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This free activity and attractions guide will give you an inside look at all the great things happening in Wright County from March 2020 to February of 2021. We hope you will mark them on your calendar and join in on the fun. While you're out and about, don't forget to try out our many great restaurants, shop our local retailers, and find a nice place to rest your head. This guide can give you the information to all of them and so much more.

So what are you waiting for? Let your adventure begin in Wright County today...and tomorrow...and all year long.

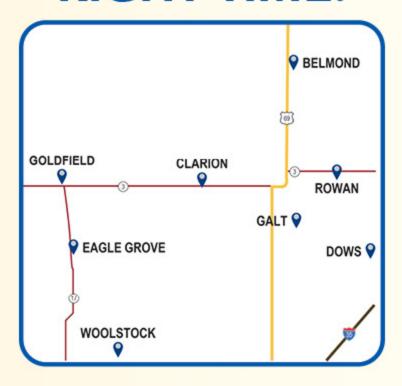
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TOP, FROM LEFT: Tatum Warnke, Wright County Fair; Three Rivers Trail; Clarion Farmers Market; Ava Kienzle sledding in Eagle Grove.

BOTTOM: Kendra Schild, Mollie Demory, Caitlin Christopher, Eagle Grove Family Aquatic Center.

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ONGOING EVENTS

Iowa Specialty Hospital Auxiliary's community Blood Drives in Clarion:

First Tuesday of every month from 1-6 p.m. at United Presbyterian Church. Schedule appointments online at www.lifeservebloodcenter.org or by calling 800-287-4903.

First Friday of each month: First Friday Coffee Break in Eagle Grove. For more information, contact Eagle Grove Chamber, 515-448-4821 or www.eaglegrove.com

Third Wednesday of each month:

Clarion Chamber Coffees. Hosted by a different Chamber business each month. 7:30-9 a.m. Great networking opportunity for members or potential members. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Third Thursday of each month: Third Thursdays on Broadway in Eagle Grove. Contact Eagle Grove Chamber 515-448-4821 or visit our website www.eaglegrove.com for more information.

Dows Public Library story times:

October-March; first and third Wednesday morning from 9:15-10 a.m. 515-852-4326.

APRIL, 2020

Sometime in April: Heartland Museum's Volunteer Appreciation/ Fashion Show, 515-602-6000.

Every Tuesday in April: Wiggles & Giggles Storytime, 10-10:45 a.m. at Belmond Public Library, 641-444-4160.

Monday, April 1: Golf in Wright County. Weather permitting. All five golf courses in Wright County open for the season. Located in/near Belmond, Clarion, Dows, Goldfield and Eagle Grove.

Friday, April 3: Annual Dows Stag at Dows Community Center. Shannon Muhlenbruch, 515-852-4156

Friday, April 3: Clarion VFW Annual Fish Fry, 5-7 p.m. at VFW Hall. Dennis Mraz, 515-532-3330.

Sunday, April 5: Knights of Columbus Omelet Breakfast, 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, Belmond. Saturday, April 11: Dows Easter Egg Hunt at Dows Playground Park. In case of bad weather, event will be held at Dows Community Center.

Saturday, April 11: Woolstock Easter Egg Hunt. Two hunts by ages at City Park and Athletic Park. Josh and Yolanda Amonson, 319-290-7479.

Saturday, April 11: Belmond's Easter Egg Hunt at Belmond City Park, 9 a.m. Sponsored by Belmond Sororities. Contact Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937.

Some Saturday in April: Goldfield Easter Egg Hunt, 9 a.m. at Old School Park, sponsored by Goldfield Women's Club.

Some Saturday in April: Easter Egg Hunt at Greenwood Park, Eagle Grove. For ages 10 and under. For more information, contact Eagle Grove Chamber at 515-448-4821 or www.eaglegrove.com.

Tuesday, April 14: Clarion-Goldfield-Dows Middle School Job Shadow Day. Alison Friesleben, 515-532-2412

Friday-Sunday, April 17-19, 24-26:

Iowa River Players presents "Squabbles" a comedy. Community Theatre, 901
Broadway, Rowan. 7:30 p.m. curtain with Sunday matinee, 2 p.m. Contact LuAnne Krabbe, 319-231-7828.

Tuesday, April 21: Brad Wilkening presents Lessons of the Holocaust, 6:30 p.m. at Belmond Public Library, 641-444-4160.

Tuesday, April 21: Eagle Grove Ladies' Night Out. A night of dining and fun. Working Woman of the Year Award given to woman nominated by her peers. For more information, contact Eagle Grove Chamber, 515-448-4821 or www.eaglegrove.com.

Saturday, April 25: Clarion-Goldfield-Dows Junior and Senior Prom. High school, contact 515-532-2895.

Saturday, April 25: Eagle Grove Junior & Senior Prom Grand March at Robert Blue Middle School. 515-448-5143.

Monday-Saturday, April 27-May 2:

Clarion Lottery. Shop local and receive entries into the Clarion Lottery which will award "huge" prizes! Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Wednesday, April 29: Iowa Specialty Hospital Auxiliary's Scrubs & Uniform Sale, 7 a.m.-2 p.m. at ISH Clarion Board Room. Contact Jordan Marker, 515-532-9328.

Thursday, April 30: Ladies Night Out in Clarion, 4:30-7:30 p.m. at Retail Businesses. Great night of shopping and socializing. Double entries into the Clarion Lottery on this night. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Thursday-Saturday, April 30-May 2: Eagle Grove City-wide Garage Sales. Sponsored by the Eagle Grove Eagle, 515-448-4821.



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Clarion Annual Garage Sales

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Saturday, May 2: Thanks with Franks and Belmond City-wide Garage Sales.

Sponsored by Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937.

Saturdays, May 2, 9, 16, 23:

Dramapalooza workshops. Iowa River Players, 901 Broadway, Rowan, 10-11 a.m. (Performance at Rowan Fun Day, Saturday, June 6). Register online at www.iowariverplayerstheater.org. Contact LuAnne Krabbe, 319-231-7828. Wednesday, May 6: Spring Salad Luncheon at First Lutheran Church, 420 First Street NW, Clarion, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m Joyce Charlson, 641-444-4497.

Wednesday-Saturday, May 6-9: Eagle Grove Citywide Clean Up Days. City Hall, 515-448-4343.

Friday, May 8, 6:30 p.m. and Saturday, May 9, 11:30 a.m.: Auditions for Iowa River Players' "Robin Hood and the Babes in the Woods" at the Community Theatre, 901 Broadway, Rowan. 10

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principal parts wanted plus extras. Open to all ages. Contact LuAnne Krabbe, 319-231-7828.

Friday-Saturday, May 8-9: Clarion's Annual GARAGE SALES. Sponsored by Wright County Monitor, 515-532-2871.

Wednesday, May 13: Spring Salad Luncheon at St. John's Catholic Church, Clarion, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Includes farmers' market and bake sale. Monica Staudt, 515-825-3809.

Wednesday, May 13: Clarion-Goldfield-Dows High School Baccalaureate and Awards Night, Clarion-Goldfield High School gym at 7 p.m. High School Office, 515-532-2895.

Wednesday, May 13: Eagle Grove Baccalaureate and Senior Night, Robert Blue Middle School Auditorium, 515-448-5143.

Wednesday, May 13: Belmond-Klemme High School Baccalaureate at B-K High School, 641-444-4300.





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Thursday, May 14: Collective Goods sale fundraiser (formerly "Books R Fun"). Sale on books, electronics, home goods, kids' gifts and more. Iowa Specialty Hospital Clarion Boardrooms. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Jordan Marker, 515-532-9328.

Sunday, May 17: Clarion-Goldfield-Dows High School Graduation, Clarion-Goldfield High School gym, 2 p.m. in the High School Gym, 515-532-2895.

Sunday, May 17: Eagle Grove High School Graduation, Eagle Grove Elementary School Gym, 2 p.m.

Sunday, May 17: Belmond-Klemme High School Graduation, Belmond-Klemme High School, 641-444-4300.

Thursday, May 21: Trivia Night, 6:30 p.m. at Belmond Public Library, 641-444-4160.

Friday, May 22: Heartland Museum's Opening Event, 515-602-6000.

May 23 - September 7: Heartland Museum open set hours Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 515-602-6000.

Monday, May 25: Memorial Day American Legion Pancake Breakfast, Clarion-Goldfield-Dows High School from 7-9:30 a.m.

Monday, May 25: Memorial Day Services. Clarion-High School gym, 10 a.m., Dean Kluss, 515-835-0502.

Monday, May 25: Memorial Day Service, Belmond-Klemme High School gym, 11 a.m.

Monday, May 25: Memorial Day Services at Goldfield Cemetery by Goldfield American Legion, 10 a.m. Brad Crees, 515-293-0955.

Monday, May 25: Memorial Day Services at Fairview Cemetery in Dows, 10:30 a.m. (Popejoy at 9 a.m.) If rain, event at Convention Center in Dows. Bill Chambers, 515-689-3961.

Monday, May 25: Rowan Memorial Day Services; Lions Club Pancake & Egg Breakfast 7-9 a.m. at Rowan Events Center; Legion Memorial Day Services, 10 a.m. at Graceland Cemetery. Lee Aldrich, 515-571-3286.

Monday, May 25: Memorial Day Services at Eagle Grove Rose Hill Cemetery. Sunday, May 31 – June 28: Staci A. Miller, photographer, exhibit at Jenison-Meachem Memorial Arts Center. Open every Sunday from 1:30-4:30 p.m. or by appointment. Reception with Staci on Sunday, May 31. Contact 515-571-3595.

Every Saturday from May 30 until October, excluding July 4: Clarion Farmer's Markets in the Wright County Courthouse Square from 9-11 a.m. Billy Zeiger Katschke, 515-851-0567.

JUNE, 2020

Sometime in June: Eagle Grove Annual Chamber Golf Outing. Prizes, make plans to attend. Contact Eagle Grove Chamber, 515-448-4821 or www.eaglegrove.com for information.

Sometime in June: Eagle Grove Chamber Mix, 6 p.m. For more information, contact Eagle Grove Chamber, 515-448-4821 or visit our website www.eaglegrove.com.

June and July: Summer Reading Programs at Wright County Public Libraries. This year's theme is "Imagine Your Story." Contact Belmond, 641-444-4160; Clarion, 515-532-3673; Dows, 515-852-4326; Eagle Grove, 515-532-448-4115 or Rowan, 641-853-2327 for details, dates and times. Look for other events/activities throughout the year.

Every Wednesday from June 3 until Aug. 12, excluding July 8: Clarion Farmer's Markets in the Wright County Courthouse Square from 4-6 p.m. Billy Zeiger Katschke, 515-851-0567.

Friday-Sunday, June 5-7: FREE FISHING in Iowa. No fishing licenses required for any Iowa resident. Enjoy fishing at its finest at one of Wright County's lakes or rivers. For more information, Wright County Conservation office, 515-532-3185.

Saturday, June 6: Garage Sales around Lake Cornelia. Lake Cornelia Association, Lavon Marshall, 515-851-0790.

Saturday, June 6: Rowan 'FUN DAY' sponsored by Rowan Improvement Foundation. Lots of fun events, walk/run, activities, food, beginning with an early morning breakfast, Rowan Events Center. Contact Lennea Groom, 515-293-1657.



SUMMER FUN

Wright County Aquatic Centers or Swimming Pools open on/ near Memorial Day weekend (weather permitting) and when school is out for the year. Closing for the season on/near Labor Day.

BELMOND AQUATIC CENTER

641-444-3389 or 641-4443386

CLARION AQUATIC CENTER 515-532-2315 or 515-532-2847

EAGLE GROVE AQUATIC CENTER 515-448-4672

DOWS SWIMMING POOL 515-852-4644 or 515-852-4327

Check city halls for complete details on hours, fees, schedules, availability for private parties.

Saturday, June 6: Dramapalooza Performance by Iowa River Players, 901 Broadway, Rowan. IRP will host a face painting booth at the Rowan Fun Day. Contact LuAnn Krabbe, 319-231-7828.

Saturday, June 6: Belmond Summer Market at City Park, 9-11 a.m. 641-444-3937.

Saturday, June 6: Heartland Museum presents Orphan Trains Lunch & Lecture. Learn how the trains impacted our communities. Lunch at 12:30 p.m. 515-602-6000.



Fishing at Lake Cornelia

Monday-Friday, some week the beginning of June or July: Vacation Bible School at United Presbyterian Church, Goldfield. 9-11:30 a.m. each day. Classes for 3-year-olds through fifth grade. Diane Kraft, 515-825-3581.

Tuesday, June 9: Jason Kollum "See the Show! Become the Pro!" Juggling show, 3-4 p.m. at Belmond Public Library, 641-444-4160.

Tuesday, June 9: Jason Kollum "See the Show! Become the Pro!" Juggling show. Clarion Public Library's first summer reading program at 5:30 p.m. Contact library, 515-532-3573.

Friday-Sunday, June 12-14: Festival in the Park, Clarion's Annual Celebration. Join in the fun! Friday is Family Fun Night, 5-8 p.m. at Gazebo Park, featuring kids' games, entertainment, balloon

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animals, face painting, trikes, and more! The 5K walk/run is also Friday night. Saturday begins with the firemen's breakfast, parade, craft vendor show, and food vendors with musical entertainment in the park from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Then, catch the community-wide church service at Gazebo Park on Sunday. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Monday-Tuesday, June 15 – 16: "The Nutman Company" Fundraiser Sale on assorted nuts, candy's and goodies! Time TBD. Located At Iowa Specialty Hospital ER/Outpatient Waiting Room. Contact Jordan Marker, 515-532-9328.

Thursday, June 18: Trivia Night, 6:30 p.m. at Belmond Public Library, 641-444-4160.

Thursday, June 18: Clarion Public Library's summer reading program "Gardening" with Wright County Farm Bureau, 10:30 a.m. Contact the library at 515-532-3573.





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JUNE, 2020 continued

Friday-Saturday, June 19-20: Eagle Grove's Annual SUMMERFEST -It's Eagle Grove's annual community celebration. Activities for the whole family, capped off by a concert and party with the Pork Tornadoes on Saturday, June 20, 2020 from 8-11 p.m. For the first time ever, the Summerfest concert will take place at the beautiful Wright County Fair Grounds on the new James R. Johnson Stage. 18-years and up may attend, 21 and over to drink alcohol, proof of ID required for both. Sponsored by the Eagle Grove Chamber of Commerce. For more information, contact Eagle Grove Chamber, 515-448-4821 or www.eaglegrove.com.

Saturday, June 20: Annual Family Fun Kite Day, Jenison-Meachem Memorial Arts Center. Contact 515-571-3595.

Wednesday, June 24: Clarion Public Library summer reading program, Wright County Conservation, 2:15 p.m. Contact the library, 515-532-3573.

Wednesday, June 24: "Supper's On!" at United Presbyterian Church, Goldfield. 6-7 p.m. Free community meal, menu to be determined. Diane Kraft, 515-825-3581.

Sunday, June 28: Sunday, Aug. 16:

Lake Cornelia Services (8 weeks). Open Air Shelter, north side of the lake, 8 a.m. Clarion Church of Christ, 515-532-3273.

Tuesday, June 30: Clarion Public Library summer reading program "Big Bang Bubbles" with Rick Brammer, 3 p.m. Contact the library, 515-532-3573.

JULY, 2020

Wednesday, July 1: "Blank Park Zoo" summer reading program (plus crafts and games) at Dows Public Library; 10 a.m.-12 p.m., 515-852-4326.

Friday, July 3: Fireworks in the evening at Lake Cornelia. Lake Cornelia Association, Lavon Marshall, 515-851-0790.

Friday, July 3: Salad Luncheon with Belmond Fourth of July events at VFW Hall, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. sponsored by St. Olaf Lutheran Church. For information call Cindy Pogge at 515-571-2827.

Friday, July 3: Iowa Specialty Hospital's Kiddie Parade and Carnival, Belmond. Friday, July 3: Belmond Firecracker 5K. Sponsored by Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce. Call for more information, 641-444-3937.

Saturday, July 4: Belmond's Annual Fourth of July celebration with parade, lots of activities and events including kickball; basketball tourney; walk/run; free swimming at the Belmond pool; fireworks in the evening. Sponsored by Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937.

Saturday, July 4: Independence Day Activities at Lake Cornelia. Pancake breakfast, games and contests in the afternoon, and boat parade! Lake Cornelia Association, Lavon Marshall, 515-851-0790.

Sunday, July 5 – Aug. 2: Belmond Summer Student Art Exhibit at Jenison-Meachem Memorial Arts Center. Open every Sunday from 1:30-4:30 p.m. or by appointment. Reception with the artists on Sunday, July 5. Contact 515-571-3595.

July 6-25: Heartland Museum presents Iowa stoneware and brick display. Lunch and Lecture will be scheduled during July, 515-602-6000.

Wednesday, July 8: Wright County
Fair Parade – over 100 entries the past
five years! Proceed through downtown
Eagle Grove ending at the Wright
County Fairgrounds; begins at 6 p.m.
Sponsored by the Eagle Grove Chamber
of Commerce.

Wednesday, July 8: Summer reading program at Dows Public Library, 10 a.m. - noon, 515-852-4326.

Wednesday, July 8: Clarion Public Library summer reading program Wright County Conservation, 2:15 p.m. Contact library, 515-532-3573.

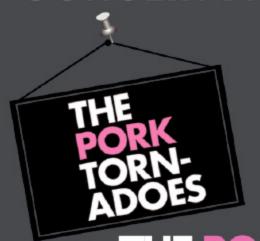
Wednesday - Monday, July 8 - July 13: Wright County District Junior Fair. Long standing tradition of being one of the best FREE gate, FREE parking fairs in the state, a county wide event exhibiting projects of Wright County as well as several adjoining counties youth and adults. With unbelievable 4-H and FFA livestock shows, a full schedule of free stage acts including a program to honor Veterans on our BRAND NEW FREE STAGE: commercial booth vendors; Kids Zone; plus a wide variety of ever popular food vendors. For a small price, watch grandstand events: Midwest Pullers Association Truck Pulls, All American Lumberjack Show with Lumberjack Camp to follow, and Wright Rodeo with fireworks on the final night. The Wright County Fair is a great opportunity to show our 'County Pride -County Wide' - you don't want to miss it! Contact Tricia Rosendahl, manager, 515-448-3351, www.wrightcofair.com for a complete listing of events.

Friday, July 17: Belmond Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing - Sponsored by Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937.



Festival in the Park - Clarion

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JULY, 2020 continued

Friday-Sunday, July 17-19, 24-26:

Iowa River Players presents "Robin Hood and the Babes in the Woods" Community Theatre, 901 Broadway, Rowan. 7:30 p.m. curtain with Sunday matinee, 2 p.m. Contact LuAnne Krabbe, 319-231-7828.

Saturday & Sunday, July 18 & 19:

Pride in the Heartland Truck Show – Main Street Clarion. Music, food, and auctions. Trophies and Cash Prizes awarded. Sponsored by Ennis Corp, 800-247-4804.

Sunday-Thursday, July 19-23:

Clarion's Ecumenical Vacation Bible School - Nikki Conlon, 515-532-2845

Wednesday, July 22: Pool Party summer reading program with Dows Public Library, 515-852-4326.

Thursday, July 23: Trivia Night, 6:30 p.m., Belmond Public Library, 641-444-4160.

Friday, July 24: First Citizens Bank Customer Appreciation Lunch on the Wright County Courthouse Square, 515-532-2841.

Friday-Saturday, July 24-25: Clarion's Ridiculous Dayz. Bargains, food and lots of fun! Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development, www.clarioniowa.com or 515-532-2256.

Friday-Sunday, July 24-26: Goldfield's Fountain City Days. Food, fun and festivities in Goldfield. Many activities on Saturday, July 25, including pancake breakfast sponsored by American Legion. See www.facebook.com/GoldfieldHappenings for more information. Megan Fiscus, 515-298-0838.

Saturday, July 25: Lunch and pie stand at Old School Park during Goldfield's Fountain City Day. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Sponsored by Goldfield United Presbyterian Women. Diane Kraft, 515-825-3581.

Thursday-Saturday, July 30 – Aug. 1: Eagle Grove City-wide Garage Sales. Sponsored by the Eagle Grove Eagle, 515-448-4821.

Friday-Sunday, July 31 – Aug. 2: Dows CORN DAYS. Annual tradition of its three-day celebration continues. Many of

the events center at the downtown city park with entertainment, food, exhibits, rides for the kids; enjoy the 5K fun walk/run, parade, and the Dows Historical buildings. Days kick off with a Texas Jam on Friday night in the gazebo. Visit the Dows Mercantile; Welcome Center; rural schoolhouse; and/or Quasdorf Blacksmith Museum. Sunday ecumenical church service. Contact Bev Lange, 515-852-4623 or City Hall, 515-852-4327.

Some date in July: Clarion Public Library ends its summer reading program with a free movie at the Clarion Theatre. Contact library for details, 515-532-3573.

AUGUST, 2020

Saturday, Aug. 1: Belmond Summer Market at City Park, 9-11 a.m. 641-444-3937.

Saturday, Aug. 1: Woolstock, Conquer The GauntletTM the most EXTREME 4 miles on the planet. Race through grueling terrain and CONQUER over 25 of the largest, most unique, and challenging obstacles on earth! Do you have what it takes to Conquer The GauntletTM? More information go to conquerthegauntlet.com/iowa-2020.

Sunday-Monday, Aug. 8-9: Iowa River Players "Frankenstein" Auditions. Community Theatre, 901 Broadway, Rowan. 5:30 p.m. four men and four women needed. Contact LuAnne Krabbe, 319-231-7828.

Wednesday, Aug. 12: Final Wednesday Clarion Farmer's Market, Wright County Courthouse Square from 4-6 p.m. Billy Zeiger Katschke, 515-851-0567.

Thursday, Aug. 13 – Sunday, Aug. 23: Iowa State Fair, Des Moines.

Friday, Aug. 14: Clarion Chamber's Annual Golf Outing at Clarmond Country Club. Join us for the our fourth annual event. Golfers will enjoy a funfilled day of competition, socializing, food, awards, and prizes. This year it will be an 18-hole tournament. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Friday-Sunday, Aug. 14-16: Prairie Homestead Antique Power & Craft Show. Jenison-Meachem Memorial Art Center, Belmond. Features: Minneapolis Moline Tractors and Equipment; all



Watermelon Feed at Wright County Fair



makes and models of garden tractors; Stock Antique Tractor Pull (Saturday); Musical entertainment by Brad Revland (Friday); Flash in a Pan (Saturday); Mockingbirds (Sunday); Cowboy Church at 8:30 a.m. Sunday. Sponsored by Belmond Area Arts Council. www.belmondartscenter.org. Contact Dave Nelson, 515-571-6838 or 641-444-4635.

Thursday, Aug. 20: Trivia Night, 6:30 p.m., Belmond Public Library, 641-444-4160.

Saturday, Aug. 29: Annual Shrimp Fest, Dows Community Center. Contact Mikyla Hefti, 515-852-4156.

Saturday, Aug. 29: Whiskers & Wags event at Fareway parking lot in Belmond, Brother's Market parking lot in Clarion, and Fareway parking lot in Eagle Grove, 10 a.m. Collecting donated dog food, cat food and kitty litter. Sponsored by Humane Society of Wright County, 515-571-3129

Sunday, Aug. 30 – September 27: Dave K. Young, fine artist, exhibit. Jenison-Meachem Memorial Arts Center. Open every Sunday from 1:30-4:30 p.m. or by appointment. Reception with the artist on Sunday, Aug. 30. Contact 515-571-3595.



Wright County Fair

Sometime in August: Red Apple
Luncheon, Robert Blue Middle School
in Eagle Grove at noon; sponsored by
Eagle Grove Ambassadors; meet/greet
new teachers/welcome returning teachers
to Eagle Grove. Contact Eagle Grove
Chamber 515-448-4821 or visit our
website www.eaglegrove.com for more
information

Sometime in August or September:

"Have Lunch With Us" at First National Bank, Clarion and Eagle Grove locations, 515-448-5111.

SEPTEMBER, 2020

Tuesday, Sept. 1: Time to join 4-H youth and adult volunteers. Enroll online. Wright County Extension Office, Jessica Norman, 515-532-3453

Wednesday, Sept. 2: Fall Salad Luncheon, serving from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; First Lutheran Church, 420 First Street NW, Clarion, Joyce Charlson, 641-444-4497.

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Thursday-Saturday, Sept. 3-5:

Highway 3 Corridor Yard Sales; Wright, Franklin and Butler Counties. Find garage and yard sales across Wright, Franklin, and Butler Counties. Contact Franklin County, 641-456-5668; Wright County, 515-532-2256; or Butler County, 319-267-2858.

Thursday-Saturday, Sept. 3-5: United Church of Rowan Highway 3 Corridor Yard Sales, includes bake sale and lunch counter; 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday; 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. Saturday. Lennea Groom, 515-293-1657.

Wednesday, Sept. 9: A Meal on Main. Join in the fun for the third event, featuring local food, art, and music! Reserve a seat at the table, right down Clarion's Main Street! Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com. 515-532-2256.

Saturday, Sept. 19: Fall Festival in Belmond. Belmond Main Street, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Sponsored by Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937.



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SEPTEMBER, 2020 continued

Saturday, Sept. 19: Lap of the Lake at Lake Cornelia, 10 a.m. Walk your dog around the lake. Proceeds will be used to purchase pet food for the Humane Society's adoptable dogs and cats. Sponsored by Humane Society of Wright County, 515-571-3129

Sunday, Sept. 20: Swiss Steak Dinner and Raffle, St. John Catholic Church in Clarion, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Carry outs available, also home deliveries. Contact Chris Leichsenring, 515-293-1312.

Wednesday, Sept. 23: See You At The Pole. Student-led prayers at school flag poles across the nation.

Sunday, Sept. 27: Rowan Lions' Club Annual Chicken BBQ, Rowan Event Center. Serving starts at 11 a.m. 515-571-3286.

Wednesday, Sept. 30: "Supper's On!" at United Presbyterian Church, Goldfield, 6-7 p.m. Free community meal, menu to be determined. Diane Kraft, 515-825-3581.

OCTOBER, 2020

Every Tuesday in Oct.: Wiggles & Giggles Storytime, 10-10:45 a.m. at Belmond Public Library, 641-444-4160.

Saturday, Oct. 3: Final Clarion Farmer's Market for the season. Wright County Courthouse Square from 9-11 a.m. Billy Zeiger Katschke, 515-851-0567.

Saturday, Oct. 3: Fall Festival & Family Fun Fest, Swimming Pool Park, 1-4 p.m. Sponsored by Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937.

Saturday, Oct. 3: St. Olaf Lutheran Church lunch, vendor fair, crafts and bake sale begins at 10 a.m. For more information call Cindy Pogge at 515-571-2827 or 641-762-3306.

Sunday, Oct. 4-25: Prairie Homestead Quilters Guild Exhibit, Jenison-Meachem Memorial Arts Center. Open every Sunday from 1:30-4:30 p.m. or by appointment. Reception with the guild Oct. 4. Contact 515-571-3595.

Oct. 4-10: National 4-H Week. Wright County Extension Office, youth director, 515-532-3453

Tuesday, Oct. 6: Collective Goods sale fundraiser (formerly "Books R Fun"). Sale on books, electronics, home goods, kids' gifts and more. Iowa Specialty Hospital Clarion Boardrooms, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Jordan Marker, 515-532-9328.

Sunday, Oct. 11: Fall Community Day at The Barn at Walton Farms. A great day to spend outside among pumpkins, a corn maze, face painting, kids' games, rustic buys, and more! Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Friday-Sunday, Oct. 16-18, 23-25:

Iowa River Players presents
"Frankenstein" Community Theatre,
901 Broadway, Rowan. 7:30 p.m. curtain
with Sunday matinee, 2 p.m. Contact
LuAnne Krabbe, 319-231-7828.

Saturday, Oct. 31: Trick or Treat Downtown in Clarion, 9:30-11 a.m.; free cartoons at the theatre at 11 a.m. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development, www.clarioniowa.com 515-532-2256.

Saturday, Oct. 31: Halloween is celebrated! Annual Trick & Treat in Clarion, 5-7 p.m. Clarion City Hall, 515-532-2847. Some Friday in October (last CGD home football game): Clarion VFW annual chili supper. Dennis Mraz, 515-532-3330.

Sometime in October: Heartland Museum's Indoor Cemetery Walk, 515-602-6000.

Sometime in October: Third Annual Fall Festival at Lake Cornelia – hayrack rides, pumpkin carving, scarecrow building, kayaking. Lots of family fun. Wright County Conservation, 515-532-3185.

Sometime in October: Adult Halloween Sip & Stroll. Get dressed up in your spooky best and enjoy the shopping, sipping, and scary costumes in downtown Eagle Grove. Contact Eagle Grove Chamber 515-448-4821 or visit www.eaglegrove.com for information.

Sometime in October: Kids' Halloween Walk in Eagle Grove; contact City of Eagle Grove for 515-448-4343 or Contact Eagle Grove Chamber 515-448-4821 or visit our website www.eaglegrove.com for more information.

Sometime in October: Halloween & Trick & Treat Party. Clarion Public Library, 515-532-3673.



Eagle Grove's Halloween-themed Third Thursday event | Jennifer Schild

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CALENDAR

NOVEMBER, 2020

Sunday, Nov. 1: Daylight Savings Time ends!

Sunday, Nov. 1: Annual Gospel Fest. Music begins at 2:30 p.m. Free will soup and sandwich meal follows. United Church of Rowan, sponsored by Rowan Historical Society. Contact Lennea Groom, 515-293-1657.



Wednesday, Nov. 4: Chicken & Biscuit Dinner - First United Methodist Church, serving from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., contact 515-532-2845. Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 5-7: A Kick off to the Holidays at participating retail businesses. Shop new winter and Christmas inventory. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber and Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Thursday, Nov. 5: Ladies Night Out in Clarion. 4:30-7:30 p.m. at participating retail businesses. Great night of shopping and socializing. Double entries into the Clarion Lottery on this night. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber and Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Sunday, Nov. 8: Wright County 4-H Awards Day - Clarion-Goldfield-Dows High School - Wright County Extension Office, youth director, 515-532-3453.

Tuesday, Nov. 10: Iowa Specialty Hospital Auxiliary's Scrubs & Uniform Sale, 7 a.m.-2 p.m. ISH Clarion Board Room. Contact Jordan Marker, 515-532-9328.

Wednesday, Nov. 11: Veterans Day celebrated at CGD High School, 10 a.m.

with free lunch for veterans after. Dennis Mraz, 515-532-3330.

Wednesday, Nov. 11: Annual Veterans Day celebrated in Dows, evening celebration (time TDB), Dows Convention Center. Renee Holmes, 515-460-1592.

Thursday, Nov. 12: United Church of Rowan Escalloped Chicken Supper and Bazaar, 5 p.m. supper; 7 p.m. auction. Bonnie Leist, 641-853-2482.

Saturday, Nov. 14: Annual Heartland Museum Craft Fair in Clarion, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. 515-602-6000.

Saturday-Sunday, Nov. 14-15: "The Nutman Company" Fundraiser Sale on assorted nuts, candy's and goodies! Time TBD. Located at Iowa Specialty Hospital ER/Outpatient Waiting Room. Contact Jordan Marker, 515-532-9328.

Wednesday, Nov. 18: Church Annual Chicken and Noodle Dinner, Clarion United Church of Christ Congregational. Office, 515-532-2269.



CALENDAR

NOVEMBER, 2020 continued

Saturday, Nov. 21: Eagle Grove's 61st Annual Craft Fair & Holiday Kickoff -Over 50 crafters, upcyclers, antique, and unique gift items from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., and several other shopping opportunities downtown; Shopping punch cards, door prizes and cash prizes awarded by Eagle Grove Ambassadors. Contact Eagle Grove Chamber 515-448-4821 or www.eaglegrove.com for more information or to get on the mailing list as a crafter.

Sunday, Nov. 22: Knights of Columbus Omelet Breakfast, 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church. Relmond

Monday, Nov. 23: Holmes Christmas Club Annual Auction begins at 6 p.m. at Chappy's on South Main in Clarion. Chappy's, 515-532-2727 or Lisa Kluss, 515-851-0063

Thursday, Nov. 26: Clarion's Community Thanksgiving Dinner, First Lutheran Church. Sponsored by Clarion Ministerial Association.

Thursday, Nov. 26: Annual Thanksgiving Dinner, Eagle Grove Memorial Hall, Freewill donations accepted. Contact Eagle Grove Chamber, 515-448-4821

Friday, Nov. 27: 28th Annual Christmas Parade of Lights. Parade down Main Street in Belmond at 6:30 p.m. with Santa as Parade Marshal. The Jolly Elf travels to the Santa House to meet children! Contact Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937. Saturday, Nov. 28: Small Business

Saturday. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at participating

retail businesses. Great day of shopping and supporting local businesses. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development, www.clarioniowa.com 515-532-2256

Saturday, Nov. 28: Small Business Saturday. Special promotions, events throughout the community. Turkey Toss Competition. Contact Eagle Grove Chamber 515-448-4821 or www.eaglegrove.com for more information

DECEMBER, 2020

Some Saturday in December: Breakfast with Santa at BK High School and Free Movie at the Lyric Theatre Sponsored by Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce. 641-444-3937.

Some Date in December: Christmas Party and Santa Visit, Clarion Public Library, 515-532-3673.

Wednesday, Dec. 2: Light the Gazebo Night and Caroling, 5:30-7:30 p.m. at Gazebo Park and the United Presbyterian Church. Enjoy a night with caroling, a community meal, and the lighting of our community Gazebo! Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Friday, Dec. 4: First National Bank Christmas Coffee at First National Bank in Eagle Grove, Goldfield, and Clarion. Saturday, Dec. 5: Dows Lions Club Soup Supper and Christmas Open House at Dows Community Center; 5-7 p.m. bazaar, businesses open, Santa comes. Contact SheRee Wharton, 515-852-4303

Saturday, Dec. 5: Rowan Christmas Tree Lighting and Soup Supper. Tree lighting at 5:30 p.m.; Santa and Mrs.



Jingle Jam

Santa arrive; soup supper, Community Center. Sponsored by Rowan City Council and Rowan Improvement Foundation. 641-853-2345.

Saturday, Dec. 7: Jingle Jam, 9-10:30 a.m. at Clarion Library. Kids can shop for presents for their parents and grandparents. All items are \$5! Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber and Development, www.clarioniowa.com 515-532-2256.

Thursday, Dec. 10: Holmes Christmas Club fruit basket assembly and distribution - working out of Chappy's on South Main in Clarion. 10 a.m. Volunteers appreciated. Chappy's, 515-532-2727 or Lisa Kluss, 515-851-0063

Friday, Dec. 11: First State Bank/Town and Country Insurance Christmas OPEN HOUSE, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sherri O'Brien, 515-532-2210.

Friday, Dec. 11: First Citizens Bank, Clarion, Holiday OPEN HOUSE, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.





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Thursday, Dec. 17: Late night, last minute Christmas shopping until 7 p.m. at participating retail businesses in Clarion. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber and Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Friday-Sunday, Dec. 18-20: Three Nights of Lights - Jenison-Meachem Art Museum, northeast of Belmond - Dave Nelson, 641-444-4635.

Saturday, Dec. 19: Sip 'n Stroll and enjoy some treats as you explore downtown Eagle Grove. Merchants will have Christmas specials to help you with all your shopping needs!

Sunday, Dec. 20: Extra day, last minute Christmas shopping from 12-4 p.m. at participating retail businesses in Clarion. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber and Development. www.clarioniowa.com 515-532-2256.

Friday, Dec. 25: Community Christmas Dinner, Leinbach Center in Belmond. Reservations needed. Keith and Sharon Barkema, 641-495-6138.

JANUARY, 2021

Some date in January: Clarion Chamber Annual Meeting, Contact Chamber & Development for tickets. www.clarioniowa.com 515-532-2256.

Some date in January: Eagle Grove Chamber and Community Development Corporation Annual Banquet and Allbaugh Award presentation. For more information visit www.eaglegrove.com

FEBRUARY, 2021

Saturday, Feb. 6: Third Annual Winter Fling Vendor and Craft Fair at Belmond-Klemme High School. Sponsored by Belmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937.

Saturday, Feb. 6: Winter Festival at Lake Cornelia. Contact Wright County Conservation, 515-532-3185.

Some Tuesday in February: Valentine's Day Dinner Theatre at Fuel and the Clarion Theatre. Enjoy an evening out with your sweetheart! Sponsored by the

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Clarion Chamber & Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

Tuesday, February 16: Fat Tuesday Pancake Supper at First Lutheran Church in Clarion, 5 p.m. Sponsored by Clarion Ministerial Association.

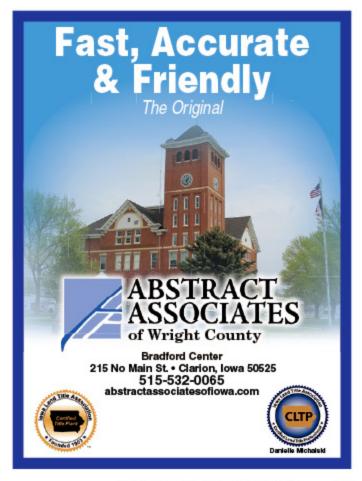
Sometime, late February: 12th Annual Aaron Eilerts Day of Giving and Service. Celebrate Eagle Grove native Aaron Eilerts' birthday by serving as he did throughout his short life. Aaron was an Eagle Scout killed at the Boy Scout Camp. Robert Blue Middle School and Middle School students, 515-448-4767.

Late February or early March: Annual Clarion Chamber Fundraiser, 7-11p.m. at The Red Shed Event Center. Fun, adult night out. Tickets are 2 for \$25 or \$30 each. Sponsored by the Clarion Chamber and Development. www.clarioniowa.com, 515-532-2256.

MARCH, 2021

Sunday, March 14:Daylight Saving Time begins!







RECREATION

Enjoying Wright County

Park Rangers Bruce Lindner, Eric Rector, Brady Brott, Jeremiah Feltz and Sarah Rueger

Wright County staff, both full-time and summer workers, invite county residents and guests to enjoy the Wright County open spaces which are owned and operated by the county. They are dedicated to assure everyone has fun while using recreational and conservation facilities.

The county has four glacial lakes: Wall Lake, Morse Lake, Elm Lake and Lake Cornelia. Lake Cornelia is by far the most popular area, located six miles northeast of Clarion, and about the same distance southwest of Belmond. Last year, a kayak launch area on the west side of the Quiet Water area was constructed by Jesse Brown, as his Eagle Scout project along with help from his Belmond Boy Scout troop. The county now has eight kayaks available for rent, six 'red sit-in' kayaks; two 'blue sit-on' kayaks. Cost: \$10 for half-day; \$15 for full day rentals.

Always longing to upgrade facilities, park users can witness in 2020: \$50,000 worth of upgraded playground equipment at the park, located on the north side of Lake Cornelia; resurfaced north and west sides of the biking/walking trail near the Lake. Major construction of 18 new camping sites, located north of the Quiet Water area, is working to be completed for the 2021 camping season. While Morse Lake

was drained at the end of the season last year, it will be refilled in 2020 with populations of blue gill, perch, and large-mouth bass being added to the lake.

Something fun is the free Fishing Weekend, hosted by the State of Iowa, the first full weekend of June. This year, it is June 5–7. No licenses are required for any Iowa resident wanting to fish those three days. No fishing licenses are required annually for youth under 16 years of age. Wright County residents or visitors without fishing equipment can access fishing equipment from the Wright County Conservation staff.

Lakes and rivers are good places to fish. Look for bullheads, large-mouth bass, walleye, crappie, yellow and white bass; all possible catches. Ice fishing in the winter helps to provide year-round entertainment. Ice fishing has been pretty good the past few winters; yellow bass are the most frequent catches.

Hunters looking for birds can find pheasants, partridges, doves, wild turkeys and waterfowl. Deer, cotton-tailed rabbits, fox and squirrels can be hunted in Wright County. Don't hesitate to track down a coyote or two during winter snowfalls!

Outdoor fun continues with boating, canoeing, kayaking, biking and camping during the summer months. Along with ice fishing, winter brings snowshoeing, cross-country skiing and snowmobiling. Want to try some of

these winter activities but don't have the equipment? Dozens of pairs of ice skates, snow shoes and cross-country skis are available.

Call park personnel weekdays from 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m. at 515-532-3185.

Email wccb@co.wright.ia.us any time for information, or to have questions an-

When borrowing equipment, be sure to contact park personnel ahead of time to be sure the desired items are available at the Lake Cornelia Conservation office (north side of Lake Cornelia).

FISHING LICENSE FEES

Iowa Residents:

Lifetime (65 and older): \$61.50 Annual (16 and older): \$22

Angler's Special (3-year license): \$62

Kids (15 and younger): FREE 7-day license: \$15.50 1-day license: \$10.50

Non-lowa Residents:

Annual (16 and older): \$48 7-day license: \$37.50

3-day license: \$20.50 1-day license: \$12

Kids (15 and younger): FREE

HUNTING LICENSE FEES

Iowa Residents:

Lifetime (65 and older): \$61.50

Annual (16 and older): \$22

Hunter's Special (3-year license): \$101

Hunting/Habitat: \$35

Hunting/Fishing/Habitat: \$55

Non-lowa Residents:

Annual (18 and older): \$144

Annual (17 and younger): \$45 *Hunting (5-day; 18+): \$77

*Hunting/Habitat (5-day; 18+): \$90

*Non-resident, 5-day hunting licenses not applicable to deer or turkey seasons.

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The most used and best-loved outdoor recreation area by county residents and visitors alike is Lake Cornelia, located six miles northeast of Clarion and seven miles southwest of Belmond. The Lake Cornelia Park, a 122-acre recreation area, provides boat and picnicking areas, playground and play field areas, shelter houses, electricity, water, showers, modern restroom facilities, wireless internet available throughout the park and camping area, and pit latrines for day-users, as well as campers. The Lake is a favorite fishing spot in the county.

CAMPGROUND

The Lake Cornelia Campground has 70 camping units in the park with wireless internet; eight are situated directly on the north side of the lake. The additional 62 sites are located farther north of the lake, all include electricity and rent for \$17 per day. Thirty-two include water and sewer; which rent for \$22 per day. There are new modern restrooms and showers in the east portion of main camping area. Building doubles as a storm shelter, able to withstand up to 250 mph winds. Most weekends in the summer, the park is lively with camping guests.

WALKING/BIKING TRAIL AND QUIET WATER

The 1½-acre quiet water provides off-lake boat parking for day use boaters.

Beginning in 2020, work began to expand the number of campsites by 18, located north of the harbor/quiet water area. As camping continues to increase, full-hoopups are available. The sites are anticipated to be ready for use in 2021.

Several years ago, county workers added 12 inches of gravel in the Quiet Water Harbor. This provides a nesting area for several kinds of fish to help populate fishing for enthusiasts to Lake Cornelia.

Campers with boats on the north side of Lake Cornelia are allowed to moor boats overnight, a nominal fee is charged.

A walking/biking trail nearly circles the lake. Prairie plantings of native grasses and flowers wind along the west side of the walking trail. Look for an array of grasses and flowers blooming throughout the year.

RENT SHELTERS

Enclosed and open-air shelters are available for rent at Lake Cornelia. The roof-topped, open-air shelters can be used on a first-come, first-serve basis. Cost is \$10 to reserve the shelters for groups and family gatherings.

The enclosed shelter at the north end of Lake Cornelia can be reserved for a variety of events. The 40-foot by 60-foot structure has a capacity of about 100 people and can be used for holidays, celebrations, organizations, corporate functions and family gatherings. Rental is \$90. Fee is to be paid 10 days after reservation is made to hold the reserved date. The shelter is rented nearly every weekend from May through October.

For more information, or to make reservations for shelters and camping areas, call the conservation office, 515-532-3185, office hours are 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m., or email the office at wccb@co.wright.ia.us.

OTHER RECREATION AREAS

FRANKLIN GROVE HERITAGE TRAIL

East Belmond—Through the heart of Belmond runs the Franklin Grove Heritage Trail. It offers nearly two miles of asphalt paved walking/biking trail with extensive landscaping and natural beauty. The trail, which winds south through a nicely wooded area and beautiful homes, will take a dog-leg southeast of the Belmond Cemetery. The ¾-mile extension will be a straight path in a wooded area, overlooking Luick's Creek, making a better connection to Franklin Grove Wildlife Area. Plans remain on the drawing board to connect Wright and Cerro Gordo Counties through their trails in clear lake and Mason City. It will take time.

Franklin Grove Heritage Trail is connected to Prairie Lands Trail, north of the existing bike and walk path. The recent one-mile extension will eventually connect through the countryside and make its way to Mason City, making nearly 30 miles of biking and walking paths available. Prairie Lands Trail will be a limestone path.

THREE RIVERS TRAIL

Near Eagle Grove—The Three Rivers Trail, just northwest of Eagle Grove, travels along the west fork of the Des Moines River. The historic trail offers visitors miles of uninterrupted woodlands, marshes, river valleys and open prairies.

The trail is 33 miles long. Three Rivers Trail can be used for hiking, nature viewing, biking, cross-country skiing and snowmobiling.

THREE DISC GOLF COURSES

River Disc Golf Course, located in the heart of River Park in Belmond, is a nine-hole disc golf course constructed by Andrew Lovgren in 2006 as an Eagle Scout project.

The course is par three. For more information on this sport, which is growing in popularity for individuals and tournaments, check the website: www.pdga.com.

Clarion-Goldfield-Dows High School Disc Golf Course, on the west side of the high school grounds, 1111 Willow Drive in Clarion, was a Life Project of 2014 graduate Juan Salas. While the nine-hole course is playable, court signage is pending.

Eagle Grove at Greenwood Park, 212 Second Street NE, Eagle Grove. Greenwood Park Disc Golf Course is a newer nine-hole course that was a Eagle Scout project of Kayne Carlson in 2017.

NORTHERN IOWA GREENBELT SCENIC DRIVE

The Northern Iowa Greenbelt Scenic Drive runs through 50 miles of rolling hills and gentle swells of the Iowa River Valley. Watch for the signs posted in Wright County.



BIG WALL LAKE

Located five miles east and seven miles south of Clarion, is a 907-acre marsh and is open to hunting and trapping. There are also 73 acres of timber and upland habitat available. The state of Iowa maintains three access areas to the lake.

BINGHAM PARK

With 18 acres of timber, parallels the Iowa River south of Rowan. An excellent opportunity for the naturalist. Amenities include restrooms, shelter house, water and picnic tables.

BOONE RIVER GREENBELT

Two hundred seventy eight acres located four miles south of Eagle Grove and ½-mile east of the Troy Rest Area, is a river corridor which includes an oak and hickory forest, open grassland, floodplain forest and newly-seeded prairie. See Wright County wildlife, go fishing or canoeing. Also open for hunting and trapping.

ELM LAKE

Featuring 619 acres of lake, marsh and upland habitat, the lake is located two miles east and two miles north of Clarion. The state provides a public access on the east side of the lake and is open to hunting and trapping.

ELM LAKE ACCESS

The access is 58 acres of wetlands and upland wildlife habitat in two tracts on Elm Lake. North tract provides lake access and parking. Open to hunting and trapping.

MORSE LAKE

This 108-acre shallow lake-marsh is five miles west of Belmond. The area also contains 64 acres of upland habitat and marshlands that are open for hunting and trapping. The Lower Morse Lake Waterfowl Protection Area adds another 1,900 acres to the wildlife habitat area. Last year, the lake was drained and continues to be dry. The plan for this year is to refill the lake, making it desirable for fish such as blue gill, perch, large-mouth bass and Northern pike.

OAKDALE PARK

This 127 acres is located one mile east and 1½ miles south of Renwick along the Boone River, is a timbered area. Amenities include two shelter houses, modern restrooms, barbecue facilities, water, electricity and playground equipment, plus camping areas.

▼ Lake Cornelia



PIKE'S TIMBER

A heavily-timbered, 46-acre park and wildlife area, is located ½ mile east and ½ mile south of Lake Cornelia. The area, with the Iowa River flowing the length of the park, has three shelter houses, restrooms, electricity, water and playground equipment available.

TROY ROADSIDE PARK

This one-acre roadside park three miles south of Eagle Grove on Highway 17, has access to the Boone River and can be used for fishing and canoeing.

WHITE FOX CREEK GAME MANAGEMENT

Featuring 106 acres, it is located ½ mile north of the French Church, off county road C70, three miles east of Woolstock. The area was acquired from the Kent and Muriel Gearhart family in the fall of 2018. Now open to the public for hunting, bird watching and hiking.

Three large state-owned lake areas are within the borders of Wright County, which the county conservation employees maintain.

These, and an additional 27 parcels of land (20 owned by the county; seven owned by the state DNR), are maintained by the Wright County Conservation officers. Most public use areas are open to the public for fishing. Some areas are set aside for public hunting. Others are refuges for wildlife. Bird watching, biking, hiking and cross-country skiing are encouraged.

For more information, contact:

Wright Co. Conservation Board

A: 1768 O'Brien Avenue, Lake Cornelia

Park; Clarion, Iowa 50525

P: 515-532-3185 F: 515-532-6068

E: wccb@co.wright.ia.us

Or visit the new Wright County website at www.wrightcounty.org, click on the Services tab and look under CONSERVATION. To find more information on county parks in all 99 counties, go to

www.mycountyparks.com for a complete listing.



BELMOND

BELMOND CITY PARK

212 Second Street NE. Located just one block north of East Main Street and one block east of River Avenue North, on a full city block.

A leisure recreation park covered almost entirely with tree shade and has play equipment, a shelter, restrooms, gazebo, tables and benches.

SWIMMING POOL PARK

908 First Street SE. Located at the municipal swimming pool on a piece of property of 5.3 acres. The park has two shelters with picnic tables and play equipment for ages two to five and five to eight years old. This equipment was purchased in 2006 with a grant from the Luick Trust and in-

stalled by community volunteers. Restrooms are located on the outside of the pool bathhouse. Pool Park is the location of three tennis courts and the Extreme Sports Park which is equipped with ramps, rail and quarter pipe.

BALLFIELD PARK

804 Luick's Lane N on 5.594 acres. There are two ball fields on the park, one of which is lighted. There are restrooms, concession stand and equipment storage on the park property as well. The park is located adjacent to the Belmond-Klemme Community School District's softball and baseball fields to allow for terrific tournament play.

RIVER PARK

A large park of 12 acres reserved mainly for passive recreation. There is a Disc Golf Course, two shelters with picnic tables, restrooms, canoe access to the Iowa River and a trail through the park. River Park is adjacent to the Iowa River RV Park, connected by a trail. Be sure to visit our restored Rural School in River Park. Open by appointment. Call the Chamber 641-444-3937.

CROWN POINT PARK

204 Fifth Avenue NW. Located in west Belmond, "up on the hill". The park is slightly larger than a square city block and provides for mainly active recreation. The park has play equipment, shelter and tables. A large area allows for baseball or softball games with a back stop but also doubles as a small soccer field with net goals.

EL-MAR PARK

Access to the park is gained between 104-204 Sunset Drive and 1016-1020 Third Street NE. A neighborhood park, it is tucked away in the middle of a block in the Kirkendall Addition. A few pieces of small play equipment are set up in this park. The park is large enough to play catch or have a ball game with young children

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LAKE CORNELIA PARK

Located on the north side of Lake Cornelia, the nicely wooded area has a number of picnic tables; some grills; and an open air shelter which can be used or rented, if users want to secure the facility. The Lake Cornelia beach area is part of the amenities of area. There is a nice playground area; \$50,000 worth of new equipment will be added in 2020. A walking trail cuts through the park for walkers to enjoy walking shorter distances or walk the circumference of the lake. The north and west sides of the trail will have the areas resurfaced this year.

BAYER POLLINATOR PARK

Located one block north of Highway 3 and west of Fourth Street NW, the park (sometimes known as a butterfly garden) is one acre of flowers to attract pollinators. A graveled path encircles the area; complete with benches for walkers to enjoy.

GAZEBO PARK

Located in the 200 block of West Central Ave., the park has a restored gazebo and water fountain, playground equipment, picnic tables, public restroom and basketball court. Gazebo Park is the sight of Clarion's annual Festival in the Park, the second weekend in June. Enjoy the new Clarion sign promoting sounds and sights of the community.

HANSON PARK

Located in the 200 block of Sixth Avenue NE, it is home to two large baseball/softball diamonds. Little league and boys' high school games are played there in the summer.

CLARION ELEMENTARY/ MIDDLE SCHOOL PLAY AREA

Located in the 300 block of Third Avenue NE and east of the school buildings, is home to safe playground equipment for school children and the public's use. In the northeast corner of the school property is a lighted ball diamond, home of the C-G-D Cowgirls' home softball games and two tennis courts. East of the area is the Cowboys' covered football stadium, football field and six-lane, all-season sports track.



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AQUATIC CENTER PARK

Located between Third Avenue NE, Fifth Avenue NE and Sixth Street NE, offers a shelter house, picnic tables, grills, playground equipment, basketball court and public restrooms. This park is adjacent to the new aquatic center and the school's 400-meter indoor/outdoor track.

LION'S PARK

Located at Fifth Street SE, includes children's play equipment and two lighted softball/baseball diamonds for evening play; new modern restrooms and concession stand ready for use.

FIREMEN'S PARK

Located between Fourth and Fifth Streets SW and bounded by First Avenue SW on the east, is home of the skate park. There are picnic tables and playground equipment for use by park-goers.

DOWS

DOWS CITY PARK

This large, beautiful downtown park located on West Ellsworth, is the center of Dows' Annual Corn Days the first weekend each August. The large gazebo shelter is the focal point of the park. It also has playground equipment, picnic tables, water, and electricity.

DOWS POOL PARK

Located adjacent to the Dows Swimming Pool, the park includes an 11-space campground, shelter house, restrooms, running water and picnic tables.

DOWS HISTORICAL DISTRICT

A lovely, shaded area with picnic tables one block north of Dows Community Center. Restrooms and water available at the Welcome Center.

► EAGLE GROVE

GREENWOOD PARK

(Adjacent to the Wright County Fairgrounds)

One of the most used parks in the county is located on a 31-acre campus in east Eagle Grove. It houses the newer Family Aquatic Center, skateboard park, four softball/baseball diamonds, the Wright County Fairgrounds, two basketball hoops, playground equipment, grills, restrooms, shelters and camper facilities.

HEWETT PARK

Located in the middle of town in the 600 block of SW Second Street, has two newly-

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remodeled tennis courts, four basketball hoops, playground equipment, restrooms, shelter and grills.

PARKVIEW PARK

Located on Parkview Drive in southeast Eagle Grove, has four basketball hoops, playground equipment and a small picnic shelter.

FISHPOND PARK

Located in a beautiful area in northeast Eagle Grove, its main attraction is a fishing hole, which used to be the town's swimming pool. The park also has playground equipment, basketball court and two shelters.

FLOWING WELL PARK

Located on the corner of SW Second Street and Cedar Avenue, is a very unique park, consisting of a small gazebo with a flowing well inside of it. A great stop for a fresh well-water to drink.

VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK

Located in the 200 block of W Broadway, was constructed in 2000 with donated funds and sponsored by the Eagle Grove Chamber of Commerce. This park offers a scenic display of flowers, shrubs and vegetation in the central business district. It hosts a variety of community events.

GOLDFIELD

DOWN MEMORY LANE

It is one of Goldfield's newer parks, located on the west side of North Main on Mill Street. It is an opportunity for a nature walk, has benches, and several picnic tables.

OLD SCHOOL PARK

Located on the east side of North Main, is a hub of activity during the summer months. Amenities include two shelter houses, ball/tennis courts, restrooms, picnic tables and water/electricity. The community continues to add to, and replace, the playground equipment, which adds more potential fun for those choosing to use the park facility.

RIVER PARK

Located in northwest Goldfield on Cedar Street, the park parallels the Boone River. Major changes have been made as part of its Park Dam Improvement Project, making the river navigable for many miles. With the help of grants and contributions, the river rapids allows water rafting and tubing; newly installed canoe access areas, a new shelter house, new picnic tables and benches enhance the usability of the park. Fishing enthusiasts test their skills in the park; lots of wide open spaces for people to enjoy.

ROWAN

PLAYGROUND PARK

Located at the corner of Bingham and Main Street across the street from the city complex, has a large variety of playground equipment in a newer setting. Landscaping is continually being upgraded.

▶ WOOLSTOCK

WOOLSTOCK CITY PARK

Located near the Community Hall, has picnic tables, benches and playground equipment.

WOOLSTOCK ATHLETIC PARK

Located east on Herman Street, has ball diamonds, tennis courts, a shelter and restrooms. Call 515-839-5540 to learn more about using the parks for special occasions.



▶ Enjoy the different campground options in Wright County.

CAMPING

DOWS POOL PARK CAMPGROUND

The Dows camping area has 11 spaces available and is adjacent to the Dows Swimming Pool. Electricity, showers, bathrooms, shelter house and wastewater dump area. Pull-through camp spaces, \$15 per day; \$3 for tents; self-registration. For more complete information, contact City Hall at 515-852-4327

WRIGHT COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

Sixty camping spaces are available at the Wright County Fairgrounds (all sites have electricity; a few sites may have sewer and water hook-ups soon) in Eagle Grove, 1000 E. Broadway (just east of Greenwood Park). For camping information, contact 515-448-3351. Camp spots are booked during the fair dates; other times during the summer they are open for booking. Consider renting spaces for family reunions, class reunions, as well as other camping opportunities.

LAKE CORNELIA CAMPGROUND

The Lake Cornelia Park Campground, located on the north side of Lake Cornelia, has 70 camping units in the park; eight located directly on the lake – 62 units are located farther north of the lake area. All of the sites are served by electricity; rental is \$17 per day. Thirty-two of the sites also include water and sewer; rental is \$22 per day. No limit to the number of days campers may rent (on selected sites). Wireless internet available throughout the park and camping area. Look for 18 additional campsites north of the quiet water area in 2021.

Most weekends in the summer the park is lively with area camping guests. Most recently, new restrooms (doubles as a storm shelter with capacity of 50 withstanding winds up to 250 mph) were added in the east portion of the park campground; private shower stalls, restrooms on both sides of the building, handicapped accessible. For more complete information, contact the Wright County Conservation Office at 515-532-3185. Email address: wccb@co.wright. ia.us. Office hours are weekdays from 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

BELMOND IOWA RIVER RV PARK

▶ 312 River Ave. S (U.S. Highway 69)

Just over one acre in size and within walking distance of convenience stores, fuel stations and restaurants. There are 16 RV sites, eight with full hook-up (water, sewer and electric), five of which are pull-through sites, and eight having just water and electric connections. A small area is available for tent camping. Up to four more camp sites to be added for the 2020 season.

A modern toilet/shower building is available on site for campers and a dump station near the entrance of the park for RV/campers. Canoes can be launched from River Park, which is adjacent to the RV park and connected with a trail. Full hook-ups are \$16 per night, partial hook-ups are \$13 and tent camping is \$11. Contact 641-444-3386.

OAKDALE CAMPGROUND

Northwest corner of Wright County, two miles south of Renwick or five miles north of Goldfield. Five electric camp sites; other areas are primitive. Self check-in with \$10 daily deposit in pedestal receptacle. For more information, contact Wright County Conservation at 515-532-3185.

► Enjoy Wright County all-year-long.

ATTRACTIONS

WRIGHT COUNTY

Lower Morse Lake Grassland and Bird Conservation Area

► Morse Lake Area

The Lower Morse Lake Grassland and Bird Conservation Area should be on your "see and do" list. The area was established in 2009 and includes over 3,000 acres of prime wildlife habitat.

There are more than two dozen public access areas available to help visitors watch and enjoy hundreds of birds, animals and insects. Wright County Conservation officials say bird watching in the county is becoming more and more popular. To enhance the enjoyment of bird watchers, a newer Bird View Blind has been added just north

of Lake Cornelia's enclosed shelter. There are three feeders to attract even more birds for watchers to identify and enjoy.

This is just one of many county facilities the conservation staff invites residents and visitors to enjoy.

Wright County Freedom Rock

▶ Dows

A must see, the rock, located in Dows on East Ellsworth Street, is No. 32 painted by Ray "Bubba" Sorensen II. The Freedom Rock, honoring all Veterans of Wright County, was painted in August 2015 and depicts two scenes. The front has a Civil War Union soldier and a present day serviceman; the other scene is dedicated to the Vietnam Veterans who deserved to be

"Welcomed Home"

Surrounded by engraved pavers honoring servicemen and women from all branches of the military and encompassed by recently installed retaining walls, the rock has two sidewalks leading up to the tribute. Wright County residents continue to show their support for veterans with flags from the various branches of the military flying high above the monument. The nighttime lighted view is breathtaking. Paid for by generous donors with no government funds.

BELMOND

Jenision-Meacham Memorial Art Center & Museum

▶ 1179 Taylor Ave., Belmond www.belmondartscenter.org

Two miles north of C-20

The Jenison-Meacham Art Center, located on 120 acres of farmland and opened in 1983, is owned and operated by the Belmond Area Arts Council. Its mission is to preserve and exhibit objects related to the Wright County area.

The farmstead, preserved to represent farming in the early 1900s, includes a restored farmhouse, a large 1900 barn, antique farm equipment, as well as many agricultural artifacts. Join volunteers and exhibitors on Friday-Sunday, Aug. 14–16 for its 31th Annual Prairie Homestead Antique Power and Craft Show hosted on the farm. Features: Case tractors and equipment and Monitor gas engines.

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Enjoy '3 Nights of Lights' Friday-Sunday the weekend before Christmas.

Guest artist's works are exhibited each month in the museum. Photography, water-colors, woodcarvers, quilters, sculptors and rosemaling exhibits are some of the works which have been displayed. The museum also includes artwork and collections of Cloe Jenison. Open hours are 1:30-4 p.m. on Sunday from May through October. Other times can be arranged by appointment, call 515-571-6838 or 515-571-3595.

Belmond Historical Museum

▶ 223 E Main Street

Learn about Belmond's past, present and future at the Belmond Historical Museum. Discover the impact the sugar beet industry had on the community one hundred years

ago. See a salute to Belmond's veterans. Revisit the chaos of the devastating 1966 Belmond tornado. Walk down memory lane with Belmond and its residents. Be sure to visit our restored Rural School in River Park. Open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 a.m. until noon; other times by appointment.

The Belmond Chamber of Commerce makes its home in the Historical Museum. Open weekday afternoons from 1-3 p.m.; its best to call for appointments to assure availability. Belmond Chamber of Commerce, 641-444-3937.

Santa House

▶ Main Street

Volunteers built Santa House at its permanent location in 2003. Hundreds of children visit the Jolly Old Elf in his Belmond home annually. It opens to the public the Friday after Thanksgiving, immediately following the annual lighted Christmas parade. Santa's House is open at scheduled times throughout the Christmas season.

The Christmas themed house sports the December holiday all year. For more complete information, contact Max Peterson at 515-571-0405.

CLARION

Heartland Museum

► 119 Ninth Street SW www.heartlandmuseum.org

Heartland Museum has a variety of exhibits and displays that will entertain and delight everyone. The museum boasts restored and original farm machinery and tractors, some rare and unusual, plus it is the current home to Big Bud, the world's largest farm tractor. Visitors can also eniov an extensive collection of horse drawn equipment and early farm implements, the only known Garland Cutter in existence, plus over 4,000 collector toys.

The main building displays a one-of-a-kind Teddy Bear International Museum with many unique bears from artists around the world. The museum also houses over 300 hats that belonged to Alvina Sellers, Iowa's Hat Lady. Streetscapes reminiscent of the '40-'50s, Depression years and Victorian-age depict a variety of shops.

New displays for 2019 included a renovated military room and Rowan train room. Ag Hall has added some new horse drawn equipment, a Coleman truck and an airplane. With the addition of the 4-H Schoolhouse, we recommend up to two hours to enjoy the exhibits.

Visitors come from around the world to visit the museum. Open Memorial Day through Labor Day, Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Open year round by appointment. Call 515-602-6000 for more information.

4-H Schoolhouse Museum

► 119 Ninth Street SW www.heartlandmuseum.org

The schoolhouse museum has been moved the Heartland Museum complex. Nationally known as the birthplace of the 4-H four leaf clover emblem, this one-room schoolhouse has original desks and 4-H memorabilia spanning nearly a century. The 4-H Schoolhouse is open Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. starting Memorial Day through Labor Day. It is now included in the Heartland Museum tours. Call 515-602-6000 for more information.

Wright County Historical Library

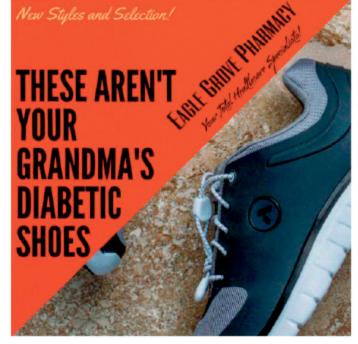
▶ Inside Heartland Museum

The county historical library, which is supported by local historical societies in the county, is located inside the Heartland Museum. For more information on Wright County's history, or to use the library for research, visit Heartland Museum. Learn how to become a member of the county historical society, visit the museum's website at www.heartlandmuseum.org.

Rock Island Depot

▶ 302 S Main Street

Clarion's Rock Island Depot was built in 1898 and restored in 1984, after it had fallen into disrepair. Originally built for the Burlington Cedar Rapids and Northern Railway, the tracks and depot were later taken over by the Rock Island Railroad. The museum values the community's history and railroad heritage.





Breakfast with Santa

The building, which now houses the Clarion Chamber and Development, is available for rent for meetings (use is free for members). Tours are available by appointment. Office hours and open times are weekdays from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. For more complete information, call 515-532-2256.

DOWS

Evans Prairie House

▶ Dows Historic District

The Ingebert Evans family immigrated to the United States, planting roots in Dows. Descendants of the Evans family have restored the two-room, two-story, 14 by 16-foot home, which includes original furnishings. The home is open year-round for self-guided tours. Stop at the Welcome Center for guided brochures and to access the home call 515-852-4327. Can't be toured during the winter months.

Mercantile Building

► Dows Historic District 122 E Ellsworth Street

One of three National Historic Register buildings is the Dows Mercantile Building, located one block south of the Dows Welcome Center and Depot.

Originally known as the Fillmore Building, it was constructed in 1884. Shop at one of the three floors of antiques from area dealers and collectors. Among other treasures to be found are Iowa-made products, Iowa wines, gift items and souvenirs. The Crème de la Crème lunch area, located within the building, is a great stop for ice cream, homemade soups, sandwiches and other sweet treats. Contact phone number – 515-852-3533.

Quasdorf Blacksmith Shop Museum

► Dows Historic District

(Across the street, west of the Dows Depot/Welcome Center)

The Quasdorf family owned and operated the Wright County blacksmith shop, beginning in the 1880s, for nearly a century. This is the third building on the National Historic Register

Visitors are asked to step back in time when they enter the shop. Displays include machines, tools, belt-driven and electric welding equipment, original wagon wheels, black-

ATTRACTIONS

smithing items, forge and huge bellows; left much like it was in its fully-operational days.

Each year during Dows Annual Corn Days, the first full weekend in August, a blacksmith is in residence demonstrating how the work was done a century ago. Said to be one of the best-equipped blacksmith shops in the Midwest, there is no admission charge for the self-guided or guided tours of the museum. Tours can be arranged by appointment; most days volunteers are available at the blacksmith museum. For more information, contact the Mercantile at 515-852-3533, or city hall at 515-852-4327. Can't be toured during the winter months.

Vernon Schoolhouse #5

▶ Dows Historic District

Vernon Schoolhouse No. 5. located south of the Dows Welcome Center & Depot and northeast of the Dows Mercantile, is a prime example of rural schoolhouses and education of young students in Iowa during the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Moved from its original rural setting into Dows, it is now part of the community's Historical District. Visitors step back in time with memorabilia gracing the walls and shelves of the school. Contact the Welcome Center to tour the facility, 515-852-3533; or city hall, 515-852-4327.

Can't be toured during the winter months.



ATTKACTIONS

Welcome Center and Rock Island Depot

► Dows Historic District 100 West Train Street

Another Dows building on the National Historic Register, the Rock Island Depot houses one of Iowa's Welcome Centers. Built in 1896, it was the first depot built to serve the residents of Wright County. It operated until 1980.

Now, the restored depot is furnished with railroad memorabilia and historical items. Hundreds of visitors register at the Dows Welcome Center annually. Amenities include public restrooms, travelers' information, internet access and a gift shop with handmade items, Iowa souvenirs and gifts. Open from April 1-November 1 from 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Closed during the winter months, but would be open by appointment. For more information, call the Rock Island Depot Welcome Center at 515-852-3533. Can't be toured during the winter months.

EAGLE GROVE

Eagle Grove Historical Museum

▶ 401 West Broadway

Eagle Grove's Carnegie Library is the home of the Eagle Grove Historical Museum. Built in 1903, the museum is on the National Register of Historic Places. Work on the museum has continued for a number of years and is ready for visitors to enjoy. For information regarding the museum, contact Ron Mohr at 515-293-1427.

Veterans Memorial Tower

A "no longer used" Eagle Grove grain elevator is being transformed into a community memorial honoring local military veterans. The west wall recognizes Iowa Governor Robert Blue and Bravo Battery, both originally from Eagle Grove.

The east wall will illustrate great sacrifices made by courageous veterans over the years. South wall plans include a mural depicting things made in Eagle Grove, agriculture, the railroad and the local Norwegian heritage.

For complete information, contact Daryl Watts at 515-448-3358 or via mail to P.O. Box 126, Eagle Grove, Iowa 50533.

Boone River Rapids

▶ River Park

One of the most improved areas in the county in the past several years is Boone River Rapids. The nearly destroyed dam area has been transformed in a 120-foot long river rapids, in west Goldfield. It is now available for water rafting and tubing, depending on water levels. Also completed in the last two years are canoe access areas, a new shelter house, new picnic tables and benches. There is additional lighting for night water floats in the summer time.

The county was the recipient of 'Project Aware' in 2019, when dozens of volunteers embarked on its annual river lean up, somewhere in Iowa. The week-long project began in Goldfield the first Sunday in July.

For more information, contact Greg Soenen, 515-603-9011.



Goldfield Rapids

Crossroads Youth & Family Center

▶ 502 North Main

This family fun center is a great place to meet friends of any age in a controlled and safe environment. Open Family Night and Saturday evenings (6:30–8:30 p.m. for young people eighth grade and under; 8:30–11 p.m. for high schoolers) and open afternoons on 'early outs' from school. They are also open other times by appointment or for scheduled events.

Amenities include a snack bar that serves pizza, burgers, sandwiches, chips, sports drinks and more. All games are free, including pool, air hockey, ping-pong, foosball and carpet ball. The big screen television is for viewing favorite sports or events with plenty of seating in our commons area. A 750 watt music system is available for entertainment. Full HD, surround sound movie experience on our 100-inch movie screen for all the community to enjoy. An outside courtyard has a full basketball court and grass area for volleyball, dodge ball and other outdoor games. For more information, or to rent the facility for birthday parties, private parties and other group events call Craig Carlson at 515-825-3383.

Log Cabin

North Main Street

Known as the "Log Cabin" by Goldfield residents, it was built in 1926 and restored by Goldfield Boy Scout Troop No. 49 in 1976. It was renovated in 2019 by Noah Roosa as his Eagle Scout project; completed with the help of the Boy Scout troop. Located on the east side of Main Street, the building can be accessed by obtaining a camp from city hall, 515-825-3613. Open annually during Goldfield's Fountain City Days in July.

ROWAN

Rowan Historical Museum

▶ 107 Main Street

The Rowan Historical Museum Society has worked hard to provide a location to learn more about Rowan and the surrounding rural community and its past. Currently open by appointment. Contact Lennea Groom at 515-293-1657 or lennea.groom@gmail.com for more information.

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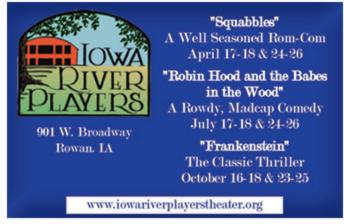
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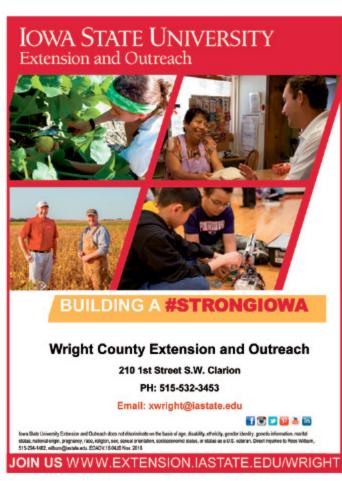
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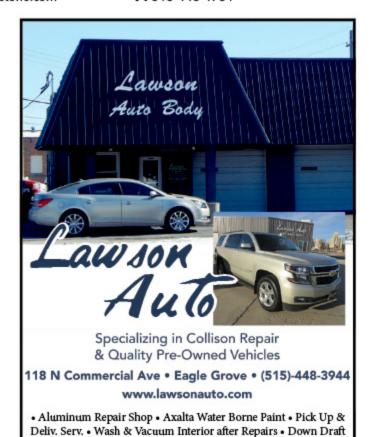
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122 S Main 515-532-2727

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WOOLSTOCK

Woolstock City Hall

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BELMOND

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EAGLE GROVE

City of Eagle Grove

210 E Broadway 515-448-4343 www.eaglegroveiowa.org

Eagle Grove Area Chamber of Commerce

212 W Broadway 515-448-4821 www.eaglegrove.com

Eagle Grove Memorial Library

101 S Cadwell 515-448-4115 www.youseemore.com/nilc/ eaglegrove

GOLDFIELD

City of Goldfield

423 N Main, P.O. Box 27 515-825-3613 www.goldfieldia.org

Goldfield Commercial Club

Lynn Seaba, Chair 515-825-3181 Ken Stoakes, Treasurer 516 Water Street 515-825-3339

ROWAN

City of Rowan

101 Main Street, P.O. Box 182 641-853-2345 www.rowaniowa.info cityofrowan@yahoo.com

lowa River Plavers' Theatre

901 Broadway, P.O. Box 22 Rowan, IA 50470 www. iowariverplayerstheater.org

Rowan Public Library

101 Main Street, P.O. Box 202 641-853-2327 www.youseemore.com/NILC/ RowanPL

WOOLSTOCK

City of Woolstock

101 Mission Street 515-839-5540



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Waxing

Make-up

Hours

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

> Friday 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Special Occasion Saturdays.



200 W. Broadway, Eagle Grove 515-603-6494

Emergency Contacts

POLICE OR AMBULANCE

Belmond

641-444-3822

Belmond Non-Emergency

877-442-3357

Clarion

515-532-3831 515-532-6980

Clarion Non-Emergency

515-532-2515 515-532-2848 (fire)

Dows Non-Emergency

515-852-4327

Eagle Grove Non-Emergency

FIRE: 515-448-4793 AMBULANCE: 515-448-4686

Goldfield Non-Emergency

515-825-3300

Wright County Sheriff

515-532-3722

TOWING & WRECKERS

Hennigar Towing

Clarion, IA 50525 515-293-0048

Maximum Overdrive Wrecker &

Towing

Dows, IA 50071 515-729-8154

Lyle's Ford - AAA

Eagle Grove, IA 50533 515-448-5171

SSB MotoSports

Woolstock, IA 50599 515-835-1138

HOSPITAL & CLINICS

Iowa Specialty Hospital, Belmond

403 First Street SE Belmond, IA 50421 641-444-3223 or 844-474-4321 www.iowaspecialtyhospital.com

Iowa Specialty Hospital, Clarion

1316 S Main Street Clarion, IA 50525 515-532-2811 or 844-474-4321 www.iowaspecialtyhospital.com

Clarion Clinic

215 13th Avenue SW Clarion, IA 50525 515-532-2836 or 844-474-4321 www.iowaspecialtyhospital.com

Unity Point Clinic

115 S Park Avenue Eagle Grove, IA 50533 515-448-5185

Eagle Grove Wellness Center

801 SE Fifth Street Eagle Grove, IA 50533 515-448-9886

AIRPORTS

Belmond Airport

641-444-3386

Clarion Airport

515-532-6980 or 515-851-0526

Eagle Grove Airport

515-448-4343

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Larry Lohse

Belmond, IA 50421 641-444-4015 515-571-6672

Maximum Overdrive

Dows, IA 50071 515-729-8154

Mobile Locksmith Service

Clarion, IA 50525 Shayne Hennigar 515-851-0019

Cody Bonstetter

Belmond, IA 50421 641-444-4266

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Arnold Family Chiropractic

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Cramer Chiropractic

1123 Central Avenue E Clarion, IA 50525 515-532-0104 www.cramerchiro.com

Eagle Grove Chiropractic

318 W Broadway
Eagle Grove, IA 50533
515-448-3387
www.eaglegrovechiropractic.com

P. A. Parks

113 First Avenue NE Belmond, IA 50421 641-444-3901

Wright Choice Chiropractic

920 E Central Avenue Clarion, IA 50525 515-532-3425 www.mywrightchoice.com

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439 F Main 641-444-4386

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Cattleman's at The Club

1608 Third Street NF 641-444-4183

Jerry's Place

212 River Avenue S 641-444-3008

Nuevo Leon

203 River Avenue S 641-444-4405

Spare Time Lanes & Lounge

203 Second Avenue SE 641-444-4141

Subway

112 River Avenue 641-444-3829

Sugar Pie Bakery

319 F Main 641-444-3466

The Corner Restaurant & Lounge

207 F Main Street 641-444-4451

The Oasis

At Iowa Specialty Hospital 403 First Street SE 641-444-5682

CLARION

Carmen's Super Market & Restaurant

1218 E Central Avenue 515-532-2787

Casey's

22 Central Avenue W 515-532-3030

Chappy's On Main

122 S Main Street 515-532-2727

Brothers' Market - Deli & Catering

325 Central Avenue W 515-532-2829

Fuel

223 N Main 515-532-3835

grounded

118 N Main 515-602-6212

Hardee's

329 Central Avenue W 515-532-2442

La Tienda Mexicana lunch counter

116 S Main 515-532-2222

Pizza Ranch

102 S Main 515-532-3215

Sam's Chinese Kitchen

104 Central Avenue E 515-532-2989

Snack Village

1006 Central Avenue W 515-532-2558

Subway

316 Central Avenue W 515-532-6917

Wildflower Cafe

At Iowa Specialty Hospital 1316 S Main 515-532-2811

DOWS

Black Horse

108 E Ellsworth 515-851-8410

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Mercantile Building 122 F Ellsworth 515-825-3533

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119 E Ellsworth

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200 S Commercial Avenue 515-448-3022

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223 W. Broadway 515-851-8975

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301 W. Broadway 515-448-9848

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213 W. Broadway 515-448-4180

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220 Railroad Avenue 515-603-6999

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206 W Broadway 515-448-9988

Subway

300 N Commercial Avenue 515-603-6200

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322 W Broadway 515-851-9718

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110 W Broadway 515-448 4381

Twiins Shoppe

301 N Commercial 515-448-4413

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618 S Commercial 515-448-4321

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Casev's

319 E Highway 3 515-825-3470

Davanna's at Oakridge

2119 Oakridge Street 515-341-0604

The Well

533 N Main 515-825-3839

CATERING

Jessica's Country Kitchen

1646 270th Street, Eagle Grove 515-448-3956

515-851-0718 - cell



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Edward Jones

Churches

ABUNDANT LIFE

Abundant Life Chapel

207 Fairview Street, Dows Pastor's Office: 515-852-4528; Secretary: 515-852-4520

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD Dayspring Assembly of God

208 Sixth Avenue SW, Belmond 641-444-3088

BAPTIST

Calvary Baptist

516 E Main Street, Belmond 641-444-4144

First Baptist

1210 S Commercial, Eagle Grove 515-448-4612

Holmes Baptist

2137 Hancock Avenue, Holmes 515-825-3110

CATHOLIC

Sacred Heart Catholic

221 S Jackson Avenue, Eagle Grove 515-532-3586

St. Francis Xavier

1207 Third Street NE, Belmond 515-532-3586

St. John's Catholic

608 Second Avenue NE, Clarion 515-532-3586

CHURCH OF CHRIST Church Of Christ 420 N Main Street, Clarion 515-532-3273

EVANGELICAL FREE

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2796 130th Drive, Belmond 641-444-3204

Grace Evangelical Free

1220 S Commercial Avenue, Eagle Grove 515-448-5414

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Bienvenidos Iglesia Cristiana Nueva Vida

522 S Main Street, Clarion 515-851-2613

Centro Cristiano Vida

Nueva

208 First Street SE, Belmond 641-444-4662

Gloria a Cristo

114 S Main Street, Clarion 515-851-2153 515-851-1729

Iglesias del Nazareno

1010 Second Street NW, Clarion 515-897-5611

The Living God

107 E Ellsworth, Dows 641-373-7121

Winds Of Fire Church

415 NE Second Street, Eagle Grove 515-603-6200

LUTHERAN

Eagle Grove Evangelical Lutheran

615 SW Second Street, Eagle Grove

515-448-3697

First Lutheran

420 First Street NW, Clarion 515-532-3440

First Lutheran

206 W Ellsworth, Dows 515-852-4283

Holmes Lutheran

2139 Hancock Avenue, Holmes

515-825-3660

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RR1, Clarion (N. on Hwy. 69) 515-532-2729

Lake Lutheran

3250 190th Street, Goldfield 515-825-3610

Mount Calvary Evangelical

400 W Broadway, Eagle Grove 515-448-4668







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New Hope Lutheran

1115 SW Second Street, Eagle Grove 515-293-2965

Samuel Lutheran

201 N Lincoln, Eagle Grove 515-448-5038

St. Olaf Lutheran

2211 130th Street, Belmond

Trinity Lutheran

304 Third Avenue NE, Belmond 641-444-4149

NAZARENE

Lighthouse Church of the Nazarene

1010 Second Street SW, Clarion 515-897-5611

NON-DENOMINATIONAL Dwelling Place

1204 Central Avenue E,

515-293-2822

Sovereign Grace Church

109 N Eskridge Street, Dows

PRESBYTERIAN First Presbyterian

109 N Eskridge Street, Dows 515-852-3330

United Presbyterian

219 First Street NW, Clarion 515-532-2709

United Presbyterian

220 E Oak, Goldfield 515-825-3581

REFORMED

Immanuel Reformed

3157 130th Street, Belmond 641-444-4318

Wright Christian Reformed

1730 130th Street, Kanawha 641-762-3530

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United Church of Christ

1115 SW Second Street, Eagle Grove 515-448-3584

United Church of Christ Congregational

Belmond: 116 W Main Street 641-444-3407

Clarion: 121 Third Avenue

NW

515-532-2269

Eagle Grove: 1115 S.W.

Second Street 515-448-3584

United Church of Rowan

811 Pesch Street, Rowan (Congregational & Methodist) 515-853-2264

UNITED METHODIST First United Methodist

201 Third Avenue NE, Clarion 515-532-2845

Methodist

101 E Northrup Street, Dows 515-852-3325

Morgan United Methodist

569 100th Street, Dows 515-852-3394

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811 Pesch Street, Rowan Yoked Church (Methodist & Congregational) 515-853-2264

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1031 First Street SE, Belmond 641-444-3491

United Methodist

421 W Broadway, Eagle Grove 515-448-4701

United Methodist

121 W Chestnut, Goldfield 515-825-3754

United Methodist

201 Cecilia Street, Woolstock 515-839-5525

OUTREACHES

Crossroads Youth & Family Center

502 N Main Street., Goldfield 515-293-2767

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118 W Highway 3, Goldfield 515-825-3100

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Can you read the names of the street road signs to identify where you are in Wright County?

You can if you know the "pattern."

All county street signs run east and west; the numbering begins at the north border of the county at 100th Street, moving by 10 for every mile south, to more than 300th Street in southern Wright County. Highway 3 could also be called 220th Street.

Avenues begin at the west border of the county and are alphabetical, beginning with A, moving east by the mile, continuing with B, C and so on. Madison Avenue is more commonly known by residents as County K; Youngblood is almost in Franklin County.

Houses or building sites on streets begin their numbering at the west side of the County at 1000 and climb to 3000 on the east side of the county. Numbers for avenues reflect the distances between the streets. For example, 2475 Page Avenue would tell a 911 operator, or any other traveler, the needed location is 34 mile (the '75') further south of 240th Street.



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Clarion, IA Highway 3 West • 515.602.6000 • www.heartlandmuseum.org







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