Amana, Iowa, Thursday, June 23, 2016

#### AMANA CHURCH SOCIETY NEWS

The Early (German) Service will be in the Middle Church Sunday, June 26, 2016, starting at 8:30 AM with Elder Betsy Momany presiding.

Opening Hymn: "Zion gieb dich nur zufrieden" No. 1158, Seite 1143

Testimony: Christian Metz, near Frankfurt, September 1, 1824

Scripture: Ephesians 4:22-5:2

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Psalm 67

Closing Hymn: "O heil'ger Geist, kehr' bei uns ein" No. 794, Seite 783

The late (English) service will start at 10:00 A.M. with the following hymns:

Opening Hymn: "Brethren be Ye not affrighted" No. 162

Closing Hymn: "O Holy Spirit enter in" No. 79 Hymns are subject to change, please check sheet before entering Saal.

The Wednesday Evening Prayer Service will begin at 7:00 PM in Middle.

Saturday evening fellowship begins at 6 PM in the Sunday School Saal at the church in Amana

Visitors are welcome to join us in worship at all Amana Church Services. Childcare available at the English services.

#### CONGEREGATE MEALS

Our remaining June menu is:

June 27: Lemon Baked tilapia, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, 5 Veggie Mix, Fresh Orange, Yellow Cake w/Chocolate Frosting.

All meals are served with bread & butter and choice of drink for a low price of \$5.

Doors open at 11:00 and lunch is served at 11:30 at the Amana Church. If you want to make a reservation call Anne Freshour before noon on a Friday.

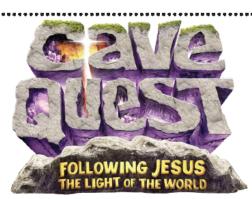
## HYDRANT FLUSHING

The Amana Society Service Company will be flushing hydrants in South Amana on Monday, June 27th from 1:00 to 3:00 pm.

We will be flushing hydrants in Homestead on Tuesday, June 28th from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. If you experience any water issues flush until water runs clear. Any other questions or concerns, please call 622-3052. Thank you.

# GARBAGE PICK-UP

S&J Sanitation will <u>not</u> be making trash pickups on Monday July 4th in Middle due to the holiday. All Monday pick-ups that week will be on Tuesday July 5th. Thanks.



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# Monday, July 11 to Friday, July 15

from 9:00 am to 11:30 am at the Amana Church in the village of AMANA

Go to amanachurch.org to register/learn more

# AMANA COLONIES LAND USE DISTRICT

Historic Preservation Commission Meeting Notice and Tentative Agenda – June 27, 2016, 6:00 pm, ACLUD Meeting Room, 4304 220th Trail, Amana

I. Call Meeting to Order

II. Set/Amend Agenda

III. Review/Approve minutes of April meeting.

IV. Discussion/Action on the following permit applications in a Historic Preservation Zoning District:

- a. 2016-063 Aletha Jones; removal and replacement of front door overhang/hood and front door replacement.
- b. 2016-064 Aletha Jones; demolition of non-historic woodshed.
- c. 2016-066 Ron & Paula Blount; new garage construction.
- d. 2016-067 George & Michele Hahn; new shed construction.
- e. 2016-068 Sandy Newkirk; Remove dormers, Reshingle, add back doorway and remove chimney. V. Chairman's Report
- VI. Other Business
- a. Discussion/Action: Continued discussion about Future CLG projects (including Historic Preservation month activities
- b. Discussion/Action: Clarification on what constitutes normal maintenance and does not require a permit.
- c. Discussion: Discuss Daggy Corncrib demolition application 2016-059.

VII. Adjourn

#### RIVERBOTTOM RAMBLERS AT HENRY'S

Henry's Market in Homestead will host their outdoor food and music event this Friday, June 24 from 5-7:30. Music will be provided by the Riverbottom Ramblers, a local bluegrass group. They will be playing new and old tunes, familiar songs, ballad, fiddles and nostalgic music. Featured food will be Tracey's twisted grilled cheese with lipsmacking sides. Enjoy your Friday evening here with friends and neighbors.

# THE AMANA SANDLOT

If you were outside on Wednesday, June 15th around 6pm in Middle, you probably wondered what the cracking sound was...it was The Amana Sandlot bats hitting the ball! The boys defeated Regina on the 15th by not only hitting the ball well, but playing some very solid defense. It has been great to see how these boys have improved over the last couple of months. However, all good things must come to an end. There are only two home games left! They are Thursday the 23rd and Thursday the 30th at 6pm here in Middle. Hope to see you there.

Thank you to Caroline Trumpold for the gracious donation to the team in honor of Clifford Trumpold. And again, thank you to all those who have donated to the team!

## MILLSTREAM BRAU HAUS OPENS THIS FALL

Millstream Brewing Company is proud to announce that it is expanding this summer. Millstream Brewery will be opening the Millstream Brau Haus this fall in the historic Colony Inn Restaurant.

Millstream's owners have always envisioned creating a true German Bierhalle for the Amana Colonies so when the opportunity arose to purchase the Colony Inn just next door to Millstream Brewing Co. The Brau Haus is planning on staying open until at least 10:00 pm each night.

What's more The Brau Haus will be a perfect place for friends and family to gather. Live music, games and other events will be a part of the lineup throughout the year with TV's for fans to follow the Hawkeye games or catch favorite sporting events.

The Millstream Brau Haus will feature German style "Bierhalle" foods as the focus of the menu. Of course brats will be on the menu as the the Brau Haus is partnering up with the Amana Meat Shop & Smokehouse to create some unique brats for the menu.

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#### FEATHERS IN THE WIND

It is June 20th and I feel sort of "rattled." It has not helped by my waking up every hour or so from having one nightmare after another. I think it is more the fact that I have yet another doctor's appointment and I am afraid I will over sleep. Silly, isn't it?

This is a week I should rejoice in the goodness that God has given me. You see tomorrow will be twenty years since my beloved Charlie was wheeled away and taken in for surgery. The diagnosis was not good,

He had mouth cancer and had already had most of his teeth pulled (two years after we had spent a fortune on having them straightened). "IF" the operation was successful he would have to have 36 radiation treatments. (I think that IF was what bothered me the most.)

There I sat with my sister manning what was then a relatively new device...a cell phone and our one son pacing the halls, the other son was home doing the most important job of all...praying.

I kept thinking of what I would do without him and prayed. Believe it or not, I did not cry.

When the doctor came back and told us not only that the surgery had been successful, but that he would soon be out of recovery and back in his room I did not know what to do next.

We went to the waiting room and sat with my two sons in silence.

I guess any of you mother's would know what was running through my mind. I had one son who had just graduated with honors from college and was going to grad school (maybe) and another son who was dealing with a crisis of his own...being bullied. What would I do next?

Those weeks of radiation treatment were not nice. Charlemagne's throat was raw and he could barely swallow. Thanks to people like Tante Linda and Lial he ate zucchini soup while Lucille Kraus would send him "Schmeer Kasse" which was about all he could keep down. All the other food seemed to make him choke and shutter from the pain of swallowing.

I remember standing in a grocery store with our youngest son and just begging God to give me some idea of what I could feed him because he was in such pain.

Ironically, within a week after the radiation treatments were over he could eat about as well as anyone who had a hole in the roof of his mouth. That would eventually be "fixed" thanks to the doctors at the University.

I will always be grateful to Dr. Mark Marz and Jolena Dickel for their support through all of this, not to mention all the people who would call, send things, and just be there. I know I sounded then, as I do now, like some sort of rambling idiot, but they stuck with me.

TWENTY YEARS is a long time, but this week will also mark the second anniversary of Rick Gerard's esophageal cancer surgery. Imagine what he and his family went through and then look at him riding by on his tricycle every day. God is good!

I should also be grateful because today marks the sixth week since my cancer surgery. Friday I got a good bill of health and the promise that now I would not have to go and see the doctor as often.

I want to thank all of you who sent cards, food, but especially prayers. I have no idea why God has allowed the three of us to live and others to go home to God, but I am grateful for HIS wisdom.

B.S.H.

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The menu will be created by Chef Lord Nathan Kula of Williamsburg. Nate brings 22 years of restaurant experience to The Brau Haus and has been working over the past few months to make an authentic German food experience for all to enjoy.

The remodeling has just started and will continue for the next month or so. The main seating area will be turned into the bierhalle as the second floor will be torn out to expose a vaulted ceiling. The bierhalle will be one big room with long tables and benches that will be shared.



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# OPA'S TRACTOR BARN

Stop and check out the historic tractors in Opa's Tractor Barn Museum, an open air museum in the old horse barn in West Amana owned by the Schanz family.

The barn, built in the late 1800's was constructed using beam and peg, utilizing trees that fit the need of the builders and includes some beautiful chestnut beams. In the museum one can step back into time to farming in the 1940's and 50's. The family patriarch, Norman Schanz, remember's being proud to be assigned his own tractor as a teenager, it was felt being assigned your own tractor meant that the equipment would be checked daily before use, and therefore better maintained. Some of the machinery at the museum was originally purchased by the Amana Society and has never left the colonies.

So step back in time and be sure to drop by the barn to check out the farming equipment there. Hours are 10 AM - 4 PM Tuesday- Thursday, admission is a free will donation used to maintain the property. Also, there are machinery parts for sale as well as a full line of "sewing machine" tractors available for purchase. While visiting, be sure to ask for a 10% off card for the Schanz Furniture and Refinishing Shop in South Amana.

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# WALFORD WADDLE

Come join us at Clover Ridge United Methodist Church in the parking lot at 125 5th St North, Walford, IA, for a non-timed 5k on July 23rd starting at 9:00am. Enjoy post-race snacks and prizes!

At 10:00am the Children's carnival begins! A \$10 entry fee includes entry for 5K or 1 mile route and entrance into the carnival.

Children under 5 are free, age 5 and up are \$5. Register at Active.com. Forms available on race day staring at 8:00am. Contact Cari Martin with any questions at Carilyn1970@gmail.com