Glidden Newsletter

June 2013



On Friday, June 28 @ 1:00 the Blank Park Zoo will be presenting their Amazing Adaptations program. Find out how animals adapt to their environment. Children will meet animals from different habitats and discover why these adaptations are important to their survival.

Summer Reading Program At The Library

The Summer Reading Program will start on June 1st for ages 5-12. There will also be a story time for 3-4 year olds every Wednesday during the month of June at 2:00 pm. Stop by or call 659-3781 to register.

WILBOR Has Arrived!!

Do you have an eReader? The library now has access to the WILBOR consortium. Stop by to get your access number so you can download eBooks from the library or from the comfort of your own home.

Call Before You Dig!

Avoid danger and potential utility service disruptions by calling Iowa One Call at 811 or 1-800-292-8989. Anyone planning to dig deeper than 6 inches are required to call at least 48 hours before digging. It's fast, easy, free, and IT'S THE LAW! Locating your underground utilities will be the City of Glidden, PeopleService, Black Hills Energy, Windstream, US West, and Mediacom.

Tips for Safe Swimming

Supervise when Children are in or around water: Avoid potential distractions like talking on the phone, playing games or doing yard work while children are around the pool. Use the buddy system: Teach children to never swim alone. Choose swimming locations with lifeguards on duty whenever possible. Air-filled or foam toys are not safety devices: Many water toys like "noodles" can float, but they are not designed to take the place of safety equipment like life jackets. Clear the pool and deck of toys: Remove floats, balls and other toys from the pool area immediately after use so children are not tempted to enter the pool without supervision.



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Cemetery Flowers Removed

Residents are reminded that all cemetery flowers will be removed Tuesday, June 18th (except those in permanent vases).

5K Fun Run / Walk

Date: Saturday, Aug 3
Start Time: 8:00am
Registrations available at
City Office and online at
www.cityof glidden.org
(online form tab)

Learn to Swim

When: July 8-July 19th Registration forms available online at www.cityofglidden.org (click online forms)

Walk to Wellness

Come join the county-wide Walk to Wellness! The Carroll County Wellness Coalition is promoting the Walk to Wellness beginning in June; every first Friday of the month from 11:00-1:00pm (lunchtime) and every third Wednesday of the month 5:00-7:00pm. (after work) The walks will start Friday, June 7th and Wednesday, June 19th. Each city in Carroll county will have their own location to walk. The Glidden location will be the Northland Park Trail and the Carroll location will be the Carroll High School Track. Walk to Wellness is sponsored by the Carroll County Wellness Coalition by encouraging healthy living. Come and join us! Everyone



Water Aerobics

Start: June 2nd-Aug 7 Time: 7:00 or 7:45pm 10 wk session/30 classes (Sun-Mon-Wed) Sign up today at the office! www.cityofglidden.org



Lease Your Dog... It's the Law!

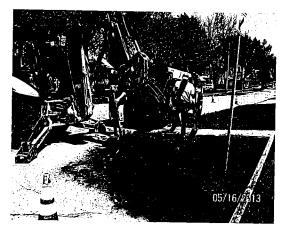
1. Pet owners are required to lease their pet. The Glidden City Code prohibits animals to run at large within the City limits. 2. Owners are also required to clean up after their pet. 3. It is also unlawful to allow your pet to cause annoyance or disturbance to any person. Complaints should be direct to the Carroll County Sheriff Office at 792-4393.

Recycling is Simple. Don't place recycle bin at curb with inclement weather. Place newspapers in a grocery sack. Watch to secure light items from the wind. Cardboard is not recyclable when wet. What can you place in a recy-

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cling bin? Newspapers, magazines, catalogs, office paper, cereal type boxes, junk mail, clean/dry wearable clothing (can be mixed together, must be bagged and put on top of the container). All clean glass jars and bottles, aluminum cans,

steel cans and plastic containers. Do <u>not</u> put these containers in separate plastic bags. Follow the guidelines and we can stop recyclables from blowing around town.



City employees Jason Olberding, James Bruns and Steve Morlan prepare a corner garden.

"Color Main Street" Project

"Color Main Street" project has begun on the corners along Idaho street! Each corner will have a perennial prairie flower garden. We are looking for volunteers to help with the flower gardens along Idaho street. If you would like to volunteer please call the City Office at 659-3010.