

# Wyoming Area News

A service of the Wyoming Lions Club

**We also have the newsletter available on the <https://www.wyomingia.org> website. Under “Community” you can find the “Wyoming Lions Newsletter” tab.**

**\*\*\*Check Your Driver’s License\*\*\***

**Garbage and Recycle pick up will be WEDNESDAY, July 2<sup>nd</sup>, rather than Thursday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

**52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Temple Hill Pork BBQ – Sunday, June 29<sup>th</sup> – 3:30 – 7:00 pm.** Lots of activities for the whole family – kids’ games, silent auction, live music, live auction @ 7:30 pm. (*Ed note: good food and lots of fun.*)

**4<sup>th</sup> of July in Oxford Junction - see attachment for full schedule of events**

**2025 Wyoming Fair – July 11, 12, 13<sup>th</sup>.** Help is always needed for the Fair. Contact Steve Agnitsch or Jason Zamastil if you would like to be a part of the fair. Fair posters are attached.

**Lions Club is looking for help** making carmel corn before and at the Wyoming Fair. Contact Jim, Kenny, Kevin, or Steve. The Club makes a donation to the organization of your choice based on hours worked.

**HELP WANTED:** Zion American Lutheran Church is looking for custodial help as well as an Administrative Assistant (Secretary). If interested, please contact Pastor Dennis Rodenberg at [pastorzion@netins.net](mailto:pastorzion@netins.net)

**Senior Dining at Memorial Hall – 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays of the month – Next will be July 2<sup>nd</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>.**

**Coffee & Conversation – Tuesdays 9:00-11:00am at the Library and Fridays at WICKS from 8:30-10:30 am.**

**Next HACAP food truck in Onslow, Monday, - July 14th, 1:00-2:00 pm.** Current pick up date is 2nd Monday of the month. Volunteers are welcome.

**Duane Malicoat** celebrated his 90<sup>th</sup> birthday this week at the Clarence Care Center. Thanks to Duane for being a Wyoming Pioneers 4-H club leader back in the days when there were 30+ members and they were all boys.

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, ERRORS, OMISSIONS, LATE SUBMISSIONS, or we just messed up – some or all of the above, but thanks for not mentioning it.**

## REMEMBERING:

**Diane Petersen, 73, of Oxford Junction, passed** away June 22, 2025. Full obituary may be seen at: [dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Diane-Petersen](http://dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Diane-Petersen)

**Lorna Lee "Tarbox, 82, of Olin,** passed away June 13, 2025. Full obituary may be seen at: [dawsonfuneral.com/obituary-Lorna-Tarbox](http://dawsonfuneral.com/obituary-Lorna-Tarbox)

**Michael Charles "Mike" Yarolem, 66, of Maquoketa,** passed away June 19, 2025. Full obituary may be seen at:

[carsonandson.com/obituaries/Michael-Charles-Mike-Yarolem?obid=43021519](http://carsonandson.com/obituaries/Michael-Charles-Mike-Yarolem?obid=43021519)

**Michael S. "Mike" Trenkamp, 59, of Maquoketa,** passed away June 16, 2025. Full obituary may be seen at: [carsonandson.com/obituaries/Michael-S-Mike-Trenkamp?obid=42964949](http://carsonandson.com/obituaries/Michael-S-Mike-Trenkamp?obid=42964949)

**Shirley Jean Bendixen, 92, formerly of Wyoming,** passed away April 23, 2025. Full obituary may be seen at: [iowacremation.com/obituary/2025/Apr/Shirley-Jean-Bendixen](http://iowacremation.com/obituary/2025/Apr/Shirley-Jean-Bendixen)

**Dave Klein, 65, of Hale,** passed away June 18, 2025. Full obituary may be seen at: [dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Dave-Klein](http://dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Dave-Klein)

## Looking Back:

**Anamosa Journal: June 8, 1950** – Under the auspices of the American Red Cross, 38 children from Wyoming go in a school bus driven by Ronald Holtz to Monticello three mornings each week for water safety instruction in the Monticello swimming pool.

**Wyoming Journal: June 29, 1934** – **More than 1100 rats killed at Pete Sievers farm since October.** It's a fact. All killed right in the farmyard. Every conceivable method has been used to rid the place of the rodents. They are drowned out of holes and clubbed to death. They are dug out and killed. They are shot, poisoned and drowned. And still they aren't all gone. *(Ed note: The article goes on at length to describe their efforts and son Irvin's skills with a 22 rifle. He could get them on the run and even got 2 with one shot several times. Irvin is the father of Gary Sievers.)*

**Zion American Lutheran Church** – Sunday Services at 8:30 am. for June 29<sup>th</sup>. Beginning July 6, 2025, services for the next year will be held at 10:30 am, through June

**First Presbyterian Church – Onslow** - Sunday services for June 29<sup>th</sup> will be in Onslow at 9:30 am. Services for July and August will be at Cascade.

**Wyoming Methodist Church** – Sunday Services at 10:30 am. Pastor Byron Miller. Food pantry Saturdays 9:30 am – 10:00 am.

**Christ's Community Church, Monmouth** – Sunday services at 9:00 am. Men's Bible study Sundays at 2:00 pm at the church. The following groups meet at Ruley's home at 108 E Washington St. in Monmouth: Women's Bible study Sunday at 2:00 pm. Wednesdays, Middle School youth meet at 4:00 pm to 5:15 pm and High School youth meet at 6:00-7:30 pm. For more information, please call 563-673-4131.

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Oxford Junction** - Mass is at 10:30 am each Sunday, and CCD classes are the First and Third Sundays of each month.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!** (We will run birthdays on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month for the following month. Please get them to us early.)

<b>July</b>	<b>1</b>	Nic Gilson
	<b>1</b>	Kim (Tasker) Buresh
	<b>2</b>	Kirk Keith
	<b>3</b>	Aaron Tjaden
	<b>4</b>	Jon Wenndt
	<b>5</b>	Rivers Manners
	<b>6</b>	Kaden Frankfurt
	<b>6</b>	Avery Kenniker
	<b>8</b>	Channing Paulsen
	<b>8</b>	Ginger Wenndt
	<b>8</b>	Cole Snyder
	<b>9</b>	Pam Dinslage
	<b>11</b>	Alex Frankfurt
	<b>11</b>	Joy Gnade
	<b>12</b>	Easton Tubbs
	<b>13</b>	Sharon Wagner
	<b>14</b>	Caden Ballou
	<b>14</b>	Kathy Carstens
	<b>14</b>	Ashlei Eganhouse
	<b>14</b>	Bill Jamison
	<b>15</b>	Larry Wenndt
	<b>15</b>	Tom Orr
	<b>17</b>	Linda Erickson
	<b>18</b>	Cassi Gilson
	<b>18</b>	Amy Marcus
	<b>18</b>	Scott Harms
	<b>19</b>	Jessica Farley
	<b>19</b>	Jenna Henkes
	<b>19</b>	Lane Feckers
	<b>21</b>	Emma Paulsen
	<b>21</b>	Kris (Aldrich) Read
	<b>22</b>	Tena McCormick
	<b>22</b>	John Knake
	<b>22</b>	Justin Agnitsch
	<b>23</b>	Lindsay Eichhorn
		Kathy McCloy
	<b>24</b>	Dakota Oberholser
	<b>24</b>	Haley Carlson
	<b>24</b>	Theodore Boge
	<b>25</b>	Betty Doden
	<b>25</b>	Mary Ann Kouba
	<b>26</b>	Pat McCalmant

**July**

- 26 Jody Jamison
- 26 Gracee Tompkins
- 26 Charlotte Streets
- 26 Lincoln Brandenburg
- 28 Anthony Dawson
- 28 Terry Lineburg
- 28 Andy Feckers
- 30 Molly Werner
- 30 Stephanie Yarolem
- 31 Madlyne Hartwig
- 31 Alan Brunscheen

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!** (We will run anniversaries on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month for the following month. Please get them to us early.)

**July**

- 3 Nick & Cassi Gilson
- 3 Laurel & Marcia Bahnsen
- 6 Mark & Roanne Willey
- 11 Kirby & Sheila Paulsen
- 14 Duane & Janette Malicoat - 68th
- 16 Tom & Kristy Oberbreckling
- 16 Anthony & Maggie (Eichhorn) House
- 17 Gary & Kathy Wosoba
- 21 Tim & Beth Wright
- 22 Kirk & Nancy Keith
- 23 Steve & Deb Tjaden
- 24 Keith & Jackee Dirks
- 25 Kerry & Tessa Dake
- 25 Andy & Melissa Feckers
- 30 Parker & Ashley Kray
- 31 Joel & Connie Zamastil

**RESERVATIONS:**

Wyoming Fairgrounds – Steve Agnitsch – call or text 319-480-2883

Memorial Hall – Holly Lane – call 319-480-4566

Calkins Barn – call 563-488-8404

**Wyoming Historical Museum Commission- call for a tour right now or later.**

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<b>Dick &amp; Joyce Fishwild</b>	<b>563-488-3804</b>
<b>Pat</b>	<b>563-488-3123</b>

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