

## AMANA CHURCH SOCIETY NEWS

Start the school year with fellowship, worship, and pancakes! The Amana Church Society is kicking off the school year for everyone by hosting a breakfast and worship service on August 25 at the Amana Church. Breakfast will be served at 9:00. Registration for Sunday School (child and adult) will take place during the breakfast. Sunday School classes resume on September 1.

The Worship Service will begin at 10:00 with Elder Andrea Haldy presiding. Song sheets will be provided.

Please contact the church office at 622-6155 with any questions.

## CONGREGATE MEALS

Join us Mondays for food and conversation at the Fellowship Hall in the Amana Church. Doors open at 11:00 o'clock, we serve at 11:30. Cost is only \$5.00.

For Reservations call Donna Trumpold by noon on Friday.....319-622-3218 or 319-560-6285.

### August 26th: Cook's Choice

We are looking for a few hungry and sociable citizens to join us on Mondays for the Congregate (no age minimum) Lunch. We meet socially at the Amana Church around 11 for the 11:30 meal.

The five dollar fee covers a meal of a meat, vegetable, salad, dessert and drink. Most of the participants are individuals with an added couple or two.

We have found interacting in a social setting more rewarding than eating alone. The program's sponsor, the Amana Church Society began the service in 2004 with Anne Freshour as its long time coordinator. The demographics of our community have changed and **if the program cannot meet the ten person minimum it will have to close.**

Simply call Donna T. 622-3218 by Friday and join us. It is more than a luncheon, it's a nice way to stay connected with new and old acquaintances and even catch up on some gossip in our ever changing community.

Donna, George, RC, Isabella, Lillian & others.

## WOODFEST IN THE AMANA COLONIES

A festival of and about WOOD! Woodfest, August 23-25, 2019, will attract woodcrafters of all types from throughout the Midwest. The festival features ongoing demonstrations or you can shop for furniture, home and garden décor, toys, bowls, carvings, tools and more. Woodfest is known for handcrafted wood items, tools and equipment, demonstrations and sales, along with the opportunity to visit with regional and national woodcrafters and wood product vendors.

The event will be located at the Amana RV Park, Amana IA in an air conditioned building, food on site, nearby parking, handicapped accessible.

This is a juried event and new artisans are welcome for more information call Lyndal Anthony, 563-599-8042 or email lyndal.anthony@gmail.com or 319-622-3678 or email amanarts@southslope.net

Sponsored by the Amana Arts Guild.

## FEATHERS IN THE WIND

When my sister and I were small our parents took us on our annual trip to Des Moines and the Iowa State Fair (Early 50's). This time it was going to be special because we were going to visit the Roy Ehrl's and their new house.

I sure hope I have not gotten all my facts mixed up, but let me try.

First off was a ranch house, something we just did not have in the Amanas. What a treat, a house on one floor with a separate garage instead of a woodshed- how very modern.

Then there was the kitchen, Averil had a floral arrangement hanging from a kitchen cabinet that had artificial ferns and tiny carrots. All you had to do to clean them it was rinse the arraignment with a hose attachment at the sink. Imagine! A regular sink AND a sprayer

Then came the best part of all! The car!

A VOLKSWAGON no less! We got to sit in the back while dad and Roy sat in the front. OK, it wasn't that comfortable, but one sat low to the ground and you felt like you were going at a really fast speed!

Life was good.

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## AMANA NEWS AND NOTES

### Petition to Change Proposed Wind Turbine Ordinance

A petition is being circulated in Iowa County to add or change language in the currently proposed Iowa County ordinance for wind turbines.

The petition being circulated by residents of Iowa County, some of which are members of the informal group Iowa County Wind Education, reads:

We, the undersigned, respectfully request a wind energy ordinance in Iowa County to protect the public's health, safety, and welfare through the following changes to the draft of Ordinance 32:

1. A minimum setback distance of 1/2 mile from non-participants' property lines to the center of the turbine.
2. A noise limit of 40 dBA at non-participating property lines.
3. A minimum setback distance of 2 miles from the center of the turbine to all incorporated towns' city limits.
4. A minimum setback distance of 1 mile from the center of the turbine to active bald eagle nests and bat habitats.
5. Equal protection of the English and Iowa Rivers of 3 miles from center of turbine to the edge of the river.

According to Abigail Maas, one of the rural residents who is circulating the petition, they plan to present it to the Supervisors on August 23, 2019, at the public hearing regarding the ordinance. Two more hearings will be held August 28, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. and August 30, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. These meetings will be held in the Supervisor's Annex building, the county building located across the street from the Iowa County Courthouse. The public is invited to come and voice their views or ask questions at this time. You may also contact the Iowa County Supervisors via email by going to their website and looking at the contacts list.

To learn more about the issue and see maps of proposed turbine sites, or read a copy of the ordinance, go to the Iowa County, Iowa Supervisors webpage. And go to Iowa County Wind Education Facebook page. Other documents of interest have been posted on the Iowa County Wind Education Facebook page.

A copy of the petition is at Amazing Grace Antiques and Gifts on Amana's main street. An online version of the petition is available at [www.tinyurl.com/ord32](http://www.tinyurl.com/ord32).



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Miss Doris Blome, Elsie Moser, Harriet Hegewald, Magdalene Albrecht, Kathleen Moessner, Melvin Graesser, Jim Graichen, Alice Geyer, Marlene Hahn, Henry Trumpold, Lloyd Ehrmann, Violet Rettig, Roy Moser, Lorraine Leichsenring, Norman Geiger, Donald Oehl, Dick Eichacker, Lee Herr, Anita Marz, Howard Jeck, Bill Metz, Joan Foerstner, Marilyn Stuck, Eddie Kleinstieber, Harriet Ackerman, Robert Trumpold, Carl Unglenk

Students absent this day: George Berger, Emily Setzer, Kenneth Neuman, and Jack Fels.

**NOTICE**

Community Recycle Center will be CLOSED Mon. Aug 26th -Mon. Sept. 2nd. Reopen regular hours Tuesday Sept 3rd.

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**THE HOMESTEAD WELFARE CLUB**  
**CELEBRATING 100 YEARS**  
 1919 – 2019  
**OPEN HOUSE**  
**SEPTEMBER 7, 2019 SATURDAY**  
**1 PM TO 4 PM**  
 THEN & NOW

**AMANA LIBRARY HOURS**  
**Effective August 26, 2019**

Monday 8:30-4:00      Tuesday 8:30-6:00  
 Wednesday 8:30-1:30      Thursday 8:30-6:00  
 Friday 8:30-6:00      Saturday 9:00-12:00

**REAL ESTATE**

Wooded lot for sale in Middle. 0.95 acre on J Street behind the Cooper shop. Reasonable. 319-364-4739

**WANTED/WANTED TO BUY**

BUYING All ANTIQUES; Toys, Furniture, Crocks, Paintings and Weird Items "any condition". Buying Entire Estates, call for fair pricing. Please call 319-270-1251 or 319-538-8668.

**SERVICES WANTED**

Need handyman to occasionally do small repairs in my home as needed. Must be dependable. Call 319-573-6701

**FOR RENT**

Retail space in the sandstone building at 4403 220 Trail across from the Ronneburg in Amana, former Midwest Leather. Call 319-622-3742

Available in September - 2 bedroom apartment in Norway, 1 bath, appliances, include stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, & AC. FREE High speed INTERNET, \$475.00 per month and deposit. Call 319-573-8673

Short & Long term rental available at Abbie's Cottage B&B. Call Betty Peterson at 319-432-8103

2 bedroom mobile home in West Amana, references, no pets, deposit. Call 319-227-7465

Condo for rent on Amana Golf Course. Two bedroom/two bath. \$875 mo, includes water/sewer/WiFi. Partially furnished. 319-338-0025.

**APFELFEST IS SEPT 21**

You'll find everything from apple sauce to apple strudel in the Amana Colonies for Apfelfest (Apple Fest) on September 21, 2019. The historic seven villages will be featuring all things apple on this special day with a Sampling Stroll, live music, the Eulenspiegel Puppet Show, a 5-course Vintner's Dinner, special foods in our restaurants, live theater and of course, fresh apples.

For a complete list of special events taking place in the Amana Colonies for Apfelfest visit the Amana Colonies Visitors Center, [www.amanacolony.com](http://www.amanacolony.com) or call 319.622.7622.

**HERITAGE SOCIETY FALL HARVEST DINNER**

The Amana Heritage Society will host its annual Fall Harvest Dinner on Friday, September 13th, 2019 at the Price Creek Event Center with doors opening at 5:30. This Harvest Dinner raises much-needed funds to help support the Amana Heritage Society and its mission to share Amana's special heritage and culture.

- Harvest Dinner & Silent Auction
- Price Creek Event Center in Amana
- Doors open at 5:30pm
- Dinner at 7pm

Winners of the drawings and silent auction announced following dinner

- Raffle Tickets are \$100 each and include two dinners
- Dinner Tickets are \$25 each

Businesses and individuals are invited members to donate unique items for the silent auction. Please email [amanaheritage@southslope.net](mailto:amanaheritage@southslope.net) or call 319-622-3567 to arrange for us to pick up your auction items or to purchase tickets. Raffle tickets may also be purchased through our website at [www.amanaheritage.org](http://www.amanaheritage.org).

Our motto is simple—Preserving Our Heritage, Sharing Our Culture.

**Print Shop Hours Aug 26-30:**

Mon. & Tue. Noon-4,  
 Wed. - Thurs. 9-4, Fri. 9-4  
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**AMANA COLONIES LAND USE DISTRICT**  
**Historic Preservation Commission Meeting**  
**Notice and Tentative Agenda –**  
**August 26, 2019, 6:30 pm ACLUD Meeting**  
**Room, 4304 220th Trail, Amana**

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. Set/Amend Agenda
- III. Review/Approve minutes - July meeting
- IV. Welcome visitors and allow citizens to speak on items not on the agenda.
- V. Discussion/Action on the following permit applications in a Historic Preservation Zoning District:
  - a. 2019-052 Tom & Karen Boston-Kemple\Gretchen & Will Kemple-Taylor; 406 53rd Ave – East Amana – Install 18-24 Solar Panels on roof.
- VI. Administrator Report
- VII. Chairman's Report
- VIII. Adjourn; into Ordinance Review work session.

**AMANA COLONIES LAND USE DISTRICT**  
**Minutes of Board of Trustees Meeting,**  
**August 12, 2019, 7:00 p.m. ACLUD Meeting Room,**  
**4304 220th Trail, Amana**

- I. Call Meeting To Order; The ACLUD BoT meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Lynn Trumpold. Present: Mike Sandersfeld, Gloria Alexander, Ithiel Catiri, Bruce Trumpold. Absent; Tina Becerra-Hinsley
- II. Set Agenda; Motion to approve/set agenda carried 5-0.
- III. Discussion/Action: Review/approve the following
  - a. July meeting minutes; Motion carried 5-0.
- IV. Welcome visitors and allow citizens to speak on items not on the agenda.
- V. Discussion/action: July Financial Report; Motion to approve carried 5-0.
- VI. Discussion/action: August Disbursements; Motion to approve carried 5-0.
- VII. Discussion/Action on the following permit applications in a Historic Preservation District:
  - a. 2019-021 Toby Thomas; 1610 4th Ave – South Amana, install 20 solar panels, construct deck w/roof and replace siding on 2 dormers. (Applicant removed solar panels from permit) Motion to approve cedar lap siding on dormers and wood deck w/shingles carried 4-1; B. Tumpold-Nay.
  - b. 2019-028 Bill Yoder – 2610 J. St – Middle Amana, Garage extension (amended design); Motion to table carried 5-0.
  - c. b. 2019-040 Shawn & Amy Jacobson; 1308 G. St – Amana; replace five (28 x 64) windows; Motion to approve carried 5-0.
- VIII. Other Business:
  - a.) 2019-023 Bill Albert; to discuss further at September meeting.
  - b.) Discussion/Action: Wind Turbines; motion to have attorney draft an ordinance to ban wind turbines within the ACLUD boundaries carried 5-0.
  - c.) Discussion/Action: Future Grant Request process; draft and suggested revisions reviewed.
- IX. Administrator's Report, see separate report.
- X. President's Report, none
- XI. Adjourned at 8:39p

**GREATER AMANA AREA ART SHOW**

The Amana Arts Guild announces an Open House for Thursday, September 5th, from 5pm to 7pm to celebrate the start of the Greater Amana Area Art Show exhibit. This show and sale feature recent works in all media by local Amana Colonies area artists. The open house allows visitors to meet the artists and view their new work. The exhibit will be at the Arts Guild Gallery located in High Amana from September 5th through November 3rd, open daily in September with the exception of Tuesdays. Gallery hours are 10:30am – 4:30pm. Sunday hours are 11am – 4pm. October hours are Saturday 10:30-4:30; Sunday 11-4.

**Northern Ridge Farmers Market**

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**Closed Monday**

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**THE ART OF BASEBALL:KIMM GALLERY**  
**Annual Fundraiser Benefiting the**  
**Iowa Baseball Museum of Norway**

Help raise funds for the Norway Baseball Museum. Join Deb and Bruce Kimm as they host their 5th annual Art of Baseball event at the Deborah Kimm Gallery located at 3172 121st Street, Amana, IA on Saturday, August 31 from Noon to 6:00 p.m.

This family friendly event is open to the public and is Free of Charge. A free-will offering to the Norway Baseball Museum will be greatly appreciated.

**What you can expect at**

**The Art of Baseball 2019:**

Bruce Kimm, former Major League Baseball player, coach, and manager will be on hand to talk about baseball and sign autographs. Each visitor to the gallery will receive a FREE BRUCE KIMM POST CARD recalling Kimm's 1st Big League Homerun which provided the winning run for the Detroit Tigers to beat Frank Tanana and the California Angels. Guests will have the opportunity to tour Bruce's Baseball Memorabilia Room which showcases 8 Major League teams including the Chicago Cubs and White Sox as well as the 1997 World Series Champion Florida Marlins.

**There's More!**

- Free Hot Dogs & Amana's Millstream Root Beer
- Make & Take Baseball Art
- Authentic MLB Chicago Cubs Lineup Cards Available for Purchase
- Tour the Gallery featuring baseball art and memorabilia as well as a wide variety of artists and medians including award-winning photography, paintings, prints, hand-blown glass, fiber art, antiques, and home decor.

From art lovers to baseball fans, there is something for everyone at the Deborah Kimm Gallery!

For more information phone Deb Kimm at 319-213-5466.

Check out our website at [www.DeborahKimmGallery.com](http://www.DeborahKimmGallery.com)

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The legislative page program is a great way for high school students to get their foot in the door and see their state government in action.

Applications for the 2020 Legislative Page Program are due no later than Friday, October 4, 2019. For application materials and more information, parents and students can visit: [Legis.Iowa.Gov/careers](http://Legis.Iowa.Gov/careers)

**Save the Date!**  
**The Fool's Ball**  
**Halloween Party**  
**in Amana**  
**Saturday, October 26th at 6pm**  
 Amana Colonies RV Park & Event Center  
 3890 C Street, Amana, Iowa, 52203  
 Hosted by Gerald Rieskamp and  
 Cherie Hansen-Rieskamp