

# Carter Lake Newsletter

Hello again,

I am going to take this opportunity to describe one of our towns business pioneers; my dad - Dave Cumberledge.

Dave came to Carter Lake over 50 years ago. With little to no money, he started up his own towing business. Over the years; the companies have changed, but his work ethic never did. He put in a full day's work every single day, including the day he passed.

I can still remember getting off the school bus at 13 years old and going straight to the shop every day, just to learn something new at work. I learned more at work than school. We were the small car lot in town. It was kind of intimidating, the other lots were much larger, he always said you just have to outwork your competitor and eventually we bought out the competition leaving us the only car lot in town. I had the privilege to work with him 50 hours a week for the past 35 years. Always searching for the next deal; we bought and sold nearly everything imaginable.

It was an honor; my hero - my friend - my father.

Thank you,

Mayor Ron Cumberledge



## REMINDER TO REGISTER PETS

- Pet licenses are due yearly and expire on December 31st
- \$10 fee for neutered or spayed pets and \$15.00 for each unaltered dog or cat
- A \$5.00 late fee beginning March 1st.
- A copy of current rabies vaccination – must not expire for 60 days.
- Please bring to City Hall or if you are mailing please include self-addressed stamped envelope.



*Thank you!*

On Friday, December 18, 2020, 10 volunteers met at City Hall to pack and deliver food baskets to Carter Lake Seniors who were in need of a little assistance this holiday season. We were able to serve 35 residents with the donations.

*THANK YOU SO MUCH!!* To all the Carter Lake residents, businesses and volunteers for donating over 800 non-perishable food items and over \$1,684.50 in cash donations!! These donations were used to purchase fresh meat and additional groceries for each household.

Sincerely, City Clerk Jackie Carl

## City of Carter Lake

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COX **Channel 22** to view Council meetings, view reminders and announcements.

### **Find us on Facebook:**

"Carter Lake City Hall"

### **MAYOR**

Ron Cumberledge (712) 347-6320

### **CITY COUNCIL**

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### **DEPARTMENTS**

Animal Control (402) 658-1722

Building (712) 242-6314

City Hall (712) 347-6320

Library (712) 347-5492

Maintenance (712) 347-5952

Parks (712) 847-0536

Police (712) 347-5920

Senior Center (712) 347-6102

## **House Number Required**

City Code 177.02 OWNER REQUIREMENTS. Every owner shall comply with the following numbering requirements:

Display Building Number. The owner shall place or cause to be installed and maintained on the principal building the assigned number in a conspicuous place to the street in figures not less than **four (4) inches in height** and of a contrasting color with their background.

Failure to Comply. If an owner refuses to number a building as herein provided, or fails to do so for a period of thirty (30) days after being notified in writing by the City to do so, the City may proceed to place the assigned number on the principal building and assess the costs against the property for collection in the same manner as a property tax.



The spirit of giving was in full swing at the 5th Annual "Shop with a Cop" event on Wednesday, December 9, 2020.

Eleven families with a total of 27 children participating in the event held at Wal-Mart on N. 16th Street in Council Bluffs.

The children had an opportunity to select essentials such as coats, hats, and clothing items. As well, each child was able to select 1-2 toys. Wal-Mart prepared a wonderful basket of food for Christmas Dinner. All the officers of the Carter Lake Police Force were on hand to shop with the kids.

Great Plains Uniforms also donated funds to assist with the program.

The "Shop with a Cop" program was created to help build positive relationships between children and law enforcement. It breaks down barriers and helps build trust between the community and the police officers.

"Shop with a Cop" program is funded by the Carter Lake City Council through the general fund budget.

We would like to thank all of the families that participated. We would also like to thank the Carter Lake City Council and Mayor for making the funding for this event possible. From all of us here at the police department, we would like to wish all citizens a safe and happy New Year.

# SPRING REGISTRATION

Sponsored by

Carter Lake Parks & Rec

**Tuesday, February 9th 6 - 8 pm**

**Saturday, February 20th 10 am - 2 pm**

**Thursday, February 25th 6 - 8 pm**

## **BLASTBALL**

4 year olds Fee is \$22.00

## **T-BALL**

5 - 6 year olds Fee is \$27.00

## **COACH PITCH**

7 & 8 year olds Fee is \$33.00

## **SOFTBALL & BASEBALL**

9 & 10 year olds Fee is \$54.00

11 & 12 year olds Fee is \$54.00

13 & 14 year olds Fee is \$54.00

Adjustable ball caps available for  
an additional cost of \$15.00

(Registration fees includes uniform and tax)

**Register at Carter Lake City Hall, 950 Locust Street**

If you cannot make the scheduled signup times, feel free to  
drop off registration and payment at City Hall.

*Please bring an original copy of the player's birth certificate;  
a passport or other legal documents showing date of birth is  
also acceptable.*

Additional \$10 late fee per player if registration  
is received **AFTER** Thursday, February 25th

Registration forms available online

[www.cityofcarterlake.com](http://www.cityofcarterlake.com)



Many thanks to all of my family, friends  
and some people, whom I don't know, for  
helping to celebrate my 100th Birthday!

Thank you for all the wonderful, beautiful  
cards. Carter Lake residents show they  
have a big heart and it shows.

I do not long for things I wish we had, but I am grateful for the  
things I do have, like all of you. - Billie Gunderson -





# EDWARD F. OWEN MEMORIAL CARTER LAKE PUBLIC LIBRARY




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## JANUARY 2021



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CLOSED FOR NEW YEARS!

3	4	5 PRESCHOOL GRAB & GO	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 PRESCHOOL GRAB & GO	13	14	15	16
17	18 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR DAY	19 PRESCHOOL GRAB & GO	20	21	22	23
24	25 LIBRARY BOARD MEETING @ 2PM	26 PRESCHOOL GRAB & GO	27	28	29	30
31	 <p>Masks are required while in the library. Limit library time to 15 minutes and computer usage is <u>strictly</u> limited to 45 minutes (work or school related). If you have a cough or cold/flu symptoms, please <u>stay at home</u>! <i>Thank you!</i></p>					

## NEW ITEMS @ YOUR LIBRARY

*Neighbors* by Danielle Steel  
*The Awakening* by Nora Roberts  
*Hush Hush* by Stuart Woods  
*Piece of my Heart* by Mary Higgins Clark  
*Invisible Life of Addie LaRue* by V.E. Schwab  
*NYPD RED 6* by James Patterson

*Scorpion's Tail* by Preston & Child  
*The Once & Future Witches* by Alix E. Harrow  
*Shadow of the Dragon* by Tom Clancy  
*The Wife Upstairs* by Rachel Hawkins  
*A Promised Land* by Barack Obama

## DOWNLOADABLE AUDIO & EBOOKS



## ONLINE LIBRARY DATABASES



## ANNUAL BUDGET WORKSHOPS

Starting this month the City Council will be holding budget workshops to review and discuss the budget for 2021-2022. The public is invited to attend to hear what is being planned.

Monday, January 25th at 5:30 P.M.  
Thursday, January 28th at 5:30 P.M.  
Monday, February 1st at 5:30 P.M.  
Thursday, February 4th at 5:30 P.M.  
Monday, February 8th at 5:30 P.M.  
Thursday, February 11th at 5:30 P.M.

