

NEW BEGINNINGS

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New Beginnings Continues

Thanks to all the generous donations, New Beginnings will be able to be published at least another year. We are happy to furnish the Newsletter each month. Don't forget to submit your articles—we like to have the information before the 25th of each month. THANK YOU!



Private Pantry is now open Wednesdays and Fridays from 1:00—5:00 p.m. and Saturdays 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Now available:

- ◆ Mushrooms
- ◆ Peppers
- ◆ Beans
- ◆ Squash
- ◆ Eggplant
- ◆ Cucumbers
- ◆ Coming soon—tomatoes
- ◆ Other Seasonal Vegetables

For more information phone 402-278-0155.

If you still have COVID cash, remember that it must be redeemed by September 30, 2020. We still have \$4,070 that has not been used. Thank you!



New Business

Tasties from Tuesday's

Kitchen, is Stratton's latest "New Business". The shop, owned and operated by Tuesday Forch is located at the Jewell—402 Bonner Street in Stratton.

Check out her delicious selection of baked goods:

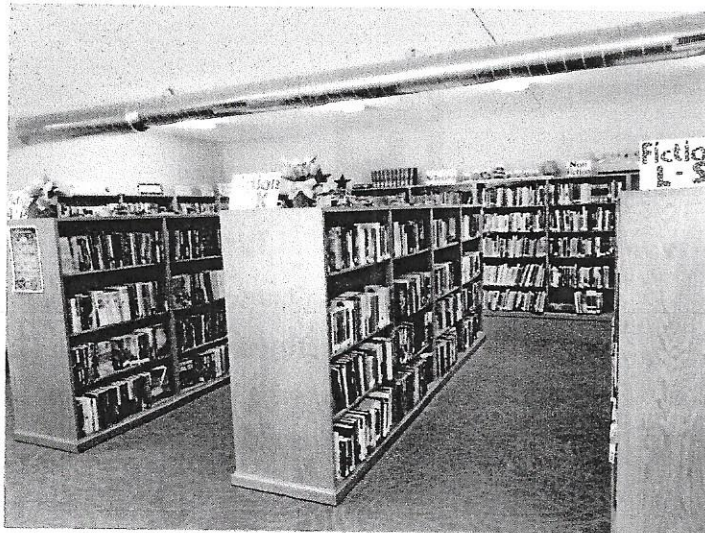
Cinnamon Rolls, Breads, Cookies, Brownie Bites, Banana Bread, etc. She also carries a line of kitchen supplies and some leather goods.

Hours are 8:00 am—5:00 pm Tuesdays through Saturdays or whenever the Jewell is open.

Tuesday will gladly take orders for baked goods for all occasions. You may place your order by calling the Jewell at 308-276-2355 or Tuesday's Cell Phone: (308) 340-1467.

ARE YOU A READER? ARE YOUR CHILDREN?

With the completion of the new library, we will be installing a number of new bookcases. The bookcases are being made by Cornhusker Industries, which is located in the prison in Lincoln, They will be heavy duty from birch or oak and beautiful to see. Several people have approached us about buying a bookcase. Would you be interested in "buying" a shelf or a complete unit in your name or in memory or honor of a family member?



Sample Picture of bookcases

For more information feel free to contact Beverly Henderson at the library or visit with a library board member: Janet Felt, Julie Bernt, Roberta Loescher or Joyce Cushing.

An order form for the shelves is listed on the following page

We sincerely appreciate and thank you for your support of the Stratton Public Library!!

Stratton Public Library Bookcase/Bookshelf Order Form

For your convenience , feel free to use this order form to select which bookcase or shelf you wish to purchase:

_____ 5-Shelf Bookcase - 60" high, 72" long, 24" deep \$728 Ea. \$ _____
_____ Or \$145.60 for a shelf \$ _____

_____ 4 -Shelf Bookcase 48" high, 72" long, 12" deep \$460 Ea. \$ _____
_____ Or \$153.33 for a shelf \$ _____

_____ 6-Shelf Bookcase 72" high, 72" long, 12" deep \$516 Ea. \$ _____
_____ Or \$86.00 per shelf \$ _____

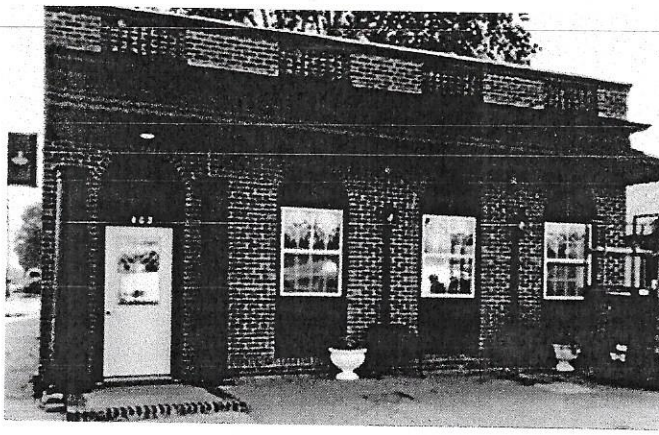
_____ 5-Shelf Bookcase 72" high, 60" long, 12" deep \$485 Ea. \$ _____
_____ Or \$97.00 per shelf \$ _____

_____ 3-Shelf Bookcase 36" high, 48" long, 12" deep \$365 Ea, \$ _____
_____ Or \$121.67 per shelf

_____ 3-Shelf Bookcase 36" high, 48" long, 24" deep \$545 Ea. \$ _____
_____ Or \$181.67 per shelf

Indicate the name(s) to be included on each bookcase or bookshelf name plate. _____

Please make your check out to Stratton Public Library. You may either drop the check off with the librarian or mail to: PO Box 182, Stratton, NE 69043.



The Former H&R Block building, located at 402 Bonner Street, Stratton has gone through an amazing transformation, both inside and out. The building is now the home to five businesses listed below:



The Jewell—Ronnie Ann Richardson (308) 882-6593
Kim Liddiard (303) 857-5551
Hours: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Tuesdays—Saturdays
-Handcrafted items, Unique Gifts, Reimagined Antiques, Furniture, Clothes

All Inclusive Massage Therapy

Hillary Dannall, Licensed Massage Therapist

- * Swedish Massage
- * Pregnancy Massage

To schedule an appointment call/text: 308-882-8820

Open every other Sunday



Gabi Ann Boutique

Shelby Zoltenko and Lisa Faimon
gabiannboutique@gmail.com

Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday—Saturday

Quality, reasonably priced clothing and accessories.



Beauty, Cosmetics & Personal Care

Mya McCorkle, Hairstylist Phone 276-2355

Hours:

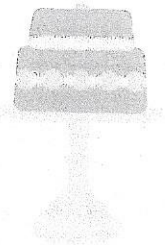
- * Tuesday—Friday 9:00—5:00
- * Thursday -11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- * Every Other Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Tasties from Tuesday's Kitchen

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- Snacks, Cinnamon Rolls, Breads, Cookies, Brownie Bites, Banana Bread, etc.
- Cookbooks
- Cooking Supplies
- Leather Goods

Also, taking orders for baked goods for all occasions or "just because". Orders may be placed by calling the Jewell (308) 276-2355 or Tuesday at (308)340-1467.



Burger Baskets And More!

308-276-2155

Beer-Cocktails-Wine (On/Off Sale)

AUGUST 2020

*We will remain as take out service
until further notice
with normal business hours &
phone in or walk up service only
We Thank all of our customers for your
continued support and understanding*

HANDMADE PIZZA

*We Bake them for you
on Friday & Saturday
From 4-8pm*

**TAKE AND BAKE AVAILABLE
ALL DAY EVERYDAY**

DESSERTS

*Pecan Carrot Cake
Coffee Cake
and Pies
(All Homemade)*

EVERY SUNDAY IS FRIED CHICKEN DINNER!!

~~~~~Delivery available upon request~~~~~

HOURS

Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri & Sat 11:00am - 8:30pm

Sunday 11:00am - 3:00pm

Tuesday - Closed

New Beginnings is published monthly by the Community Builders Academy. In order to assure a timely issue, articles must be submitted by the 25th of the month to either Penney Walter or Julie Bernt. Articles may be emailed to rbernt@gpcom.net. Thank you to this month's donors:

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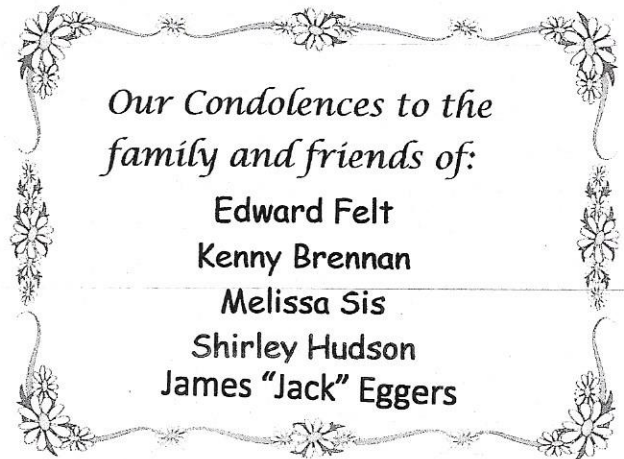
Jerry & Brenda McDonald

Marilyn Kadlecek

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Ronnie Ann Richardson

Anonymous



The Annual Cream Can Neighborhood Supper hosted by Loren & Pat Egle has been cancelled this year due to the COVID virus.

STRATTON QUALITY HEALTHCARE CLINIC HOURS

Providers subject to change

Monday—Closed

Tuesday—Dr. Stonehocker—10:30-12:00 & 1:30—4:30 CT

Wednesday: Jennifer Leiting—9:00-12:00 & 1:00-5:00 CT

Thursday: Dr. Joe Garcia—9:00-12:00 CT

Friday—Closed

For appointments outside of these date/times, please call Quality Healthcare Clinic in Benkelman at (308) 423-2151

Stratton Public Library News

Adult Fiction

The Museum Of Desire by Kellerman
Crooked River by Preston & Child
Kiss The Girls And Make Them Cry by Clark
Camino Winds by Grisham
The 20th Victim by Patterson
Walk The Wire by Baldacci
Lost Creed by Kava
Long Range by Box
Redhead By The Side Of The Road by Tyler

Juvenile NonFiction

Artic Foxes by Furgang
Snowy Owls by Santos
Tractors by Shea

Juvenile Fiction

Elbow Grease vs. Motozilla by Cena
When A Dragon Moves In by Moore
Princess In Black Bks 1-5 by Hale
Ghost by Reynolds
The Brilliant World of Tom Gates by Pichon

"Open a page and be magically engaged!"



Scam Alert: Happening Locally

**Received a call from Amazon that your
account was charged in error?**

Do not share account information with the
representative. Instead, check your statements or call
your bank to check on this charge. These calls have
been coming from local numbers.

Stratton Public Library – Imagine Your Story

June 1st-27th Stratton kids could be found enhancing their imaginations at the Stratton Public Library! The format was different this year due to the COVID 19 situation. We were not able to have the story time and the end of the program picnic and celebration. But this did not keep our local kids from becoming magically engaged in reading. Each time they read, they were entitled to move their duck around the mote of a magical fairyland.

Seventeen kids participated in the program. A total of 195 books were checked out and coupons to be used at local businesses were awarded for their reading. The top three kids in each age group were given extra coupons for their efforts. Our top winners were.....

Pre-school – Kindergarten... 1st Kaden Hedrick, 2nd Sawyer Sutton

1st-3rd ... 1st Cassidy Henderson and Cooper Henderson tied, 2nd Bailey Stehno, 3rd Adam Stehno and Grace Stahly tied.

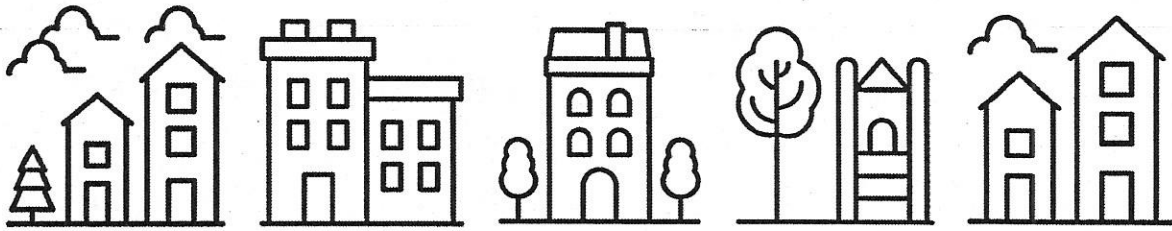
4th-6th ...1st Aiden Kane, 2nd Avery Sutton, 3rd Avery Thiessen

Young Adult...1st Kade Thiessen, 2nd Layne Sutton

Each time a reader visited the Stratton Public Library, they put their name into a free book drawing. The book winners were Kaden Hedrick, Bailey Stehno and Avery Sutton.

The Library Board treated each reader to an ice cream treat coupon at Burger Baskets and More since we were unable to have the party. Readers be sure and stop at the Stratton Library to select a prize for your participation in the Summer Reading Program.

“Open a page and be magically engaged!” Not only during the Summer Reading Program, but throughout the rest of the summer! Reading allows you to be engaged in a variety of experiences. When you read, it isn't so bad staying home.



INVESTING IN THE COMMUNITY WE LOVE

For over 25 years, Stratton Community Foundation Fund has been inspiring generosity of time, talent and financial resources for the prosperity of Stratton. Our volunteer Fund Advisory Committee works actively to increase charitable giving, build our community unrestricted endowment, and award meaningful grants to local worthy causes and projects that are addressing opportunities and needs in our community.

Recent grants include:

- \$10,000 to the Village of Stratton's new library project
- \$3,008 for a desk and bookcases for the Stratton Public Library
- \$3,777 to Dundy County Stratton Schools for lunchroom equipment to benefit local elementary students
- \$350 for the Dundy County Stratton Schools outdoor learning area

Since inception, Stratton Community Foundation Fund has reinvested nearly \$100,000 in our community through grants and scholarships!

LEARN HOW TO GIVE AND GET INVOLVED AT

www.nebcommfound.org/give/stratton-community-foundation-fund

FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Betty Golding (308) 340-2310
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Stratton Community Foundation Fund
PO Box 5, Stratton, NE 69043

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THE CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

"But seek first the Kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added unto you." Matthew 6:33. It is a quote from Jesus. What were the "things" He was talking about? In that same conversation he says, "Do not lay up treasures on earth, where moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not in or steal. For where your treasure is there your heart will be also."

As you study the scriptures you begin to discover that God tells us to give ten percent of what we earn to Him. 2nd Corinthians 9: verse 6; "He who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully". Verse 7 says; "So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver". Don't give because you think you have to, but because you want to.

When you accept Jesus as your savior and turn away from a sinful life style, you begin to prosper. It's an automatic thing because your whole life style changes. You begin to focus on God and his righteousness and away from the things worldly. You would think as you give away that ten percent you would have less, but for some reason it doesn't work that way, partly because you are spending your money in a different way than before you came to know Jesus. You begin to notice that the needs of others might be greater than yours.

When you live your life by that opening verse it is surprising what God has in store for you.

Richard Stahly

Church Worship Service Schedule

Comm. United Methodist Church

9:00 a.m.	Church Service
10:15 a.m.	Sunday School

Christian Union Church

9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
10:30 a.m.	Church Services
7:00 p.m.	Deeper Life Hour

St. Joseph Catholic Church

8:30 a.m.	Mass
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Church of Christ

10:00 a.m.	Sunday School
10:30 a.m.	Church Services

Southwest Nebraska Holiness Church

10:30 a.m.	Sunday School
11:30	Church Services
7:00 p.m.	Church Services

Saturday Night Launch

7:30 p.m.	Held at Church of God 202 Main St.—Trenton 308-340-5273 Or 737-0901
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Hitchcock Co. Senior Center Lunch Menu @ Grandview August - 2020

Call 276-2661 by 10:30am each day to reserve your meal.

Milk is available upon request for home delivered meals

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	No Noon Meal	Chili Burgers, French Fries, Coleslaw & Peaches	Beef Tips w/ Mushrooms & Onions, Peas, Apples & Dinner Roll	Baked Bone-In Chicken, Green Beans, Baked Potato, Blueberries & Strawberries & Dinner Roll	No Noon Meal	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	No Noon Meal	Ham Casserole, Strawberries & Oatmeal Cookie	Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Blueberries & Dinner Roll	Chuckwagon Steaks w/ Gravy, Red Potatoes, Green Beans, Jello w/ Fruit & Dinner Roll	No Noon Meal	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	No Noon Meal	Chicken Tenders, Sweet Potato Fries, Peas, Applesauce & Dinner Roll	BBQ Pork Sandwich, Carrots, 3 Bean Salad & Blueberries	Shrimp w/ Honey Glaze, Carrots, Celery, Onions, Corn & Peas, Pears & Rice Pudding	No Noon Meal	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	No Noon Meal	Teriyaki Chicken w/ Noodles, Peas, Broccoli, Corn, Carrots, Melon & Dinner Roll	Swedish Meatballs in sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Cooked Red Cabbage, Pudding w/ Fruit & Texas Toast	Beef Pot Roast, Roasted Vegetables, Dinner Roll & Peach Cobbler	No Noon Meal	
30	31	1-Sep	2	3	4	5
	No Noon Meal	Tavern Sandwich, Tator Tots, Peas & Carrots & Rhubarb Surprise	Poached Chicken & Noodles or Liver & Onions, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Strawberries & Dinner Roll	Spaghetti & Meatballs, Mixed Veggies, Jello w/ Fruit & Garlic Toast	No Noon Meal	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	No Noon Meal	Chicken Fried Steak Sandwich, French Fries, Peas & Carrots & Pears	BBQ Pork Ribs, Yams, Black Beans, Tomatoes & Onions, Applesauce & Cornbread	Roast Beef Wrap, Pasta Salad w/ Veggies & Cherry Crisp	No Noon Meal	

Special Events

No Special Events until further notice. This includes FROGS and the Saturday night Card Party.
The Dining Room is open for coffee and dine-in meals

Social Distancing is still strongly encouraged

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