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VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED TO DELIVER MEALS
TO PEOPLE AT HOME, IF INTERESTED PLEASE CALL 402-268-
2831. **SIGN UP BY 9 AM for a MEAL**

Thurs Feb 1 Goulash
Fri Feb 2 Chicken Noodle Soup
Mon Feb 5 Beef Taco Chili / Cards/ Games 3-5 pm
Tues Feb 6 Beef Lasagna / Pot Luck/ Automotive
presentation 12:15 pm
Wed Feb 7 Pork Loin Sandwich
Thurs Feb 8 Chicken Salad on Croissant/ SC
Meeting 5 pm
Fri Feb 9 Porcupine meatballs / Sweet tooth Day
Mon Feb 12 Swedish Meatballs over noodles
Tues Feb 13 Sausage Gumbo w veggies over rice/
Celebrating Mardi Gras all day.
Wed Feb 14 Tuna Noodles/Valentines Party 12:45pm
Thurs Feb 15 Baked Pork Chop
Fri Feb 16 Shrimp Chimichanga
Mon Feb 19 COFFEE ONLY/ Cards/Games 3-5 pm
Tues Feb 20 Beef Spaghetti
Wed Feb 21 Tomato Soup. Grilled Cheese
Thurs Feb 22 Hot Beef dinner/ BP Clinic 11:45/
Birthday Dinner
Fri Feb 23 Salmon Patty
Mon Feb 26 Baked potato Bar
Tues Feb 27 Turkey a la King over biscuits
Wed Feb 28 Chicken Alfredo over Rotini
Thurs Feb 29 Ham Cheesy Potatoes

GFWC/NFWC FAIRMONT WOMAN'S CLUB

The GFWC/NFWC Fairmont Woman's Club will meet on Tuesday, February 20th at the Senior Center at 1:30 p.m. This is our ARTS DAY so we will plan to have School Art to show, Crafts from club members, possibly some Music and Poetry and Short Story entries from school students of Fillmore Central. The judging for the Poetry/Short Stories was held earlier in January with Wanda Marget and Donna Lefler assisting the Geneva Woman's Club.

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

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February 2024
Mailed by
Fairview Manor Auxiliary

Thurs Feb 1 * Fairmont United Methodist Women will meet at 9:00 a.m. for a Brunch and Meeting at the church. (The January UMW Meeting was cancelled so the kitchen will be checked to see if any cleaning is needed). Devotions and Program will be by Marilyn Nichols. Hostesses will be Darlene Fischer and Beth Uden. The date for the annual Potato Bar is February 18 following the morning worship service

Sun Feb 4 * Fairmont Community Church 11 am. Holy Communion

Mon Feb 5 * Cards and Games at the Senior Center 3-5 pm

* MONDAY FOOD TONIGHT!! Cream of Potato Soup w Shredded cheddar and bacon, Rolls and Desert

* Quilt night this month at the Library

Tues Feb 6 * Fairview Manor Bible Study 10am Everyone Welcome

* Pot Luck at the Senior Center with Automotive Presentation at 12:15 pm

Wed Feb 7 * Kids Rock 6 pm Pizza for supper

* Adult Valentine's Day Craft at library at 7 PM

* Legion Meeting 7:30 pm

Thurs Feb 8 * Fairmont Senior Center Meeting 5 pm at the Center.

Sat Feb 10 * Kids story time with Valentine's Day Craft at 10 AM

* Chili Chomp 5-7 pm sponsored by sons of the American Legion. See AD

Sun Feb 11 * Fairmont Community Church 11am

Mon Feb 12 * Fairmont Public Library Board Meeting 4:15 at the Library

* MONDAY FOOD Sicilian Meat roll, Cheesy Pot Casserole, Green Beans Rolls & desert

* Fairmont Village Board meeting 7 pm

Tues Feb 13 * Food Distribution 12:30 in front of the American Legion Club. Items will already be boxed you will just need to pick one up

Wed Feb 14 * Happy Valentine's Day * Valentines Party at the Senior Center 12:45 pm

* Kids Rock 6 pm

Thurs Feb 15 * Bookworms was cancelled for January so the book, "The Four Winds" by Kristin Hannah will be the book to be discussed. Hostess will be at Donna Lefler's home at 2:00 p.m. – weather permitting.

Sun Feb 18 * Fairmont Community Church 11am / Potato Bar 11:45 am after worship service

Mon Feb 19 * Library will be closed for President's Day

* Coffee Only at the Senior Center, Cards and Games 3-5 pm

* MONDAY FOOD Sloppy Joes, Baked Beans, Chips and desert

Tues Feb 20 * Fairview Manor Bible Study 10am Everyone Welcome

* Foot Clinic at the Senior Center 1-3 pm

* The GFWC/NFWC Fairmont Woman's Club will meet at the Senior Center at 1:30 p.m. for their regular meeting and THE ARTS day. Thought for the Day will be by Shelly Wicks. Roll Call is: famous quote and who said it. There will be Nomination of Officers for 2024-2025. Hostesses are: Doris Rogers and Louise Gipson

Wed Feb 21 * Community Club Meeting 7 pm at the Legion

Thurs Feb 22 * Birthday Dinner at the Senior Center Blood Pressure Clinic 11:45 am

Sat Feb 24 * Kids story time with Leap Day Craft at 10 am

Sun Feb 25 * Fairmont Community Church 11am Coffee at the church at 10:30 a.m. with Hostess Darlene Fischer

* Sons of the Legion meeting 5 pm

Mon Feb 26 * MONDAY FOOD Enchiladas with lettuce and Tomatoes, Corn Casserole and desert

Tues Feb 27 * Fire and Rescue Meeting 7 pm at the Fire barn

Library News

New Books at the Library:

Juvenile

The Princess and the (Greedy) Pea by Leigh Hodgkinson

Down the Hole by Scott Slater

Bizard and the Big Bunny Bizness by Chrissie Krebs

The Ghostly Photos by Margaret Peterson Haddix

Adult

Lessons in Chemistry by Bonnie Garmus

West With Giraffes by Lynda Rutledge

Oath and Honor - A Memoir and a Warning by Liz Cheney

A Fall of Marigolds by Susan Meissner

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Feb paper deadline for news is Feb 19th, 2024

Fairmont Community Church

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors.
The People of the
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Pastor Michelle Lessard
Sunday Services 11 a.m.
Communion 1st Sunday

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KIDS ROCK 1st and 2nd Wednesdays 6-7:30 pm

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Bettger, Cindy Slocum, Wanda Moses, Tyler Salmon, Scott and
Katie Lovelace

Please visit the American Freedom Defenders Facebook page
which contains a link to download and print our brochure and
tile order forms. These forms can also be obtained through
Board members and at Heartland Bank in Fairmont.

The flags are currently not flying. The board has a company
coming to inspect and repair the flag poles.

The American Freedom Defenders Veterans Memorial Board
graciously accepts in-kind grain donations. To donate please
contact Cindy Slocum at Heartland Bank, 402-268-2361.

Thank you for your continued support of the Veterans
Memorial.

SONS OF THE AMERICAN
LEGION

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2.10.2024 BRING THE HEAT! 5-7:00 PM
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ENTRY FEE

First place
prize \$100

FREE WILL
DONATION
FOR
TASTERS

Sign up @
Legion by
2.03.2024



Snow ordinance reminder...

With the winter months upon us, it's a good time to update residents about snow ordinances in Fairmont. Ordinance 6-30 states that it shall be unlawful for the occupant of any lot or lots within the corporate limits to allow snow, sleet, mud, ice or other substance to accumulate on the sidewalks or to permit any snow, sleet, ice, or other substance to remain upon said sidewalk. All sidewalks within the business district shall be cleaned within five (5) hours after the cessation of a storm, unless the storm or fall of snow shall have taken place during night, in which case the sidewalks shall be cleaned before eight thirty o'clock (8:30) a.m. the following day; provided, sidewalks within the residential areas of the Municipality shall be cleaned within twenty-four (24) hours after the cessation of the storm.

Also, if you know it will snow during the night, please do not have your cars parked on the streets as the plows will be out early in the morning. If you do park on the street during a snow storm your vehicle will have the possibility of being blocked in by the snow plows.

Sewer Rate Adjustment Reminder

A friendly reminder that annual sewer rates will be calculated in April and it will be based on water usage during **January, February and March**. If you have any questions, feel free to call the Village office.

Budget Billing Customers

New budget billing amounts will be calculated in January. Letters will be sent out with the new budget amounts.

Zoning Information Reminder

No building or structure or part of a building or structure shall be erected, constructed, reconstructed, replaced, moved or structurally altered without first obtaining a zoning permit. This permit may be obtained from the Fillmore County Zoning web site: <http://www.fillmorecounty.org/webpages/zoning/forms.htm>. For additional information, please contact Shaundee Graham, Fillmore County Zoning Administrator at (402)-759- 4982. You may also contact Shaundee by e-mail at: Zoning@Fillmore.nacore.org. Thank you for complying with the zoning regulations.

If you experience a utility outage outside of normal business hours, call Utility Superintendent Mike Scheil at (402)-759-0466 (please send a text message if no answer) or Maintenance Tech Troy Sonnenfeld at (308) 850 9400 (please send a text message if no answer). If no one answers, please contact Trustee Don Moses at (402)-363-1141.

B & A Storage Solutions

If you simply can't find the time for Spring Cleaning then, grab a big box for each room and just toss seasonal items, clutter, and anything you don't want in them. THEN give us a call and put your boxes in one of our storage units.
Call 402.239.0301 to get yours now. Or go to our website to pick your unit: bastoragesolutions.com




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Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:30am – 5:30 pm
Wednesday 1 pm – 9 pm Saturday 8 am – 3 pm

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Fairmont Legion Auxiliary
Meet first Wed of each month 7:30 .pm

SONS of the AMERICAN LEGION
Meet last Sunday of each month at 5 pm

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Fairmont Community Club

LIKE the Fairmont Community Club on Facebook!
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SHARE your Fairmont pics on the Club Facebook page!

Fairmont Community Club Welcomes YOU!!! The Fairmont Community Club is **always** welcoming new members. There is no cost to join, no obligation to regularly attend all meetings, no requirements on specific volunteer hours. Please join us at the January meeting to learn more about the Fairmont Community Club!

UPCOMING EVENTS SPONSORED BY THE FAIRMONT COMMUNITY CLUB:

March 30, 2024	Easter Fun Day
June 1, 2024	Community Clean Up Day
June 21-22-23, 2024	148 th Old Setts Picnic

CONGRATULATIONS to the January Raffle winners:

\$100	Cheryl Roper
\$50	Matt Kahler
\$25	Adam Crouch

CONGRATULATIONS to the House Decorating Winners: Talley Family
Dave & Mary Seggerman

PARK CLEAN UP: Please pick up your Christmas tree from the park ASAP!

FAIRMONT COMMUNITY CLUB BOARD ELECTIONS: Elections for the 2023-2024 Fairmont Community Club Board will be held during the February meeting.

OLD SETTS PLANNING: Planning is underway for the annual Old Setts celebration to be held June 21-22-23, 2024. Attend the February to share your ideas or offer your assistance & ideas!

FCC Scholarship: Details regarding the Fairmont Community Club scholarship can be found in this publication, as well as the Fairmont Community Club Facebook page!

February MEETING NOTICE: The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Fairmont Community Club is **February 21, 2024**. The meeting will begin at **700 PM** at the Fairmont Legion. All those who live, and work, within the Village of Fairmont, are welcome to attend and join the Fairmont Community Club. **New members are always welcome.**

**Legion Auxiliary Monday Foods
Returns 5-7 pm**

Mon Feb 5 Cream of Potato Soup with shredded cheddar and bacon, Rolls and desert

Mon Feb 12 Sicilian Meat roll with Cheesy Potato Casserole, green beans, Rolls and desert

Mon Feb 19 Sloppy Joes, Baked Beans, Chips and Desert

Mon Feb 26 Enchiladas, with lettuce and tomatoes, Corn Casserole and Desert.

Water, ice tea, or coffee served to dine in customers.

Free will donation.

Profits will be used to improve the kitchen/ the Hall and meet our yearly obligations to National and State.

**AMERICAN RED CROSS
BLOOD DRIVE**

I want to thank all who donated and helped at the December blood drive in Fairmont!

We had: 1 new doner, 34 total units with 4 power red donations and free t-shirts to all who came to donate or volunteered!

Next Fairmont Blood Drive will be Monday April 22nd noon – 5:30 pm

Text Amy @ 402.366.5591 if you want to get scheduled for this next one!

Reminders will be sent out beginning of April – hope to see lots of familiar and new donors!



**American
Red Cross**

FAIRMONT UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Be sure to mark your calendars for SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18th for the annual POTATO BAR to be held at the Fairmont Community United Methodist Church at noon following the morning worship services. Hostesses for this event are Vicki Lovegrove and Joan Softley.



**UNITED METHODIST
WOMEN'S ANNUAL
BAKED POTATO BUFFET
SUNDAY FEB 18th
12 noon Following Church Service
Fairmont Community Church Basement
Everyone Welcome
Free will offering**