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orange city, iowa



mark your
calendars

Traditional Mexican Dance
Workshop

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month by learning traditional Mexican dances. Workshop will be held from 2-3:30 and followed by snacks, music, and dancing! For ages 12 and up, limited number of spots, childcare provided. Registration is required- contact Anna at 712-441-4943 or abartlett@orangecitylibrary.com.

Date: October 6, 2:00 pm

Location: OC City Hall

How Corn Shaped the United
States Heartland

Author of *Midwest Maize*, Cynthia Clampitt will speak on how and why corn transformed the Heartland and helped create today's world. This program is a part of the series of programs being held throughout Sioux County as a part of One Book, One Sioux County.

Date: October 11, 6:30 pm

Location: OC Public library

Additional info:

director@orangecitylibrary.com



Nobuntu of Zimbabwe

Nobuntu, the female a cappella quintet from Zimbabwe, has drawn international acclaim for inventive performances that range from traditional Zimbabwean songs to Afro Jazz to Gospel. The ensemble's concerts are performed with pure voices, augmented by minimalistic percussion, traditional instruments such as the Mbira (thumb piano) and organic, authentic dance movements.

Date: October 16, 7:30 pm

Location: NWC Christ Chapel

Tickets & additional info available at
orangecityarts.net

Email: ocArts@orangecityiowa.com



free e-recycling program requires tag

The Cities of Orange City & Alton are co-sponsoring a free e-recycling program on October 26 and 27.

New this year will be the implementation of a tag system. All citizens of OC and Alton who would like to utilize the e-recycling program will need to go to City Hall to pick up a free tag. Your tag will be required before disposing of your recyclable items. You will need one tag regardless of number of items. If you do not have a tag, you will be asked to provide identification.

The following items are accepted:

- Computer monitors
- CPU's
- Keyboards
- Printers and mouse(s)
- Smaller batteries
- TV's

The following items are not accepted:

- car batteries
- light bulbs

Items can be dropped off at the Orange City Street Dept. (809 Concord Place S.E.) on Friday, Oct. 26, 4:00-7:00 pm & Saturday, Oct. 27, 9:00 am -noon.

home energy assistance program

What Is LiHEAP? The Low-income Home Energy Assistance Program (LiHEAP) is designed to aid qualifying low-income Iowa households (homeowners and renters) in the payment of a portion of their residential heating costs for the winter heating season, to encourage regular utility payments, to promote energy awareness, to encourage reduction of energy usage through energy efficiency, and client education. All clients applying for this program will simultaneously be making application for weatherization assistance as required by state law.

When can I apply for LiHEAP? LiHEAP applications are accepted on a first come/ first served basis from November 1 thru April 30. Elderly and disabled clients may apply beginning October 1.

Who is eligible for LiHEAP? A household may qualify for heating assistance if the total household income falls within the income range listed below:

Maximum Income Per Family

Households who are over these income guidelines may be eligible through our medical waiver component. The medical expenses must be documented as paid and nonreimbursable.

Household Size	Max. Annual Gross Income
1	\$21,245
2	\$28,805
3	\$36,365
4	\$43,925
5	\$51,485

For families with more than 5 members, add \$7,560 for each additional member.

What documents do I need to apply? Original Social Security or I-94 card for ALL household members; birthdates for ALL household members; current heat & electric bill - this may be two separate bills; proof of income - this includes total household gross income from all sources; other income - alimony and child support will also need to be verified.

Sioux County Outreach Information:

313 N Main St • Sioux Center, IA 51250 • (712) 722-3611 • Mon-Tues-Thurs-Fri 8:00-4:30



Orange City Area Fitness
Fall / Winter / Spring Hours

Monday - Thursday
5:00 am - 9:30 am
11:30 am - 1:30 pm
3:15 pm - 9:30 pm

Friday
5:00 am - 9:30 am
11:30 am - 1:30 pm
3:15 pm - 7:00 pm

Saturday
7:00 am - 2:00 pm

Sunday
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Closed: Thanksgiving Day,
Christmas, New Years, Easter,
Memorial Day

SEASONAL

NO PARKING


OCT. 15 - APRIL 1

2:00 AM TO 6:00 AM

Be advised! From Oct. 15 - April 1, the City of Orange City does not permit on-street parking between 2:00 am – 6:00 am. Snow plows will be heading your way before we know it.



Bluestem Grill Open for Lunch
The Bluestem Grill is located inside Landsmeer Golf Clubhouse.
Open to the public for lunch Tuesday through Friday from 11:00 am until 1:30 pm
Lunch specials available daily!

 **for the most current information**
orangecityiowa.com



spanish services at the orange city public library

Throughout Orange City, various organizations are expanding their services in recognition that there is growing diversity in Orange City. The Orange City Public Library is just one part of the community that is constantly evaluating our population and our services to make sure we have something for everyone.

As part of this effort, the library started an English Language Learning program in 2014. The English Class is free for students of all levels and runs throughout the year. English-speaking community members have the opportunity to participate in the English Tutoring Program by meeting with an English language learner one-on-one. Tutors receive training and access to library teaching materials. Anyone interested in volunteering for the English Tutoring Program can contact Anna at 712-707-4302 or abartlett@orangecitylibrary.com.

In 2017, the Orange City Public Library received an Adult Literacy Grant from the Dollar General Literacy Foundation, which was used to expand the library’s collection of English-learning and-teaching materials and adult Spanish books. The library also has a growing collection of Spanish and bilingual children’s books.

Bilingual staff members at the Orange City Public Library are available to help Spanish-speaking patrons and continuously work to ensure that library information and materials are available in Spanish. Throughout the year, the library offers bilingual children’s programs, such as the annual Día de los Niños / Día de los Libros (Day of the Child / Day of the Book).

fireworks at the dutch field championship

The 15th Annual Dutch Field Championship will take place in Orange City on Saturday, October 13, at Korver Field, Northwestern College. There will be approximately 30 bands from 4 states participating with over 2,000 band members and 2,500 spectators. There will be an afternoon and evening of exciting performances and family fun. The finale of the event will be the annual fireworks display! Enjoy another great event here in Orange City.

Empowering Our Strong Community of Orange City

THE COMMUNITY OF ORANGE CITY IS OUR TOP **PRIORITY**





YOUR PUBLIC UTILITY IS COMMUNITY OWNED AND CONTROLLED, BUT WHAT DOES THAT MEAN FOR YOU?

- MORE TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY, WITH DECISIONS THAT ARE FOCUSED ON PUTTING ORANGE CITY FIRST.
- THE COUNCIL IS MADE UP OF YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS, ASSURING THE NEEDS OF OUR COMMUNITY ARE THE TOP PRIORITY.
- QUICKER REACTION TIMES DURING OUTAGES AND EMERGENCIES.
- WE'RE A NOT-FOR-PROFIT THAT ANSWERS TO CUSTOMERS, LIKE YOU, NOT SHAREHOLDERS.

WHAT DOES BEING COMMUNITY OWNED AND CONTROLLED MEAN TO US?
EVERYTHING.

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