



CITY OF ST. CLAIR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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Blue Earth County Library System Mini-Library Site at the St. Clair at City



*Stop by and check out the new selection
of books in the Mini-Library.*

Our Mini-Library offers a nice variety of books, including children's books. Staff members from the Blue Earth County Library update the books in our Mini-Library monthly. If you don't see the kinds of books you like, there's a clipboard on the library cart, leave a note on the clipboard for the library staff. The St. Clair Mini-Library functions on the 'honor system', books are not 'checked-out' like in a traditional library.

St. Clair School Media Center open every Monday night from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Visit the St. Clair School Media Center ... check-out a good book to take home, relax and read a book, make a copy, type a report, explore the internet, create a mailing list, make a birthday card, or just search for information.

St. Clair Eagle Lake Madison Lake



Firefighters Dance

Saturday, April 5th

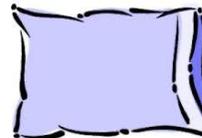
8:30 p.m. to 12 midnight

at the Eagle Lake American Legion

Music by: *Blue Ringers*

Come and Support your local Firefighters!!

Pillow Cleaning



St. Clair American Legion Auxiliary
PILLOW CLEANING

Monday, April 7th

1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

at the St. Clair American Legion

EARLY DROP-OFF ... Sunday, April 6th

12:00 noon – 5:00 p.m.

Standard Pillow \$11.95

Queen Size: \$13.95

King Size: \$14.95



June 16 - 22

- Medallion Hunt
- Miss St. Clair Pageant
- City Wide Garage Sales
- 5-K Fun Run & 1 Mile Kids Run
- Fire Dept. Steak Fry
- Kids Day
- Parade
- Fireworks!
- and lots of family fun!

Visit the St. Clair Days website
www.stclairdays.com

Upcoming Events

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| St. Clair Firefighters Dance | Saturday, April 5 th |
| St. Clair Days Fundraiser | Saturday, April 12 th |
| (more information about the Fundraiser will be included in the next Newsletter) | |
| City Wide Clean Up Day | Saturday, June 14 th |
| St. Clair Days | June 16 th – June 22 nd |

Visit the City website www.stclair.govoffice2.com
for more information on these events.

Winter Reminders

City residents are urged, as good neighbors and motorists, not to add to the hazards of wintertime driving.

- Use off-street parking during and after a snowfall event to allow for efficient snow plowing and snow removal.
- Property owners adjacent to sidewalks are responsible for snow and ice removal from the sidewalk.
- Snow from driveways, sidewalks and parking lots is not to be blown, plowed, shoveled or deposited in any way onto or across public streets.
- The City will not be responsible for damage to fences, vehicles, play equipment and/or other objects or obstacles parked or placed on the City right-of-way. The City road right-of-way is approx. 10' from the curb or edge of the street.

Sidewalk Snow Removal



The resident/occupant of any property abutting any public sidewalk is responsible for ice and snow removal. All ice and snow must be removed from public sidewalks within 36 hours after the ice or snow has ceased to fall. If the sidewalk is not cleared within the designated time the City will hire it done at a charge to the property owner of \$50.00 per time.

Daylight Savings Time Begins



Sunday, March 9th
Turn your clocks ahead!



Economic Development



Do you have an idea for a new business or for expanding an existing business?

The City of St. Clair and Blue Earth County (through the Blue Earth County Small Cities Revolving Loan Program) have low interest loan money available to assist qualified applicants in the development of a new business or for the expansion/improvement of an existing business.

For information on the St. Clair Economic Development Loan Program (up to \$5,000) or the Blue Earth County Small Cities Revolving Loan Program (up to \$75,000) contact the City Clerk at 245-3494.

Information on the Blue Earth County Small Cities Revolving Loan Program, including who can apply, a list of eligible projects, loan parameters, application timeline and approval process, is available on the City of St. Clair website, click on 'Economic Development' on the left menu.

Recycling

Acceptable recyclables include: glass, aluminum, tin cans, plastic containers, mixed paper and corrugated cardboard. Recyclables can be co-mingled into a 'single stream', no sorting necessary.

CORRUGATED CARDBOARD – Flatten boxes and keep dry. Place by your recycling bin.

MIXED PAPER – Flatten boxes.

ACCEPTED:

- Newspapers, glossy newspaper inserts, magazines
- Catalogs, phone books, paperback books
- Office paper, envelopes, manila folders, post-it notes
- Paperboard (shoe boxes, cereal and cracker boxes, etc.)
- Dairy boxes, juice boxes, pop/beer boxes

NOT ACCEPTED:

- Pizza boxes (because of the grease)
- Containers designed to go into the freezer
- Egg cartons & paper tubes (because of the glue)
- Gift wrap paper, tissue paper, or wallpaper

ALUMINUM, TIN, GLASS and PLASTIC CONTAINERS –

Please rinse all containers.

ALUMINUM (aluminum cans, aluminum foil and pie tins)

TIN CANS

GLASS BOTTLES and JARS (green, blue, brown & clear glass)

NO ... window glass, auto glass, mirrors, light bulbs, or kitchenware (ceramics, Pyrex, drinking glasses, etc.).

PLASTIC BOTTLES and CONTAINERS (including caps and lids)

Plastic items # 1 through 7