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## **BHC Sheriff to Hold Town Hall Meeting in Elk Run**

*Submitted* Black Hawk County Sheriff Tony Thompson will hold the next Town Hall Meeting at Elk Run Heights City Hall, located at 5042 Lafayette Rd., on Wednesday, April 15 at 6:30 p.m.

These meetings are meant to serve as an informational meeting and a forum for residents to ask the sheriff any questions they may have. Everyone is welcome to attend these monthly meetings.

## **Evansdale Plans City Wide Garage Sales**

*Evansdale News* The City of Evansdale will sponsor its 15th Annual City-Wide Garage Sale to be held on Friday, April 24th through Sunday, April 26th. The event will be advertised in the Courier, local stores and Evansdale News.

We will provide a map again this year that notes all of the garage sale locations that are registered. If you are interested, register your garage sale at the Evansdale City Hall Business Office by April 18th to be placed on the map. There is a

\$2.00 registration fee, which will cover the cost of producing, advertising, and distributing the map. Visit the city of Evansdale's website, listed below, and click on the dates on the calendar to download the registration form.

Maps are free for everyone and can be picked up at City Hall, the Library, and local convenience stores. The map will also be available on the website.

Call Becky or Kelley at the City Hall Business Office 232-6683 with any questions.

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## **Easter Services Held at St. Marks United Methodist**

*Submitted* St. Marks United Methodist Church, 610 S. Evans Rd., will hold a Sunrise Service at 7 a.m. on Easter Sunday, April 5. Breakfast will be served following the service at 8 a.m. There will be a special Easter program with the youth of the church during regular worship service at 10:40 a.m. The church holds Sunday School from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.

every Sunday. All are welcome to worship and Sunday School. On the last Sunday of every month, the church holds a friendship potluck following worship, beginning at 12:30 p.m. There is always a greeter at the door, plenty of hard surface sidewalks, and parking lot available. If you have any questions, call the church office phone at 319-233-9163.

## **Register for Evansdale T-ball/Softball Program**

*Submitted* Registration for Evansdale Youth Sports T-ball/Softball program will continue on Saturday, April 4 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Evansdale City Hall, 123 N. Evans Road.

This is open to all youth in the Cedar Valley. For more information, call John at 235-7500 at home or 296-5539.

Registration is only \$25, and that includes a team t-shirt. Children do not need to be present during registration, but are welcome. All games will be played at Deerwood Park in Evansdale. Practice will begin the week of Monday, April 27th. There will be divisions for all age groups, boys and girls.

## **Evansdale Spring Clean Up Set for May**

*Evansdale News* The Evansdale Spring cleanup is scheduled for Friday May 1st from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Saturday May 2nd from 7:30 a.m. to noon. Residents are requested to bring items to the Street Department Garage at 130 Brown Street, one block north of Lafayette Rd., next to the recycling bins.

We will NOT accept regular household trash, tires, concrete, rocks, batteries, hazardous waste, liquids, any type of yard waste, or large quantities of building materials. Separate any metal items from the rest, as metals are recycled rather than taken to the landfill.

This service is only available to Evansdale residents. When you arrive at the Street Department, you will be required to present your driver's license showing your Evansdale address.

If you are elderly or have a hardship preventing you from bringing the items to the Street Department, call us at the City Hall Business Office and we will attempt to find a resource

to assist you in hauling.

If you wish to dispose of appliances during Spring Clean-up, please purchase a sticker at the City Hall Business Office. Office hours are 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The deadline to purchase a sticker is Friday, May 1st at 4:30 p.m.

The sticker cost is \$12 for each appliance to be dropped off at the Street Department. The sticker charge is \$25 to have the appliance picked up curbside on May 1st.

The following appliances will be accepted: Air Conditioners, Dehumidifiers, Dishwashers, Dryers, Freezers, Microwaves, Refrigerators, Stoves, Thermostats, Washers, Water heaters, Capacitor-start electric motor, Electrical and Electronic Devices. Water softeners will not be accepted.

Items will not be accepted after hours under any circumstance. Anyone who drops items at the gate before or after hours will be fined for illegal dumping.

# 2015 • Calendar of Events • 2015

## Saturday, April 4

- Food Pantry at Countryside Vineyard Church, 3467 Lafayette Rd., 10-11:30 a.m.
- Sign up for youth softball, see article on pg. 1 for details

## Sunday, April 5

- Easter Sunday
- Easter breakfast at St. Marks United Methodist, see article on pg. 1 for more information

## Friday, April 10

- Fish Fry at the Evansdale AMVETS, see article on pg. 1 for more information

## Saturday, April 11

- Electronics and hazardous materials drop-off event, see article on pg. 3 for details

## Sunday, April 12

- New Life Fellowship Church event, see article on pg. 2 for more information

## Wednesday, April 15

- Deadline to get license for

- pets in Evansdale
- Sheriffs Town Hall Meeting, see article on pg. 1 for details

## Friday, April 17

- Next edition of the Evansdale News is released

## Saturday, April 18

- Food Pantry at Countryside Vineyard Church, 3467 Lafayette Rd., 10-11:30 a.m.

## Friday, April 24

- Evansdale city wide garage sales begin, see article on pg. 1 for more information

## Friday, May 1

- Next edition of the Evansdale News is released
- Evansdale city wide clean up begins, see article on pg. 1 for more information

## Saturday, May 2

- Food Pantry at Countryside Vineyard Church, 3467 Lafayette Rd., 10-11:30 a.m.

*In the Spring, I have counted 136 different kinds of weather inside of 24 hours.*

*Mark Twain*

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## Special Day For New Life Fellowship Church

Submitted At 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 12th, New Life Fellowship Church will be particularized, a big word for telling the church and the community that it is stable, growing and seeking to play a positive role in the community as it tells other people about the impact God really has in people's lives. Rev. Dr. Larry Hoop of West Union, Ohio will be speaking,

with a time of fellowship to follow. Everyone is invited to this great time of celebration. If you have any questions about New Life Fellowship Church, a great deal can be found at the church website: [www.NewLifeElkRun.org](http://www.NewLifeElkRun.org). Feel free to contact Pastor Larry Doughan by email from the church website or by calling 319-939-4806.



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## Electronics and Hazardous Materials Drop-off Event

*Press Release* The Black Hawk County Solid Waste Management Commission will be partnering with the City of Waterloo to sponsor an electronics recycling event and household hazardous materials drop-off. ALL Black Hawk County residents are welcome to bring approved household toxic materials and electronics (fees may apply). The drop-off will be held on Saturday, April 11th from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at the Waterloo Waste Water Treatment Plant, located at 3505 Easton Ave. The event is set-up as a large drive-through, with a crew of over 40 volunteers donating their time to help unload the materials. Volunteers (18 and older) are still needed to make the lines move fast- call the Waste Trac Education Team (266-8722) to sign up! Both light weight and heavy lifting volunteer duties remain.

County Solid Waste Management Commission will be accepting toxic materials from county resident homes for free at the drop-off event. Items such as lawn chemicals, rechargeable batteries, fluorescent light bulbs (compact and tube), propane tanks, old gasoline, mercury thermometers, and much more will be accepted for safe disposal. A list of accepted items can be found at [WasteTrac.org](http://WasteTrac.org) or call 266-8722.

The Black Hawk County Solid Waste Management Commission will also be sponsoring an Electronics Recycling Drop-off. Each vehicle/household bringing items to the event can recycle two CRT (non flat-screen) monitors/televisions for free. Additional CRTs are \$5 each (with no limit). All hard drives will be shredded by Mid-

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# NEI3A Offers Meals for Seniors

Submitted Northeast Iowa Area Agency on Aging meals are offered on a contribution basis for people over 60 years of age. Actual cost for the meal is \$7.26. People under the age of 60 must pay the actual cost. Meals are offered on a contribution basis to those ages 60 and over. Meals are offered at the United Methodist Church in Raymond at noon on Wednesdays, and at the Countryside Vineyard Church, 3467 Lafayette Road in Evansdale on Thursdays at 11:15 a.m. For more information, to reserve a place or order a meal, call the Senior Center at 319-272-2086.

**Raymond April 8:** A: Roast Beef with Brown Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, California Vegetables, Multi Grain Bread, Birthday Cake, and Margarine

B: No Alternate

**Evansdale April 9:** A: Marinara Chicken, Rotini with Garlic and Red Pepper, Brussels Sprouts with Cheese, Multi Grain Bread, Mandarin Oranges, Margarine  
B: Apple Glazed Pork Patty, Rotini with Garlic and Red Pepper, Brussels Sprouts with Cheese, Multi Grain Bread, Mandarin Oranges, and Margarine

**Raymond April 15:** A: Beef Chili, Baked Potato, Tossed Salad, Cornbread, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Sour Cream, Salad Dressing, and Margarine

B: Chicken Salad, Mixed Bean Soup, Celery Sticks, No-Salt Crackers, Citrus Fruit Cup, and Ranch Dressing

**Evansdale April 16:** A: Chicken Fettuccine, Green Beans, Stewed Tomatoes, Multi Grain Bread, Fresh Fruit, and Margarine

B: Sliced Roast Beef, Swiss Cheese, Tomato Wedges, Herb Potato Salad, Multi Grain Bread, Fresh Fruit, and Mustard

**Raymond April 22:** A: Turkey Ham with White Beans, Sliced Carrots, Potato Salad, Cornbread, Glazed Fruit, and Margarine

B: Chef Salad, Orange Juice, No-Salt Crackers, Glazed Fruit, Salad Dressing

**Evansdale April 23:** A: Herbed Pork Loin, Rice Florentine, Harvard Beets, Wheat Roll, Fresh Fruit, and Margarine

B: Honey Mustard Chicken Salad, Broccoli and Potato Salad, Corn Chowder, Wheat Bread, and Fresh Fruit

## Electronics

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west Electronics Recovery.

Residents are asked to bring exact cash only. Bills larger than \$20 will not be accepted. Appliances (such as microwaves, stoves, dehumidifiers, washers, dryers, refrigerators) WILL NOT be accepted at the event.

The following items WILL NOT be accepted at the event: paint, appliances, tires, motor oil, antifreeze, ammunition, fire extinguishers, smoke detectors, asbestos, radioactive materials, or non-hazardous waste. To dispose of appliances or large bulk items, please call your city public works office, neighborhood association, or the Black Hawk County Landfill (296-2524).

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