

SPRINGVILLE NEWS

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Council Meetings

1st & 3rd Mondays
6 pm at City Hall

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Dixie Brady, Lyle Andersen,
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Historical Society

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Wes Bender–V. President
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City Wide



Saturday, June 10th

8 AM to 4PM

Not only is keeping your lawn mowed about keeping the community looking good, but it is also about public safety. The city ordinance is that your lawn must remain under twelve (12) inches. You will be notified by city hall if your yard is in violation, at which point you will have fourteen (14) days to be in compliance. If you need assistance in mowing your lawn, please call City Hall and we can get you names of local residents who can be hired at a more affordable rate than the penalty for not mowing. Thank You.



It's golf cart season again in Springville! Be sure to keep your eyes open for golf carts around town. Golf carts are energy efficient, cheaper to buy and maintain than regular cars, and a whole bunch of fun to drive. Springville licenses the use of golf carts, UTVs, and ATVs on city streets. These vehicles must have a slow moving vehicle sign and a safety flag at least 5 feet high. To get or renew your license, stop by City Hall or give them a call at 854-6428.

Flag Retirement Ceremony

The American Legion Post 331 is hosting the Linn County Flag Retirement ceremony. This event will take place at the Cox Lake Pavilion on Saturday, June 17th at 10:30AM. The public is welcome to attend. If you have a flag that is in need of retiring please turn them in BEFORE the ceremony at the Springville Legion or at Carnahan's Auto. If you are interested in a new flag, the Springville American Legion has them for sale.



Do you remember when . . .

Stories from some 1947 Springville HS graduates

Springville High School's 70-year class will be among those honored June 3 at the alumni banquet. On May 29, 1947, diplomas were given to 26 seniors. Now there are eight: **Zelda Kinkead**, Springville and Fort Myers, Fla.; **Wava Terry**, Dubuque; **Patsy Harderson**, Anamosa; **Anita Schons**, Cedar Rapids; **Ann Janssen**, Cedar Falls; **George B. Whaley**, Sioux Falls, S. D.; **Dale Holst**, Hayden, Ida.; and **Dorothy Brunscheen**, Florence, Ariz.

As **Wava Peck**, Mrs. Terry came to Springville from Eddyville in second grade, when her widowed mother married dentist Claude Wells. She recalls all-school assemblies to say goodbye to older students drafted for World War II, and others to welcome back men who returned from service to finish school. Two were in the Class of '47.

Wava enjoyed playing in Roy Schwab's band. "My most embarrassing moment occurred when I fell off the back of the risers (during rehearsal) with a tuba and metal folding chair," she said. "It was a music-stopping event." She was unhurt, but some buttons popped open. Howard Briner Jr., helping untangle her from the horn and chair, said, "You may want to button up your dress."

Mrs. Harderson (**Patsy Archibald**) had throat problems and missed many days of school in seventh grade, so she repeated that year, joining the class of 1947. She played clarinet in band and sang in various vocal music groups. Miss Geneva Waters, who taught vocal music and English at Springville for many years, was "kind of strict," Patsy said.

She also remembers construction of the new high school in 1938-1939, when she was a fifth grader. As an elementary school pupil, she had to wear long tan stockings – at her mother's insistence. "I hated them," Patsy declared. "As soon as I got to school, I would roll them down so they looked like anklets."

Mrs. Schons (**Anita Calvert**) went to Springville School from first through 12th grades. Musically gifted, she was in demand as a soloist at weddings, and also sang in several high school groups. She took piano lessons from Mrs. Margaret "Maggie" Emmons, and also learned boogie-woogie and jazz, popular with teens.

Anita's father, Carl Calvert, was seriously injured about 1941 in a target rifle shooting accident. During his long hospital stay, Anita lived with her uncle and aunt, Ed and Lora Harris, near Linn Grove Presbyterian Church. Used

to town life, she was unhappy about being sent to the quiet country! (Her younger sister Vera stayed at the home of Kendall and June Gibson in town.)

Boyd Whaley (he used his middle name then) came to Springville in 11th grade from Cedar Rapids Franklin High School. He reminisced: "In the spring of the year, roads were nearly impassable . . . I recall double-dating using an F-20 Farmall as transportation. My date and I stood on the draw-bar (my hand around her waist for stability), while the driver's date sat on his lap and steered. We arrived at the dance muddled but unbowed."

He didn't mention his No. 1 rating for French horn solo in the May 1947 regional national music contest at St. Joseph, Mo. (reported in by the Central City paper). George Boyd Whaley's distinguished career included playing in the U. S. Air Force Band and teaching in four states.



Wava Peck Terry



Patsy Archibald Harderson



Anita Calvert Schons



George Boyd Whaley

Copy photos by Wes Bender

70 years ago: 7 high school teachers

In the 1946-47 school year, the Springville High School faculty numbered seven: Eric Jordan, Roy T. Schwab, Mrs. Beulah Sparr, Howard and Bonnie Strong, Lewis G. Thoma, and Miss Geneva Waters. Mr. Thoma was also superintendent. Monday, Sept. 2, 1946, was the first day of school. The K-12 enrollment of 374 was an increase of 23 over the previous year.

Heavy snowfall and extreme cold caused the closing of school from noon Jan. 29 until Feb. 12, 1947. The county basketball tournament had to be postponed. In early February, the Clarence Robertson family a mile north of town gave overnight housing to 14 people who were stuck in a snowdrift.

But spring arrived eventually. On Saturday, May 24, the senior class enjoyed a one-day trip to McGregor, where they picnicked by the Mississippi; Prairie du Chien, Wis.; and Dubuque, where they had supper and attended a show. Superintendent Thoma and his wife Aileen accompanied the class, and Ray McCleary drove the chartered bus.

On Tuesday, June 3, an 8 p.m. alumni reception was held at the high school. Refreshments were served, and a program with dancing followed. Postmaster Glenn C. Bowdish, Class of 1922, was in charge of reservations.

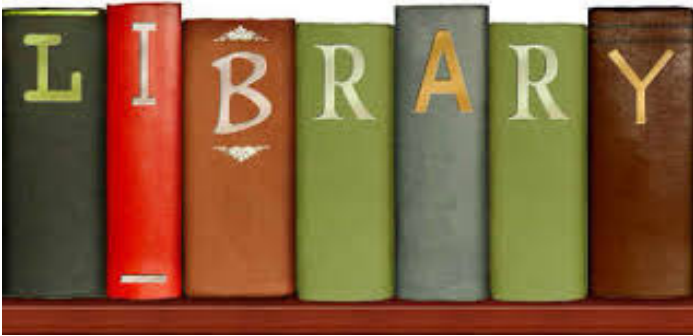
SAHS member finds two Brown descendants

The Springville Area Historical Society (SAHS) will meet Tuesday, June 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the SAHS building next door to City Hall. Anyone interested in local history is welcome to attend.

The May 9 SAHS meeting was held exactly 156 years after the arrival of the first train into Springville. Eleanor Stewart Kelley said that in spring 1941, she took the train daily from Viola to Springville to complete her freshman year of high school. Her parents had moved into the Viola school district March 1 that year. As a sophomore, junior, and senior, she attended Viola High School.

Bev Franks reported locating two descendants of Nathan Brown, Annette Brown of Texas and Ralph Martin of California. They are three-greats grandchildren of Nathan's daughter Harriet, who married Solomon C. Peckham in 1843 in Linn County. Their children were Celina Peckham Wood, Hamilton N., Philip E., Martha Peckham Shearer, and Guy C. Peckham.

Secretary/Treasurer Jean Schmidt suggested having copies of the June Springville News at the Springville High School alumni banquet June 3. Others at the May 9 meeting were Wes Bender, vice president; James Crow, President; Karen Taylor, historian; Doug Beard, Rick Heeren, Dave Kelley, Bob and Shirley Parker, Phil and Karen Randall, and Duane Schlatter.



Summer Reading

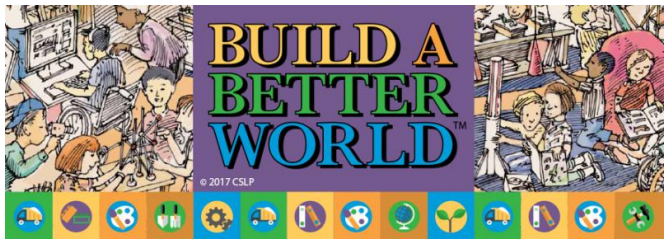
Are you ready to Build A Better World? Join us this year for the library's summer reading program, kicking off on June 7th with a special movie presentation. We plan to keep the fun moving all summer long with activities, crafts, LEGOS, programs, movies, prizes and of course, books. The more you read, the better chance you have of scoring a great prize by the end of the summer. Activities will be held at 1:00 PM on Wednesday afternoons, and story time will remain Thursday mornings at 10:30. Here's a hint at what's coming:

June 7– *Movie Day Kickoff*

June 10– *An Day with the “Stiletto Girls”, a writing/author visit program*

June 14th– *A visit from Jason from Linn County's Blue Stem agency*

And much more. Summer reading runs through August 9th, we can't wait for you to Build A Better World with us!



Fidget Spinners are the fun new craze and they are everywhere. But we would like to request that our patrons please keep them in their pockets or bags while they are in the library. This is to keep our patrons and equipment safe. Parents, please remind your children of this when they come see us. Thank you for your cooperation.

Adult Coloring and Sunday Crafternoon

are temporarily moving for the month of June, instead of the first Thursday, Adult Coloring will be held the second Thursday of the month, on June 8th at 5:30. Sunday Crafternoon is moving from the first Sunday to the second Sunday, June 11th at 1:00. If you plan to attend Crafternoon, please RSVP by phone, email, or even stop in to say you'll be there. This is to ensure we have enough materials for everyone to go home with a finished product. Let's have a colorful, crafty June.



“BOOKS ARE A
UNIQUELY
PORTABLE MAGIC”

STEPHAN KING

Calendar

Thursday, June 1– Story Time @10:30
Knitters @ 1:00
Monday, June 5– Palette Pals @1:00
Tuesday, June 6– Book Group @ 6:30
Wednesday, June 7– SUMMER
READING KICKOFF MOVIE! @1:00
Thursday, June 8– Story Time @10:30, Knitters @ 1:00,
Adult Coloring @5:30
Saturday, June 10– A Day with The Stiletto Girls (Adult
Writing Workshop) @ 1:00
Sunday, June 11– Sunday Crafternoon @1:00
Monday, June 12– Palette Pals @1:00
Wednesday, June 14– Summer Reading Activity: Blue
Stem Program @ 1:00
Thursday, June 15– Story Time @10:30, Knitters @ 1:00
Monday, June 19– Palette Pals @1:00
Wednesday, June 21– Summer Reading Activity @ 1:00
Thursday, June 22– Story Time @10:30, Knitters @ 1:00
Monday, June 26– Palette Pals @1:00
Wednesday, June 28– Summer Reading Activity @1:00
Thursday, June 29– Story Time @ 10:30, Knitters @ 1:00



New Fiction

Roots of the Olive Tree by Courtney Miller Santo
Humans, Bow Down by James Patterson
A Book of American Martyrs by Joyce Carol Oates
My Perfect Life by Sophie Kinsella
The Widow of Wall Street by Randy Susan Meyers
The Witchfinder's Sister by Beth Underdown
Orphan #8 by Kum van Alkemade
The Hideaway by Lauren K. Denton
The Irresistible Shop & Café by May
Simmes
The Night the Lights Went Out by
Karen White
The Chilbury Ladies' Choir by Jen-
nifer Ryan
House of the Rising Sun by James
Lee Burke



Interactive Story Books

Does your child love story telling? Well we have a new way to make it even more fun! We recently added felt story books to our collection. These books include props and characters that can be placed into the story by you or your child. It puts a fun interactive spin on reading to your child and really lets the kids get involved and have fun! We have four of these story books, and each book contains two stories. They are all available for checkout. Stop in today.



The Linn County Librarians are appearing at the Linn County Fair! Keep an eye out for them on your visit!



Adult Writer's Workshop

On Saturday, June 10 at 1:00, we have a visit planned with The Stiletto Girls! C. Deanne Rowe, Glenna West, and Magnolia “Maggie” Rivers are the authors of “The Stiletto Anthologies” a series of romance novels. The program will feature how these women got started writing these stories, how they got published, and how you can too! Have a question about writing or publishing? They'll answer it! They will also have books available for purchase. This program is for an adult audience and is not suitable for children. Come join us for a fun and informative afternoon!



Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program

This program is supported by the Witwer Healthy Aging, a program of *Aging Services, Inc.*



Date: June 14
10:00 am - 11:30 pm

Place:
SANSI Agency
259 Broadway Street
Springville, Iowa

Contacts: Jo Haddad at
398-3644

The Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program is sponsored through the US Department of Agriculture and administered through the Heritage Agency on Aging. Its purpose is to help low-income older adults purchase fresh fruits, vegetables and

The program is open to seniors -

1. **60 years of age or older that**
2. **Reside in Linn County or in the Heritage Agency area with a**
3. **Yearly income at or below \$22,311 for individuals or at or below 30,044 for couples.**

Qualified seniors will receive \$30 worth of vouchers to use at participating area farmers' markets vendors.

SALLY'S SENIOR MEALS

1st & 3rd Wednesdays at Sally's
Serving from 11:30AM to
12:30 PM



\$3.50 Charge for Meal &
Beverage
Bring a Friend!

SANSI SENIOR MEALS & BINGO

2nd & 4th Wednesdays at Sansi
Serving from 11:30AM to 12:00PM
Activities from 12:00PM to
2:00PM

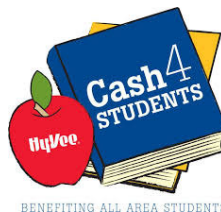
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The 129th Springville High School Alumni Banquet

This year's banquet will be held Saturday, June 3, 2017 at the high school. This year's honored classes are: 1937, 1947, 1957, 1967, 1977, 1987, 1992, 2017. Tours of the school will begin at 4:00 PM, social hour 5:00 PM and dinner will be served at 6:00 PM. Cost of the dinner is \$20.00. Reservations made after May 21st and walk-ins will cost \$25.00. If you have a change of address or you know someone who has had a change of address, or if you have any questions, please contact Lori Wittenburg at 319-929-0449 or email her at lori@springvillereadymix.com or contact Jean Schmidt at 319-854-6354 or 319-540-0490 or email her at rgshmtiy@gmail.com. The Springville The Alumni committee is in need of people to help on the committee or the day of the banquet. Please call Jeanie at 854-6354 if you are willing to help.

Friday, May 19th, was the final presentation for the 2017-2018 Hy-Vee Cash 4 Students Program, Springville Schools received a check for a total of \$2,250.63 which was 10th place out of 96 schools that participated. We would like to thank everyone who helped collect receipts and look forward to continuing this next year. Speaking of next year, we are already collecting receipts and will run through April of 2018. **IT'S A GREAT DAY TO BE AN ORIOLE!**



SHRED DAY



Bring any and all of your unwanted documents and old files to be shredded at no charge.

Saturday June 10th
9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

253 Broadway
The Exchange State Bank
Open to the Public



While your out and about this spring and summer, be sure to stop by Cox Lake Park and see the **pretty fountain all lit up at night!** The fountain can also be seen running during the day time . Pictured is Springville's fearless Park Staff installing the fountain lights with great care. We are so proud no one tipped the boat over this year.

Springville's Web Site on Phone and Tablets

Among the many new features being rolled out on Springville's website is the ability to use it on your phone, tablet or any other web-ready device. Find the latest news, pay your water bill, print forms, or read about the many services available in Springville.

www.ci.springville.ia.us

"Life doesn't give You the people you want, It gives you The people you need: To love you, To hate you, To make you, To break you, And to make you the person you Were meant to be." ~ Walt Whitman



Springville Tractor Pullers Association, Inc. 2017 Bags Tournament Registration Form



Tournament Date: Saturday, August 12, 2017

PLEASE CIRCLE ONE DIVISION

KIDS (both teammates 6 years old – 19 years old) **OR** **ADULTS** (both teammates 20 years old or older)

Team Name:			
Player #1 Name		Player #2 Name	
Player #1 Email		Player #2 Email	
Player #1 Phone		Player #2 Phone	

-----DETACH AND RETURN THE TOP PORTION-----

FEES – NON-REFUNDABLE – 2 PERSON TEAMS

- PRE-REGISTRATION: KIDS \$20 & ADULTS \$30
 - DAY OF TOURNAMENT: KIDS \$30 & ADULTS \$40
 - Please make checks payable to: STPA
 - Mail payment and completed entry forms to: STPA 117 Circle Dr. Springville, IA 52336
- *FORMS MUST BE RECEIVED BY WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9 TO QUALIFY FOR PRE-REGISTRATION***

DATE & TIME

- Date: Saturday, August 12, 2017
- Team Check-In and Practice Time: 9:00am
- Tournament Start Time: 10:30am
- Location: Springville Tractor Pullers Park 162 JR Barnes Parkway Springville, IA 52336

RULES & SCORING

- Double Elimination Tournament. Best 2 of 3 games in winner and losers bracket.
- Cornhole boards will be positioned 27' from front edge to front edge of the boards.
- Players at the headboard will alternate pitching bags until each player has pitched all (4) of his/her bags.
- Players must pitch all (4) cornhole bags from their designated cornhole pitchers box.
- Players must not cross the foul line with their feet before the bag has landed.
- Each bag on the box = 1 point. Each bag in the hole = 3 points. Cancellation scoring will be used.
- Any bags touching the ground or "bounced" onto the box do not count and are to be removed prior to the next bag being thrown by the opposing team.
- The team who scores last will have the first throw of the next round.
- The 1st team to score 21 points or more will be declared the winner.
- Extra innings will be required in the case of a tie, until a winner is decided.

OTHER ITEMS

- Teams will be slotted at random.
 - Kids is 30 teams maximum. First 30 to sign-up. Adults is 60 teams maximum. First 60 to sign-up.
 - Cash payout to adult division guaranteed: 1st \$350, 2nd \$300, 3rd \$250, 4th \$100.
 - Trophies for top 4 places in the kids division.
 - Concessions and beer tent available on site. NO COOLERS PLEASE.
 - NO ADMISSION!
 - Bands and fireworks to follow.
- Contact Sarah with any questions: sarahholub@aol.com or 319-360-6573

Springville Extreme Quarry Run



On August 12, 2017 at 8:00 am the Springville Extreme Quarry Run will kick off. Runners will travel through beautiful downtown Springville, Iowa, head west of town and traverse the steep descent into the working Wendling Quarry.

While in the depths of the quarry, you will travel through a tunnel, blasted through the rock under Highway 151, turn around, come back through the tunnel and back up the aggressive ascent before finishing back in town.

Awards will be given to top finishers of the 6K, along with technical shirts and a chance to win door prizes for all paid participants!

Find out more on the web:

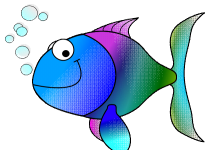
springvillequarryrun.webs.com

Springville's 2nd Annual Dance Marathon

This year's dance marathon will be held on Saturday, August 12th at the high school gym. This year's proceeds will be going to the Austin Strong Foundation to help in the fight against childhood cancer. The organization is hoping to raise \$5,000. The event will be for incoming 6th graders thru 20 year olds. There will be music, dancing, dodgeball and many other activities. If you are interested in sponsoring or donating to this event, please contact JP Kane at 515-408-1326 or Megan Wagaman at 319-491-2252.



CATCH & RELEASE PROGRAM



IN EFFECT FOR COX LAKE

Please return your catch to the pond, but please no outside fish released.

City of Springville Parks Department



Happy Father's Day

Father's Day was not celebrated in the United States until June 5th 1908. Almost every country on the planet now has a Father Day celebration. Father's Day is the fourth-largest card-sending occasion with 74 million cards given each year.

The Census Bureau estimates there are 70 million fathers in the US. President Richard Nixon signed into law a permanent U.S. Father's Day to be observed on the third Sunday of June in 1972.



2nd Annual Fishing Derby

This year's event will take place on Saturday, June 3rd at the Cox Pond Pavilion from 10:00 AM-12:30 PM. You can register your child from 10:00-10:30 AM. Children 14 and under must be accompanied by an adult. Prizes will be awarded. No license necessary during this Iowa free fishing weekend. Please bring your own fishing gear. Lunch will be provided for a free will donation.

PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Springville will be holding a public hearing regarding amending the Springville Zoning Code, during the Springville City Council meeting on Monday, June 5, 2017. Changes are being considered to the setback requirements in various districts.

The meeting is open to the public, is to be held at Springville City Hall at 304 Broadway, in Springville, Iowa, and will begin at 6:00 PM on Monday, June 5, 2017. If you have any questions, please contact the city clerk's office.

Cynthia Stimson
Acting Clerk

PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Springville will be holding a public hearing regarding fireworks during the Springville City Council meeting on Monday, June 5, 2017. The State of Iowa has recently changed the laws regarding fireworks and the City Council would like to hear input from residents on this subject.

The meeting is open to the public, is to be held at Springville City Hall at 304 Broadway, in Springville, Iowa, and will begin at 6:00 PM on Monday, June 5, 2017. If you have any questions, please contact the city clerk's office.

Cynthia Stimson
Acting Clerk

SPRINGVILLE CITY COUNCIL Regular Meeting Minutes May 1, 2017

The pledge of allegiance was recited to begin the meeting.

Mayor Shebetka called the regular meeting of the Springville City Council to order at 6:00 pm in Springville City Hall. Present on roll call: Dennis Thies, Brad Merritt, Pat Hoyt, and Mareta Ralston. Penny Sindelar was absent. Also in attendance were: Public Works Supervisor Todd Wyman, Jennifer Wyman, Deputy City Clerk Dee Wagaman, Treva Davis, Mark Bloom, and Cynthia Stimson.

M/B Ralston, 2nd/B Thies, to approve the consent agenda. All ayes. M/C.

Acting City Clerk Cynthia Stimson discussed the new claims format.

Treva Davis stated that the Library Board has some budget changes that she will discuss with staff and get incorporated into a proposed budget amendment.

A Professional Services Agreement with Justin Cambell was discussed. It was decided to wait until the City has received interest about a possible annexation or development.

The status of Water Street was discussed. No action will be taken at this time. Adjacent property owners are to be notified to remove vehicles.

Bob Tobin, with Shoemaker and Haaland, discussed the construction documents from Elite Developers for Spring Meadows 4th Addition.

M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Thies to approve the construction plans for Spring Meadows 4th Addition. Ayes: Hoyt, Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Sindelar. M/C.

Linn County Deputy Sheriff Egli presented the list of calls.

M/B Thies, 2nd/B Hoyt to approve an agreement with Shoemaker and Haaland for construction observation and testing in Spring Meadows 4th Addition for a cost estimate range of \$5,000 - \$6,000. Ayes: Hoyt, Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Sindelar. M/C.

Discussion was held about the sidewalk project. Installation of sidewalk on the north side of Fawn Avenue is planned as a possible alternate. ADA requirements were reviewed with Glen Wazny from Shoemaker and Haaland.

M/B Thies, 2nd/B Ralston to approve an agreement with Shoemaker and Haaland for design services for a four foot sidewalk along 6th Street and 1st Avenue with a quote of \$6,900.00. Ayes: Hoyt, Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Sindelar. M/C.

Todd Wyman discussed placing directional signs for school, business district, and others. He will have a design and quote for next meeting.

Todd discussed Linn Co-op spraying for weeds. He will have a quote for next meeting.

A quote from Kluesner for street maintenance was reviewed. Shoemaker and Haaland are to be contacted about a possible maintenance bond for some of the area. This topic will be on the next agenda.

M/B Hoyt, 2nd/B Thies to approve a donation of \$250.00 to Springville Quarry Run for sponsorship. Ayes: Hoyt, Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Sindelar. M/C.

Cemetery property discussion was tabled.

Mayor Shebetka stated that since Deputy City Clerk Dee Wagaman's responsibilities have increased since the resignation of the city clerk, he recommends the City increase her hourly wage amount by \$1.00.

M/B Hoyt, 2nd/B Ralston to approve a pay increase to \$13.00 an hour for Deputy City Clerk Dee Wagaman effective as of April 12, 2017, because of increased responsibilities. Ayes: Hoyt, Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Sindelar. M/C.

Acting City Clerk Cynthia Stimson discussed the budget amendment process.

M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Ralston to set Monday, May 15, 2017, as a public hearing date for a budget amendment for FY17. Ayes: Hoyt, Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Sindelar. M/C.

The current agreement with Cedar Valley Humane Society was discussed. After review, staff will see that the City and Cedar Valley Humane Society are both complying with all of the provisions. The City is to develop a policy.

Todd Wyman reviewed the maintenance department report. They will be doing discharge in May. The fountain is read to be installed.

Youth Sports will be contacted about possibly adding another portable toilet near the youth diamonds.

Mark Bloom stated he has been helping as a contactor and is wondering about the process for the temporary position.

Mayor Shebetka stated that the American Legion did a great job at the game feed.

The next council meeting will be Monday, May 15, 2017.

M/B Hoyt, 2nd/B Ralston to adjourn the meeting. Ayes: Hoyt, Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Sindelar. M/C.

Mayor Shebetka adjourned the meeting at 7:25 PM.

SPRINGVILLE CITY COUNCIL Regular Meeting Minutes May 15, 2017

The pledge of allegiance was recited to begin the meeting.

Mayor Shebetka called the regular meeting of the Springville City Council to order at 6:00 pm in Springville City Hall. Present on roll call: Dennis Thies, Brad Merritt, and Mareta Ralston. Patrick Hoyt and Penny Sindelar were absent. Also in attendance were: Public Works Supervisor Todd Wyman, Jennifer Wyman, Deputy City Clerk Dee Wagaman, Mark Bloom, Jean Menster, Daryl Pearson, Robin Ballantyne, Troy Mysak, and Acting City Clerk Cynthia Stimson.

Linn County Deputy Sheriff Tindal presented the list of calls. Lieutenant Greg McGivern discussed repeated communication from a resident about dogs at large. Mayor Shebetka discussed the action already taken. Brad Merritt asked the Sheriff's Department to watch

rolling through stop signs, especially in the new area. Mareta Ralston asked that a car be in Springville when school dismisses until the end of the school year to help keep the area safe.

M/B Thies, 2nd/B Ralston, to approve the consent agenda. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Acting City Clerk Stimson said she will contact Hall and Hall Engineers and discuss projects and invoices.

Public Works Supervisor Todd Wyman discussed options for directional signage through Iowa Prison Industries.

M/B Thies, 2nd/B Merritt to order the downtown signs in blue and white and the school signs in orange and black. The number and placement will be as suggested by Todd. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Todd informed the Council that Linn Co-op will spray the city hall area for no charge, while they are doing the three applications at the library and parks.

M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Ralston to have Linn Co-op spray for weeds at city hall for no charge. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Discussion was held about a tree in the park that needs removed. It will be marked.

Discussion was held regarding the estimate from Kluesner Construction, Inc. to seal cracks in the concrete streets. The bond from when the streets were installed does not cover this type of regular maintenance.

M/B Thies, 2nd/B Merritt to approve the estimate of \$4,604.60 from Kluesner Construction, Inc. for crack sealing in the concrete streets. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Thies to approve the proposed purchase of ground from the Pearson Family for \$2,610.00 and to move ahead with the process. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Troy Mysak discussed the property line problems along the Springville Cemetery and his family's ground. He wants the correct property lines marked and used and these issues cleared up. Hall and Hall Engineers will be contacted.

Mayor Shebetka opened a public hearing regarding a budget amendment for the current fiscal year at 6:41 PM. No comments have been received at the clerk's office. Brief discussion was held about the process. Mayor Shebetka closed the public hearing at 6:44 PM.

M/B Thies, 2nd/B Ralston to approve the **RESOLUTION 10-2017 A BUDGET AMENDMENT FOR FY17**. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Employee compensation for next fiscal year is to be placed on the next agenda.

Mayor Shebetka stated that the committee had reviewed the applications for the temporary city clerk assistant and is recommending hiring Mark Bloom for this position.

M/B Ralston, 2nd/B Merritt to hire Mark Bloom as a temporary city clerk assistant for not more than 25 hours per week at \$11.00 per hour effective May 16, 2017, with the Mayor being consulted if more hours are needed. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

A letter from the State Auditor's Office was discussed. M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Thies to have Acting City Clerk Cynthia Stimson mark option two and mail the letter back for more information. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Discussion was held concerning the Maintenance Agreement with Office Machine Consultants, Inc. – their response is good and toner is included in the pricing.

M/B Ralston, 2nd/B Thies to renew this Maintenance Agreement with Office Machine Consultants, Inc. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Acting City Clerk Cynthia Stimson discussed the process to change regulations in the Springville Zoning Code.

M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Ralston to set the public hearing date regarding changes to the Springville Zoning Code as June 5, 2017. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Mayor Shebetka stated that he wants to have a public hearing about fireworks at the next meeting. The State of Iowa has changed the law and cities have some decisions to make.

M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Thies to set the public hearing date regarding fireworks as June 5, 2017. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Two quotes for lagoon mowing were reviewed.

M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Ralston to accept the quote from Jon Morris for \$350.00 per mowing of the lagoon, for three mowings. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Lyle Andersen has requested to hold a flag disposal ceremony at the Cox Lake pavilion on June 17. The American Legion will be doing the ceremony as in past years.

M/B Merritt, 2nd/B Ralston to approve the flag disposal ceremony at Cox Lake Park from 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM on Saturday, June 17, 2017. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Discussion was held regarding the price increase request from D & D Tree Service. The volume of material, security, and service were reviewed.

M/B Thies, 2nd/B Merritt to approve the chipping fee increase to \$85.00 per hour from D & D Tree Service as of June 1, 2017. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Public Works Supervisor Todd Wyman reviewed the Maintenance Department Report, discussed a letter from the IDNR about discharge requirements, and discussed a meeting with the school about clearing an area along the bank for a trail. Mareta Ralston asked that the fountain be placed in Cox Lake. Brad Merritt asked about the erosion control socks in the new development area.

Acting City Clerk Cynthia Stimson discussed the requested trailer research. Robin Ballantyne stated that the trailer will be used to store the children games for park purposes.

Applications for the city clerk position are due by May 19. The committee will review and meet next Monday to discuss.

Everyone was reminded about the Small City Workshop in Springville on Tuesday, May 30. Elected officials were asked to be at the school by 4:30. The Iowa League of Cities will be presenting in the library.

The next council meeting will be Monday, June 5, 2017.


M/B Thies, 2nd/B Ralston to adjourn the meeting. Ayes: Ralston, Merritt, and Thies. Absent: Hoyt and Sindelar. M/C.

Mayor Shebetka adjourned the meeting at 7:40 PM.

"BE THANKFUL FOR WHAT YOU HAVE; YOU'LL END UP HAVING MORE. IF YOU CONCENTRATE ON WHAT YOU DON'T HAVE, YOU WILL NEVER, EVER HAVE ENOUGH."

OPRAH WINFREY

June 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Story Time 10:30 AM @ Library Knitters 1 PM @ Library	2	3 Fishing Derby @
4	5 Palette Pals 1:00PM @ Library City Council Mtg 6PM @ CH	6	7 Senior Dining @ Sally's 11:30-12:30 	8 Story Time 10:30 AM @ Library Knitters 1 PM @ Library Adult Coloring 5:30 @ Library	9	10 Garage Sale Days 8AM-4PM
11 Crafternoon 1-4PM @ Library	12 Palette Pals 1:00PM @ Library	13 SAHS Mtg @ 6:30	14 Senior Dining @ SANSI 11:30-12:30 Library Board Mtg @ 6:30 	15 Water Bills Due Story Time 10:30 AM @ Library Knitters 1 PM @ Library	16	17 Flag Disposal 10:30 AM @ Cox Pond Pavilion
18 Father's Day	19 Palette Pals 1:00PM @ Library City Council Mtg 6PM @ CH	20	21 Senior Dining @ Sally's 11:30-12:30 	22 Story Time 10:30 AM @ Library Knitters 1 PM @ Library	23	24
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