

what's

# vibrant

orange city, iowa



## you are appreciated...and invited

The City of Orange City Customer Appreciation Picnic is planned for Wednesday evening, July 13, from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm in the downtown Windmill Park. City Council and staff members representing OC Municipal Utilities will be serving up grilled sandwiches, refreshments, and side dishes. Also, the Tulip Festival Steering Committee will be furnishing dessert as a “thank you” to all of the volunteers who helped with the celebration. Mark your calendars to be our guests to share a fun night with friends and family.



## now you see him






Jonathan May, the magician, will reappear this summer at Orange City Hall on July 12. Join the Orange City Public Library for this amazing show! Sign up on our website to attend the workshop where Jonathan will teach you how to perform your very own tricks and go home with a backpack filled with supplies to continue the fun!

## recyclable or not recyclable

A lot of foreign material is showing up in with the recycling that is not acceptable. Examples are: food waste, diapers, soiled mattress pads, needles, plastic toys, landscaping material, and batteries. This contaminates the good recycling material and is a health hazard to those sorting through the material, sometimes causing illnesses. Please be aware of what you throw in your recycling container!



### Recycling Facts:

-  The average American uses 650 pounds of paper each year.
-  100 million tons of wood could be saved each year if all that paper was recycled.
-  By recycling one ton (2,000 lbs.) of paper, we save: 17 trees, 7,000 gallons of water, 4,100 kilowatts of energy (enough power for the average home for six months), 3.3 cubic yards of landfill space, and 587 pounds of air pollution.
-  The 17 trees saved by recycling one ton of paper can absorb a total of 250 pounds of carbon dioxide out of the air each year.
-  About 80% of what Americans throw away is recyclable, yet the average recycling rate is only 28%.

We all need to do our part. Please recycle!  
For a complete list of recyclable and non-recyclable items, go to:

[orangecityiowa.com/city/city-services/recyclable-non-recyclable-material/](https://www.orangecityiowa.com/city/city-services/recyclable-non-recyclable-material/)

## share your story

Have you moved to Orange City in the past few years?

We would love to hear why you chose our vibrant community to call home! Use the QR code or follow the link to share your story!

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[orangecityiowa.com/  
you/why-orange-city](https://www.orangecityiowa.com/you/why-orange-city)



## employment opportunity: oc area daycare/preschool

Love working with children? Orange City Area Daycare & Preschool is looking for full-time employees:

### Why a career with us?

- New higher wage
- No nights, weekends, or holidays
- Flexible hours
- Half off personal daycare
- PTO

For more information, and a complete job description, go to:  
[orangecityiowa.com/residents/orange-city-area-daycare/#work-here](https://www.orangecityiowa.com/residents/orange-city-area-daycare/#work-here)

## celebrate a safe 4th of july

The City Office will be closed on Monday, July 4, due to the Fourth of July holiday.

For OC utility emergencies, please call 707-5000.



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\*July 6: Hollander Jazz



July 13: Community Band



July 20: Dueling Fiddles

orange city arts - july onstage line up

Orange City Arts Council presents another month of summer OnStage events at Windmill Park. There will be free concerts every Wednesday night at 7:00 in the park.  
*\*The First Wednesday of the month will feature street performers, food trucks and an art show all from 5-8:30 pm*

\*July 6: Hollander Jazz

Local band, Hollander Jazz, features some of the most talented musicians in Northwest Iowa. The concert will be accompanied by featured artist Duha Lee, who will be leading kids’ crafts.

July 13: Community Band

For City of Orange City Appreciation Day, Community Band will be performing. Community Band is another group of local musicians with a talent in playing music anywhere from big band hits to show tunes.

July 20: Dueling Fiddles

Violinists Hanna Wolle and Geneviè Salamone, the Dueling Fiddles, give a lively and energetic show. Additionally, Northwestern Bank and Van Englenhoven Agency will be serving ice cream sundaes throughout the evening.

July 27: Community Band will perform live in the park once more!

Other: July 25-30 is the Compass Children’s Theater Workshop at Northwestern College. To register or get more information, visit [orangecityarts.org](http://orangecityarts.org)

now hiring:  
event staff at prairie winds event center

Prairie Winds Event Center seeks candidates for banquet manager and event staff. For more information, and a list of job duties, requirements, and qualifications click the QR code, or visit: [prairiewindseventcenter.com/now-hiring-event-staff](http://prairiewindseventcenter.com/now-hiring-event-staff)



water warning in effect

We are currently in a WATER WARNING. The recent rain showers have helped to keep lawns and gardens green but have done little to restore our water supply. Please conserve water by restricting your non-essential uses, including limiting lawn irrigation to once per week (refer to ordinance at: [orangecityiowa.com/alerts](http://orangecityiowa.com/alerts)) These restrictions help to ensure that we have enough drinking water for household use and fire protection, please help by complying with these restrictions. Thank you for your help and patience.

mayor and council members contact info

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oc fireworks rules

With the July 4th holiday approaching, we would like to remind everyone of the general requirements in Orange City for setting off fireworks:

- ★ *Fireworks can be discharged from June 15 through July 8 and December 10 through January 3 from 9 am to 10 pm. Exception: discharge hours are extended to 11 pm on July 4 and the Saturdays and Sundays immediately preceding and following July 4.*
- ★ *No person under the age of 18 shall discharge consumer fireworks without parental supervision.*
- ★ *A person shall only discharge a consumer fireworks device on property they own or on property where consent has been given.*
- ★ *Novelties, including snakes, sparklers, or caps, can be discharged on a public place so long as all trash, wrappers, and wires are properly disposed of.*
- ★ *Consumer fireworks shall not be discharged by persons showing visible signs of, or determined to be, intoxicated or under the influence of a drug or narcotic.*
- ★ *Any person discharging a consumer fireworks device assumes all responsibility for its operation and the consequences thereof.*
- ★ *No person shall discharge a consumer fireworks device in a reckless manner or manner likely to cause death, injury, fire, or property damage.*

For a complete listing of the fireworks ordinance, please contact the City Office.



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