

Carter Lake Newsletter

Hello Carter Lake Citizens!!

I want to say thank you to everyone who helped to make the 2025 Community Day events a huge success! The volunteer Parks Board and committee put in a lot of time and effort and it really showed! Community Days was a great event! This was a full team effort, the Police and Maintenance departments mowed and trimmed the entire parade route. Our Community Center employees prepped the park and managed trash control throughout the day. The Fire Department ran the beer garden. Thank you to Prairie Flower Casino for the donations to make it possible to have live music on stage. It's very nice and I appreciate having a great group of volunteers and employees who went above and beyond their normal daily duties to help make our community a good place to call home! So, if you see any of these people, say thank you and let them know it is greatly appreciated.

The Maintenance Department is currently accepting applications for a full-time position with a list of great benefits. If you would like to be part of the team that keeps the city working, please contact City Hall 712-347-6320. Or apply online at

<https://www.swiowajobs.com/search>

The development project to be located near 9th and K is close to breaking ground. They are in their final planning stages! I will keep you informed of the progress.

The water system improvement project is proceeding on schedule. The plan is to create isolation areas and control minimum water service disruption throughout the community. According to the contractor, the remaining work to be completed should not require city wide overnight shutdowns.

I appreciate your patience and will continue to keep you informed.

Sincerely, Mayor Ron Cumberledge

September is National Library Card Sign-Up Month!

Did you know that kids who are read to at home and use the library tend to perform better in school and are more likely to become lifelong learners? If you don't have a library card yet, stop by Carter Lake Library and join the fun!

We have a full lineup of events this September for all ages:

Book Clubs

- *This Book Club is My Alibi* (Murder Mystery): September 3 at 6:00 PM
- *Boozy Book Club*. September 29 at 6:00 PM – Bring your favorite adult beverage

Creative Events

- *Adult Paint & Sip*. September 12 at 5:30 PM – Registration required
- *Just Crafting' Around* (Charm Bracelets): September 20 – Registration required

Storytime with Mr. K

Join us on September 11 at 10:30 AM for an engaging Storytime session, perfect for young children and their families.

Music Bingo for All Ages

Friday, September 26 at 6:00 PM - A fun evening of music, prizes, and community.

Celebrate the season with books, creativity, and connection. There's always something happening at Carter Lake Library!

City of Carter Lake

950 East Locust Street

Carter Lake, IA 51510

Phone: (712) 347-6320

Fax: (712) 347-5454

Website: www.cityofcarterlake.com

Did you know you can view city council meetings via YouTube?

Find VIDEO on the city website and it will open the YouTube channel.

MAYOR

Ron Cumberledge (712) 847-0532

CITY COUNCIL

Jason Gundersen (402) 680-6555

Victor Skinner (402) 658-1813

Jacob Hanika (402) 690-8847

Jackie Wahl (402) 679-2116

Aaron Grell (402) 677-3631

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

Police (712) 347-5920

Stormwater concerns (712) 347-6320





WASTE CONNECTIONS

Connect with the Future

GARBAGE SERVICE

REMINDERS

CARTER PLACEMENT TIPS

- Close the lid
- At the curb by 6 A.M.
- Place at least 3 feet away from mail-boxes, light poles and other obstacles (see drawing)

DO NOT PLACE THE

FOLLOWING ITEMS IN THE CARTS

- Motor oil, paint, antifreeze, solvents, car batteries, construction materials.

CITYWIDE CLEANUP has ended. Please take advantage of **TWO FREE BULKY WASTE** collections per year. To schedule bulky waste pickup, call (402) 346-7800.

Download the app **WasteConnect** to your smart phone for up to date information.

ACCEPTED RECYCLABLES

Cardboard: broken down, brown paper bags, food and beverage boxes, etc.

Metals: Rinsed food and beverage cans, etc.

Paper: cartons, newspapers, junk mail, magazines, books, etc.

Plastic containers: anything with a twist-off lid, plus margarine and yogurt containers

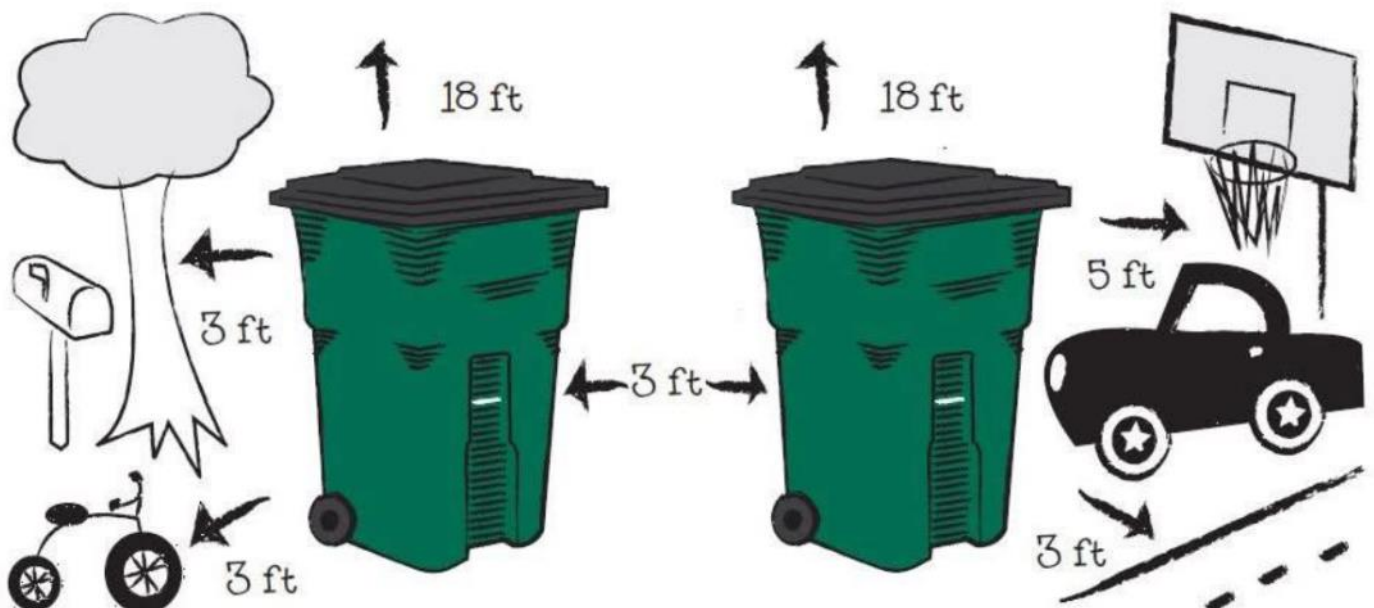
NOT ACCEPTED RECYCLABLES

plastic bags paper towels GLASS
berry containers clothing batteries
to-go containers toys electrical equipment

If you have any questions concerning this program, please contact Waste Connections.

Contact information: Office: (712)-527-5910

Email: Patrick.Moore@WasteConnections.com





MAYOR AND COUNCIL CANDIDATES NEEDED

for the following open seats on the
Carter Lake City Council

Mayor and two Council seats

(4 year terms start serving January 2026)

Affidavit of Candidacy and Nomination
Petition with 13 signatures must be
completed and filed with the City Clerk
before 5 p.m. Thursday, August 28th.

Monday Recycling on RED week in Carter Lake

July						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
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27	28	29	30	31		

October						
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26	27	28	29	30	31	

August						
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September						
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28	29	30				

December						
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Senior Programs Site Council

Seeking New Members

What are the responsibilities of the Site Council?

The council meets monthly to brainstorm and discuss fresh ideas for activities such as outings, entertainments, and much more!

Carter Lake Community Center

1120 Willow, Carter Lake

Call us: (712) 847-8565



SENIOR CALENDAR

August 2025

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

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 BINGO 12:30P-2P	2 LM Launch 9am 
3	4 BINGO 12:30P-2P	5	6	7	8 BINGO 12:30P-2P	9 Splash Dash 11am 
10	11 BINGO 12:30P-2P	12 BINGO NIGHT 5P-7P	13 Angel's Care Classroom 11am BINGO 12:30P	14	15 Movie Night 6pm BINGO 12:30P-2P	16
17	18 BINGO 12:30P-2P	19	20 BINGO & LUNCH 11:45 am	21 Ice Cream  Social 5pm	22 BINGO 12:30P-2P	23
24	25 BINGO 12:30P-2P	26	27 BINGO 12:30P-2P	28 Game Night BIRTHDAY NIGHT 5P-7P	29 BINGO 12:30P-2P	30 CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY
31						

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7	8 BINGO 12:30P-2P	9 BINGO NIGHT 5P-7P	10 BINGO 12:30P-2P	11	12 Movie Night 6P-8P BINGO	13
14	15 BINGO 12:30P-2P	16	17 Angel's Care BINGO & LUNCH 12:00P-2P	18	19 BINGO 12:30P-2P	20
21	22 BINGO 12:30P-2P	23	24 BINGO 12:30P-2P	25 Entertainment BIRTHDAY NIGHT 5P-7P	26 BINGO 12:30P-2P	27
28	29 CHEER SHOWCASE 5PM BINGO	30				

UPDATED 7/17/25

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



Summer

GROUP FITNESS CALENDAR

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

JULY-SEP



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	Gentle Yoga 4:00	Virtual BTM 4:00	Gentle Yoga 4:00	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.



Summer

GYM CALENDAR

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

JULY-SEP

UPDATED 7/29/25

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
10:00 am		PICKLEBALL		PICKLEBALL		PICKLEBALL CHEER	CLOSED
11:00 am		PICKLEBALL		PICKLEBALL		PICKLEBALL CHEER	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		PICKLEBALL	YOUTH VOLLEYBALL**		ADULT VOLLEYBALL**	CLOSED	CLOSED
6:00 PM		PICKLEBALL	YOUTH VOLLEYBALL**		ADULT VOLLEYBALL**	CLOSED	CLOSED

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

**** BEGINS SEP



Senior Shuttle

Plan ahead and call ahead!

MON	TUE
HOME FOOD DELIVERIES & BINGO 1130-1215	APPOINTMENTS SHUTTLE 1230-330

WED	THU	FRI
BINGO SHUTTLE 1130-1215	GROCERY SHUTTLE 1230-330	BINGO SHUTTLE 1130-1215

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YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL

- **Season Dates:** September 6 - October 11
- **Game Days:** Saturday mornings @ IWSP
- **Who Can Join:** Boys & Girls in Pre-K through 4th Grade
- **Registration Fees:** Starting at \$65

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

Registration deadline: August 15th

Contact CLCC (712) 847-8565 | clcc.activityreg.com

CARTER LAKE **YOUTH** SPORTS AGENDA

FOR MORE INFO: CALL/EMAIL LEVI TERRELL AT THE CLCC @ 712-847-8565 OR @ CLCCRECSPORTSMANAGER@CARTERLAKE-IA.GOV

<u>SPORT/ACTIVITY</u>	<u>GRADE LEVEL</u>	<u>REGISTRATION PERIOD</u>	<u>SEASON LENGTH</u>
YOUTH SOCCER	2ND-8TH	AUGUST 1ST-SEPTEMBER 30TH	NOVEMBER/DECEMBER
YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL	PRE K-5TH	JULY 1ST-AUGUST 15TH	AUGUST-OCTOBER
YOUTH BASKETBALL	3RD-6TH	OCTOBER 1ST-DECEMBER 15TH	JANUARY-MARCH
YOUTH VOLLEYBALL	3RD-6TH	JULY 14TH-AUGUST 15TH	SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER
YOUTH CHEERLEADING	K-8TH	JULY 14TH-JULY 23RD	SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER

CARTER LAKE **ADULT** REC SPORTS AGENDA

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<u>SPORT/ACTIVITY</u>	<u>REGISTRATION PERIOD</u>	<u>SEASON LENGTH</u>
FRISBEE GOLF PUTTING LEAGUE	OCTOBER 1ST-31ST	NOVEMBER-DECEMBER
ADULT BASKETBALL	OCTOBER 1ST-DECEMBER 15TH	JANUARY-MARCH
CO-ED VOLLEYBALL	JULY 14TH-AUGUST 15TH	SEPTEMBER 5TH-NOVEMBER 14TH
SLOW-PITCH SOFTBALL	JULY 1ST-AUGUST 6TH	AUGUST 10TH-OCTOBER 12TH
CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT	SEPTEMBER 1ST-OCTOBER 18TH	OCTOBER 25TH

Track & Field Day

Test your skills in:

- 50m sprint
- 200m sprint
- Vertical Jump
- Broad Jump
- Softball throw
- Tug of war

5th -8th grade
(10-13 years)

Monday, August 25th
Starting at 4:00pm
CLCC Track

Registration opens Aug 1

712-847-8565

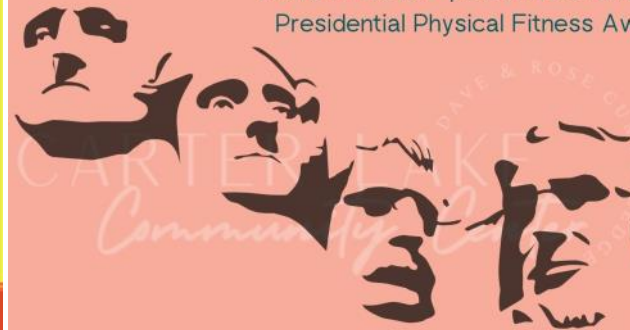
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CARTER LAKE
Community Center

Presidents Fitness Test

Earn the Presidents Award in Physical Fitness

Throwback to 1985 with this physical fitness test, score in the 85th percentile and win the Presidential Physical Fitness Award!



Monday, August 18th
3pm-5pm

CLCC Gymnasium
Ages 6-17 years

Register Aug 1 at:
clcc.activityreg.com
712-847-8565

Distance Run



Push ups



Situps



Pull-ups



Sit and Reach



Shuttle Run



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DISC GOLF SPOTLIGHT

1025 CHALLENGE

During one week in September take up to two opportunities to try the 1025 Challenge to earn a prize

INDOOR PUTTING LEAGUE

Join with friends or solo for 6 weeks of challenges in our indoor facility!

Registration opens Oct 1

MORE INFORMATION

712-847-8565

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1025 Disc Putt Challenge

Test your disc throwing skill on your time!

Stop in during operating hours from Sep 20th -27th to try and get a perfect score!



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Two submissions accepted. Highest score earns a free registration to the Fall Indoor Putting League!

OFFICIAL PARTNERSHIP:



Live healthy. Live long.™



Bring in your Id Card number to get your membership started!

- SilverSneakers: 65+ Medicare-eligible individuals
- Prime: 18+ offered as a fitness benefit through employer

Call in to check your eligibility!

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1120 Willow St Carter Lake, IA 51510



YOUTH SOCCER

NOVEMBER / DECEMBER

6 COMPETITIVE 7V7 GAMES

U9 - U14'S

GAME DAYS: SATURDAY MORNINGS @ IWSP

STARTING AT \$ TBD

REGISTRATION: AUG 1ST

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: SEPT 15TH

Contact CLCC (712) 847-8565 | clcc.activityreg.com



Available Activities
Activities For Everyone!

- Basketball
- Dodgeball
- Gagaball
- Kickball
- Indoor Hockey
- Wiffleball
- Parachute
- Bowling pins
- Hula Hoops
- Floor Scooters
- Foosball
- Bottle Toss
- Tetherball
- Large Jenga
- Pickleball
- Badminton
- Soccer
- Volleyball
- Spikeball
- Cornhole
- Can Jam
- Frisbees
- Disc Golf
- Football
- Bingo
- Agility Training
- Walking
- Croquet
- Ladder Golf
- Bocce Ball
- Washer Toss
- Ring Toss
- Plinko
- Minute to win it
- Puzzles
- Board Games
- Card Games
- Ping Pong
- Shuffleboard

Track
CARTER LAKE Community Center



25% OFF

Holiday Party

RESERVATION PROMO

NEW Members: 25% off reservation
Current Members: 15% off reservation

Valid Sep 1-Sep 30

BOOK NOW

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YOUTH VOLLEYBALL

**\$40 fee
Shirt
Included**

DATE
SEPT 15TH/16TH -
NOV 10TH/11TH

GAME DAY
MONDAY AND/OR
TUESDAY EVENINGS

PRACTICE WILL BE HELD AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 5-7 PM

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 15TH

Contact CLCC (712) 847-8565 | clcc.activityreg.com

YOUTH BASKETBALL

GRADE 3-6

GAMES MON/TUE

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REGISTRATION: OCT 1ST

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: DEC 15TH

PRACTICE WILL BE HELD AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 5-7 PM

CONTACT CLCC (712) 847-8565

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WANTED

ORDINANCE 24.01 | CARTER LAKE, IOWA | JULY 2025

PARKS AND REC BOARD MEMBERS

GUILTY OF: POSITIVE ATTITUDE, NEW IDEAS, TEAM PLAYER, VARIETY OF INTERESTS, DEPENDABILITY, HANDS ON HELPER

ROUNDING UP 2 NEW COMMUNITY MEMBERS TO CONTRIBUTE IDEAS, TALENT, AND TIME TO SUPPORT CITY OF CARTER LAKE ACTIVITIES.

REWARD: BUILD A BETTER COMMUNITY

TIPS OR LEADS CALL 712-847-8565
MUST COMPLETE BOARD INTEREST FORM

Summer MOVIE NIGHTS

Feature Film: **An Extremely Goofy Movie**

Friday August 15th 6pm-8pm

Free Admission! Bring your picnic to the CLCC gym

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