



Riders on the Orphan Trains @ the South Sioux City Public Library

Riders on the Orphan Train will be held at the library on Monday, August 5th, at 6:30 p.m.

Few people today know much about the largest child migration in history. Between 1854 and 1929 over 250,000 orphans and unwanted children were taken out of New York City and given away at train stations across America. Children were sent to every state in the continental United States; the last train went to Sulphur Springs, Texas in 1929. This "placing out" system was originally organized by Methodist minister Charles Loring Brace and the Children's Aid Society of New York. His mission was to rid the streets and overcrowded orphanages of homeless children and provide them with an opportunity to find new homes. Many of the children were not orphans but "surrendered" by parents too impoverished to keep them. The New York Foundling Hospital, a Catholic organization, also sent out children to be placed in Catholic homes. This seventy-six year experiment in child relocation is filled with the entire spectrum of human emotion and reveals a great deal about the successes and failures of the American Dream.

The one-hour multi-media program combines live music by Phillip Lancaster and Alison Moore, video montage with archival photographs and interviews of survivors, and a dramatic reading of the 2012 novel "Riders on the Orphan Train" by award-winning author Alison Moore. Although the program is about children, it is designed to engage audiences of all ages and to inform, inspire and raise awareness about this little-known part of history.

Local relatives and acquaintances of Orphan Train Riders are especially invited to attend and share their stories with the audience.

This program is made possible in part with funds from Humanities Nebraska,

the Nebraska Cultural Endowment, and the State of Nebraska.

Family Movies: We show G and PG movies each Monday at 4:00 p.m. and Saturdays at 10:00 p.m.



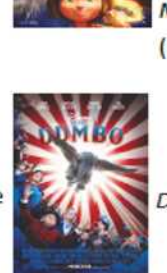
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (8/3)



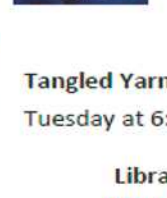
The House with a Clock in the Wall (8/5, 8/10)



Wonder Park (8/12, 8/17)



Missing Link (8/19, 8/24)



Dumbo (8/26, 8/30)

Tangled Yarns meets each Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.

Library Advisory Board
Wednesday, August 7th
@5:30 p.m.

Cookbook Book Club cooks up vegetarian dishes on



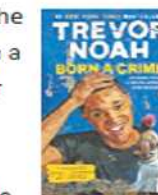
Thursday, August 8th, at 6:30 p.m. Vegetarian cooking is much more than just making salads. Checkout a vegetarian cookbook, bring in dish with an ingredient list and learn about the joy of vegetarian cooking.

Gardening Class: Dave Mixdorf will do a Fall and Winter Gardening Class on August 13th. Beginning Beekeeping is held on August 27th. Both classes are at 6:30

p.m.

Cover to Cover meets on August 12th at 3:00 p.m. At this meeting we will discuss *Here in Berlin* by Cristina Garcia. This book "is a portrait of a city through snapshots, an excavation of the stories and ghosts of contemporary Berlin - its complex, troubled past still pulsing in the air as it was during World War II. The city itself is a character - vibrant and postapocalyptic, flat and featureless except for its rivers, its lakes, its legions of bicyclists. Here in Berlin she encounters a people's history: the Cuban teen taken as a POW on a German submarine, only to return home to a family who doesn't believe him; the young Jewish scholar hidden in a sarcophagus until safe passage to England is found; the female lawyer haunted by a childhood of deprivation in the bombed-out suburbs of Berlin who still defends those accused of war crimes; a young nurse with a checkered past who joins the Reich at a medical facility more intent to dispense with a wounded than to heal them; and the son of a zookeeper at the Berlin Zoo, fighting to keep the animals safe from both war and an increasingly starving populace. -- from dust jacket.

On August 26 we will discuss *Born a Crime* by Trevor Noah. "Born to a white Swiss father and a black Xhosa mother, at the time such a union was punishable by five years in prison. As he struggles to find himself in a world where he was never supposed to exist, his mother is determined to save her son from the cycle of poverty, violence, and abuse that would ultimately threaten her own life, --from the catalog record



From the Superintendent's Office

Cardinal Family

"Back to School"

Registration Event

August 5th 2019

10:00 AM – 6:00 PM

at South Sioux City High School

3301 G Street

FOR ALL STUDENTS

Pre-K through 12th Grade

All Schools – One Location

Cardinal, Covington, Dakota City, EN Swett, Harney,
Lewis & Clark, Middle School, High School & GTL



South Sioux City Schools

VISIT OUR SCHOOL WEB PAGE ONLINE AT:
[HTTP://WWW.SCCCARDINALS.ORG](http://www.scccardinals.org)



AUGUST 2019

CARDINAL Pride

Help keep our City clean

Help control the litter in our beautiful City. The City of South City is reviving an old program, **Adopt a Street**.

We are looking for organizations or individuals to **Adopt a Street** here in South Sioux City. A *Street Sign* will be placed in the area, *acknowledging* those who are helping out! If you want to **Adopt a Street** the program works like this. **Adopt a Street** will entail keeping the street and the parking area clean of litter. Any street that you are wanting, but it should be a minimum of 6 blocks and minimum cleaning of twice a year with a minimum two year commitment.

Additionally the City *will supply* orange bags for litter pickup. Once the orange bags are full you can bring them to the Public Works Office at 125 E. 26th. The City has the waiver forms for those wanting to adopt a street.

This is a great community service program for organizations, families and business that want to keep the first impression spotless for South Sioux City!

We look forward to hearing from you and having you sign up. Please call us at the Public Works Office if you are willing to be a part of the **Adopt a Street** Program. Call 402-494-8166 and ask for Connie. We hope to hear from you!

If you are currently participating in this program or had in the past please contact Connie at 402-494-8166 to update our records!



- ☒ **New Recycling Carts**
- ☒ **SSC Chamberetts Luncheon**
- ☒ **Siouxland Missouri River Cleanup**
- ☒ **New Councilman**
- ☒ **Grass Clippings**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



AUGUST PUBLIC MEETINGS

City Hall Council Chambers – 1615 1st Avenue
City Council Meeting*: 12th & 26th at 5:00 p.m.
Community Development Agency: 8th & 22nd at 11:00 a.m.
Finance Committee*: 7th, 14th, 21st & 28th at Noon
Public Works Committee*: 5th & 19th at 5:00p.m.
Design Commission: 1st & 15th at 8:30 a.m.
Planning & Zoning Commission: 14th & 28th at 4:00 p.m.

Parks & Recreation Office – 1021 E 6th Street
Parks & Recreation Board: 5th at 5:15 p.m.
South Sioux City Library – 2121 Dakota Avenue
Library Board: 7th at 5:30 p.m.

*Meetings are Broadcast Live on Cable One Channel 57
Long Lines Channel 3 and live video streamed on city website www.southsiouxcity.org

South Sioux City to provide 64-gallon recycling carts for residents

The City of South Sioux City has received a NE Environmental Trust - Recycling Council grant to begin the deployment of 64-gallon, blue recycling carts on wheels with lids to replace the smaller green carry bins. Carts should be available at end of July for disbursement in August. Carts will be delivered to residents by Western Disposal on a weekly basis until all carts are dispersed. A limited number of carts (485) are available on this first round.



Carts will be dispersed on a first order basis. Orders will be taken beginning July 24, 2019. Individuals wishing to obtain a 64-gallon cart will be charged one-time fee of \$12.00 on their utility bill and refunded \$2.00 for return of smaller green cart for a total of \$10.00/cart. Smaller green carts should be left street side when bins are delivered. Only one cart per residency allowed. Order for carts should be made in writing using the form below and dropped off at city hall.

The 2018 Recycling Equipment Grant from the Nebraska Recycling Council is one of 85 grant projects in 2017 receiving \$16.6 million in grant awards from Nebraska Environmental Trust. The Trust is funded by proceeds from the Nebraska Lottery and has awarded more than \$289 million to over 2,100 natural resource projects in Nebraska since 1993. The Nebraska Recycling Council is a non-profit, membership organization of public and private organizations, as well as individuals, and has been a recycling advocate in Nebraska since 1980.

La ciudad de South Sioux City ha recibido una subvención de NE Environmental Trust - Recycling Council para comenzar el despliegue de carritos de reciclaje azules de 64 galones con ruedas y tapas para reemplazar los contenedores de transporte verdes más pequeños. Los carros estaran disponibles a fines de Julio para el desembolso en Agosto. Los carros serán entregados a los residentes por Western Disposal cada semana hasta que todos los carros estén dispersos. Un número limitado de carros (485) están disponibles en esta primera ronda.



Los carros serán dispersados en un primer orden. Los pedidos se tomarán a partir del 15 de Julio de 2019. A las personas que deseen obtener un carrito de 64 galones se les cobrará una tarifa única de \$ 12.00 en su factura de servicios públicos y se reembolsarán \$ 2.00 por la devolución de un carrito verde más pequeño por un total de \$ 10.00 / carrito. Los carritos verdes más pequeños deben quedar al lado de la calle cuando se entreguen los contenedores. Solo se permite un carrito por residencia. El pedido de carros se debe hacer por escrito utilizando el formulario a continuación y se debe dejar en city hall.

La subvención para equipos de reciclaje de 2018 del Consejo de reciclaje de Nebraska es uno de los 85 proyectos de subvenciones en 2017 que recibe \$ 16.6 millones en subvenciones de Nebraska Environmental Trust. El Fideicomiso es financiado con fondos de la Lotería de Nebraska y ha otorgado más de \$ 289 millones a más de 2,100 proyectos de recursos naturales en Nebraska desde 1993. El Nebraska Recycling Council es una organización sin fines de lucro, de organizaciones públicas y privadas, así como de individuos, y ha sido un defensor del reciclaje en Nebraska desde 1980.

64-gallon Recycling Cart Request – Cut along line and deliver to city hall

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

I recognize when cart is delivered, I will be charged on my utility bill a one-time fee of \$12.00 and refunded \$2.00 for return of smaller green cart for a total of \$10.00/cart.

Sign

Date

South Sioux City Chamberettes

Luncheon

Tuesday, September 10, 2019
11:00 am - 1:30 pm

American Legion Hall
109 E 19th Street

\$7 per person
Children under 5- FREE

Purchase tickets from members or at the door

A portion of the proceeds will go to the Siouxland Freedom Park

2019 Siouxland Missouri River Cleanup

Keep Northeast Nebraska Beautiful (KNNB) is promoting the 2019 Siouxland Missouri River Cleanup set for Saturday, September 21st, 9-11:30a.m. Check-in will begin at 8:30am at the Parks Department Office, 801 Riverview Rd. at Scenic Park in South Sioux City. This annual event is sponsored by Nebraska and Iowa communities along the Missouri River -- all are invited to participate! Due to high river levels, cleanup locations will be accessible by walkways.

Lunch is provided after the cleanup at noon back at the Scenic Park. There are PRIZES! Largest representation for college/youth group, the Strangest Find and more! If you are not able to participate in person, please consider a donation to help with event costs!

Contact KNNB Coordinator, Dawn Kimmel for more information.
Email: dawn@simpco.org
Office: 712.224.8905
Text: 712.333.4911

New City Councilman Jasper Kriens

Jasper Kriens is a lifelong resident of South Sioux City and graduated from South Sioux City in 1993. He married his wife Lyndsey and have 3 children; Jacob (20) who is attending college at UNO in Omaha, Caleb (16) who is a junior at South Sioux, and Jordan (14) who is a freshman at South Sioux, and their family dog Rocco. Kriens stated, “I am excited to be part of the city council and to work with the city staff and employees to move the community forward.”

Photo on the right shows new councilman Jasper Kriens taking the oath of office during Monday’s Public Works meeting.



Keep Grass Out Of Our Streets

Please call the public works office at 494-8166 first when you suspect a sewer back up, it maybe the city line.

City Backflow crew requests that you promptly return backflow surveys to public works or city hall. There are several best management practices recommended for homeowners to help keep grass from clogging storm drains and preventing other environmental issues:

When mowing, direct grass clippings away from streets, driveways, sidewalks and other paved areas.

Leave grass clippings on the lawn. (Grass clippings are composed of nearly 85% water)

Lawns mowed at taller heights are more competitive against weeds, and tend to withstand heat stress better.

By leaving grass clippings on the lawn, you can reduce fertilizer 30 to 40%. (Leaving clippings in place leaves the equivalent of one pound of nitrogen per 1,000 sq. ft., the same amount you would get from one fertilizer application.)

If you must remove your clippings, compost them with leaves and soil. By following these simple suggestions, you are not only saving yourself money and helping the environment; you are becoming a little greener in the process.



Practice HEAT SAFETY Wherever You Are



Job Sites

Stay hydrated and take breaks in the shade as often as possible.



Indoors

Check up on the elderly, sick and those without AC.



Vehicles

Never leave kids or pets unattended - LOOK before you LOCK



Outdoors

Limit strenuous outdoor activities, find shade, and stay hydrated.

Heat related deaths are preventable. Protect yourself and others from the impacts of heat waves.

weather.gov/heat