

APRIL 2024



**Shell Rock Area Sportsmen's Club**

RIBEYE STEAK SANDWICH SUPPER

**Saturday, April 13th at 4:30 – 7:30**

Boyd Building

Menu: Ribeye Steak Sandwich, Baked Beans,

Potato Salad, Pasta Salad, Drink

FREE WILL OFFERING

TAKE OUTS AVAILABLE CALL 319-300-5057

**A FEW WORDS...The Mayor's Report**

This late Summer into Fall we are going to upgrade the lagoon system. Also North Cherry Street will be resurfaced from Kwik Star to the corner of Main Street. Then from Main Street (by TP'S Cooler) to just past the Cemetery. Main Street will also have Storm Sewer intakes replaced. No tax increase or bonding will be needed for either of these projects. - Mayor Mike Klinefelter

**Spring Clean Up**

**Monday, April 22 \* Tuesday, April 23 \* Wednesday, April 24**

- ◆ 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.
- ◆ Items should be out to the street no later than Wednesday, April 24, 2024.

**SHELL ROCK MISS, LITTLE MISS, & MR PAGEANT**

The Miss Shell Rock pageant will be on **Sunday, May 5th 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 [www.shellrockiowa.org](http://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 Shell Rock contestants must be age 16-20, be able to represent at the Butler County Fair and have a local business sponsor. 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. Everyone is welcome to attend the pageant. Please submit your application by April 19th to City Hall or email [lschaedig@icloud.com](mailto:lschaedig@icloud.com)

**MAYOR**

Mike Klinefelter

**COUNCIL MEMBERS**

David Beenen  
Mark Berglund  
Adam Fox  
Jared Krull  
Garrett Schuldt

**CITY CLERK**

Jessica Meyer

**PUBLIC WORKS**

Director Mike Tellinghuisen  
Dave Green

**LIBRARY**

Director Deb Nieman  
Michelle Randolph  
Danielle Dickens

**FIRE CHIEF**

Matt Mohn

**1ST RESPONDER CHIEF**

Jessica Duncan

**COUNCIL MEETINGS**

APRIL 2 @ 6:30 P.M.  
APRIL 2 @ 7:00 P.M.  
APRIL 23 @ 7:00 P.M.

**CITY WEBSITE**

[WWW.SHELLROCKIOWA.ORG](http://WWW.SHELLROCKIOWA.ORG)

**CITY CONTACT**

319-885-6555

[CITYOFSR@BUTLER-BREMER.COM](mailto:CITYOFSR@BUTLER-BREMER.COM)

# Honoring Shell Rock Veterans

On April 26, 2024 at 6:00 pm at the Boyd Building,  
eight local veterans will be awarded a Quilt of Valor.

The newly formed community volunteer group, Shell Rock-A-Teers QOV, will be providing a free meal 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 QOV 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 65 quilts have been locally awarded. Each quilt takes between 40-80 hours of craftsmanship to complete and on average six quilts are awarded twice a year.

**Rsvp to: Bonnie Lehman @ 319-404-8351 or Cathey Avery @ 319-415-4576**

## Butler County Kid Fest

Presented by Butler County  
Visions of Wellbeing



**Saturday, April 20**  
**9 a.m. to 11 a.m.**

**North Butler Elementary School**

513 Birch Street, Allison IA

**Games, Balloon Art, Prizes,  
Food and Fun!**

Event sponsored by Community Partnerships for Protecting Children.

**This is a Tobacco and Alcohol Free Event**

**2023 Water Quality Report is  
available at Shell Rock City Hall.**

Golf Cart Permits  
are \$25.00 each

The **Shell Rock SEW & SEW's**  
are having a free quilt show on  
Saturday, April 20th from 10 am - 5 pm  
&  
Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup> from Noon - 5 pm at  
the Boyd Building.

We are sharing our quilts of all sorts  
and would like you to share yours with  
us too. This includes wall hangings,  
table runners, community service  
projects, antiques, and keepsakes. We  
would like a note with details about  
your quilt, who made it, when, fabric  
used, and name. You are also invited to  
be available to talk about your quilts on  
the days of the show. All quilts will  
need to be picked up by 6 pm on  
Sunday.

Please contact Barbara Dilly  
402-968-3654 with questions.





# Riverside Cemetery

## Clean-up

The Riverside Cemetery Board will hold its annual Cemetery grounds clean-up on **April 19, beginning at 2:00pm**. Focus this year will be on tree trimming and general grounds clean-up. Everyone is welcome, especially all pole saws and tree trimmers!

*Questions, contact Robyn Holden @ 319-830-6422.*

### Shell Rock City Wide Garage Sale

Saturday July 6th, 2024 8am-2pm! Fill out the below information and email to shellrock4thofjuly@outlook.com or mail to PO BOX 112 Shell Rock, IA 50670. Dead line is Friday, June 14th. Please note, what you write is exactly what will be put in the flyer.

Name (will not be added to the flyer): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number for questions: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) and time(s) (if different from Saturday hours): \_\_\_\_\_

Brief description of what you are selling: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## I have an old US Flag - what should I do?

For a while now, there has been a need for a central location for people to turn in flags that need to be retired. As resolved by the American Legion in 1937, the burning of retired US Flags is a dignified tribute to the flag and to its symbolism. The flag is representative of the country, and the people should look upon it as a living being.

The Shell Rock-A-Teers' have recently met this need by having a container made and placed on the Washington Street side of the Boyd Building. We'd like to thank Chris Lubben and Unverferth for the construction of the box and for donating the labor and materials, as well as to the City for the installation.

We invite anyone in the community to attend the American Legion's flag burning ceremony every July 4th weekend - usually held during Sunday in the Park festivities.



The **Shell Rock Historical Museum** will open for the 2024 season, on Monday, May 27, from 12 to 4 pm. Everyone is welcome and there is no admission charge.

Regular open days for the 2024 season will be the second Saturday in each month, June through September. June 8 will be the first Saturday to be open. The museum will be open on Saturdays from 10 am to 2 pm.

Bring your children and grandchildren to see old school annuals; pictures of classes at the school, souvenirs from businesses that had operated in SR, and many other interesting items. Everyone is welcome and lots of things to tell your family about. We hope to see you.

**NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK**  
**OPEN HOUSE**  
**APRIL 9-12**



**JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE OUR LIBRARY**  
**WE WILL HAVE REFRESHMENTS & COOKIES**  
**ALL WEEK**



**TO MAKE ROOM FOR NEW BOOKS WE WILL BE HAVING A SALE ON SOME OF OUR BOOKS. FILL A BAG FOR \$5**

**APRIL 10TH**  
**3:00-3:30**  
**KIDS BINGO**

**ANY AGE-PARENTS**  
**MUST ATTEND**



**APRIL 11**  
**4:30-5:30**  
**ADULT BINGO**

