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Welcome to **STERLING** **NEBRASKA**

SMALL TOWN... BIG HEART

VILLAGE VIEW YARD OF THE MONTH WINNER: Bruce & Dianne Riensche



The Chairman's Corner

August is here and the corn and beans are growing and so is the warm weather! So, stay hydrated when working outside whether working the fields or in your lawn and garden—drink water! School will be starting this month so be alert when around the school yard and watch for kids on foot. Also, you should be seeing construction of water mains leading to the new development and replacement of some of the older water mains in the city. Also, we now have a new second well for the Village, which will help us maintain a good water supply into the future. Also, Johnson County is in a planning process for the county, so please participate in that process to ensure a quality future for the County and the cities within it. As always, stay safe and let the Board know of anything you would like us to look at as we work for the future of our community.

God Bless,

John Keizer, Board Chairman

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In This Edition/Upcoming Meeting:

- ◆ Next Public Hearing/Regular Board Meeting-August 13, 2024 at 7:00 PM
- ◆ Johnson County Fair
- ◆ Circus
- ◆ BBQ Cookoff
- ◆ Movie Night @ the Library

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Board Members:

- ◆ John Keizer-Village Chairman
- ◆ Ralph Wusk-Pro Tempore
- ◆ Steve Lempka
- ◆ Tom Nieveen
- ◆ Dan Fraley

JOHNSON COUNTY HORSE SHOW AND FAIR

Johnson County Horse Show is Saturday, August 10th at 9:00 AM
Open to Johnson county residents and Johnson county rough riders members.

Johnson County Fair is August 16-18

Fair books are available at Jet Stop and FirstBank of Nebraska .

SCHOOL IS BACK IN SESSION

First day of school for K-12 is Monday, August 19th

Pre-kindergarten is Wednesday, August 28th

PLEASE DRIVE CAUTIOUSLY IN SCHOOL ZONES.

CULPEPPER & MERRIWEATHER CIRCUS-STERLING COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Monday, September 2nd (Labor Day)

Proceeds from ticket sales will support the new community building in Sterling where the remaining loan balance is \$36,000. Advance tickets will be \$13/adult and \$8/child (ages 2-12) and \$8/senior (age 65+). Tickets at the door will be \$16 per adult and \$9 per child/senior.

Tickets cover the cost of entry to the circus.

There will also be additional things available such as the concessions, pony rides, bounce house, etc. for an additional cost on the day of the show.

Please note that the SCA and our community will be most profitable in this event with the sale of ADVANCE ticket sales, so if you plan to attend, we would encourage you to buy your ticket in advance of the show date. Tickets are available for purchase at
FirstBank of Nebraska.

Thank you for your support of the community events!

BBQ COOK OFF-STERLING RURITANS

Sunday, September 15, 2024

Downtown Sterling

Anyone interested in being a barbecue cook can contact Richard Rambo at 423-202-5665.

STERLING PUBLIC LIBRARY-BECKY KENNEDY

We have had so much fun here at the library this summer. Thank you for your support. August 30th at 6:00 pm will be our monthly movie night. We will be watching The Princess Bride which is rated PG. Come join us and bring your own treats.

The Village View can advertise local non-profit upcoming events. If a local organization has an event that they would like included in the Village View, please e-mail: Samantha Gordon @ village.sterling@gmail.com.