

Carter Lake Newsletter



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Did you know you can view city council meetings via YouTube? Find VIDEO on the city website and it will open the YouTube channel.

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DEPARTMENTS

Animal Control (402) 658-1722

Building Inspector (712) 347-6320

City Hall (712) 347-6320

Community Center (712) 847-8565

Library (712) 347-5492

Maintenance (712) 347-5952

Parks (712) 847-8565

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**SATURDAY
MAY 17th**

CARTER LAKE



RESIDENTIAL CITYWIDE CLEAN-UP

Trucks will make one pass through town, Please have all acceptable waste on the curb by 6 a.m. Saturday, MAY 17, and leave it on the curb until it has been picked up.

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED

- **Construction - Demolition materials** (bricks, stones, concrete, concrete block or rubble, shingles, lumber, landscape timbers, siding, and drywall).
- **Liquids** (motor oil, antifreeze, paint, and household chemicals). Some service stations accept motor oil for recycling.
- **Hazardous materials** (flammables, propane tanks, auto parts, explosives). Auto parts should be taken to an auto salvage yard. Propane Tanks and Hazardous Materials may be dropped off to the Recycling Center, 4441 Gifford Road, C.B.
- **E-Waste (electronics)**. Recycle items at the Recycling Center at 4441 Gifford Road, Council Bluffs. Electronics including cell phones, computers and monitors, copiers, DVD players, game systems, laptops, printers, tablets, televisions, etc. can be recycled at the Recycling Center for just **\$0.35/lb**

ITEMS ACCEPTED

*non inclusive

- Trees, shrubbery, carpet, fencing, poles, iron, etc. must be cut in 4' lengths, bundled, and cannot weigh more than 50 pounds per bundle;
- Yard and Garden waste
- White Goods (Appliances) **MUST** be empty with doors removed; water heater, stove dehumidifier, freezer, air conditioner, TV.
- Furniture, household items, trash
- Empty paint cans will **ONLY** be accepted if the drivers can see that the paint is dried or absorbed with a substance like cat litter or saw dust.

NO TIRES!



QUESTIONS?

CALL

(712) 527-5910



Carter Lake Public Library
Activities and Events

Visit our website for more in-depth event details: www.carterlakelibrary.org

** Registration Required on our website or at the library, dates subject to change



May 2025

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 ASIAN AMERICAN NATIVE HAWAIIAN PACIFIC ISLANDER HERITAGE MONTH #breakthestigma MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH	Programming Color Key: Adults Littles Youth Family	Youth Gaming Schedule: W&F: Elementary School T&Th: Middle/High School S: All Youth	All Month Long: Scavenger Hunt Take & Make: Coffee Cup Bookmarks Herb of the Month Take & Make: Parsley	Trivia Night with Trivia Mafia & CLCC** 6:00 PM	Drop-in Dog enrichment Toy Making 11-1 PM
Teacher Appreciation Week 5 Make Mom a Gift (Shhh, don't tell!) 1:30-3 PM	Storytime 10:30-11:30 PM 6	Reading Feast: CYOA Book & Sundaes 3-5th Grade 4:15-5:15 PM This Book Club is My Alibi* 6:00 PM 7	Alphabet Adventures Storytime 10:30-11:30 PM Family Book Club: 5-6 PM 8	9	10
Happy Mother's Day 12	No Youth Programming: May 12th-May 24th				Just Craftin' Around: Mini-Art Fridge Magnets** 12-1:30 PM 17
Durham Museum Presentation: Native American Life 4pm Boozy Book Club** 6-7:30 PM 19	20	"Bar" Crawl-Bring a batch of your favorite savory or sweet salad to share and vote! 6:00 PM 21	22	23	24
MEMORIAL DAY CLOSED 26	27	Read to a Dog 4:30-5:30PM 641 Book Club** 6-7:30 PM 28	29	Summer Reading Kickoff Party! Foam Party 6:00 PM 30	31



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6-12th Grade
Nerf War
3:30 PM

June 2025

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3 PM Movie Monday: Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 2	Family Storytime 10:30-11:30 AM 3	K-8th Grade Magic Workshop! Become a Magician!** 3:30pm This Book Club is my Alibi** 6-7:30 PM 4	Messy Storytime 10:30-11:30 AM Family Book Club: Press Start: Game Over, Super Rabbit Boy! 5-6:00 PM 5	Camp Create: Puzzles! 3:30 PM 6	LIBRARY LEGO CHECKOUT TOWER * Borrow books * Get 3 lego pieces * Add them to the tower 14
3 PM Movie Monday: National Treasure 9	Duck Delivery! Storytime at the Fire Station 10:30-11:30 Omaha Chamber Music Society violin duo, Henry Jenkins and Bozhidar Shopov violinists 1pm 10	Camp Create: 3D Fiber Optic Lamp 3:30 PM Archery with Pott. County Conservation** 6 PM 11	Messy Storytime 10:30-11:30 AM 12	Camp Create: 6-12th Grade Origami Fairy Lights 3:30 PM 13	14
All Week: Disguise a Butterfly HAPPY FATHER'S DAY 3 PM Movie Monday: Bee Movie 16	Special Storytime with Mr. K! CLCC Meeting Room 10:30 AM 17	Bubble Fun at the Hydrant Party! 1 PM Reading Feast: CYOA 3-5th Grade Bobal 4:15-5:00 PM Archery with Pott. County Conservation** 6 PM 18	Family Storytime-Nature Walk and Kite Decorating at Mabrey Park 10:30-11:30 AM 6-12th Grade Embroidery & Boba 3:30 PM 19	Camp Create: Bouncy Balls: 3:30 PM Solve A Murder with the Library: Murder Mystery Game Night** 6 PM 20	Just Craftin' Around: Recycled Planters & Terrariums** 12-1:30 PM 21
Mario Photo Op All Week 3 PM Movie Monday: The Super Mario Bros. Movie Boozy Book Club** 6-7:30 PM 23	Storytime with the Community Center 10:30-11:30 AM Camp Create: Mario Fuse Beads 3:30 PM 24	Mario BINGO & Prizes 3:30-4:30 PM Read to a Dog 4:30-5:30PM 641 Book Club** 6-7:30 PM 25	Messy Storytime 10:30-11:30 3rd-5th Mario Kart Tournament** 3-4:30 PM 6th-12th Mario Kart Tournament** 4:45-6PM 26	Mario Kart in Real Life! With Bouncy Hopper Balls CLCC Gym 3:30 PM 27	Pollinator Workshop Landscape painting at Mabrey Park: **6-7:30 PM 28
3 PM Movie Monday: Finding Dory 30	Programming Color Key: Adults Littles Youth Family	All Month Long: Summer Reading Program Begins!! Pick up a SRP calendar from circulation desk. Lunch Every Weekday: 12-12:30PM (Kids) Community-Wide Scavenger Hunt Herb of the Month (Dill) + Nature & Camping Take & Learn			LEVEL UP AT YOUR LIBRARY RAINBOW BOOK MONTH National Immigrant Heritage Month

Carter Lake Public Library

1120 Willow Drive, Carter Lake, IA 51510

Monday - Friday: 10:00AM- 6:00PM Saturday: 10:00 AM-2:00PM Sunday: Closed

Follow us on social media for the latest library updates

Facebook: @carterlake library

Instagram: @carterlakepubliclibrary

www.carterlakelibrary.org

(712) 347-5492

SENIOR CALENDAR

May 2025

**Enjoy games, coffee & conversation M-F
10A-4P
Check out the Fitness/Rec
schedules, too!**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 BINGO 12:30P-2P	3
4	5 BINGO 12:30P-2P	6	7 BINGO 12:30P-2P	8	9 BINGO 12:30P-2P	10 Mother's Day Fair 2-4 P 🍷
11	12 BINGO 12:30P-2P	13 BINGO NIGHT 5P-7P	14 Angel's Care BINGO 12:30P-2P	15	16 BINGO 12:30P-2P	17
18	19 BINGO 12:30P-2P	20 Outing Trip 10:00A-2P	21 BINGO 12:30P-2P	22	23 BINGO 12:30P-2P	24
25	26 CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY	27	28 Archwell BINGO 12:30P-2P	29 Bingo BIRTHDAY NIGHT 5P-7P	30 BINGO 12:30P-2P	31

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 BINGO 12:30P-2P	3	4 BINGO 12:30P-2P	5	6 BINGO 12:30P-2P	7 Fishing Derby 9am-12pm
8	9 BINGO 12:30P-2P	10 BINGO NIGHT 5P-7P	11 BINGO 12:30P-2P	12	13 BINGO 12:30P-2P	14 BBQ Cookoff 12pm
15	16 BINGO 12:30P-2P	17	18 BINGO & LUNCH 12:00P-2P	19	20 BINGO 12:30P-2P	21
22	23 BINGO 12:30P-2P	24	25 BINGO 12:30P-2P	26 Entertainer BIRTHDAY NIGHT 5P-7P	27 BINGO 12:30P-2P	28
29	30 BINGO 12:30P-2P					



Spring

GYM CALENDAR

MON - FRI: 10A-7P
SAT: 10A-2P

APRIL - JUNE

UPDATED 4/28/25

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
10:00 am		PICKLEBALL		PICKLEBALL		PICKLEBALL	CLOSED
11:00 am		PICKLEBALL		PICKLEBALL		PICKLEBALL	CLOSED
12:00 pm							CLOSED
1:00 pm						OPEN GYM/ PICK-UP BBALL	CLOSED
2:00pm						CLOSED	CLOSED
3:00 pm						CLOSED	CLOSED
4:00 pm						CLOSED	CLOSED
5:00 pm	YOUTH SPORT PRAC 5:30	PICKLEBALL	YOUTH SPORT PRAC 5:30	YOUTH SPORT PRAC 5:30		CLOSED	CLOSED
6:00 PM	YOUTH SPORT PRAC	PICKLEBALL	YOUTH SPORT PRAC	YOUTH SPORT PRAC		CLOSED	CLOSED

*Anytime a scheduled event is not occurring (black print) the gym is considered "open gym"



Spring

GROUP FITNESS CALENDAR

UPDATED 4/30/25

MON - FRI: 10A-7P
SAT: 10A-2P

APRIL - JUNE



LOCATION LEGEND:
BLACK TEXT: GF ROOM
BLUE TEXT: FITNESS ROOM

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
5:00 am	BodyPump 5:15		BodyPump 5:15	Shapes 5:15		Closed	Closed
6:00 am						Closed	Closed
7:00 am						BodyPump 7:00am	Closed
8:00 am						Closed	Closed
9:00 am	Silver Sneakers 9:00		Silver Sneakers 9:00		Silver Sneakers 9:00	Closed	Closed
10:00 am							Closed
11:00 AM	Virtual Dance Virtual Sprint	Chair Yoga 11:00	Virtual Dance Virtual RPM	Chair Yoga 11:00	Virtual Dance Virtual Sprint		Closed
12:00 PM							Closed
1:00 PM							Closed
2:00 PM	Virtual BTM 2:30					Closed	Closed
3:00 PM						Closed	Closed
4:00 PM	Virtual BP 4:00	Mindful Meditation	Virtual BTM 4:00	Mindful Meditation	Virtual BP 4:00	Closed	Closed
5:00 PM		Chair Yoga 5:30	Virtual Grit/CORE 5:00	Pound 5:45	Yoga 5:30	Closed	Closed
6:00 PM	Self Defense 6:00	Yoga 6:30	Virtual BA/BC 6:00	BodyBalance 6:30		Closed	Closed

*Anytime a scheduled class is not occurring (black/red print) the Group Fitness room is available for Les Mills On Demand Virtual Fitness. The Fitness room has LM Virtual available

24/7.



How to Protect Your Neighborhood Streams

- Pick up your pet's poop
- Use Phosphorus-Free fertilizers
- Pick up litter in your neighborhood



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Share this post with a photo of your pet and take the pledge to pick up your pet's waste every time!



BagIt



PitchIt



ProtectIt



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We've got a full lineup of fun and engaging events to kick off the season. Starting in early May, swing by to pick up our Coffee Cup Bookmark take-and-make kit, and don't forget to grab a Spice Kit featuring parsley!

Think your trivia knowledge is top-notch? Gather your friends to create a team and join us for Trivia Night hosted by Trivia Mafia on Friday, May 2 at 6 PM. It's sure to be a great time! On Sunday, May 19, the Durham Museum will visit the library for a fascinating presentation on Native American Life—don't miss this enriching experience.

If you've got a favorite sweet or savory side salad, bring it along and share it at our Salad Social on Tuesday, May 21 at 6 PM.

Heads up: there will be no children's programs from May 12–24 while we prepare for the big event - our Summer Reading Program!

Mark your calendars for our Summer Reading Kickoff Party on Friday, May 30 at 6 PM - it's going to be a foam party you won't want to miss!

Our Summer Reading Program kicks off on Monday, June 3rd—and every child who registers will receive a free book! We've got a summer full of exciting programs and events lined up just for kids.

Join us for Interactive Movies every Monday in June and July at 3 PM, and don't miss our creative and hands-on Camp Create activities where kids can make puzzles, bouncy balls, LEGO glasses, STEM projects, and more!

Looking to learn something new? Sign up for a Magic Workshop or try your hand at archery with Pottawattamie County Conservation—right here at the library.

There's so much to do, discover, and explore—we can't wait to see you this summer!



★ ★ ★ CARTER LAKE PUBLIC LIBRARY ★ ★ ★ SRP 2025 SCHEDULE

JUNE 2	3 PM Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs	JULY 7	3 PM Trolls World Tour
JUNE 9	3 PM National Treasure	JULY 14	3 PM Night at the Museum
JUNE 16	3 PM Bee Movie	JULY 21	3 PM The Goonies
JUNE 23	3 PM The Super Mario Bros. Movie	JULY 28	3 PM Encanto
JUNE 30	3 PM Finding Dory	LEVEL UP AT YOUR LIBRARY	



Enjoy movie-filled afternoons with us every Monday at 3 PM throughout the summer. All movies will have fun interactive elements for all to participate in during showings.

ANNUAL CARTER LAKE

YOUTH FISHING DERBY

MABREY PARK

PRIZES:
First Fish
Best Cast
Lucky Bobber
Biggest/Longest
Smallest
Most Caught

JUNE 7, 2025
9am - Noon

Bait and Pole Provided

Carter Lake Community Center
Register At: clcc.activityreg.com

MUST BE
Registered
By June 2nd

CARTER LAKE Community Center

SENIOR PROGRAMS

Become a member and enjoy our welcoming space for the independent Seniors. We offer weekly bingo, card games, senior focus fitness classes, birthday events, entertainment, transportation and more. Get to know your Carter Lake neighbors today!

- Free Membership
- Social Gatherings
- Group Fitness Classes
- Monthly Events
- Meal Assistance
- Group Outings
- Schedule Rides to Appointments

JOIN TODAY

712-847-8565

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BLAZING BUCKETS
IS BACK!!!

SATURDAY JUNE 28TH

REGISTRATION INFO

- \$100 PER TEAM
- 3-5 PLAYERS PER TEAM
- 18 YEARS OR OLDER
- REG DEADLINE: 6/15 (FATHER'S DAY)

TOURNAMENT INFO

THIS IS A 3V3 TOURNAMENT. IT WILL BE A DOUBLE ELIMINATION TOURNAMENT. EACH GAME WILL BE TWO 10-MINUTE HALVES WITH A 5-MINUTE HALFTIME. GAMES SET TO START AT 10:00AM.

REGISTER ONLINE OR IN PERSON AT THE CLCC!

[HTTPS://CLCC.ACTIVITYREG.COM/SELECTACTIVITY_T2_WCS2LEAGUESID_110](https://clcc.activityreg.com/selectactivity_t2_wcs2leaguesid_110)

1120 WILLOW DRIVE
CARTER LAKE, IOWA, 51510
(712) 847-8565
CALL OR VISIT FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFO!

\$\$\$ PRIZE FOR WINNER

CARTER LAKE Community Center

STUDENT SUMMER SPECIAL

\$50 VALUE!

ADULT (COLLEGE) PLAN: \$30 TERM: THRU AUGUST

YOUTH PLAN: \$15 TERM: THRU AUGUST

ALL NEW/RENEWED PLANS GIFTED 10 PUNCH CARD

OFFER VALID MAY 1-31 2025

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**Summer Reading
Kick-off
FOAM PARTY**

PLAY WITH
TONS OF
FOAM!

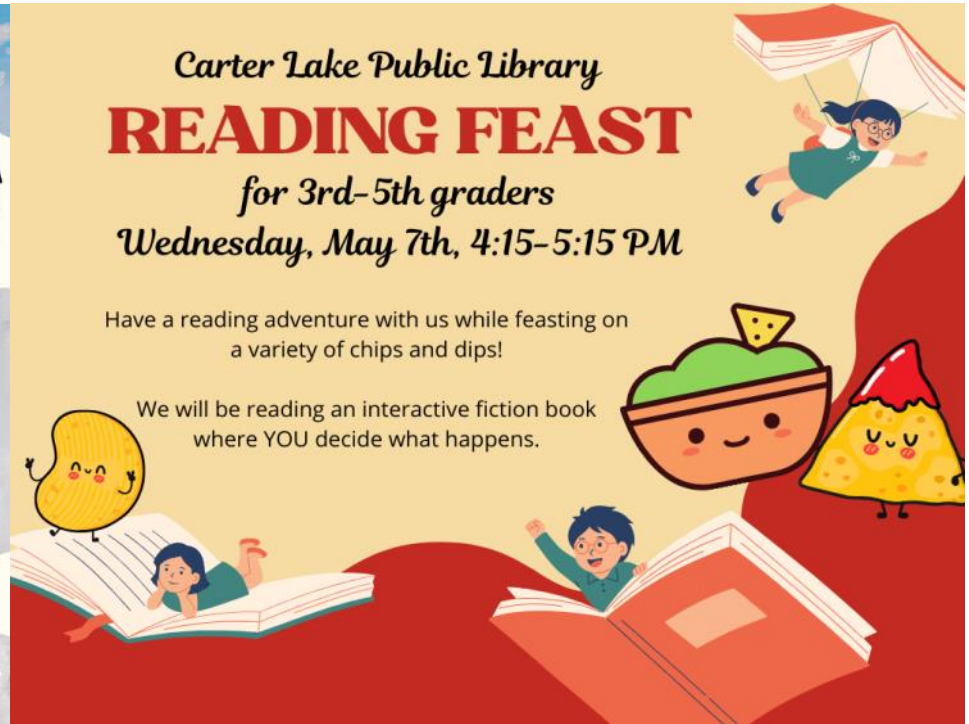
SIGN UP FOR
SUMMER
READING TO
WIN PRIZES!

FRIDAY MAY 30TH AT 6 PM
CARTER LAKE PUBLIC LIBRARY

CARTER LAKE PUBLIC LIBRARY
2001 UNIVERSITY AND LEARNING CENTER BUILDING

LEVEL UP AT YOUR LIBRARY

FUN FOAM PARTY



Carter Lake Public Library
READING FEAST
for 3rd-5th graders
Wednesday, May 7th, 4:15-5:15 PM

Have a reading adventure with us while feasting on a variety of chips and dips!

We will be reading an interactive fiction book where YOU decide what happens.



**Don't wash
your car in
the driveway!**

Soapy runoff flows into storm drains and pollutes local streams. Protect our waters. Use a car wash or wash on your lawn instead.

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Carter Lake Public Library
MESSY Storytime!

Join us for Storytime with Miss Meggie! Read stories, sing songs, play, and join in other fun MESSY activities along the way.

Various dates throughout summer 2025

See our calendar for details: carterlake.org/calendar

LEVEL UP AT YOUR LIBRARY

IF YOU LOVE THEM... LICENSE THEM.

Please register your pets today



TOP REASONS TO LICENSE YOUR ANIMAL:

- It greatly improves your chance of getting your animal back if it goes missing
- It lets police officer know your animal is up to date on its rabies vaccine
- City Ordinance requires dogs and cats be licensed in Carter Lake

\$10 Neutered/Spayed \$15 Non-Spayed

\$5 late fee if registered after March 1st

Proof of current rabies vaccination is **required** with registration



SAVE THE DATES

for our Pollinator Celebration!

We are collaborating with the CL Library for a bigger line-up of opportunities to support our planet's pollinators.

More information will be coming soon.



- June 17** Mr. K - Pollinator Storytime
- June 19** Meggie's Storytime
- June 20** Butterfly House Painting (kids)
- June 21** Recycled Terrariums (adults)
- TBA** Landscape Painting by the Lake
- June 28** Pollinator Workshop



Fire Department

PANCAKE BREAKFAST



7:30 A.M.
NOON

SUNDAY
OCT 6TH

CARTER LAKE FIRE DEPT.
2929 N 9th ST.

ADULTS \$8 SENIORS \$7
SECOND BREAKFAST \$4
KIDS 6-12 \$7 (KIDS UNDER 5 FREE)

Delivery available in Carter Lake (712) 347-5900

CARTER LAKE CITY WIDE GARAGE Sale



To be part of the garage sale list, drop off ad to City Hall no later than April 28 or send via email to

clerk.assistant@carterlake-ia.gov

Include address, dates, times and short list of items