

#### City Hall

1502 Walnut Street, PO Box 396 515-992-3725

Monday-Friday - 7:30 am-4:00 pm Email: cityhall@dallascenter.com www.dallascenter.com

#### **Phone Numbers**

Dallas County Dispatch 515-993-4567 Ed Leedom (compliance) 515-238-4485



Join us for an open house honoring

# **Brian Slaughter**

on his retirement. December 29th 1-3 pm **Library Community Room** 

Light snacks and refreshments will be provided.



<b>December 2023 Calendar of Events</b>						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1		1	2
3	4	5	6	7 ★ ♦	8	9
10	11	12	13	14*	15	16
17	18	19	20	21* ♦	22	23
24	25	26	27	28*	29	30
31						

♦ Single Stream Recycling Pick-Up

**\*** Garbage Pick-Up

City Hall will be closed December 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> for the Christmas Holiday!! City offices will be closed Monday, January 1, 2024 for the New Years Holiday

## City Officials

Danny Beyer, Mayor 515-992-3725 mayor@dallascenter.com

Angie Beaudet 515-992-3725 Ryan Coon 515-992-3725 Ryan Kluss 515-992-3725 Amy Strutt 515-992-3725 Daniel Willrich 515-992-3725

Council members can be emailed at: council@dallascenter.com

The Dallas Center City Council meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Memorial Hall. The public is encouraged to attend these meetings. Refer to the City Council Agenda if you prefer Zoom attendance.



# Library 1308 Walnut St PO Box 521 515-992-3185

Monday - 9:00 am-5:00 pm Tuesday-Thursday - 9:00 am-7:00 pm

Friday - 9:00 am-5:00 pm Saturday - 9:00 am-12:00 pm.

www.dallascenter.lib.ia.us

**FOL Silent Auction Final Bids** December 2

#### Coffee & Conversation

We'll provide the coffee; you provide the conversation.

December 5 - 8:00 am

#### **Adult Pinterest Party**

December 7 – 6:30 pm

Christmas - Closed

December 22 - 25

Noon Year's Eve Party

December 27 - 11:00 am

#### **Story Time**

Wednesdays @ 10:00 am

Chair Yoga

Thursdays @ 8:00 am

#### Winter Reminders

- Streets. During snow events, when plowing will be necessary, please remove all vehicles from City streets, alleys or City owned off-street parking areas. Vehicles parked in the street may be fined, towed or both. The parking ban will continue from the beginning of a snowfall to 24 hours after the snowfall has ceased. To help our operators perform their plowing duties in a safe and efficient manner, we ask that residents park elsewhere when the snow begins to accumulate.
- Sidewalks you have 24 hours after the snowfall to clear your sidewalk or the City may do so and bill the property owner.
- Fire Hydrants It is property owners' responsibility to clear the snow away from hydrants for easier access in case of fire.

# **Community Corner**

# The DCBF provides a

### <u>Dallas Center Betterment Foundation – Member Spotlight</u>

The DCBF December 2023 Spotlight Member is on Spurgeon Manor. Spurgeon Manor provides assisted living and memory care, skilled nursing and long-term care nursing, and has a secured dementia care unit. In addition, they provide outpatient therapy. If you, someone you know, or a loved one is looking for retirement living or long-term care, visit <a href="https://www.spurgeonmanor.com">https://www.spurgeonmanor.com</a> or call (515) 992-3735.

\*The DCBF Member Spotlight's purpose is to create awareness of all the Dallas Center businesses and their services and/or products.

The Dallas Center Food Pantry located at 1504 Walnut Street is now open Tuesdays from 4:00 to 6:00 pm. Due to the Christmas holiday, the food pantry will be closed on Tuesday, December 26, 2023. Our current needs are cereal, fruits, canned means, hamburger helper, ketchup, and toilet paper. Thank you for your support.

#### Experience Nature's Healing: Nature Meditation - January 3, 2024 @ 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Research proves that meditation in nature is a powerful and productive technique to improve your quality of life. Join us each Wednesday at 10am as Dennis Kelly, Founder of Meditation Around Town, leads each EXPERIENCE NATURE'S HEALING session in the beautiful natural setting of The Brenton Arboretum. Visit: <a href="http://experiencenatureshealing.com/">http://experiencenatureshealing.com/</a> for more information.



As the Season of Giving approaches, please find information regarding the non-profit organizations that benefit Dallas Center residents. These organizations are comprised of volunteer members from the community who are doing remarkable things for our community.

Please consider them as you look to your charitable gifts. The organizations listed are not managed by the City of Dallas Center.

# Friends of the Dallas Center Pool

501(c)3 non-profit shares a common vision and goals centered on building and sustaining a new community pool. Find them on Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/iamafriendofthepool">https://www.facebook.com/iamafriendofthepool</a>

# **Dallas Center Grimes Education Foundation**

A non-profit providing funding for educational opportunities to students, staff, faculty, or residents of the DC-G District.

Website: http://www.dcgeducationfoundation.org/

# Friends of Roy R. Estle Memorial Library

A 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to the support and promotion of the Roy R. Estle Memorial Library. Website: www.dallascenterlibrary.com

# **Dallas Center Public Library Foundation**

Provides an avenue for large donations and estate planning considerations to support the future of the Roy R. Estle Memorial Library. For more information contact Shelly at the library or call 515-992-3185.

# **Dallas Center Food Pantry**

Provides food and pantry items to residents of Dallas Center. To donate tangible items please contact: <a href="mailto:dcfoodpantry@outlook.com">dcfoodpantry@outlook.com</a> or call us at 515-478-6744. For monetary end of year donations mail to: Dallas Center Food Pantry, 707 Circle Drive, Dallas Center, IA 50063

# SAILDC (Sustaining Active Independent Living in Dallas Center)

Connects volunteers with people in the area who need assistance to continue living independently and actively in our community. If rides or snow shoveling is needed, please contact them. Email: <a href="mailto:info@saildc.org">info@saildc.org</a> Phone: 515-344-2074 Website: <a href="http://www.facebook.com/SAILDC50063">http://www.facebook.com/SAILDC50063</a>