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Register Now for This Year's Memorial Ride & Drive

Evansdale News The 3rd Annual Memorial Ride & Drive, a motorcycle ride in memory of Lyric Cook and Elizabeth Collins, will begin at Lofty's in Evansdale, and end at the Screaming Eagle in Waterloo. Held on Saturday, July 11, registration for this ride will be from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. at Lofty's. The ride will begin at 11 a.m. All vehicles are welcome.



Bobaflex concert, with opening acts to be announced, begins at 6 p.m. on July 11, at Screaming Eagle in Waterloo

Pre-registration is strongly encouraged to guarantee a t-shirt. A very limited number of shirts will be available the day of the ride. The registration forms can be downloaded and printed at the website listed below. The registration forms must be

creativeimpactco.com/2015-ride-and-drive

Participate in the EYSA Day at Shoe Carnival

Evansdale News Shoe Carnival in Waterloo is inviting friends and family of the Evansdale Youth Softball Association to shop on Sunday, May 3rd for a 25% discount off the lowest sale price (discount cannot be applied to

mailed to the address listed at the bottom of the form.

A concert featuring national recording artists Bobaflex will begin after the ride at Screaming Eagle in Waterloo. Registration for the Ride will be \$20 per person, and that will include a t-shirt and admission to the concert. The cost for the concert only will be \$10.

Proceeds from this event will go toward the Angels Memorial Park in Evansdale, and Cedar Valley Crimestoppers.

If you would like to help sponsor or donate to this event, or volunteer your time, contact Chris at 319-504-1643.

purchase gift cards, Super Value sign prices, with any coupons, or in conjunction with "Buy one get one half off"). Just mention that you are a part of the EYSA and receive the discount!

Join the ABATE Motorcycle Awareness Ride This Year

Evansdale News On Saturday, May 16, 2015 A.B.A.T.E. (A Brotherhood Aimed Towards Education) District 16 will hold its annual Motorcycle Safety Awareness Ride.

Registration begins at 10:30 a.m. at the Black Hawk County Courthouse. The ride will begin at noon and will be escorted throughout the area by law enforcement. All licensed motorcycle riders are invited to participate. For more informa-

tion call the District 16 coordinator Sharon at 319-961-2644. Please bring an unwrapped toy to be donated to Toys for Tots. There will be a container to collect money for Toys for Tots in lieu of bringing a toy.

May is motorcycle Safety and Awareness month. The goal of this ride is to make drivers more aware of the motorcycles on the road, and to be sure that they are seen and heard. This ride is scheduled rain or shine.

City of Evansdale Proposes 2-day Garbage Pick Up

Evansdale News The city of Evansdale has proposed a two day garbage pick up schedule that is looking to become effective July 8, 2015. Evansdale was originally divided into 3 areas, but the city is condensing

this pick up to two days. Recycling will still occur every other week on your trash pick up day. A map of the proposed pick up days (Wednesday and Thursday) is available on the city's website listed below.

evansdale.govoffice.com

Make Plans for the Library's Summer Reading Program

Evansdale News The Evansdale Public Library will present "Every Hero Has a Story" during this year's summer reading program.

The 2015 program is open to all ages and will include crafts, programs, prize drawings and more! Families are invited to join the Read-to-Me portion of the program.

Registration for "Every Hero Has a Story" begins on June 15th and the 4-week program starts June 22nd.

For more information, call the library at 319-232-5367, visit our website listed below or check out our Facebook page, Evansdale LibraryIowa.

All programs at the library are free of charge.

www.evansdale.lib.ia.us

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Friday, May 1

- Evansdale city wide clean up begins, see Community Announcements for details
- WCSD Kindergarten round up begins, see article on pg. 1 for more information

Saturday, May 2

- Evansdale city wide clean up, see Community Announcements for details
- “Old Bag Sale” at Prince of Peace church, see article on pg. 3 for more information

Thursday, May 7

- Raymond city wide rummage sales begin. Sales Thursday 4 to 7 p.m., Friday 9 to 5 p.m., Saturday 9 to 2 p.m.

Saturday, May 9

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

Sunday, May 10

- Mother’s Day

Friday, May 15

- Next edition of the Evansdale News is released

Wednesday, May 20

- Expo Graduation at Expo High School at 6 p.m.

Saturday, May 23

- West High Graduation at the Mcleod Center on UNI campus at 7 p.m.
- Food Pantry at Countryside Vineyard Church, 3467 Lafayette Rd., 10-11:30 a.m.

Sunday, May 24

- East High Graduation at the Mcleod Center on UNI campus at 2 p.m.

Monday, May 25

- Memorial day



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Memorial Day began as Decoration Day, a day to honor the dead soldiers of the Civil War. It is said that this day was chosen because flowers would be in full bloom, and could be used to decorate the graves of the soldiers being honored.

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Scambusters: Phone Scam Offers Easy Payments

Scambusters It's hard to think of what life would be like without cell phones or land lines, but, for sure, we wouldn't miss all those phone scams that plague our daily lives. Crooks are targeting people who've been cited for traffic violations and some other offenses. Like all the most effective scams, this one is remarkably simple.

The crooks simply comb publicly available court lists and other public records to identify the names of those who've been fined. Then they call them and either invite or insist that the fine is paid over the phone, immediately. The caller claims to be from a company hired by the local courthouse to simplify the payment process. Victims are asked to provide payment card information, which means they're immediately out by the amount of the fine. But, of course, the crooks also have their card details which points to identity theft.

Action: As far as we know, no law enforcement or legal authorities use an outside firm to collect fines over the phone. Never give your card details to someone on an incoming call. You have no way of knowing they are who they say they are. And, by the way, watch out for calls alleging a red light violation, again asking you to pay over the phone or via a money wire. They're fake. Police don't notify you of violations over the phone.

TV Discount Calls Another fake phone call comes from crooks posing as your TV service provider, offering a great discount deal if you pay upfront for the next three months' subscription. This scam starts out as what seems to be a promotional telesales call in which the crook offers a free gift (an Amazon Kindle reader in one case) in return for the recipient agreeing to make quarterly payments in advance. They also offer a discount of up to 50% if the customer agrees to pay immediately by card over the phone.

Action: This scam isn't unique to TV companies. It has also been used by crooks posing as utility company reps. Again, never agree to deals like this or give card details to an incoming caller. Don't be fooled by caller ID seeming to confirm the call is from your TV company. Caller ID is easy to fake. Note also that satellite TV company Dish has recently issued a warning about bogus reps calling and offering discounted upgrades that have to be paid for with prepaid Green Dot debit cards. "If you receive a call requesting a payment in exchange for a promotion or upgrade, do not provide any information and disconnect the call," the company says.

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The menu for May had not been available at the time that this paper went to print. The Evansdale News apologizes for any inconvenience

Evansdale Businesses! Be a Part of the Welcome Book!

Evansdale News Every year for the past few years, the Evansdale Economic Development Corporation creates a book welcoming new residents to the city of Evansdale. The book includes information about the city, and everything Evansdale has to offer its new and existing residents. If you would like to advertise your business in the book, or be included in the business directory, contact Linda at 319-287-7748, or email Linda at WdRoselady@aol.com



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Community Announcements

Women of Life to Hold "Old Bag Sale"

Submitted Prince of Peace church, 4031 Lafayette Rd. women's group would like to invite all women to enjoy a free will brunch and accessories program Sat. May 2 at 10 a.m. An accessories program will be presented by Terry Henson of Christopher and CJ Banks. At 11 a.m. will be a sale of handbags, jewelry, and scarves that need new owners. For reservations to the brunch call 233-1452. There will be kids activities also so women can enjoy coming to this event and bringing their children also. Proceeds will go to Raphahouse for victims of human trafficking.

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