



Luther Community Newsletter

Compliments of
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Library Hours
Monday 10:30am-6:00pm
Wednesday 10:30am-6:00pm
Friday 10:30am-6:00pm
Saturday 10:30am-1:30pm

AUGUST 2024

Community Calendar

- Aug. 3 Movies in the Park, Purchase Pavilion, 9:00pm
- Aug. 4 Lions Breakfast, Luther Club Lions, 8:30-10:30am
- Aug. 7 Luther Library Summer Reading Program, Luther Library, 1:00pm
- Aug. 7 J & B Beats, Purchase Pavilion, 6:00pm-8:00pm
- Aug. 14 Time Capsule, Luther Library, 2pm
- Aug. 14 Frankie Rock, Purchase Pavilion, 6:00pm-8:00pm
- Aug. 16 Lions Dinner and Dance, Luther Lions Club, 7:00pm-10:00pm
- Aug. 20 PR Elementary Open House, Pine River, 4:00pm
- Aug. 20 PR Middle/High School Open House, Pine River, 4:00pm
- Aug. 21 Suzi and Guests, Purchase Pavilion, 6:00pm-8:00pm
- Aug. 22 1st Day of School, Pine River
- Aug. 24 Peace Love Event, State Street, 10:00am-6:00pm
- Aug. 24 Steve Chapel the One Man Band, Loggers Landing, 2:00pm-5:00pm
- Aug. 28 Special Guest, Purchase Pavilion, 6:00pm-8:00pm
- Aug. 30 No School, Pine River Area Schools

RECYCLING

Tire/Electronic Recycling, 531 E. Lincoln, Reed City, Aug 3rd, 9:00am-Noon
Newkirk/Ellsworth Dump day, Aug 24th

WEEKLY

Pixie Patch Gardening Club Everyone Welcome – Tues – 10:00am
Senior Citizens Center – Mon.-Thurs. – Salad 11am, Lunch 11:30am
Wednesdays – Bingo, 9:30am-11am
Craft Classes at the Lions Club – Wed – 12:00pm-2:00pm
Music in the Park – Wed – 6:00pm
Farmers Market – Wed – 3:00pm
Farmers Market – Sat – 10:00am

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Luther Fire Department – 1st Thursday of the Month, 7:00pm
Ellsworth Township Board Meeting – 2nd Monday of the Month, 7:00pm
Sauble Township Board Meeting – 2nd Monday of the Month, 6:00pm
Elk Township Board Meeting – 2nd Tuesday of the Month, 7:00pm
Luther Village Council Meeting – 2nd Tuesday of the Month, 6:00pm
Dover Township – 2nd Wednesday of the Month, 7:00pm
Newkirk Township Board Meeting – 3rd Tuesday of Month, 6:00pm

Peacock Township Board Meeting – 4th Wednesday of the Month, 6:30pm
Luther Days Association – 3rd Wednesday of the Month
Luther Library Board Meetings – 2nd Thursday of the Month, 4:30pm
LASA Board Meetings - 2nd Saturday of the Month, 4:00
Luther Community Improvement – 1st Tuesday of the Month, 5:30pm

FOOD PANTRIES/BANKS

Luther Lions Club, August 8th, 3:00pm
Newkirk/Ellsworth Dump Day, August 24th

Library News

- The Annual Book Sale was held at the Library during Luther Days. This year we made \$1,151.50. A Special THANK YOU to Everyone who made this year's Book Sale so successful!!
- The Luther Library Story Hour will start back up in September. This year's story will be "The Swiss Family Robinson". The children will get to learn about endangered species, food, building and much more with a different chapter each week. If you would like to help sponsor this event, please contact Ms. Theresa at (231) 797-8006.
- 2024 Summer Reading Program 'Adventure In Your Own Backyard' will soon be ending. The Library Staff would like to thank our volunteers and donors: the Luther Days Committee, Bradley Long of the Manistee River Fishing Co., Pine River Association, Jay's Sporting Goods, Carrieville Gas Station, Mr. Thompson of Pine River High School, Walmart, Luther Lions Club and Karen Neiger.
- On August 14th at 2:00pm, the Luther Library will be digging up history. Gail Ganger, Jody Lucas, Carol Peel and the children of Luther buried a time capsule over 10 years ago and we are going to dig it up. Everyone is welcome!
- The Luther Library will be participating in the Peace & Love event on August 24th.

Farmers Market

Farmers Market will be held every Wednesday from 3:00pm-8:00pm and Saturday at 10:00am-6:00pm, located at the old grocery store.

Luther Lions Club

- Luther Lions Club All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast will be on August 4th, from 8:30-10:30am. Adults \$10, children 6-12y/o \$5 and under the age of 6 are FREE.
- Feeding America Food Truck will arrive on August 8th. Line up begins at 2:00pm. The Lions will continue handing out food until it is all gone.
- Lions Club Dinner and Dance will be held on August 16th, from 7:00pm-10:00pm. If you wish to dress up, the theme of the dance is a 50's Sock Hop. The Lions will be serving a chicken dinner with fixings. The cost of the event is \$15.00 per person.

Luther Community Improvement

- Luther Community Improvement is always looking for new voices. With over 50 years of volunteer service, the group goal is to maintain and improve Luther. Meetings are held the 1st Tuesday of the month at 5:30pm.
- Peace & Love Festival will be on August 24th from 10:00pm-6:00pm on State Street between Elm/Birch. Vendors, performers and crafts. The performers and crafts will begin at 12:00pm. This is a FREE event!

Movies in the Park

On August 3rd there will be a FREE movie at the Purchase Pavilion. Arrive at 9:00pm for free popcorn and candy. Bring your own pillow, blankets and chairs. Movie will start at dusk. This event is sponsored by The Rustic Lily.

Luther Senior Center News

The Luther Senior Center is open for lunch on Monday through Thursday. Salads are served at 11am with lunch starting at 11:30am. Please call Lorraine at 989-289-2023, a day in advance, so we can have enough food for everyone.

North Bar

- Monday Special will be Liver and Onions for \$6.50.
- Tuesday Special will be Country Fried Steak for \$6.50.
- For more information or to find out daily specials, contact the North Bar at (231) 797-5318

Purchase Pavilion

Music in the Park will be every Wednesday in August! Come on out and listen to live music from 6:00pm-8:00pm. In the event of rain, music will be relocated to the North Bar!

August 7th: J & B Beats

August 14th: Frankie Rock

August 21: Suzi and Guests – Marcey, Angie and More

August 28th: Special guest brought in by Gayle Butterfield

Luther Museum

The Luther Museum is open for the summer! Hours of operation will be Saturday and Sunday, from 1:00pm-4:00pm.

Logger's Landing

- For more information or to find out daily specials contact Logger's at (231) 797-5688
- Steve Chapel the One Man Band will be performing at Loggers on August 24th from 2:00pm-5:00pm.

Pine River Area Schools

- Pine River Area Schools Open House will be on August 20th. The Elementary school will start at 4:00pm. Middle School and High School will start at 5:30pm.
- The 2024/2025 school year will begin on August 22nd.
- No School August 30.

No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted. – Aesop

Note: This Community Newsletter is accurate to the best of our knowledge. If you, or your organization, would like an event posted, please contact the Library by the last week of each month. Please feel free to pass along contact information for reminders.

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MONDAY 08/05/24	TUESDAY 08/06/24	WEDNESDAY 08/07/24	THURSDAY 08/08/24	FRIDAY
CHILI CHEESE DOGS POTATO SALAD COLESLAW FRUIT	CRISPY CHICKEN BACON SWISS MELT HASHBROWN VEGGIE FRUIT	SHEPARD'S PIE W/MIXED VEGGIE BREAD FRUIT	TACO TOT CASSEROLE LETTUCE TOMATO CHEESE SOUR CREAM MUFFIN	CLOSED
MONDAY 08/12/24	TUESDAY 08/13/24	WEDNESDAY 08/14/24	THURSDAY 08/15/24	FRIDAY
CHICKEN FRIED RICE EGG ROLL FRUIT	MEATLOAF MASHED POTATO W/ GRAVY VEGGIE FRUIT	SPAGHETTI W/ MEATBALLS VEGGIE GARLIC TOAST FRUIT	FISH STICKS MAC & CHEESE SIDE SALAD CAKE	CLOSED
MONDAY 08/19/24	TUESDAY 08/20/24	WEDNESDAY 08/21/24	THURSDAY 08/22/24	FRIDAY
TACOS LETTUCE TOMATO CHEESE SOUR CREAM SALSA FRUIT	CHICKEN & BISCUIT W/ GRAVY VEGGIE FRUIT	PORK LOIN MASHED POTATO W/ GRAVY VEGGIE FRUIT	SMOKED SAUSAGE HASH BROWN MACARONI SALAD CRISP	CLOSED
MONDAY 08/26/24	TUESDAY 08/27/24	WEDNESDAY 08/28/24	THURSDAY 08/29/24	FRIDAY
SLOPPY JOE POTATO SALAD VEGGIE FRUIT	PEPPERONI PIZZA SIDE SALAD CHEESY GARLIC BREAD FRUIT	BAKED CHICKEN RED POTATOS GRAVY VEGGIE FRUIT	HAMBURGER HASHBROWN COLESLAW FRUIT CRISP	CLOSED
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MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO AVAILABILITY

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