

## Vol. XCI

## Amana, Iowa, Thursday, October 06, 2022

## AMANA CHURCH SOCIETY NEWS

Masks are requested but not required in all Amana Church Society buildings for the fully vaccinated, all others are humbly asked to wear a mask and/or practice social distancing.

The Early Service will be in the Middle Church Sunday, October 09, 2022, starting 8:30 A.M. with Sw. Kristie Yoder presiding.

Opening Hymn: "Wach auf der Herrn zu loben" No. 999 Seite 981

Testimony: JF Rock, Nov. 3 1720, Ronneburg Scripture: Hebrews 10: 19-25

Psalm 32

Closing Hymn: "Singen schmeckt von herzen wohl" No. 246 Seite 238

The Late Service will start at 10:00 A.M. with the following hymns:

Opening Hymn: "Singing makes the heart content" No. 155

Closing Hymn: "Spread oh Spread Thy mighty Word" No. 246

The Wednesday Evening Prayer (Nachtgebet) meeting will begin at 7:00 P.M. in Middle.

Visitors are welcome to join us in worship at all Amana Church Services. Childcare is available during Sunday's 10:00 A.M. Service.

## FIRST RESPONDERS SEEK DONATIONS FOR VEHICLE

Amana First Responders are looking to purchase a newer vehicle for the service. The current vehicle is over 30 years old and the cost to maintain it far exceeds its remaining lifetime.

As an all volunteer organization, first reponders are not taxpayer funded and rely on the generosity of the community we serve.

If you can help, please send donations to Amana First Responders, c/o Lucas Miller, 1713 S Ave., South Amana, IA 52334. Please make donations payable to Amana First Responders. If you would like additional information about Amana First Responders call Lucas at 319-551-5587. Thank you.

## MIDDLE BARN CLEAN UP

We are asking for volunteers to come to the Middle barn complex on October 8 at 10 am to help remove trees and vines from the barns. Trees and vines have already begun to cause damage that may be impossible to reverse if it is allowed to continue. If you are able to join us that morning please bring gloves, saws (a chainsaw or two with able operators would be much appreciated), and pruners. We could also use 2-3 pickup trucks to haul refuse to the dump. Rain date will be October 22nd. Any and all helpers are welcome. Questions? email Betsy Momany at busterb@southslope.com.

## FEATHERS IN THE WIND

Sometimes I feel like I am sitting in front of a space ship control panel. There is the control to lift my chair and recline it or to even "eject" me. (That can be amusing for my family when instead of "pushing" the control button, I "sit" on it.)

### **ILLUSTRATORS CLUB**

The Illustrators Club is open to anyone wanting to illustrate a written work. Our goal is to offer support and camaraderie to artists through the sharing of ideas, resources, and experiences.

Our next meeting is Sunday, October 9, at the Amana Arts Guild, 1210 G St, High Amana, from 1:30-3:30 p.m. Bring ideas, works in progress, or simply your curiosity. Please direct questions to illustrators@amanaartsguild.com.

## **COLLECT BIG G RECEIPTS** FOR EDUCATION

The Amana Elementary is excited to be participating in an incredible program that allows us to earn FREE classroom equipment and supplies!

Here's How You Can Help! Shop at Big G Foods, Marengo from September 1, 2022 - March 31, 2023. Save your receipts and send them to school with your child or drop them off at the Amana Library.

Your receipts will earn us points for free classroom equipment, donated by the store! Please submit your receipts by April 5. Thank you!

## SCOUTING NEWS **Scouting For Food & Popcorn Sales**

Amana Cub Scout Pack 223 have distributed the Scouting for Food Bags (blue) and will pick up your generous donations on Saturday October 8 starting at 9:00 am, extra scouting for food bags are available for pick-up at the pharmacy.

Please have your bags out by 8:30 am so the Scouts can see them from the road. If you did not get a Scouting for Food bag you can use any plastic sack you have. All the food donated will stay here in Amana at the Amana Church Food Pantry.

Make sure your donation is non-perishable and non-glass containers. Any items are appreciated but these are some of the items we use the most canned vegetables or fruit, hearty soups, pastas, peanut butter, jelly, laundry soap, toilet paper and paper towels.

The Cub Scouts are also still selling popcorn. If you have not yet been contacted and would like to order please call Dawn Ball at 319-310-7526.

### **Christmas Wreath Sales**

The Amana Boy Scouts, Troop 223, will again be offering Christmas wreaths and outdoor balsam roping for sale to all residents and businesses in our community.

The wreaths are 24" and have a red bow and 2 pinecones as decoration. These are \$17.00 each. These can be pre-ordered by October 24 to make sure you have yours.

Wreaths will also be available on November 19th when we do our door to door sales.

Roping is available in two lengths - 25 foot for \$25.00 and 50 foot for \$50.00. The roping needs to be pre-ordered by October 24. It will not be available after that date.



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Then there is the ever elusive television remote control which requires first a search, then an argument with my husband about where it is and why HE has hidden it only to have him get up and look under the cushion of MY chair and wave to control in my face with that "I told you so" look on his face.

Then comes not one but two control boxes for DVD's or "Netflix" both of which I don't know how to use and really should not have anywhere near me.

On top of that is that evil instrument we refer to in polite company as "the telephone."

Last Saturday I got nine (9) phone calls total none of which were from friends, but telemarketers. Luckily we have chosen to pay extra and gotten caller I.D. however there is always that one telemarketer that slips by and begins by pronouncing our last name incorrectly. That should be our first clue to hang up, but if we don't they ask how we are.

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**NEW BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY** The Amana Library added the following to their catalog. To reserve a book or to put a book on hold, call 319-622-3192.

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## OBITUARY

Donald J. Misel, age 89, of Marengo, formerly of Amana, passed away Saturday, September 17, 2022, in Leesburg, FL. A memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, October 10, 2022, at the First Presbyterian Church, Marengo, with Rev. Anni Thorn and Rev. Diane Vorhies officiating. The family will receive friends from 4 to 7 p.m., Sunday, October 9, 2022, at Kloster Funeral Home, Marengo. Burial will be in the Marengo Cemetery with military honors conducted by the American Legion Post #76 and the United State Navy Honor Guard. In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been established.

Don is survived by his daughter Kim (George) Scott, of Marengo; four grandchildren, Jamie Scott (William Wolter), of Homestead, Alex Scott, of Marengo, Kara (Cody) Wuchter, of Solon and Katy (Michael) Kline, of Kapolei, HI; a brother Al Misel, of Marengo; a sister Jacqulyn Peterson, of Marengo; a niece Sari (Raymond) Hacker, of Marengo; three nephews, Todd (Robin) Misel, of Ankeny, David (Amy) Peterson, of Schoolcraft, MI, and Don Al (Bronwyn) Peterson, of Peyton, CO; a daughter-inlaw Jan Misel, of Solon; a special sweetheart, Karen Moline; and extended family and friends. He was preceded in death by his wife Marilyn, his parents Michael and Blanche Misel, a son Chris and a sisterin-law Betty Misel.

Donald James Misel was born April 21, 1933, in Marengo, the son of Michael and Blanche (Holley) Misel. He graduated from Marengo High School in 1953. Following graduation, he enlisted in the United States Navy, served during the Korean War as a member of the USS Shields DD596. After completing his Navy enlistment, Don continued his education at Iowa State University. He was united in marriage to Marilyn Stuck on September 5, 1959, at the Little Brown Church, in Nashua. Don was a longtime resident of Amana, before moving to Marengo. He was employed at Collins Radio for 33 years as a commercial artist. Don was a member of the Masonic Lodge #364, Fairfax and the Past Master of the Marengo Lodge before it closed. Don was also a member of the Marengo American Legion Post #76, president of the Iowa County Historical Society, Amana Heritage Society and the Amana Arts Guild. He loved traveling and going to Florida and attending his grandkids events through the years. Don enjoyed watching the lowa Hawkeyes play and going to the Cedar Rapids Roughrider Hockey games, as well as collecting Tinkertoys and Lincoln Logs.

Online condolences: www.klosterfuneralhome.com

Grapevine Antiques is Honored to Sponsor a Moving Sale for Our Friend... Donna Trumpold 2608 J Street - Middle Amana, IA Thursday October 6th @ 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Friday October 7th @9:00 am - 4:00 am - 25% Saturday October 8th @ 9:00 am - 2:00 -- 50% off Household / Furniture / Collectibles / Antiques / Holiday Including Christmas & Easter / Snow babies / Glassware / Made in Japan Items / Fenton Glass For More Information Call Leslie @ 231-580-1066

### LIBRARY HOSTING BLOOD DRIVE

The Amana Library will host an ImpactLife Blood Drive on Thursday, October 13 from 1:30 to 6:30. The Drive will be held in the Amana Elementary Cafeteria, 3023 220th Trail, Middle Amana.

As a special THANK YOU, all donors will receive a gift card OR a blood type mug! Potential donors must be at least 17, weigh more than 110 pounds, and possess a photo ID to donate. Please eat and hydrate before donating. APPOINTMENTS AND MASKS ARE REQUIRED. Walk-ins will not be accepted to allow for proper distancing. Whole Blood and Double Red Cell will be available to donate. To sign up, please email amanalibrary@ccaschools. org or call the Amana Library at 319-622-3192 to schedule a time.

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Believe it or not I've told I was sick, just out of the hospital, all sorts of things, but they don't listen and go merrily on with their "spiel." Lately it's been about life insurance which, if they had listened should have stopped them.

I then say "it's taken care of" and hang up, but not before they add - well wouldn't you like to add on to your policy? GRRRRR!

Sure, why not? I'm taking all my valuables with me so with all that extra money maybe I can have pockets added to the lining of my coffin!

Would you believe that the evening Charlemagne and I got married and everyone was assembled and waiting for me the telephone RANG? Honest!

Like a fool I answered and then came to my senses and said, "can't talk now" and slammed down the receiver.

The last, and perhaps most important thing, is my laptop or tablet and pen. Ever since I've had this metal rod put into my upper arm I have gotten really bad pain from over use.

Writing on this new computer is a learning lesson of word obscenities. The air turns blue and Charlemagne looks to the east for signs that the Russians have bombed Ukraine's nuclear reactor.

Meanwhile I go to my pen and tablet and write and "beg" poor Dan for help yet again.

He spent a few years in military service so he knows a little something about warfare even if it comes from that woman sitting at her control panel in Homestead

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P.S. Doesn't Homestead have radioactive water?

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ESTATE SALE

SERVICES

Harlan Williams Estate Sale. 703 12 Ave, High Amana, 9 AM - 6 PM on Oct. 7 & 8. Antiques, Amana wardrobes, household items and lots of tools.

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