#### VILLAGE NEWS - APRIL 2025 Village of Elm Creek



# Spring Cleaning

The days are getting longer, and the sun is shining bright! It's time to start sprucing up our properties and getting rid of our unwanted clutter.

The tree and grass piles are free for Village of Elm Creek Residents to use. They are located on the southwest side of town, on Buffalo Trail. Please do not place your household garbage or treated lumber in the piles. The piles are for grass clippings, garden waste and tree branches only!

**Metal & Appliance pickup day will be Monday, May 5**. Appliances, bikes, mowers, water heaters, and miscellaneous metal items are acceptable. We will take refrigerators and A/C units, but the compressors must be removed. If you're not sure if an item is eligible for pick- up, call us at 856-4624 or just ask one of the guys. Please call the office to get your name on the list. If you are not on the list your items will not be picked up. Items will need to be placed on the curb where your garbage is picked up. They will begin pickup at 8:00a.m.



Garage sale days will be June 20th & 21st.

To sign up please contact Amy at the Village Office by 4:30 on Thursday, May 29<sup>th</sup>. (308)856-4624

The cost to be put on the map and advertise will be \$5.00 and must be paid in advance.

The construction dumpster will be at the Village June 2 - June 9.

## Pool & Park



We are looking forward to another great year at the Elm Creek Swimming Pool! The pool will open on Tuesday, May 27. Season passes may be purchased in advance by calling or stopping by the Village Office. Pool pricing will be as follows:

Daily Admission - 0-5 years will be free with adult paid admissions

6-18 years & Seniors 55+ \$3.00/Day 19 years and over \$4.00/Day Water walking/Lap Swimming \$1.00/Day

Family Pass - \$125.00 Individual Pass - \$75.00

10 Day Punch Card - \$20.00

20 Day Punch Card - \$40.00

The pool is also available for private parties!

The Village Staff is working hard to keep our beautiful park clean and safe. Please do your part by picking up your trash and pet waste. There are trashcans and pet waste bags available in the park. While enjoying our park if you see anything that needs attention, please report it to the Village Office.

## Elm Creek Library

Please join us for our summer reading program June 2nd - July 19th



There will be a sign-up/open house event May 15<sup>th</sup> from 1:00-4:00pm. Kids can stop in and pick up a reading record and do an art project to kick off the summer!

Story time will be on Wednesdays from 2:00-3:00pm beginning on June 4th. Each week there will be a story and an art project as well as an art challenge sheet to take home.

The Finale will be on Saturday, July 19th at 10:00am.

Adult Crafts will be the last Wednesday of each month: May 28th, June 25th, July 30th & August 27th

Book Club will meet on the third Sunday of each month: May 18th, June 15th, July 20th & August 17th

Beginning April 14th, The Library Hours will be as follows:

Monday ~ 1:00-5:00

Tuesday ~ 8:00-12:00 & 1:00-5:00

Wednesday ~ 1:00-7:00

Thursday ~ 8:00-12:00 & 1:00-5:00

Friday ~ Closed

Saturday ~ 8:00-12:00

Sunday ~ Closed

#### UNLICENSED OR INOPERABLE VEHICLES

No person in charge or control of any property within the municipality, other than municipal property, whether as owner, tenant, occupant, lessee, or otherwise, shall store, retain, or keep on, or permit to be stored, retained, or kept on a private premises any motor vehicle that has been unlicensed for a period in excess of four months under the laws of the State of Nebraska or allow any partially dismantled, inoperable, wrecked, junked, or discarded vehicle, including a motor vehicle body, motor vehicle chassis, or parts therefrom, to remain on such property longer than seven days. Provided, this section shall apply to a vehicle in an enclosed building, or an appropriate storage place or depository approved by the governing body of the village and maintained in a lawful place and manner.

### **SIREN REMINDERS**

**ONE SHORT WHISTLE**: Fire Dept. Meeting (1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of every month) **TWO WHISTLES**: Water shut off on south side of town for water repairs **THREE WHISTLES**: Water shut off of north side of town for water repairs

SIX WHISTLES: Fire or EMS call

3 MINUTES of SOLID SIREN WHISTLE: Tornado warning, take shelter immediately

CIVIL DEFENSE TEST: 1st Thursday each month for a solid minute at 5:30pm