

WAVE

Arts & Entertainment

FRI<sup>5/9</sup>

Story Time at Alta Community Library, 10:30 a.m.  
Witter Gallery open 1-5 p.m.  
Art Social by RJ Ortner, 4-8 p.m.  
Featuring artists with Holstein ties: Donna Bremer, Maggie Breyfogle, Sara Dose, Larry Garland, Denny Leonard, Mary Mello Nee, A Elizabeth Ortner, Mary Ortner and Tyson Thoreson. Located at 204 E. 2nd St. in Holstein.  
King's Pointe Indoor Waterpark open 4-9 p.m.  
Storm Lake Public Library hosting AquacadeTs! Club at 4:30 p.m. An after school hangout with music and crafts.  
Sioux Central hosting its Fine Arts Night (grades 9-12), 7 p.m., high school gym.

SAT<sup>5/10</sup>

Snook's Carpet & Furniture hosting an indoor garage sale/flea market, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Contact Laurie at 712-390-2584 to be a vendor. Snook's is located at 110 Blake St. in Sioux Rapids.  
King's Pointe Indoor Waterpark open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.  
Witter Gallery open 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Art Social by RJ Ortner, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Featuring artists with Holstein ties: Donna Bremer, Maggie Breyfogle, Sara Dose, Larry Garland, Denny Leonard, Mary Mello Nee, A Elizabeth Ortner, Mary Ortner and Tyson Thoreson. Located at 204 E. 2nd St. in Holstein.

51025 Zip Code Celebration in Holstein: The event starts with activities for the kids from 1-4 p.m. Join for Bingo, a community art project, face painting, pony rides, Special K Clown and Squeeze-M Lemonade. Free Tiefertalher brats will be available at 1 p.m. The Holstein German Band will perform at 3 p.m., followed by a stein holding contest at 4 p.m. Food trucks will be serving from 5-9 p.m. On site will be Barrel Smoke BBQ, Heartland Coffee & Nosh, Noy's Kitchen, The CornDog Company and The Thirsty Onyx. The evening kickoff at 5:10 and 25 seconds will be a welcome speech by the mayor with the burial of a time capsule to mark the special occasion. The band Cory Waller & the Wicked Things will open at 5:30 p.m. with The Pork Tornadoes to follow at 8:30 p.m. The main event is ages 21+ and has a \$10 cover charge. For more information including maps for events, visit "51025" on Facebook.

Mother's Day Supper & Granny's Brownie Donut & Beyond Sample Event, 5-9 p.m. at Malarky's Bar & Grill in Storm Lake. Free admission, all are welcome. Featuring drawings for door prizes.

Drishti Dance & Fitness presents "Triumphant," its 7th annual dance recital, at 6 p.m., Schaller Memorial Chapel at BVU. Admission is free and open to the public.

Rosemary Clausen Center for Performing Arts in Holstein presents Good Shot Judy, the Mid-Atlantic's premier high-octane swing band, and your ticket to the electrifying energy of the Big Band Era. Show starts at 7:30 p.m. For tickets, call 712-368-4849.

SUN<sup>5/11</sup>

**MOTHER'S DAY**  
**St. Mary's High School Graduation, 2 p.m.**

King's Pointe Indoor Waterpark open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday Funday rate of \$9 per person ages four and up; ages 3 and under free.

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Kurt Allen Band live at Byron's Bar (109 S. Ontario St.) in Pomeroy, 5 p.m. Tickets are \$20.

MON<sup>5/12</sup>

Exercise Wellness Group "XYZ" meets 10-10:50 a.m. at Storm Lake United Methodist Church Family Life Center. Please use east side canopy door by the FLC.

Storm Lake Hy-Noon Kiwanis meets at noon at Lake Avenue Lounge.

Food distribution drive-up: 4 p.m. at Storm Lake United Methodist Church Family Life Center.

Storm Lake Public Library Board Meeting, 4 p.m.

TUES<sup>5/13</sup>

Storm Lake Kiwanis Beavers meet at Lakeshore Cafe, 7 a.m.

Storm Lake TOPS meets at Lakeside Presbyterian Church, 110 E. Third St. Weigh-in at 8:30 a.m. and the meeting begins at 9 a.m. For questions, call Joanne at 712-299-2606.

Community Ed No Floor Yoga, 9-10:15 a.m., at Sunrise Pointe conference room. Cost is \$5.

Storm Lake Rotary Club meeting at noon, King's Pointe Resort.  
BVRMC hosting BLS for Health-

care Providers Skills Evaluation, 1 p.m., Kallmer Education Center.

Witter Gallery open 1-5 p.m.  
Free Resume Workshop, 2-4 p.m. at the Iowa Central Community College Learning Center, 323 W. 20th St., Storm Lake. Learn how to create a resume, update an existing resume and print copies. If interested, please contact Rosemary at 712-262-1971 ext. 42006 or email rosemary.aden@iwd.iowa.gov

BVRMC hosting Heartsaver CPR/First Aid Evaluation, 3 p.m., Kallmer Education Center.

Oveaters Anonymous meeting, 5-6 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church (402 Lake Ave.) in Storm Lake.

Community Ed Yoga, 5:45-7 p.m., at Sunrise Pointe conference room. Cost is \$5.

Ridge View High School Baccalaureate, 6 p.m., Rosemary Clausen Center for Performing Arts. Senior Scholarship Night to follow at 7 p.m.

Malarky's Bar & Grill hosting Trivia Night, 7 p.m.

Alta-Aurelia High School Senior Awards Night, 7 p.m., at Alta.

WED<sup>5/14</sup>

**Newell-Fonda Elementary School Track Meet, grades 2-5, all day**

Aurelia Commercial Club Community Coffee, 9 a.m. at Aurelia Community Center.

Seasons Center for Behavioral Health is hosting a free Youth Mental Health First Aid training event from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at Iowa Central Community College (916 Russell St.) in Storm Lake. To register, visit Seasons Center for Behavioral Health on Facebook.

Coffee with the Director, 9-10 a.m. at Sioux Rapids Public Library. Stop in for coffee, socialize, share ideas and ask questions.

Witter Gallery open 1-5 p.m.  
Alta Community Library hosting Knit Night, 4-5 p.m.

Community Food Pantry for the towns of Schaller, Nemaha and Early, 4-6 p.m. at Sacred Heart Parish Center (501 Church St.) in Early.

Sioux Central High School Baccalaureate, 7 p.m., high school gym.  
Newell-Fonda High School Baccalaureate, 7 p.m.

THU<sup>5/15</sup>

Ridge View High School hosting a Senior Awards Assembly at 8:30 a.m., Rosemary Clausen Center for Performing Arts.

Community Ed No Floor Yoga, 9-10:15 a.m., at Sunrise Pointe conference room. Cost is \$5.

Storm Lake Public Library presents Preschool Story Time, 10:30 a.m.

St. Mary's Middle School Awards, 10:30 a.m. in the Parish Center.

Witter Gallery open 1-6 p.m.  
Alta Community Library hosting a kids movie at 3:30 p.m.

Storm Lake Public Library hosting a free financial literacy session at 4 p.m. This week's topic is "The Essentials of Estate Planning." No advance registration necessary. Call 712-732-8026 for more information. Sponsored by Citizens 1st National Bank.

Storm Lake Honda presents Throttle Thursday featuring Ten-70 Smokehouse food truck from 5:30-8 p.m. and live music by the Schoon Brothers from 6-8 p.m. Located at 3040 Expansion Blvd.

UPCOMING

FRIDAY, MAY 16

Storm Lake Community Blood Drive, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. at United Methodist Church. Schedule a blood donation appointment online at lifeservebloodcenter.org or call 800-287-4903.

Story Time at Alta Community Library, 10:30 a.m.

Witter Gallery open 1-5 p.m.  
Albert City-Truesdale Elementary School hosting its Color Run, 2:15-3:20 p.m.

King's Pointe Indoor Waterpark open 4-9 p.m.

SATURDAY, MAY 17

Snook's Carpet & Furniture hosting an indoor garage sale/flea market, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Contact Laurie at 712-390-2584 to be a vendor. Snook's is located at 110 Blake St. in Sioux Rapids.

King's Pointe Indoor Waterpark open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Witter Gallery open 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Storm Lake Public Library hosting Pokemon Club, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Featuring card games, video games, anime, discussion and more.

Friends of Byron, in conjunction with the Fort Dodge Fine Arts Association presents in concert, Southbound — a tribute to the Allman Brothers Band, at Historic Phillips Auditorium in Fort Dodge at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$40 and are available to purchase online at EventBrite.com and will be available at the door at 6 p.m. the day of the concert.



Top: Susan Clough Briggs. Above: Candy Clough. Left: A large scale painting and a construction by Todd Clough.

'IT'S RELATIVE'

Witter show features three cousins

A new display at Witter Gallery features work by three cousins: Susan Clough Briggs and Candy Clough of Storm Lake and Todd "Wad" Clough of Denver, Colo. (Their dads are brothers). The artists' contrasting styles make this a must-see. In addition, much of the artwork is for sale. A reception is scheduled for May 24, from 3-5 p.m.

Susan taught special ed at Storm Lake High School for many years, then retired with her husband Troy to New Mexico in 2017. At this time she started painting and realized how much she loved it. The Cloughs moved back to Storm Lake in 2022. Susan's work depicts scenery from New Mexico, Storm Lake and elsewhere.

Candy is a familiar face around Storm Lake. The former elementary teacher and piano instructor is a volunteer at Santa's Castle and Witter Gallery. Her love of sewing, quilting and collage is evident in the pieces she has put together in this show. Candy tastefully combines photos, buttons, fabric and more on canvas or under glass.

Todd lives on a ranch in the mountains west of Denver, where he works as a fly-fishing guide/instructor and trout rancher. He hangs with his dog Bucky, goats, chickens and honeybees. He has been producing artwork and showing in galleries for 40-plus years. He paints with a sense of humor, a lack of pretense and a dash of spunk.

Help Witter Gallery

A generous offer has been made to provide matching funds for donations received by Witter Gallery before midnight June 30.

Every donation or membership purchase will be matched up to \$100 per individual, providing as much as an additional \$10,000 in support of the exhibits, programs and activities at Witter Gallery. Any amount will help. Double your donation and show that you recognize the value of art and art education in our community. Thank you for your support.

WITTER GALLERY CLASS



LAVENDER FIELDS PAINTING WORKSHOP

Witter Gallery will host a painting workshop on Friday, May 16, at 4 p.m. Join artist April Mason and enjoy a relaxing afternoon in the gallery creating an impressionistic lavender fields inspired artwork. Cost is \$20 per person, all materials provided. Register by email at wittergallery@yahoo.com.

SUNDAY, MAY 18

Storm Lake High School Graduation, 2 p.m.

Sioux Central High School Graduation, 2 p.m.

Newell-Fonda High School Graduation, 2 p.m.

Alta-Aurelia High School Graduation, 2 p.m.

Ridge View High School Graduation, 2 p.m.

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Deja Blue live at Byron's Bar (109 S. Ontario St.) in Pomeroy, 5 p.m. Tickets are \$20.

MONDAY, MAY 19

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Storm Lake Hy-Noon Kiwanis meets at noon at Lake Avenue

Lounge.

Scavenger Hunt at Alta Community Library, 12 p.m.

Schaller Public Library hosting Book Club at 2:30 p.m. This month's selection is "What the Wind Knows" by Amy Harmon.

Food distribution drive-up: 4 p.m. at Storm Lake United Methodist Church Family Life Center.

**TUESDAY, MAY 20**  
**LAST DAY OF SCHOOL: St. Mary's**

Storm Lake Kiwanis Beavers meet at Lakeshore Cafe, 7 a.m.

Storm Lake TOPS meets at Lakeside Presbyterian Church, 110 E. Third St. Weigh-in at 8:30 a.m. and the meeting begins at 9 a.m. For questions, call Joanne at 712-299-2606.

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Tom Musel directs the Storm Lake Muni Band.

THE BAND IS BACK!

Muni Band season kicks off June 1

The Storm Lake Municipal Band will again offer a season of free concerts at the historic Sunset Park Bandshell.

The band trustees board finalized its schedule of 2025 concerts: June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 and July 6, plus its annual Independence Celebration show on the evening of July 3.

The band has seen increasing numbers of performers from high school age through long-time veterans. New members are always welcome. Rehearsals start May 27. Watch the Storm Lake Municipal Band Facebook page for concert announcements and information on how to take part.