

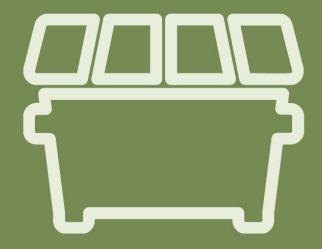
### Included in this edition:

- July 3 & 4 Festivities
- Dumpster Day & Limb Clean-Up
- Garage Sales/Vendor Market/ Junk-in-Truck
- Scouting Troop Breakfast Burritos
   Fundraiser
- · Fire Dept Fun Day & Dance
- SPL's Summer Reading Program
- Children's Farmer's Market
- Middle of Nowhere Art & Vendor Show
- EMS Fundraiser ft. Kraft Bros.
- EMS Blog & Firefighter recognition
- Pool Hours
- Historical Society Newsletter
- City Reminders
- Annual Water Quality Report

### Sat. June 14

### Dumpster Day & Tree Limb Clean-Up

See inside for time, location, items permitted/not permitted, & associated fees.



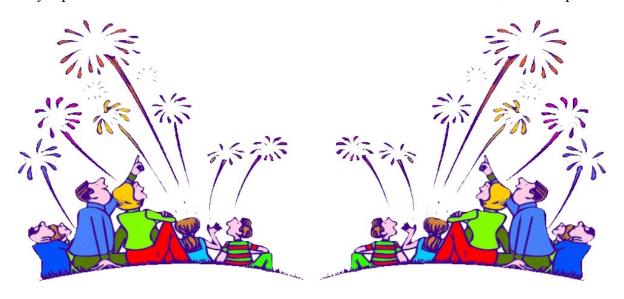
### 41.12 FIREWORKS USE

- 1. Definition. (shall remain the same) The term "fireworks" includes any explosive composition, or combination of explosive substances, or articles prepared for the purpose of producing a visible or audible effect by combustion, explosion, deflagration or detonation, and specifically includes blank cartridges, firecrackers, torpedoes, skyrockets, roman candles, or other fireworks of like construction and any firework containing any explosive or flammable compound, or other device containing any explosive substance.
- 2. Regulations. A person shall not use or explode consumer fireworks on days other than July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> and Fridays and Saturdays from June 1<sup>st</sup> to July 8<sup>th</sup> and only during the hours of 12:00 pm (noon) to 10:00 pm on those specified days from June 1<sup>st</sup> to the Saturday after 4<sup>th</sup> of July; December 30<sup>th</sup> of each year from the hours of 4:00 pm to 10:00 pm; and December 31<sup>st</sup> of each year starting at 4:00 pm through January 1<sup>st</sup> ending at 12:30 am.

A person shall not use, explode or discharge Consumer fireworks on real property other than that person's real property or on the real property of a person who has consented to the use of consumer firework on that property. A person shall not use, explode or discharge Consumer fireworks on publicly owned property, included but not limited to, City streets and parks, except as specifically authorized by permit issued pursuant to the City of Slater Code. A person that chooses to use, explode or discharge Consumer fireworks on their property shall have responsibility to clean up all debris created by the fireworks.

The City may, upon application in writing, grant a permit for the display of fireworks by a City agency, fair associations, amusement parks and other organizations or groups of individuals approved by City authorities when such fireworks display will be handled by a competent, trained, and insured operator. No permit shall be granted hereunder unless the operator or sponsoring organization has filed proof of such training and insurance.

Any person in violation of this Ordinance shall be fined \$150.00 per incident.





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BEER SALES FROM ROLLING TAPS NO OUTSIDE BEVERAGES ALLOWED	INFLATABLES WRISTBAND REQUIRED	KIDDIE PARADE  TAMA STREET  LINE UP AT SENIOR CENTER AT 5:45. FREE TREATS FOR	FOOD & CRAFT VENDORS  NELSO	7:00 - 10:00 KRAFT BROTHERS	FIREWORKS RAIN DATE IIII Y 4TH
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GRIMM PARM RAIN DATE JULY 4TH TO PREPARE FOR THE FIREWORKS DISPLAY, GRIMM

PARK AND THE POOL WILL CLOSE AT 5:00 PM.





PURCHASE RAFFLE TICKETS FROM ONE OF THE CADIDATES, SPONSORING GROUPS, OR AT THE NELSON PARK GAZEBO TO VOTE AND FOR A CHANCE TO WIN ONE OF MANY GREAT PRIZES.

FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A QUILT MADE BY THE LOG CABIN QUILTERS, PURCHASE QUILT TICKETS AT THE NELSON PARK GAZEBO OR FROM MARTY SEVERSON (515-685-4430).

NO GOLF CARTS ON SIDEWALKS OR IN NELSON PARK. EXTRA PARKING AVAILABLE AT BALLARD WEST AND THE WEST END OF MAIN STREET.



CITY HALL OR THE LIBRARY THROUGH JULY 2ND OR AT NELSON PARK INFLATABLES. WRISTBANDS ARE \$20 AND CAN BE PURCHASED AT WRISTBANDS ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL AGES TO PARTICIPATE IN NEAR THE INFLATABLES DURING THE CELEBRATION.





WE'RE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS TO RUN BINGO, HELP OVERSEE INFLATABLES AND TAKE SHIFTS SELLING TICKETS AT THE

NELSON PARK

QUEEN CROWNING & RAFFLE

**ROYCE JOHNS** 

7:30 - 10:30

9:00

WILLING TO HELP OUT? JOIN A COMMUNITY CLUB MEETING AT 7:00 ON THE 3RD THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT THE LOG CABIN OR EMAIL US AT SLATERIACOMMUNITYCLUB®GMAIL.COM.

### CITY OF SLATER CITYWIDE CLEAN-UP DAY

LET'S WORK TOGETHER TO SPRUCE UP OUR TOWN & KEEP IT LOOKING CLEAN!



- Please drop off junk & tree limbs at the Public Works building located under the water tower. No curbside pickup available.
- \$20 per appliance & \$10 per tire (cash only). Must have correct amount; no change available. Everything else will be accepted at no charge - TVs, computers, paint (wet or dry), propane tanks, lawn mowers, small engines, etc.
- Public Works will be on site to monitor items going into dumpsters and to collect \$ for appliances.
- Must be a resident of Slater (in city limits & paying property taxes). Please have proof of residency available upon request.

SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 7:00 AM - NOON





Junk in the Trunk Sale on Main 7:30am-11:30am



Vendor Market at 405 Main Grass Lot 7:30am-11:30am



City-Wide Garage Sales 8:00am-2:00pm

### JUNK IN THE TRUNK/VENDOR MARKET/GARAGE SALES

Sat., June 7, 2025 - Slater, IA



To reserve a market vendor space at the 405 grass lot on Main **OR** a Junk in the Trunk space (two parking spaces) for selling garage sale-type items on Main St. between Marshall St. & Story St. **OR** to have your garage sale listed on the city-wide garage sale map, registration along with a \$5 non-refundable fee is required. Scan the QR code above for an online form, or visit City Hall, our website, or Facebook page for a paper version.





### SLATER PUBLIC LIBRARY FREE SUMMER PROGRAMS JUNE 5 - JULY 22

Kick-off Event June 5 @ 6 PM!

### SPECIAL SPEAKERS & EVENTS

June 5 - Kick-off Party 6 PM

Sponsor: South Story Bank & Trust

June 12 - TJ Regul - Magician 10 AM Sponsors: Slater Animal Hospital &

Anytime Fitness Huxley

June 19 - Mike Anderson - Music 10 AM Sponsor: Heather Knittel Real Estate

June 26 - Toby Kid - Jedi Adventures 10 AM Sponsor: Gross-Wen Technologies

July 10 - Silly Sally 10 AM

**Sponsor: Huxley Communications** 

July 17 - Water Fights with Slater Fire Dept. 10 AM

Sponsor: Edward Jones

July 22 - Picnic/Pool Party 6:00-8:45 PM

Sponsor: Friends of SPL





### WEEKLY PROGRAMMING

Slater Tots - Toddlers & Preschoolers--Wednesdays at 10:00 AM Builders Book Clubs -

Incoming Kindergartners-Kindergarten--Tuesdays at 9:30 AM 1st-2nd grade--Tuesdays at 11 AM

Tween Book Club - 3rd-5th grade--Mondays at 9:30 AM
Middle School Book Club - 6th-8th grade--Mondays at 11:00 AM

Lego Clubs - 1st-2nd grade--Tuesdays at 1:00 PM

3rd grade and older--Tuesdays at 2:30 PM

### ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS

Monday Family Activity Nights
Teen Reading Incentive Programs
Monthly book clubs, game nights, art, and more!







SPL

Register online at www.slaterlibrary.org





SATURDAY, JUNE 7 @ NELSON PARK

Hawk McIntyre - 4:00 pm-7:00 pm Kids Games - 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm Burnin' Sensations– 7:30 pm – 11:30 pm

Silent Auction and Raffle Items

Henry .45-70 Rifle - \$10.00 a ticket ALSO Raffling:

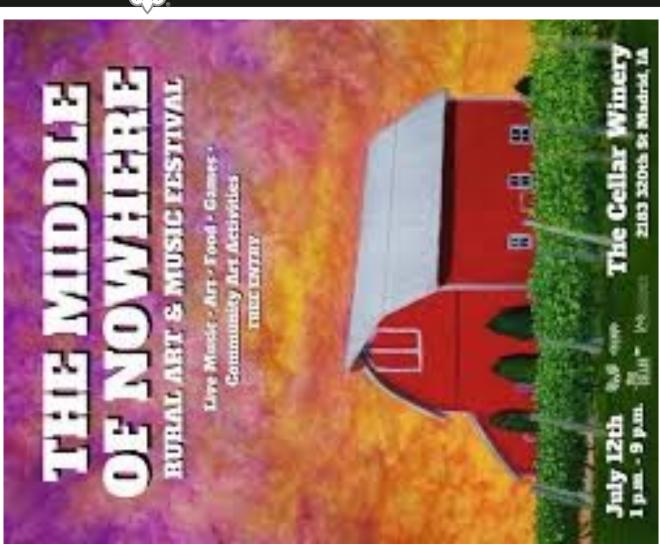




Nelson (56 years) and Dean the fire department!

Food and Drinks will be available for purchase.





# SLATER EMS FUNDRAISER FEATURING: THE KRAFT BROTHERS • Free-will donation meal served by Slater EMS to support Slater EMS • Syngenta Sweet-Corn Feed (\*Corn donated by Syngenta) • Corn Dish Cook Off - Sign up at City Hall • Vendor Market - Registration forms will be available soon via City Hall and the City of Slater's website and Facebook page

SUN., AUG. 3, 6PM-9PM, 405 MAIN ST, SLATER, IA

### Slater EMS: Neighbors Helping Neighbors in Emergencies

Slater EMS is proud to serve our community with a dedicated team of 10 volunteer responders, including paramedics, Advanced EMTs, EMTs, and registered nurses. As a state-licensed provisional EMS agency, we provide critical emergency medical care—ranging from Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) to Advanced EMT level of care—depending on which trained volunteers are available at the time of the call. While we are a non-transport service, we partner closely with Mary Greeley Medical Center to ensure timely and seamless patient transport when needed.

Each year, Slater EMS responds to an average of 168 emergency 911 calls, with the majority of these calls related to falls in the home or community. Our team covers Slater, Sheldahl, and rural portions of Story and Polk Counties. Every one of our volunteers serves in this capacity in addition to their full-time careers, driven by a shared commitment to helping our neighbors in times of need. We are grateful for the ongoing support of our community and hope to continue building awareness about the vital role local EMS plays in public safety. Your continued encouragement helps keep this life-saving mission going strong.

### THE SLATER AREA HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

318 First Ave., P.O. Box 487, Slater, IA 50244 515.228.3832 Slaterhist@huxcomm.net www.slaterhistory.org

### SAHA HOSTS 140 BALLARD KINDERGARTENERS APRIL 18



President Barb Mallon talks about the Slater Panorama to a kindergarten class.

The Ballard elementary is just a few blocks away so 7 different kindergarten classes walked over one Thursday at different times to view the historical displays and ask a LOT of questions. The Panorama was a great hit, it's just at eye level for a kid. Of special interest was the tiny man in the privy. He was spotted over and over again!



Elaine Raines talks about the 1939 Kitchen.

We offer docent tours to schools, organizations, and individuals. Open Thursdays from 10:00 – 2:00 and by appointment. Call 515-336-4491

We will be open Memorial Day from 11-2 p.m. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

### SLATER'S HOBO TAKES UP RESIDENCE!

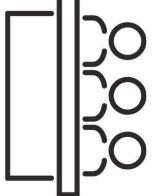


Wayne Rimathe stands behind the historical sign in front of our hobo. One sunny spring day SAHA went out and introduced our 5'10" hobo to his new home. You can see him in the photo strolling with his kitbag over his shoulder, near the fire where he and his hobo buddies cook their meals. The sign, concrete pad, and bench are located south on the High Trestle Trail. Our life size hobo silhouette will soon be joined by a replication of a boxcar. Watch for announcements of the planned Hobo Roundup Celebration! Thank you to all those who helped with the installation!

## City Council Meetings

Slater City Hall 101 Story St 6:00 pm

- -Mon., June 9
- -Mon., July 14
- -Mon., Aug. 11

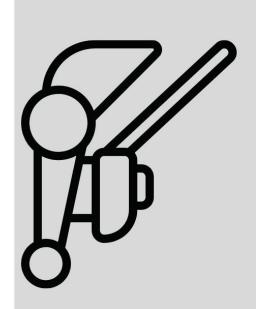


## **Golf Cart Rules**

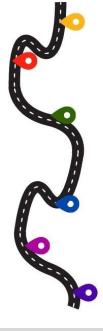
- -Must be 16 with a valid driver's license
- -Must have a slow-moving sign
- -Must have a safety flag
- daylight hours only -Allowed on Slater city streets during
- the grass in the parks -Not allowed on trails, sidewalks, or on
- Linn/R38 unless crossing the street -Not allowed on Hwy 210/6th Ave or
- emergency phone # at 515-382-6566 concerns by calling the sheriff's non-\*Any resident can report traffic

## Friendly Reminder:

Please do not blow grass clippings onto the street.



## Central IA Junk Jaunt



Sun., June 29, 11-3 Sat., June 28, 9-5 Fri., June 27, 9-5

updates and if any Slater Jaunt Facebook page for any businesses plan to participate Follow Central Iowa's Junk

### **Pool Hours**

Open Daily: Noon - 7:00 pm

Adult Lap Swim: 5:30am-7am (\*Mon-Fri)

July 3: Closing at 4pm

July 4: Closed all day

to public Aug. 17: Last day pool is open

get you set up stop by City Hall and we can our website to get details or pay, and online payment offers monthly auto-pay, bank **Reminder:** The City of Slater options for water bills. Visit



### 2024 WATER QUALITY REPORT FOR SLATER MUNI WATER DEPT

This report contains important information regarding the water quality in our water system. The source of our water is groundwater and groundwater under the influence of surface water. Some of the water is purchased. Purchased water comes from BOONE WATER WORKS. Our water quality testing shows the following results:

CONTAMINANT	MCL - (MCLG)	C	ompliance	Date	Violation	Source
		Туре	Value & (Range)		Yes/No	
Total Trihalomethanes (ppb) [TTHM]	80 (N/A)	LRAA	67.00 (50 - 84)	03/31/2024	No	By-products of drinking water chlorination
Total Haloacetic Acids (ppb) [HAA5]	60 (N/A)	LRAA	21.00 (17 - 29)	06/30/2024	No	By-products of drinking water disinfection
Lead (ppb)	AL=15 (0)	90th	1.10 (ND - 3)	2022	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm)	AL=1.3 (1.3)	90th	0.515 (0.0086 - 0.706)	2022	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives
950 - DISTRIBUTION S	SYSTEM	**************************************				
Chlorine (ppm)	MRDL=4.0 (MRDLG=4.0)	RAA	2.5 (ND - 3)	09/30/2024	No	Water additive used to control microbes
Fluoride (ppm)	4 (4)	RAA	0.64 (0.500 - 0.800)	12/31/2024	No	Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Nitrite [as N] (ppm)	1 (1)	SGL	0.410 (ND - 0.410)	2024	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
03 - AFTER WTP AND	XENIA (BOONE)					
Arsenic (ppb)	10 (0)	SGL	1.00	10/18/2022	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronic production wastes
Barium (ppm)	2 (2)	SGL	0.509	10/18/2022	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	50 (50)	SGL	1.60	10/18/2022	No	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from mines
Fluoride (ppm)	4 (4)	SGL	0.6	03/12/2024	No	Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Sodium (ppm)	N/A (N/A)	SGL	203	10/29/2024	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Added to water during treatment process
Nitrate [as N] (ppm)	10 (10)	SGL	1.000	2024	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
Nitrite [as N] (ppm)	1 (1)	SGL	0.200 (ND - 0.200)	2024	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits

Note: Contaminants with dates indicate results from the most recent testing done in accordance with regulations.

### DEFINITIONS

- Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as
  close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) -- The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- ppb -- parts per billion.
- ppm -- parts per million.
- pCi/L picocuries per liter
- N/A Not applicable
- ND -- Not detected
- RAA Running Annual Average
- Treatment Technique (TT) A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- Action Level (AL) The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a
  water system must follow.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG) The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no
  known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial
  contaminants.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL) The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is
  convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
- SGL Single Sample Result
- RTCR Revised Total Coliform Rule
- NTU Nephelometric Turbidity Units

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water posed a health risk. More information about contaminants or potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. SLATER MUNI WATER DEPT is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

Our water supply has completed a service line inventory. Please contact us for information regarding the inventory and how you can access the results.

### OTHER VIOLATIONS

In October 2024 we failed to monitor for Haloacetic Acids (HAA5). Adverse health effects, if any, are not known. Monitoring procedures have been corrected to avoid future violations.

In October 2024 we failed to monitor for Total THM. Adverse health effects, if any, are not known. Monitoring procedures have been corrected to avoid future violations.

### SOURCE WATER ASSESSMENT INFORMATION

### PURCHASED WATER INFORMATION

Our water system purchases water from the system(s) shown below. Their water quality is as follows:

CONTAMINANT MCL - (MCL		Compliance		Date Violation		Source	
		Туре	Value & (Range)		Yes/No		
0819033 - BOONE WA	TER WORKS						
01 - WLS #12,13,16,19	-29 AFTR TRTMN	Ţ					
Fluoride (ppm)	4 (4)	SGL	0.57	09/18/2023	No	Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories	
Sodium (ppm)	N/A (N/A)	SGL	14	07/10/2024	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Added to water during treatment process	
Nitrate [as N] (ppm)	10 (10)	SGL	8 (0.26 - 8)	2024	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits	
Atrazine (ppb)	3 (3)	SGL	0.10	10/07/2024	No	Runoff from herbicide used on row crops	
Dalapon (ppb)	200 (200)	SGL	0,60	10/04/2021	No	Runoff from herbicide used on rights of way	
Turbidity (NTU)	N/A (N/A)	тт	Enter highest single measurement and the lowest monthly percentage of samples meeting turbidity limits here.			Soil runoff	

This water supply obtains its water from the buried sand and gravel of the Buried Sand and Gravel aquifer. The Buried Sand and Gravel aquifer was determined to have low susceptibility to contamination because the characteristics of the aquifer and overlying materials provide natural protection from contaminants at the land surface. The Buried Sand and Gravel wells will have low susceptibility to surface contaminants such as leaking underground storage tanks, contaminant spills, and excess fertilizer application. A detailed evaluation of your source water was completed by the Iowa Department of Natural Resources, and is available from the Water Operator at 515-228-3339

This water supply obtains some or all of its water from another public water supply. It is a consecutive water supply, where an originating parent supply provides drinking water to one or more downstream supplies.

Original Supply ID	Original Supply Name		
IA0819033	BOONE WATER WORKS		

### OTHER INFORMATION

Turbidity is an indicator of treatment filter performance and is regulated as a treatment technique.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

For questions regarding this information or how you can get involved in decisions regarding the water system, please contact SLATER MUNI WATER DEPT at 515-228-3339.

Postal Customer

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