September 2020 Newsletter

Back to School

Learning Express

It’s back to school time. Students in elementary, middle, and high school have resources to help them succeed through the library. Learning Express has skill-building resources for classroom and homework success. High School seniors can get ready for college by ACT, SAT, and other test prep. We also give you guided assistance to College Admission Essay assistance. Learning Express also has guided support and preparation to help you earn a high school equivalency credential. All you need is a South Sioux library card to set up an account and develop your skills.

Get a New Job

Trying to get a new job?

If you’re having a hard time landing a new job, we have several opportunities to help you. The South Sioux City Public Library is partnering with Goodwill Industries of the Great Plains to bring a personalized job service to you, at the library if you need help filing for unemployment, searching for a job, or any other job related employment help, job service experts will be available to you on September 18 between 2:30 and 3:30 pm.

You can simply stop by, or you can reserve a time to ensure you’ll have the assistance.

Learning Express is not just for elementary and high school students. You also have access to career help! Get same help creating a resume that will get you the interview, and assistance preparing for it. You also have access to plenty of professional test prep including LSAT, GMAT, and other Professional Entrance exams. We also offer assistance for adults on core skills such as math, reading, writing, speaking and grammar all free, with your library card.

From the Superintendent’s Office

September 2020

Catholic Pride

Cardinal Pride

Clean up, Sponsor South Sioux City Fall Cleanup

September 5-5, 2020

It’s Fall Cleanup time! South Sioux City Fall Cleanup week is October 4-9, 2020.

Tree debris pickup will be Oct. 12-16, 2020. Please wait to set out tree debris until this week.

Pick up for each week will be ON your normal trash pickup day. Please set out items at the end of your driveway or in the parking area only the night before your normal trash pickup day. The parking area is the grassy area between the curb and the sidewalk. Residents are asked to place their trash in the parking area in a trash-bag or褡pick-up load and not work in front of the debris. This will aid in the safety and efficiency for the clean-up crew.

No glass, paint, liquids, tires or trash amount over 1 pick-up load will be allowed. Notice will be given to customers for the items listed or with more than a pick-up load. It will fall to the resident’s responsibility to remove remaining garbage or tree debris.

Tree debris included for pickup must be less than 4” long, not over 4” in diameter and can only be tied together with string or twine. NO rope or wire! No more than 1 pick-up load allowed. Residents will be given notice if over 1 pick-up load exists; it will be their responsibility to remove remaining debris. Tree pick-up is only in the fall.

Crews only make one pass for the clean-up each week, if items are set out after that pass it is the resident’s responsibility to remove.

If you have questions please call South Sioux City Public Works 494-8166.

We ask for resident patience during the week of Fall Cleanup. This is a great program for the city, but safety to the workers is number one!

South Sioux City Public Works

September 15-16, 2020

Public Meetings

City Hall Council Chambers—1615 16th Avenue

City Council Meetings: 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 5:00 pm

Community Development Agency: 10th & 16th at 9:00 am

Financial Committee* Public Works Committee* Design Commission: 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 5:00 pm

Library Board: 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 5:00 pm

Design Commission: 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 5:00 pm

Planning & Zoning Commission: 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 5:00 pm

Rentals: 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 5:00 pm

Parks & Recreation Office: 221 11th Street

Parks & Recreation Board: 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 6:00 pm

South Sioux City Library—1615 16th Avenue

*Meeting are broadcast live on Mediacast (KOLU TV) and Channel 7, Long and Channel 3, Live view available on city website www.southsiouxcity.org
Volunteer of the month August: The Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus was founded by Father Michael J. McGivney in 1881 at St. Mary’s Parish in New Haven, CT. His purpose was to help Catholic men remain steadfast in their faith, promote the moral welfare of themselves and set up an elementary system of insurance so that the widows and children of the members who die will not find themselves in dire financial straits. The Knights have three major principle tenets, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

Fr. Trecy Council #1 3844 in Sioux City currently has 239 members, 20 honorary members and 39 honorary life members. They have 58 life members worldwide and 13,000 members. The Grand Knights in the USA are, Deputy Grand Knight is Rick Bouyou, Financial Secretary is Dale Seiby, and Treasurer is Cy Pfeifer. The Knights of Columbus help the community in many ways. The toasted Roll Drive for Intellectual Disabilities (formerly known as Special Olympics, Chamber Coffee, Fireman’s Feast, the Knights of Columbus run the Chicken Fest, an event in which all the proceeds go to the local Catholic Charities, the Knights of Columbus run the Norton Insurance House, which is a non-profit organization, which is what they do for their community.

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Lifelong resident of Sioux City and Alam of ‘49 B.S. in Conse- nsent of the University of Nebraska (Kenneally ’98
Volunteer and Coach of American Legion Baseball. Coached many youth football, basketball, and baseball teams over the years.

Vice President Construction Supplies at Concrete Products

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