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GET \$10.00 & REDUCE STAFF'S RISK OF COVID-19

Sign up for automatic withdraw of your utility bill and/or e-billing all on the same form. If you sign up for both you will receive \$10.00. The form can be found on the City Hall website (leclaireiowa.gov). To find it on the website scroll to the bottom of the first page and in Quick Links click on "Utility Checking Auto Pay & E-Bill Form". Return form and voided check or voided saving deposit slip by mail, by e-mail (bills@leclaireiowa.gov), or put it in the drop box at City Hall. Not only will you receive \$10.00 off your next bill but you will reduce the staff's risk of COVID-19 by reducing the handling of the mail and processing of the payment. We look forward to your participation. If you have any questions please email Jo at jphares@leclaireiowa.gov or call her at 289-4242 Ext. 1101.

GARBAGE & RECYCLING PICKUP SCHEDULE

May 2020

Recycling and Garbage days for June (in yellow) are May 6th & 7th and May 20th & 21st. Garbage only days in May (in blue) are May 13th & 14th and June 27th & 28th. Curbside Pickup will be on your normal pickup days (in red) May 6th and May 7th.

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Please put your toters at least three feet apart to allow the Republic drivers to maneuver their truck's mechanical arm to raise and lower your garbage toters. Please do not overflow the toters. And please have your toters out by 7AM on your pickup day, If your toter(s) are not out by 7AM on your pickup day, and your garbage/recycling gets missed, the Republic trucks will not return to pick up your garbage and/or recycling.

STORM WATER MANAGEMENT INFORMATION & CONTACT HELP LINE!!

(563)-289-4242 (Ext. 1502)

"BE A PART OF THE SOLUTION ...
BY PREVENTING WATER POLLUTION!"



PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT "EMERGENCY CONTACT"

We want to remind everyone that the city's PWD can be reached 24/7/365 by dialing 289-4242 and pressing 3 & 1500. This will put you directly into the PWD emergency contact voice mail box where you can leave a message which will be automatically relayed to City personnel.

CURB-SIDE CLEAN UP DAYS – FREE DISPOSAL!! – MAY 6TH & MAY 7TH, 2020

On Wednesday May 6th and Thursday May 7th, any resident** may put out curbside any large, bulky waste items, [extra regular garbage, hazardous materials, construction debris, commercial business items, appliances, tires, "e-waste" or yard wastes will not be accepted]. The location for your curbside pickup will be where you normally put your garbage toters for pickup. All items must be out at the curb by 7:00AM. The garbage contractor will not return for any items placed curbside after 7:00 AM.

** Only LeClaire residents with proof of residency (no commercial businesses) whose City garbage accounts are paid in full may participate in the Clean-ups. For more information or if you have any questions or special needs, please feel free to call City Hall at 289-4242. "E-waste" is defined as devices that contain a circuit board or a cathode ray tube such as, computer monitors, TVs, VCRs, stereos, computers, radios, and video game systems. E-waste contains environmental hazards such as lead, mercury, cadmium, nickel, chromium, lithium, and PCBs. "Hazardous Materials" are defined as Fluorescent Light Bulbs, household cleaners and disinfectants, vehicle fluids, Weed Killer, Bug Sprays Pesticides, fertilizers, paint, stains, varnishes, glue, solvents, etc.

Future disposal Dates are: in the FALL [Dumpster Cleanup] on the 2nd Saturday of October [October 10, 2020] and in SPRING [Curb-side Cleanup] on the 2nd Saturday in April [April 10, 2021]. For more information or if you have any questions or special needs, please feel free to call City Hall at 289-4242.

LECLAIRE CIVIC CLUB NEWS

The Civic Club is hosting a Trivia Fundraiser for the Women's PEO Philanthropy on May 16th. Call Debbie, 563-349-4403, or email smith5grand@gmail.com to book a table. Doors open at 6 PM to serve food with Trivia starting at 7PM. \$10 per person.

The Civic Club hopes to resume serving breakfast on Wednesday morning from 8AM to 9:30AM in May. This is another chance to learn about the club. This will depend on guidance on social gathering.

Reserve the civic center for events. Rental cost is \$75 for 6 hours and \$125 for whole day. Call or email Debbie to reserve the center.

The monthly membership meeting will be held on Tuesday May 26th at 7PM. We will have a potluck at 6:15. Come join us! New members welcome! Join us to learn more about the club.

Our Annual Swiss Steak Dinner is set for Saturday May 30th 4:00 pm to 6:30 pm. Tickets will go on sale in early May.

Events may be rescheduled or cancelled according to COVID-19 guidance. Please check our website and Facebook page for up-to-date schedules.

LECLAIRE COMMUNITY LIBRARY

The LeClaire Community Library is closed until further notice during the present health emergency. We have extended all due dates to May 18. There will be no overdue fines charged while we are closed. LeClaire Library card holders can access our online resources and download e-books and e-audiobooks through our website at www.leclairelibrary.org. You may call the library Monday through Friday, 10:00am to 5:00pm on our direct line (563-289-6007) and we will assist you with questions about our online resources or reference requests. Watch our facebook or website for updates and changes.

TOURISM NEWS

Please #ShowYourLoveForLeClaire and purchase by carryout or curbside pick up from our restaurants and shops. Some can deliver or ship your purchases and many of our businesses have gift certificates for sale, too. Follow our Facebook page "LeClaire, Iowa" for updates on virtual and upcoming events. We hope to have more details soon on First Friday, Cars & Coffee, Trivia, and Riverboat Twilight Sightseeing Cruises. Some of our fun May events have been rescheduled including Shops with Hops to August 22 and KenTaco Derby to September 5. Also, watch for a new date for the Wine Hop. Thank you for your continued support! Contact the Office of Tourism at info@visitleclaire.com or check out the website at www.visitleclaire.com for more information.

SWIMMING POOL REQUIREMENTS

Swimming Pool "Enclosure" Requirements Reminders! - Before all of the neighborhood kids take that first "dip" in the old back yard pool this summer make sure that your pool is safe and that it meets the requirements for fencing and enclosures. This includes the need for enclosures that surround those very popular "temporary, inflatable" pools **THAT ARE NOT CONTINUOUSLY MONITORED BY AN ADULT AND THAT ARE NOT DRAINED AND STORED ON A DAILY BASIS and UNCOVERED HOT TUBS AND SPAS.** Please call for a copy of the detailed ordinance if you have any questions at all. The Police Department will be closely monitoring this matter as a significant public safety issue and will be stopping by and knocking on your door or calling you if they see any problems. Thanks for your help and cooperation in protecting all the neighborhood kids!!

