

Spring Clean Up

APRIL

Monday, April 21 * Tuesday, April 22 * Wednesday, April 23

- ◆ Charges will be the same rates as the Butler County Transfer Station
- ◆ Anyone who has items to be picked up must pay the fees and sign their name and articles to be picked up. They will be issued a sticker to be put on articles.
- ◆ The city crew will try to pick up the articles as soon as possible and dispose of them at the county transfer station. This will hopefully keep other people from removing the items from other households and hauling them around town.
- ◆ If you have an item to be picked up by someone other than the city, the disposal fee will not be refunded.
- ◆ There will be NO removal of demolition materials.

LOOKING FOR SHELL ROCK ROYALTY!



The Miss Shell Rock pageant will be on Sunday, May 4th at 3:00 pm at the Boyd Building. Anyone wishing to participate can receive an application from City Hall, by contacting Lindsey Schaedig at 319-231-7697, or downloading forms from the City website at www.shellrockiowa.org.

All participants must live in the Shell Rock school district and have a Shell Rock address, be in the Shell Rock parade, and include a head shot photo. No registration fee. Miss & Mr. Shell Rock contestants must be age 16-20 and have a local business sponsor. A scholarship will be awarded to the crowned King and Queen. Miss Shell Rock will represent at the Butler County Fair.

Little Miss and Mr. contestants must be age 4-7 and will be asked to come on stage to have a conversation with the MC. Winners for Little Miss & Little Mr. will be a random drawing. Everyone is welcome to attend the pageant. Please submit your application by April 17th to City Hall or email lschaedig@icloud.com. A response email will be sent verifying your submission.

The 1ST Responders are kindly asking for a high chair to be donated to the Emergency Services Building. Reach out to City Hall or Chief Jessica Duncan if interested.

SHELL ROCK MUSIC ASSOCIATION PRESENTS DM EVERSON'S SPRING SWING 2025!

60 YEARS OF MAKING MUSIC 1965—2025. Box Office opens March 17th at City Hall 8AM—NOON, 1-4PM Monday through Friday. Tickets are \$10.00 each. Showtimes are Saturday, April 26th 2PM & 4PM and Sunday, April 27th 2PM & 4PM. Show located at the Boyd Building- 303 S Cherry Street. Doors will open one hour before show time!

POOL NEWS

The Shell Rock Aquatic Center will open for the 2025 season on **May 31**. Our last day of the season will be **August 24**. Sign-up for swim lessons will open on May 1, 2025. Pool passes can be requested beginning May 1, 2025.

MAYOR
Mike Klinefelter

COUNCIL MEMBERS

David Beenen
Mark Berglund
Adam Fox
Jared Krull
Garrett Schuldtt

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Director Mike Tellinghuisen
Riley Lubben

LIBRARY
Director Michelle Randolph
Danielle Dickens

FIRE CHIEF
Matt Mohn

1ST RESPONDER CHIEF
Jessica Duncan

COUNCIL MEETINGS
APRIL 8 @ 6:30 P.M.
APRIL 8 @ 7:00 P.M.
APRIL 22 @ 7:00 P.M.

CITY WEBSITE
WWW.SHELLROCKIOWA.ORG

CITY CONTACT
319-885-6555

clerk@shellrockiowa.org

OFFICE CLOSED
APRIL 9-11
IMFOA CONFERENCE

**2024 Water
Quality Report
is available at
City Hall**



**SHELL ROCK AREA
SPORTSMENS CLUB**
**RIBEYE STEAK
SANDWICH SUPPER**

Saturday, April 5, 2025

Serving 4:30p – 7:30p

Boyd Building, Shell Rock

MENU:

Ribeye Steak Sandwich

Baked Beans

Cheesy Potatoes

Lemonade

TAKE OUT AVAILABLE CALL

FREE WILL OFFERING

319-300-5057



Please join us for

A Life Remembered

Recognizing families and friends
who have lost loved ones.

Hosted by: **KAISER CORSON FUNERAL HOMES, INC**

Saturday, April 12, 2025 from 1:45 pm —3:30 pm.

Please RSVP by April 4th to waverly@kaisercorson.com or by calling 319-352-1187.

A short program will begin at 2:00 pm followed by refreshments and visiting.

Kaiser-Corson Funeral Home 218 2nd St. SE, Waverly, IA

WELCOME TO PRESCHOOL



Open House

DATE: APRIL 10TH AT 5:30 PM
SHELL ROCK ELEMENTARY
PLEASE USE THE NORTH ENTRANCE, DOOR 2
214 NORTH CHERRY STREET
SHELL ROCK, IA 50670
319-885-4311

**COME MEET YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER
AND SEE YOUR CLASSROOM!**



SAVE THE DATE

Shell Rock Elementary has openings for the 2025-26 school year in our preschool classroom! Students turning four on or before September 15 are encouraged to register. Both full and half day openings are available. Before and after school may be offered, depending on sufficient interest. For planning purposes, families are encouraged to register by April 15. If interested, the link to the google document is on the City webpage at www.shellrockiowa.org under announcements—WSR Preschool. Questions? Want to learn more? Join us for an Open House on April 10 to tour the classroom and meet our preschool teacher! Or email us at:

preschool@wsr.k12.ia.us

Easter Egg Hunt Fundraiser

Shell Rock 4th of July

\$20 for 20 eggs

There will be one golden egg per child in the house hold!

Eggs will be hidden outside the evening of Saturday April 19th so they are ready for your egg hunters Easter morning. Please ask one of the committee members how you can get signed up!

Briley Miller
319-239-7576
Lindsey Schaedig
319-231-7697

****sign up deadline April 16th!****

Shell Rock Historical Society News

As the 2025 season begins, the Shell Rock Historical Society is calling for bids on lawn mowing and trimming of bushes. We are also seeking bids for repairs to the soffit and trim on the house and porch, including painting of the trim. Please send bids to the Society at P.O. Box 57. The first open house of the season will be May 3rd.

Quilt Show

The Shell Rock Sew N Sews are planning their free to the public annual quilt show at the Boyd Building Saturday May 17th and Sunday May 18th this year. In addition to quilts, we are including embroidered, tatted, crocheted, knitted, and woven projects created or carefully kept by community members. Residents of the Shell Rock community are encouraged to contact Barbara Dilly at 402 968 3654 or stop by our workspace in the Boyd Building on Tuesdays between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. to reserve your space at the show. There are no entry fees or admission fees. Please consider sharing your textile treasures with the community.

Shell Rock-A-Teers 2025 Fundraising Project

Support the Shell Rock-A-Teers 2025 Fundraiser! We're raising funds for a trailer to store the soon to be 160 Avenue of Flags flagpoles as our current bins at Riverside Cemetery are too small. A trailer means faster setup/takedown for this tradition. Donate via check to Shell Rock-A-Teers, PO Box 303, Shell Rock, IA 50670. Thanks for helping.



Avenue of Flags Fundraiser Update

Thanks to the generosity of this community and a \$1000 grant from Butler County Community Foundation, 30 flagpoles have been ordered for the Avenue of Flags. The plan is to hopefully have the additional flagpoles available for Memorial Day. In order to purchase a flagpole and be part of Riverside Cemetery's Avenue of Flags, the deceased veteran needs to have a connection to Shell Rock. If interested in purchasing a flag for a deceased veteran the costs are as follows:

Flagpole with nameplate	\$220
Casket Flag (5 1/2' x 9')	\$80
Purchase both flagpole and flag	\$300



For more information, please contact either Bonnie Lehman @ 319-404-8351 or Melinda Voy @ 319-464-2619

****Quilts of Valor Presentation****

Honoring Local Veterans

Note change in location to Faith Lutheran Church

On April 11, 2025 at 6:00pm at **Faith Lutheran Church**, the community group, Shell Rock-A-Teers QOV, will be honoring the following veterans with a Quilt of Valor:

Mark Berglund	Balinda Block-Eslick	Joseph Lambert
Lance Brown	Robert Johnson	John Marks (Allison)
Frederick Kucko	Bradley Kuethe	Andrew Schrage

The program will involve a free meal at 6:00pm with the Quilts of Valor presentation to follow. All are welcome to attend and support our Shell Rock veterans but we ask that you RSVP as we need to be able to plan the facility set-up and food accordingly. A Quilt of Valor is a quilt which is awarded to veterans as a way to say, "thank you for your service and sacrifice in serving our nation." To date, 83 quilts have been locally awarded.

Rsvp to: Cathey Avery @ 319-415-4576