

Whitewater



Community
Newsletter

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OCTOBER
2024



COMMUNITY CALENDAR


OCTOBER

2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
13	14 USD 206 District Brd Mtg. 7p @ District Office	15 Planning & Zoning Meeting, 7pm	16 WW Volunteer Fire Meeting 7p @ Fire Dept.	17	18	19 BINGO @ 6p
20	21 WW Fire Board Mtg. 7p @ Fire District Office	22 Senior Potluck 9a-3p @ Am. Legion	23	24	25	26 CHICKEN NOODLE DINNER 4-7p @ Am. Legion
27	28 CITY COUNCIL Meeting, 7pm	29	30	31 		

NOVEMBER

2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
					1	2 BINGO @ 6p
3	4 Friends of the Library 4:30p @ Library	5  Library Board Meeting 7p @ Library	6 WW Volunteer Fire Meeting 7p @ Fire Dept.	7	8	9
10	11 USD 206 Distr. Brd Mtg. 7p @ District Office Veterans Day City Office Closed	12 Senior Potluck 9a-3p @ Am. Legion	13	14	15	16 BINGO @ 6p
17	18 WW Fire Board Mtg. 7p @ Fire District Office	19	20 WW Volunteer Fire Meeting 7p @ Fire Dept.	21	22	23
24	25 CITY COUNCIL Meeting, 7pm	26 Senior Potluck 9a-3p @ Am. Legion	27	28  HAPPY THANKSGIVING City Office Closed	29  City Office Closed	30

Newsletter & Calendar information or updates please contact
Anne Morrow in the city office.

Office phone: 316-799-2445 · email: cityclerk@whitewaterks.gov



City Council Meeting Highlights from 9/23/24

- Longtime residents Bruce & Linda Dietler have rebuilt their home, and expressed respect and love for Whitewater.

They appreciate the efforts downtown and through Whitewater Lakes to bring more residents to the area. However they are concerned on certain areas throughout town where it appears others are not making the efforts to better the town which are showing significant areas of decline. The Dietlers are calling for the city to enforce the existing ordinances to improve community aesthetics and property values.

- Current Ordinances and our Code Book are being looked over by a company who specializes in city codes. Without a Public Officer to enforce the current codes the city must rely on the local community submitting Complaint Forms to help highlight those who are not compliant to our codes.
- The council was updated on the current status of the Water Tower maintenance schedule. The final installment of the contract is in 2025. All payments have been made to date, even for work that has not been completed yet.
- Resident McCoy is wanting the city to take down a tree located on an easement at his property. The council has determined that the property owner is responsible to have the tree removed.
- Unanimous vote to approve \$1200 for parts to repair water hydrants.
- Unanimous vote to approve \$4,4148.85 for replacement of parts and a water valve replacement through the services of Graber Backhoe.
- Discussion to purchase a new mower was tabled until next month to determine if prices will go up next year or if the purchase can wait until 2025.
- Unanimous approval of the Financial Report.
- Itemized Credit/Debit Card statements for each month will be presented to the council.
- The council would like a timeline for the updating and state compliance of our city codes so we will be able to look into hiring a 3rd party Compliance Officer or company. The city clerk will try to have that information for the council and public by next meeting.

All are welcome at City Council meetings.

Public Comment time is available; with a 5 minute limit per person near the beginning of each meeting.

To discuss a specific topic, please contact the City Clerk to be placed on the agenda.

NEXT MEETING: MONDAY, OCTOBER 28 @ 7:00PM

Full minutes are posted on the city website whitewaterks.gov

CHICKEN NOODLE DINNER

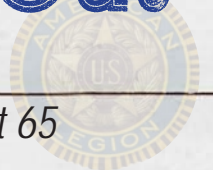
OCTOBER 26, 4-7PM



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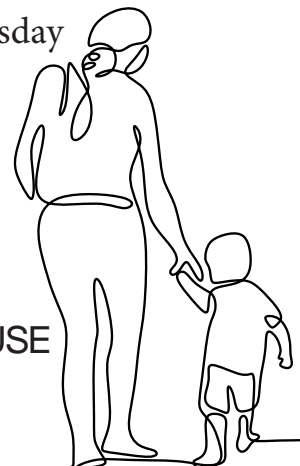
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**Your community spirit made the
event enjoyable for everyone. We're
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making Whitewater a beautiful place
to live.**

- Andrew Hanna,
Whitewater City
Superintendent



WHITEWATER 2024-2025 **BIDDY BASKETBALL**



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Youth Basketball for 1st Grade
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Whitewater Park and Recreation

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Pick up Registration Forms from The Whitewater Library
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Any Questions Contact:
Andy Floyd
(316) 806-0350
whitewaterparkandrec@gmail.com

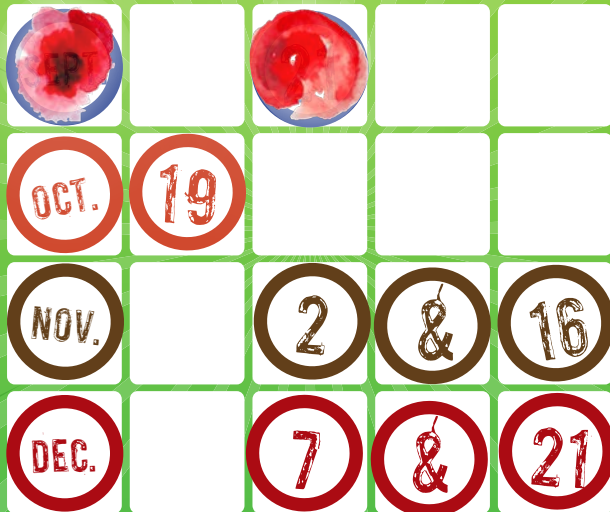


Please like and share us on Facebook to
keep up on league information and any
game changes or cancellations.



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Bingo starts at 7pm promptly with food being served by the American Legion Auxiliary starting at 6pm. All ages welcome.

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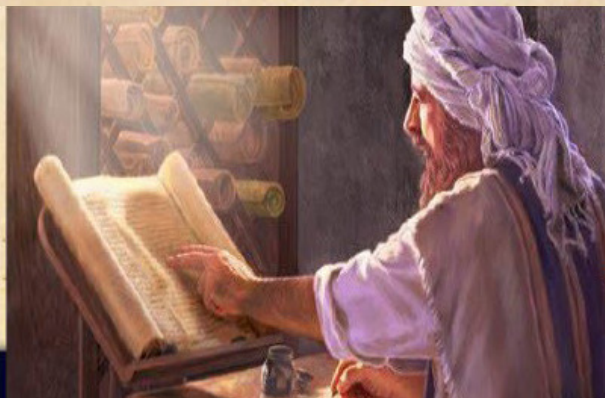
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1. *What did the Apostles teach?*
2. *Jeremiah 31:31-34 speaks of a New Covenant – What is it?*
3. *Joel 2 speaks of God pouring out His Spirit – How do we know if we have It?*
4. *Jesus speaks of being Born Again in John 3 – What does this mean?*
5. *The Apostles knew they were in the Last Time/Days – How did they prepare & become saved?*



Join Us for Bible Study & Discussion

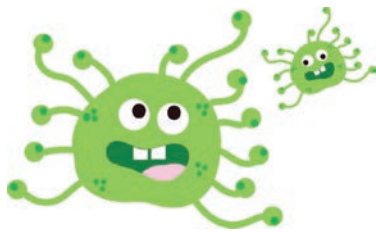


WHAT:	Discover & Discuss Biblical Truths
WHEN:	Thursday Evenings @ 7:00 PM Or a time mutually convenient
WHERE:	1. 221 N Elm St, Whitewater, KS 67154 2. Home Bible Studies Available 3. Correspondence Bible Studies Available via mail or email
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Medical Office Plaza
700 Medical Center Dr., Ste 150
Newton Kansas 67114



Biblical Answers for a Common Problem

PARTICIPANT GUIDE



PEACEMAKER
MINISTRIES



Whitewater
COMMUNITY CHURCH

Starts: October 20, 2024

SUNDAY EVENINGS
6 - 7:00 PM

(8 Sessions)

Workbooks are recommended,
\$10 each

SIGN UP IN CHURCH ENTRY

For more information or questions
Please Call
316-708-9705

WATER TOWER MAINTENANCE NOTICE



The WHITEWATER water tower is scheduled for maintenance with a company called VIKING INDUSTRIAL PAINTING.

The work should begin OCTOBER 14th and take a minimum of TWO WEEKS.

WHAT TO EXPECT:

Your water pressure may have some fluxuation however you should not have any interruption of water service or quality.

THANK YOU



OPEN ENROLLMENT OCT-15 - DEC 08

Medicare Counseling will be available in Whitewater this year for SHICK, Part D open enrollment period from October 15 thru December 08. Medicare 2025 will have many changes that might effect your part D. This is a FREE service provided by the Federal Government thru a Grant administered thru Kansas State University.

For Location and Appointments leave Voice Message and you will be contacted by Dennis Veges 316-253-5143.

2024



RESULTS

PEDAL PULL



Boys 3-4 Year Old Division

1. Mitchell Wuthrich,
Full Pull, 33'9"
 2. Allaster Wiebe,
Full Pull, 17'5"
 3. Keaton Ranfeld, 12'7.5"
- Jackson Bergen, 6'33"
Rowan Peters, 5'9"
Luke Wuthrich, 5'7"
Zachary Clark, 5'2"

Boys 5-6 Year Old Division

1. Jackson Wyant, 23'2"
 2. Elliot Hirsch, 19'3"
 3. Alistar Boehm, 13'11"
- Kaden Kitterman, 13'2"
Connor Floyd, 12'9"
Jaxon Peters, 4'6"
Cody Clark, 2'5"
Cooper Hayworth, 1'10"

Boys 7-8 Year Old Division

1. Boone Hall, 35'4"
 2. Everett Boehm, 26'5"
 3. Memphis Clark, 21'10"
- Cristopher Wiebe, 20'3"
Gabriel Robles, 19'7"

Boys 9-10 Year Old Division

1. Judah Busenitz, 25'11"
 2. Asher Busenitz, 25'5"
 3. Bodie Clark, 25'1"
- Ethan Jackson, 18'9"
Henry LaRue, 18'1"

PEDAL PULL



Girls 3-4 Year Old Division

1. Maria Petersen, 39'2"
 2. Georgia Hall, 29'3"
 3. Wrennie Hirsch, 25'3"
- Adah Berger, 19'4"
Bonnie Gaudern, 10'4"
Eden Hirsch, 6'8"
Evelyn Condit, 6'2"

Girls 5-6 Year Old Division

1. Jenny Harder, 35'11"
 2. Liana Petersen, 27'8"
 3. Kynlee Nantkes, 26'10"
- Paisley Vanderford, 26'9"
Brylin Barnes, 24'9"
Parker Lago, 23'3"
Josslyn Lago, 20'10"
Preslee Clark, 16'5"

Girls 7-8 Year Old Division

1. Sadie Wuthrich, Full Pull
 2. Sierra Ranfeld, 37'11"
 3. Kenzie Petersen, 32'3"
- Annie Floyd, 27'11"
Natalie Wuthrich, 25'6"
Anne Busenitz, 20'2"

STICK HORSE RACES



4 Year Old Division

Mitchell Wuthrich

5 Year Old Division

Austyn Clark

6 Year Old Division

Liana Petersen &
Grayson Matthews

7 Year Old Division

Marta Friesen

8 Year Old Division

Willy Friesen



Female Division

Aja Spencer

Male Division (18-30)

Randall Thiessen

Male Division (35+)

Michael Busenitz



ATV RODEO



Winners

POLE BENDING

Jr. Dirt Bike Division

Todd Harder

Sr. Dirt Bike Division

Theo Busenitz

Jr. Quad Division

James Pearce

Sr. Utility Quad Division

Silas Busenitz

Sr. Sports Quad Division

Matt Busenitz

Ladies Quad Division

Sophia Pearce

BARREL RACING

Jr. Dirt Bike Division

Todd Harder

Sr. Dirt Bike Division

Loren Pearce

Jr. Quad Division

Jed Pearce

Sr. Utility Quad Division

Silas Busenitz

Sr. Sports Quad Division

Matt Busenitz

Ladies Quad Division

Sophia Pearce

GREASED PIG CONTEST



Winners

5-7 Year Old Division

Sara Friesen

8-10 Year Old Division

Judah Busenitz

11-13 Year Old Division

James Pearce

14-18 Year Old Division

Annie Entz



FIRST PLACE

Tow-Mater
by Mary Potter

SECOND PLACE

Shrek Characters
by Emily & Leah Drinkwater,
Granny Tina & Richard Stevens

THIRD PLACE

Hawaiian Ken in Barbie ATV
by Adam Scheffler

FOURTH PLACE

Barbie Jeep
by Remington Booster Club

FIFTH PLACE

Jurassic Park
by The Price Family





Female Under 30 Division

1. Whitney Wiebe, 24:25 - 15 OVR
2. Brylin Barnes, 25:52 - 20 OVR
3. Aja Spencer, 25:55 - 21 OVR
4. Jasmine Ingalsbe, 27:00 - 23 OVR
5. Ella Zuercher, 32:01 - 34 OVR
6. Kathryn Gerber, 32:54 - 35 OVR
7. Sage Westerfield, 33:43 - 36 OVR
8. Mya Snyder, 34:57 - 39 OVR
8. Olivia Newell, 34:57 - 39 OVR
8. Olivia Faris, 34:57 - 39 OVR
11. Lexi Entz, 36:43 - 44 OVR

Female 30+ Division

1. Aubrey Ralston, 23:51 - 9 OVR
2. Maria Ralston, 24:12 - 11 OVR
3. Camille Claassen, 25:02 - 16 OVR
4. Brittney Wuthrich, 25:06 - 17 OVR
5. Melissa Bartlett, 27:56 - 27 OVR
6. Joy George, 29:11 - 29 OVR
7. Jenni Klaassen, 29:12 - 30 OVR
8. Elaine Goede, 30:52 - 32 OVR
9. Erin Entz, 34:31 - 38 OVR
10. Alexis Acuna, 35:07 - 43 OVR
11. Arlita Bumham, 38:35 - 45 OVR
12. Liz Claassen, 48:25 - 46 OVR
13. LeeAnn Groben, 48:30 - 47 OVR

Male Under 30 Division

1. Joseph Busentiz, 19:54 - 2 OVR
2. Paul Cook, 20:28 - 3 OVR
3. Alex Bolton, 21:00 - 5 OVR
4. Grant Claassen, 21:12 - 6 OVR
5. Syllas Busenitz, 21:26 - 7 OVR

6. Todd Graber, 23:22 - 8 OVR
7. Theo Busentiz, 24:29 - 13 OVR
8. Nathaniel Cook, 25:10 - 18 OVR
9. Adrian Spencer, 25:50 - 19 OVR
10. Owen Newell, 26:27 - 22 OVR
11. David Greer, 27:21 - 24 OVR
12. John Bergen, 30:34 - 31 OVR
13. Jordon Acuna, 34:57 - 39 OVR

Male 30+ Division

1. Nick Hirsch, 18:32 - 1 OVR
2. Derek Lingenberg, 20:51 - 4 OVR
3. Michael Ralston, 23:54 - 10 OVR
4. Josiah Carey, 24:15 - 12 OVR
5. Carlen Busenitz, 24:30 - 14 OVR
6. Titus Natzke, 27:43 - 25 OVR
7. Steven Ralston, 27:46 - 26 OVR
8. Ethan Rodenberg, 28:54 - 28 OVR
9. Brian Bumham, 31:37 - 33 OVR
10. Gary Hill, 33:52 - 37 OVR



Female Division

1. Ella Claassen, 7:00 - 2 OVR
2. Rachel Scheffler, 7:56 - 5 OVR
3. Sadie Wuthrich, 8:00 - 6 OVR
4. Cora Gatz, 8:05 - 7 OVR
5. Prissy Bolton, 8:22 - 8 OVR
6. Maebel Houston, 8:41 - 12 OVR
7. Wrennie Hirsch, 11:07 - 16 OVR
8. Eden Hirsch, 11:33 - 17 OVR
9. Aaralyn Maus, 11:36 - 18 OVR
10. Aurora Dellinger, 11:40 - 19 OVR

Male Division

1. Owen Newell, 6:35 - 1 OVR
2. Max Claassen, 7:04 - 3 OVR
3. Jensen Entz, 7:37 - 4 OVR
4. Roman Natzke, 8:22 - 8 OVR
5. Derek Natzke, 8:25 - 10 OVR
6. Asher Busenitz, 8:33 - 11 OVR
7. Greyson Matthews, 8:52 - 13 OVR
8. Karter Buckett, 8:56 - 14 OVR
9. Elliot Hirsch, 10:34 - 15 OVR



FRED REMINGTON FESTIVAL PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT *Results*

TOP DIVISION CHAMPS
FRED FEST PICKLEBALL
2024




1ST PLACE:
PRESTIGED
WORLDWIDE




2ND PLACE:
THE AVERAGE
BROS

HIGHSCHOOL CHAMPS
FRED FEST PICKLEBALL
2024



1ST PLACE:
PEYTON &
ELLIOTT



2ND PLACE:
THAT ONE
TEAM

COED CHAMPS
FRED FEST PICKLEBALL
2024





1ST PLACE: NET NINJAS
2ND PLACE: BANGERS & MASH

K-8 CHAMPS
FRED FEST PICKLEBALL
2024



1ST PLACE:
THE
PICKLEBROS



2ND PLACE:
DR. PEPPER

TURTLE RACES



1. Hannah w/ Lance
2. Josslyn w/ Rose
3. Parker w/ Addlie
4. Bodie w/ John
5. Preslee w/ Pendleton
6. McCoy w/ Tim

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North Butler 4-H Club September 2024 Meeting

By Julia Amend, North Butler 2023-2024 Reporter

The North Butler 4-H Club's monthly meeting was held on September 9, 2024 at Emmaus Church. The meeting was called to order by President, Caleb Klingenberg. Jeremiah Brewer and Donovan Brewer lead the Flag Salute and the 4-H Pledge. Roll call was "My favorite fair food is..." and was answered by 19 members. Secretary and Treasure's reports were read.

Debora Claassen, club community leader, recognized club members that participated in the Kansas State Fair. She reminded the club about finishing record books and the upcoming new 4-H year. She said to get enrolled starting October 1 to be eligible to vote at the next meeting. She also encouraged members to participate in the parade float for Fred Fest in Whitewater on October 5, 2024. Lastly, she reminded the club about the County Achievement Banquet on October 26, 2024.

There was no old business. In new business, the club voted to reimburse membership dues, participate in the Christmas play in Whitewater on December 1st, donate food to the local food pantry, have a gift exchange at the December meeting, and club exchange meeting in April. Business meeting was adjourned.



Nomination Committee leads the Officer Elections.

For the program, the Nominating Committee lead Officer Elections for the 2024-2025 4-H year. North Butler officers for next year are: President - Cora Brackenridge; Vice President- Ella Amend; Secretary-Hope McLaughlin; Treasurer-Carson Brackenridge; Parliamentarian – Julia Amend; News Reporter – Gracia Brewer; 4-H County Council Members – Harley McLaughlin and Paige Goebel; Alternate 4-H Council Members – Cora Brackenridge and Carson Brackenridge; Song leaders – Caleb Klingenberg and Kate Klingenberg; and Recreation leaders – Milo Klingenberg and Natalie Worrell.

To conclude the night, Lucy Goebel led the club in singing "The HippoSong." The next meeting will be held on October 14, 2024.





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AT 3:30-5:00 PM


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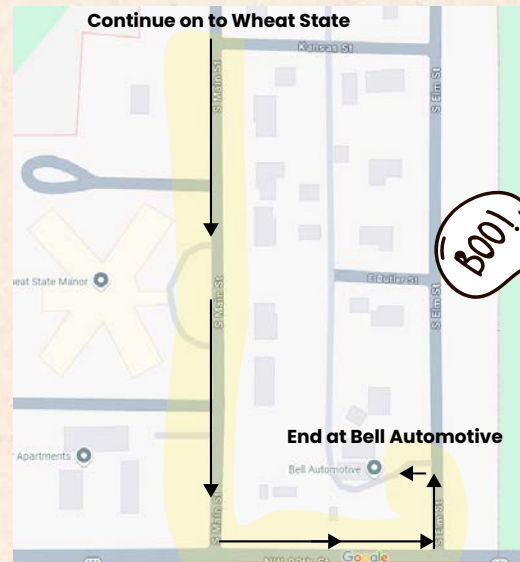


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OCT. 31 🍬 3:30-5PM

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