News From City Hall



CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED

MAY

27TH

UPCOMING EVENTS APR 13 City Spring Cleanup Elmwood Park Opens | APR 15 Easter Egg Hunt **APR 20** Reinbeck Park Board **APR 27** Trivia Night **MAY** 11 Clean the Park Day MAY **Garage Sales** 17 & 18

TRIVIA NIGHT

The Park Board is planning a Trivia Night fund-raiser for April 27th at the Memorial Building. Get your team of no more than 8 ready! There will be a light meal and a fun night of trivia. More information will be available at City Hall as plans are finalized.

EASTER EGG HUNT

The annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held April 20th at 9:00 a.m. at Elmwood Park.





CITY WIDE SPRING CLEANUP

The city council has set ject materials will be ac-Saturday, April 13, 2019, for the City Wide Spring Cleanup Day. A rain date has been set for April 20, 2019. All junk items can be disposed of, free of charge, by taking it to Cooley Sanitation on Main Street from 8:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m. No tires, liquids, yard waste, garbage, batteries or construction pro-

cepted. White goods, such as washers, dryers, A.C.'s, stoves, refrigerators, freezers, water heaters, water softeners, dehumidifiers, furnaces, dish washers, light ballasts, microwaves, and humidifiers will require a disposal fee of \$10 per unit. Monitors, printers, and copiers will require a \$1 disposal fee. If

you are unable to get your junk items to Cooley's, they will pick up your items for a \$20 per truck load fee as long as they are placed outside of the house. This is a great time to get rid of unsightly junk that may have accumulated around homes or back yards.

NEW MAYOR & COUNCILMAN

As you may or may not know, Tim Johnson's last day as Mayor of Reinbeck was December 31, 2018 as he has moved outside of the city limits and can no longer serve in this capacity. Ash Larson has been appointed to fill the mayor position and Kyle Rasmussen has been appointed to fill the councilman position. They will serve these positions until December 31st. The positions will then be filled by the outcome of the November 4th election with those terms to begin January 1, 2020.

BURN DAYS

Mon, Thur, Sat 8:00 a.m-6:00 p.m.



REMEMBER TO RENEW YOUR **GOLF CART PERMIT FOR 2019!!**

Golf cart permits are valid from January 1st-December 31st. ATV's/UTV's are NOT permitted in town.

ELMWOOD PARK SIDEWALK EXPANSION

A new sidewalk project at Elmwood Park has connected the tennis courts to the shelter houses, pool, and high school baseball field. The city is still raising funds to continue the walking trail along the fitness trail and connect it to the east side of the park. Contact or drop off your donations at City Hall. Your support is always greatly appreciated!

SIDEWALK PARKING

There are quite a few walkers in Reinbeck. Please be courteous and do not block your driveway if it connects to a sidewalk. Allow enough room so that walkers can get access through your driveway to the sidewalk on the other side. Also, If you walk your pet, please be sure to pick up after them. Remember, all pets must be on a leash.

GLEO MCCOMMONS SHELTER

A new shelter house has been installed at Elmwood Park by the little league baseball diamonds. This shelter was built using funds donated to the park by Gleo McCommons. The shelter will be on a first-come first-served basis, but you can reserve it for a \$35.00 fee. Make your reservations at City Hall.

CLEAN THE PARK DAY

Looking for a chance to help in your community? Clean the Park Day is set for May 11, 2019. Volunteers are asked to meet at Elmwood Park at 9:00 am. Please bring gloves, a rake, and a partner. It's a great opportunity to volunteer in your town!



NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

Erin Schildroth has been working hard writing grants for new playground equipment. So far, she has received \$14,000. Some are matching grants so she will be having a fund-raiser to raise those. If you would like to donate, please inquire at City Hall!

ART FESTIVAL

The Reinbeck Art Festival is currently seeking artists for the 7th annual festival on September 21, 2019. To apply, go to the city website!

LOT FOR SALE

The lot at 501 Pine Street is for sale. The person purchasing the property must put a house back on the property within 3 years of purchase. It is a perfect lot for a single family home! If you are interested, or know of anyone who might be interested in the lot, please stop in or call City Hall for more information.

CITY ORDINANCES TO REMEMBER AS WE ENTER SPRING...

GOLF CARTS - Golf carts may be operated upon the streets of the City by persons possessing a valid driver's license and a city permit. The annual fee for a permit is \$30.00 and is payable at the time the permit is granted. Permits are valid from January 1 through December 31. Golf carts may be operated on city streets only between sunrise and sunset and shall be equipped with a slow moving vehicle sign, a bicycle safety flag, a rearview mirror, and adequate brakes. No golf cart shall be used to carry more persons at one time than the number for which it is designed. Please operate your golf cart safely.

GRASS AND WEEDS - Please remember to maintain your lawn not to exceed six inches. This includes the rear yard as well as the front yard. To avoid additional expense to clean the storm sewers, please do not blow your grass clippings into the street. Any violations will be remedied by the city at the owner's expense. Any nuisance mowing not paid will be assessed to the county auditor and collected as property taxes. The purpose of keeping yards maintained at a uniform height is to beautify and preserve the appearance of the city in order to prevent unsightly, offensive or nuisance conditions. This shows visitors the pride we have in our city.

JUNK AND JUNK VEHICLES - Any vehicle that is unlicensed, lacks an engine or two or more wheels or other structural parts, or has a broken windshield is considered a "junk vehicle," and this includes unlicensed trailers. Any old scrap, batteries, trash, debris, dismantled vehicles, mattresses, discarded household goods, or dismantled appliances are considered "junk." Please be considerate of your neighbors and other citizens or visitors, and help make our city more attractive by discarding junk.

TREES - Property owners shall keep trees trimmed so that all branches will be at least twelve (12) feet above the surface of the street and eight (8) feet above the sidewalks. These requirements allow residents to utilize the sidewalks safely and allow for garbage trucks and other service vehicles to utilize the streets without damage to their vehicles or injury to their employees.

2019 AQUATIC CENTER SEASON

Planning for the 2019 pool season has started! If you forgot to pickup or return your life guard application to City Hall, you still have a little time to get them in.

Pool passes are available at City Hall now. When the pool opens, passes must be purchased at the aquatic center. Prices are \$3.00 for daily admission, \$75.00 for a single person pool pass, and \$150.00 for a family pool pass.

Did you know you can rent the pool for a private pool party? Private parties can be booked during times 5-6 pm or 8-10 pm. One-hour parties are \$80 and two-hour parties are \$150. Parties can be booked right now at City Hall and booked at the pool when it opens.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED! The bathhouses at the pool are deteriorating rapidly. The Park Board is in the process of raising funds to redo them. So far, just over \$100,000 has been received! If you would like to help, drop off your donation to City Hall today. Thank you!



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