



January 2023

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Council Meetings are held on the 1st Tues. after the 1st Mon. of every month.

January council meeting will be January 3rd at 7 p.m. in City Hall.

4th of July Fundraiser



The 4th of July Committee is hosting a Chili Cookoff Fundraiser on Saturday, January 7th from 4:00—7:00 at the Boyd Building. Bring your best chili to enter in either a hot, mild or wild card category. \$20 per chili entered with 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place announced in each category. 1st place winners in each category will receive a GOLDEN ladle.

Please register by January 4th with Briley Miller by call/text 319-239-7576. There will be a mild chili served by the committee. You do NOT need to be a Shell Rock resident to participate, all entries are welcome! Free will donation!

Reminder
If a snow emergency is declared it will be on KWWL and KWAY radio. During a snow emergency there is no parking on city streets or city right of way. On Cherry Street from the school to South Street there is no parking from 2-5 a.m.

Reminder that your golf cart registration stickers expired on Dec. 31, 2022.
2023 registration stickers are \$25.00.



Snow Removal

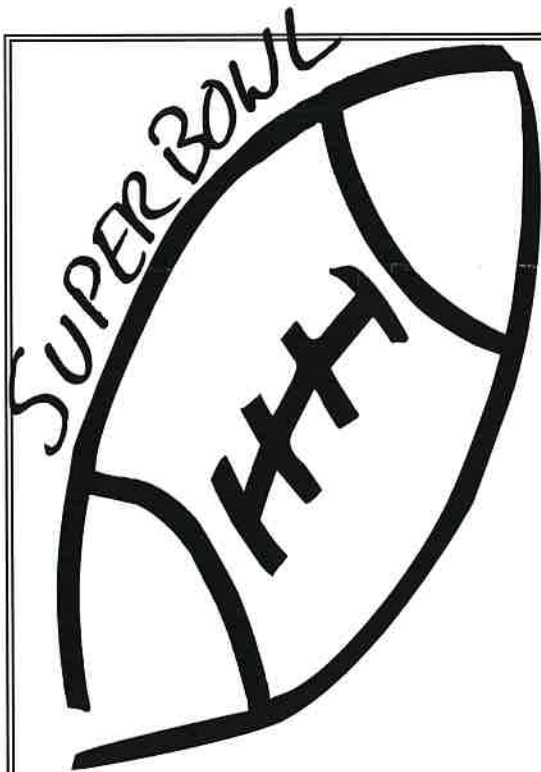
Please remember to remove the snow and ice from your city sidewalk after a snowfall. Also, it would be a great help to the Fire Department to remove the snow from around the hydrants if there is one near or adjacent to your property and a path for the meter reader to read your water meter would be greatly appreciated!!!

Save the Date!!!

Shell Rock Development Corporation will be hosting an Old-Fashioned Square Dance on January 28th at 7:00 PM at the Boyd Building.

Caller Gary Smith will be on hand for easy instruction, entertainment, and fun! Tell your friends and join us. No need to "dress" the part, just come and enjoy yourself. \$5.00 admission. Bring a snack to share if you wish. Beer & pop will be available for recommended donation.

All proceeds will be used for the "Light Up Cherry St. Christmas Lights" Campaign.



Shell Rock Boy Scout Troop 1051 is hosting their Annual Super Bowl Brunch Fundraiser!

Date: Sunday, 02/12/2023

Time: 7:30—11:30 a.m.

Where: Boyd Building, 303 S. Cherry

Menu: Biscuits and Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Cheesy Hashbrown Potatoes, Sausage Links, Pancakes, Coffee, Juice, and Milk.

Cost: Free will donation.

Enjoy a delicious meal and support your local youth!

SHELL ROCK FOLK ARTS SOCIETY Organizational Meeting

I am finally turning my attention to the community folk arts studio space I hoped to get organized before my house fire distracted me. I am inviting local women (and men if they like to do fabric crafts) of all ages to use the old City Hall space I rented in the Boyd Building one day a week to work on their own projects and some for the community. I am suggesting Tuesdays as the day that least conflicts with other events around town from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. There are two extra sewing machines, a cutting table, and other work areas. Most importantly, I am sharing my hoarded fabric for the creation of nap quilts for our town's little ones, bibs for the nursing home, decorator items, and stuffed dolls and animals for the holiday bazaar. I have collected some interesting materials over the years that can make this fun.

You should only need to bring your own thread and patterns if you have them, as well as your own fabrics if you wish. I have lots of fabrics to share. I have some patterns and can make original designs if there is something unusual you want to make. I expect we will do a lot of sharing of resources and skills and create some interesting projects as there is a lot of talent at so many levels in Shell Rock. There is a refrigerator and a microwave as well as a coffee pot for lunches and snacks and we can also bring in crock pots to share. The best part is that it is a cheerful space with natural light. We should be laughing a lot.

The goal is to create a shared space to encourage creativity and more community spirit around the folk arts in Shell Rock. This was always my dream for my retirement years. While the space is not intended to be a retail establishment with regular hours, the city encourages us to use it to sell art and craft items as much as possible to energize the downtown area. There are many creative new endeavors already happening and we can add to it. I envision that we can have a good showing several times a year once we get organized. The city will possibly also allow us to use the larger Boyd Building space for spreading out quilt projects over several tables when we work in the studio. I invite any interested individuals to contact me to attend an organizing coffee and tea meeting on January 10th between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Let me know you are coming so I have enough coffee, tea, and cookies.

Barbara Dilly 402-968-3654 (cell)



