game. Stay safe.

Sgt. Bujalski, Joshua #412

Buffalo Police Department

413 3rd St.

Buffalo, IA 52728

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(563)381-4733

Buckaroo News



This weekend, Ricky Bob and I are traveling to our pre-season drill and muster and a time to freshen up our battle skills for the upcoming season. This is at the Col of the 10 Ill Cavalry in southern Illinois, a 4 hour drive. Reminder: Our first battle of the 2023 season will be

Saturday, April 29, 2023 - Sunday,

April 30, 2023

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Depot Park

91 Bouthillier Street

Galena, IL 61036

Experience life in the 1860s through a Living History Encampment and Civil War Battle. Enjoy the Sanitary Fair (a Civil War Ladies Bazaar supporting our troops) with beautiful handmade items for sale. This is a family friendly event with the chance to interact with reenactors portraying both military and civilians in the 1860's during the war. Meet General Grant and his staff, see a medical demonstration, and have your child "drill" with the troops! Watch history come alive in Galena Country.

I hope some of you can come watch!

From my Saddle, Senor Esteban

stevet82260@hotmail.com

563-579-2981



Buffalo Historical Society

Our next Historical Society meeting is 20 April at 6:30. Come join us. We always have snacks, great discussions, sharing of Buffalo memories, and laughs.

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Buffalo Library News



Summer is fast approaching and the Scott County Library will be holding a Summer Reading

Program starting June 1st. Sign up, set a goal to read and get rewards, as well as chances at prizes. Children and adults are encouraged to sign up.

Monday afternoons are Craft afternoons at the Buffalo Library. Tara has many ideas on crafts that will appeal to our younger patrons ages 6-11. Join her from 3-5 pm and show us how artistic you are!!

The Adult Book Club meets the third Tuesday of each month at 5pm. Everyone is welcome, male or female. For June, we will be reading *Quiet Waters*, written by local author Cindy Cain. Join us as Cindy explains her thoughts and the process of writing her book..

We welcome the children to the library now that the weather has broken for the better. However, we do have expectations of proper behavior and respect being accorded to other patrons. We can not tolerate offensive language and disruptive behavior. We hope that if your children are using the library, you will discuss this with them. We will reach out to the parents of offenders if necessary. Our last resort would be to call local officials. Also, children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an older responsible caretaker. Operating under these guidelines will make it a more enjoyable experience for all.

Tara Pliys
Sally Snyder

Library hours

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SENIOR MOMENTS



I ate at Pizza Ranch for the first time after Chris and I got supplies at Farm & Fleet in Muscatine the other day. I LOVE the cowboy theme they have in this place and I LOVE their chicken, peaches and ICE CREAM! I didn't even try the pizza, I ate so much of the other stuff! I had a great time at the Iowa Horse Fair. Thank you Laura for taking me. Then when I got home, my friend Cindy and Randy had cleaned out my refrigerator, organized my kitchen, and made room for a microwave from Kim. What a nice surprise. I like my stuff, but I am learning that my life can be much less complicated if I let people help me sort, organize, and donate some of my "stuff". I have some good friends that have my best interest in their heart.

Dana Jo Smith

Your farmer on the hill,

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(NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN)



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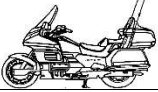
All Riders are invited to
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St. Alphonsus Church
 2618 Boise Avenue
 Davenport, IA 52802



Saturday, April 15th
 at 2:30pm



Blessings Boutique

Blessings Boutique
 215 W. Mayne Street, Blue Grass
 563-579-3124
 Monday – Friday 10am to 4pm;
 Saturdays 10am to 3pm

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 emailed to chrisc2865@msn.com
 Or call Chris at 563-579-3588
 By the 10th of each month

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- Bob Carter April 15
- Gladys Willich-April 16
- Maria Caudle-April 17
- Diane Clearman-April 17
- Evelyn Sampson - April 18th
- Jeff Swanson – April 19th
- Hayley Critten - April 19th
- Sharon Sherer April 21st
- Gage Adams-April 24
- Richard Buffington April 25
- Todd Adams-April 26
- Stephanie Bozarth - April 27th
- Missy Bowers, May 1st
- Charles Buchanan May 3
- Rich Moore May 4
- Janet Porstmann-May 7
- Fred Buffington May 7
- Hailie Triana May 8th
- Jessica Marie Smith-May 8
- Kenneth Anderson-May 8
- Sharon Lobdell – May 9
- Justin Coonts-May 13

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

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Our Sincere Sympathy to all the families that have lost loved ones recently.

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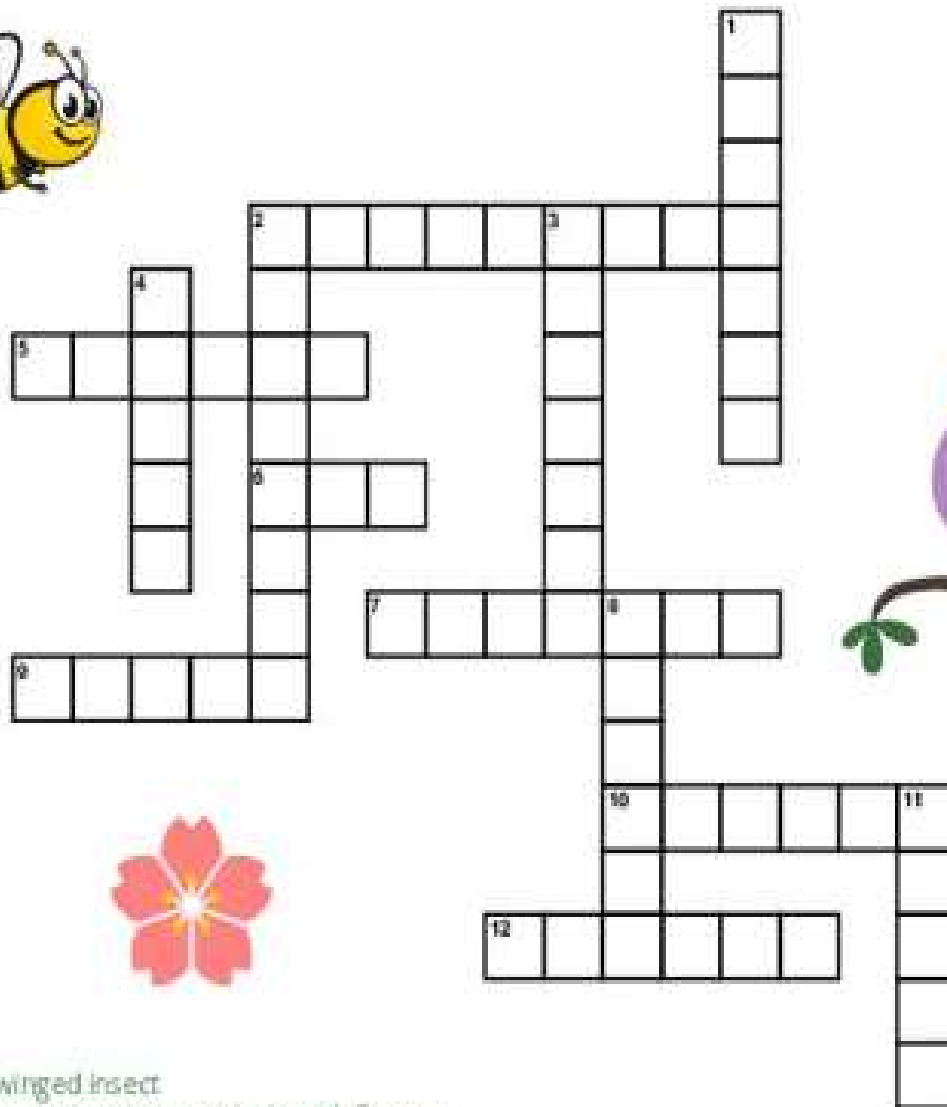


I love seeing all the spring perennials coming up in my yard. Some bring back thoughts of families past who lovingly planted the shrubs like the many lilacs, redbuds, and old-fashioned quince. Others bring back memories of my mom and both grandmothers. I have parts of my grandmother Virginia Carson's yellow rosebush that comes back every year. I have daffodils, tulips, and flox coming back on the front hillside that my mom, Janice Carson, and grandmother, Ruth Ferguson, planted years ago. I have a rosebush coming back that came from my mom and dad's house. My dad would buy my mom rosebushes for their anniversary, and now one of them is here growing at my house. My mom and dad had a cherished dogwood tree in their front yard. I bought one just like it with a gift card given to me from my work friends. It now is growing right outside "my mom's" door of her addition to my house. The memories of these folks live on through these plants that are brought back to life, year after year.

We LOVE our life on this little farm in Buffalo, Iowa
Steve and Chris Thornton

Roses are red, the sky is blue. I mind my own business, why don't you?

Spring Crossword



Across

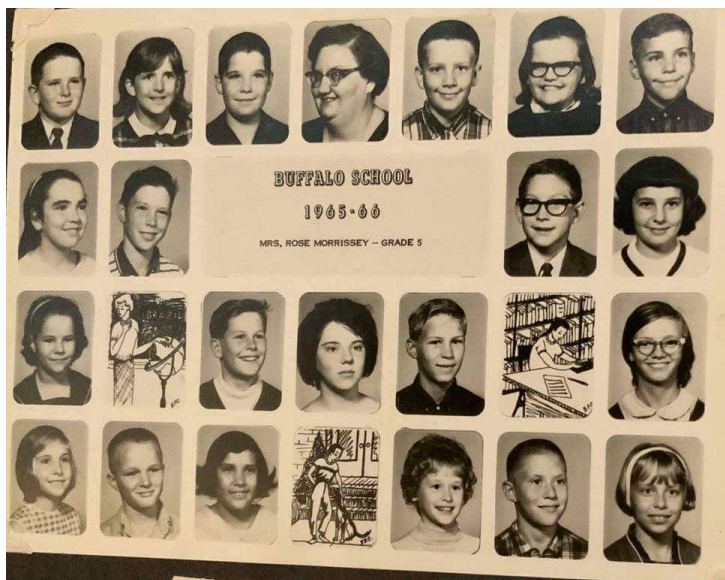
- [2] Small winged insect
- [5] Grassy open space sometimes with flowers
- [6] Word for planting seeds, you ___ seeds
- [7] April showers bring may _____
- [9] _____ migrate back north in spring
- [10] The dutch national flowers
- [12] Some people grow fruits, vegetables or flowers in them

Down

- [1] Small red insect with black spots
- [2] Grow on certain trees, cherry _____
- [3] Appears after it rains
- [4] First month of spring
- [8] Holiday during spring
- [11] You bury them in the ground to grow plants



Buffalo Memories



BOYS' BASKETBALL TEAM

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
16 April	17 Milestones* 855-410-6222	18 Food Pantry 9-12 FREE CLOTHES 9-12	19 Milestones* 855-410-6222 FREE CLOTHES 9-12	20 Free clothes 5-7 Food Pantry 5-7 Historical Meeting 6:30	21 Milestones* 855-410-6222	22
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Clerk's Corner:

Next Council Meeting is May 8, 2023 @ 6:00 pm

Park Board Meeting April 26, 2023 @ 6:00 pm

Spring is here! Please remember, when collecting leaves, you can burn them, put them in recyclable bags with \$3 stickers from City Hall or take them to the compost facility.

April 15-22 is City Clean up so you can clean out those garages and basements and take your junk to the landfill for free. Please make sure you have proof of residency.

While you're cleaning out your garages and basement, anything you'd like to make money on can be put in your garage sale! 😊 City garage sales will be May 12-14th. If you'd like your garage sale on the city map, please contact City Hall at 563-381-2226.

There is a lot of activity in town with all this warm weather. Please remember to register your golf carts at City Hall. Cost is \$25 per year. Drivers MUST have a drivers license. Please don't let your children drive your golf cart and always watch them while you are driving. Had a few incidents last year and we don't want that again!

There is a lot of talk about the flood. As of now, the city is working on a plan. We will update the city on our website, buffaloiova.org, our facebook page and fliers in the post office.

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563-381-2226 phone

* Milestones is doing home meal delivery ONLY on M-W-F. Please call 855-410-6222 if want delivery. Thank you.

Food Pantry is OPEN!

Located in the city hall building on the north side
Tuesdays from 9-noon, Thursdays from 5-7

BUFFALO TRIVIA QUESTION OF THE MONTH:

Which faith-based organization once sought to make Buffalo their home?

ANSWER TO LAST MONTH'S QUESTION:

Erastus Bassett was a store-keeper, who taught the first school in the winter of 1836-37. It was taught in the old KofP building, that was originally located on 4th street, where the old high school (Winsor) now stands.

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