

City of Sheldon

OFFICES CLOSED

The Sheldon City Offices will be closed on November 22 & 23, 2012 in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

NO PARKING ORDINANCE

The City of Sheldon Ordinance states that parking is not allowed on any city street from November 1 thru April 1, from 2:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. Vehicles parked on the streets/avenues during these hours could be subject to parking fines.

Community Welcomes New Recreation Director

The City of Sheldon recently hired Curt Strouth as the new Recreation Director for the community. Curt and his family will be moving soon from Rock Valley. Curt has been the Community Activities Director for 11 years in Rock Valley and has handled virtually any community activity that community held. This included events for not only the City of Rock Valley Recreation Department, but also the various chamber activities that took place. Curt is looking forward to placing his focus on only recreational programs and events for the City of Sheldon. Curt has a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Fitness Management from Augustana College in Sioux Falls. He has an extensive background in coordinating various tournaments from basketball, youth baseball/softball and other special events. Curt officially began his duties on October 15, so please stop by or drop him an email to welcome him and his family to the community. Curt is married and has 3 children. His email is cstrouth@cityofsheldon.com.

United Way Fund

The United Way Fund is still in the process of collecting donations for various community programs and events. They currently provide funding to 23 community organizations and they can be viewed at any of the 4 local banks. Also, if you are interested in making a donation, please send to PO Box 41 or contact any of your local banks as well. Thanks for your support!

CEMETERY FLOWERS

The City Ordinance requires that flowers, plants, grave adornments, etc...are to be removed from all gravesites at East Lawn Cemetery from November 1 until April 1. If people wish to keep their items, please remove them. The cemetery sexton shall dispose of all such items after November 1.

STOP THAT FLU BUG BEFORE IT STARTS

Its flu season again and the most effective thing you can do to reduce your chances of getting sick is to get the flu vaccine. In fact, the flu vaccine will strengthen your immune system so it can fight off the illness more successfully. Plus, those who get a vaccine every year are more protected than those who choose to go without. Other ways to prevent the flu: Avoid close contact with people who are sick, wash your hands often to protect against germs, avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth in case your hands are contaminated with illness, and get plenty of sleep, stay physically active, eat nutritiously, and keep your stress level low.

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LEAF BURNING

The City of Sheldon would like to remind residents that burning of leaves, trash, grass, yard and garden waste is strictly prohibited. The grass and leaf disposal site at Hills Park is the designated area. Please remember to remove any bags, boxes, etc... from the site.

Lion's Club Omelet Supper will be held at the Sheldon Community Services Building, lower level, Monday November 12-5:00-7:00 P.M.. Ticket prices: \$7 with children 12 and under \$4.

Proceeds go to Sheldon Fire Company & SCAT.

LEAVING FOR THE WINTER?

Please remember, your utility account number is required for any changes to your utility account. If you are going south for the winter, you have two (2) options for your utility bill. If you do not wish to receive a bill, you may have your meter pulled and you will need to drain your lines, There is a \$25.00 reconnection fee when you return and have your water hooked back up. If you do not want to pull your meter, you may leave your water on and stop your garbage, if your are going to be gone for more than two (2) months. There is a form in our office you will need to complete. If you have questions, please contact our office at 324-4651.



FESTIVAL OF TREES

This year will be at the Sheldon Public Library December 3-17 with FREE Admission
 Monday, 9:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
 Tuesday-Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 Saturday, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
 For more information contact smatus@sheldoniowa.com or call 324-2813.

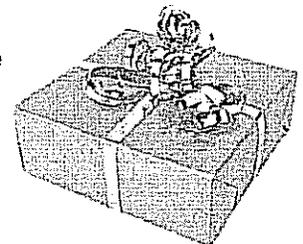
Merry Money-ONE DAY ONLY!

Shop Sheldon for the Holidays with Sheldon Merry Money. Merry Money is offered at a 10% discount! Monday, November 12 from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. or until gone at the Sheldon Community Services Building.

- \$100,000 in Merry Money will be available for sale for ONE DAY ONLY—November 12.
- Merry Money purchases will be limited to \$2,000 per household/business.
- Must be spent in Sheldon at businesses participating in the Merry Money Program.
- Must be spent by December 24, 2012—no refunds.
- No change or cash back at time of purchase.
- This is not a loan. Consumers may purchase Merry money at a discount, with cash up front.
- At the time of the purchase, you will receive a list of the participating SCDC businesses, at which Sheldon Merry Money can be spent.
- Example how Merry Money works: you'll pay only \$900 to purchase \$1,000 in Merry Money.

Don't miss out on this terrific opportunity to stretch your holiday shopping dollars by purchasing Merry Money at a 10% discount.

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Reminders:

Get out and vote on November 6, 2012.

We are on the web at www.cityofsheldon.com

Trails Waffle Supper on Monday December 3, 2012