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Chamber News

MAY 2022



The weather for the Easter Egg Hunt was very COLD and WINDY!!! Lots of kids were present and ready to grab all the eggs they could and get home to warm up.

Approximately 4,000 eggs were put out for the kids to find and not a one was left! The Easter Bunny was available to take pictures with the kids.

Thank you to the Chamber Board Members who put out all 4,000 eggs and Elmwood Care Center for allowing us to have the event in their yard.

Administrative Professionals Day!

On Wednesday, April 27th the Chamber made special deliveries to some Administrative Professionals. Bentley Sweet Art Bakery prepared the special treat packages to honor all the hard working Administrative Professionals.

Thank you to everyone who ordered something special for their employees. The Chamber would like feedback or suggestions on what to do for 2023. Do you enjoy these treats delivered or should we do a luncheon again? Please let Jenn know what you would like to see for the 2023 Administrative Professional's Day. chamber@onawa.com or 423-1801.

The Chamber was honored to hold two ribbon cuttings in the month of April.



Lacy Smizer relocated her business, Simply Signs & Creative Customs to the old Agri Vision building (814 Pearl Street). The ribbon cutting was held on Friday, April 15th. Congratulations on your new location!!!!



Ten 34 Brickhouse was welcomed with a ribbon cutting on Friday, April 8th. Brent Watkins and Tami Hoffman are the owners and operators and they look forward to having a business in Onawa and welcome everyone to come and see their renovations. Welcome to Onawa and the Chamber of Commerce!

Time to get those closets, attic and garages cleaned out.

June 11 & 12, 2022 will be Onawa's City Wide Garage Sale and Crazy Days. All listings are on www.onawachamber.com and flyers will be available in the front entry way of the Onawa Public Library.

If you want on the list, call 712-423-1801 or e-mail chamber@onawa.com.

Onawa City Wide Clean Up Days

The City of Onawa will once again be having a city wide clean up on May 5th, 6th and 7th at the maintenance yard at 1514 6th street. The Hours are 8:00 a.m.—7:00 p.m. on Thursday and Friday and 8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m. on Saturday. This is a great time to clean your property up for Spring. Some items will require a fee. The City asks that you remain in your vehicle and the City staff will unload your items for disposal.

Plant Sale



The Green Thumbs Garden Club is hosting their annual plant sale on Saturday, May 14th 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. at the Monona County Historical Museum parking lot. Be sure to stop by and grab some plants and help support this great group and the Museum.

Museums Open for the Season

The three Monona County Museums - Kiwanis, Historical and Veteran's— are excited to be open for the 2022 season.

Chamber Coffee will be held at the Veteran's Museum on Friday, May 27, 2022 from 9:30—10:30 a.m. to honor the opening weekend.

After opening weekend the Kiwanis and Veteran's Museum are open every Saturday and Sunday from 1:00 p.m.—4:30 p.m. The Historical Museum will be open Sunday's only from June 5th—August 28th from 1:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m. They will be closed Memorial Day Weekend, July 4th weekend and Labor Day weekend.

If you and your family have never visited the museums on North 12th Street, make plans to stop in this summer. Our museum complex makes history come alive and brings people to our Community!

Thank you to the volunteers who work the museums and keep them open.

Memorial Day Services

Memorial Day Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. at the Onawa Cemetery Monday, May 30, 2022. Everyone is welcome to attend. The avenue of flags is something you don't want to miss!



With Honor & Gratitude
We Remember

Calendar of Events for May 2022

- | May 5 Chamber Board Meeting at noon at the Onawa Public Library.
- | May 5—7 City wide clean up at the maintenance yard 1514 6th street.
- | May 6 Chamber Coffee hosted by Smashing Numbers (Loess Hills Accounting)
- | May 8 Happy Mother's Day!
- | May 10 Onawa City Council Meeting 7:00 p.m. City Hall.
- | May 14 Green Thumb Garden Club plant sale at Historical Museum 10-2.
- | May 15 West Monona Graduation Class of 2022.
- | May 20 Chamber Coffee hosted by West Central Development.
- | May 24 Onawa City Council Meeting 7:00 p.m. City Hall.
- | May 27 Chamber Coffee hosted by Monona County Veteran's Museum.
- | May 30 Happy Memorial Day!