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2021 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday, July 4 4th of July Fun Run In Elmwood
Murdock Parade
Murdock 4th of July Celebration Events
Fireworks
View the Schedule of Events inside and at
www.elmwoodmurdock.com

Saturday, July 31 Car/Bike Show, Elmwood, NE
8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

August 11 - 15 Cass County Fair

Sunday, August 22 Elmwood G.A.R. Hall Veterans Museum
6:30 - 8:00 p.m. 17th Annual Ice Cream Social at Elmwood

Sunday, Nov. 7 3rd Annual American Legion Veterans Day
7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Pancakes and More, Elmwood Fire Hall

Nov. 27 - 28, Journey Into Christmas,
Dec. 4 - 5, 11 - 12, & 18 - 19 Bess Streeeter Aldrich House
1:00 - 4:00 p.m. each day

Saturday, Nov. 27, 2021 Holiday Extravaganza in Elmwood, NE

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AND TO SEE THIS NEWSLETTER IN COLOR,
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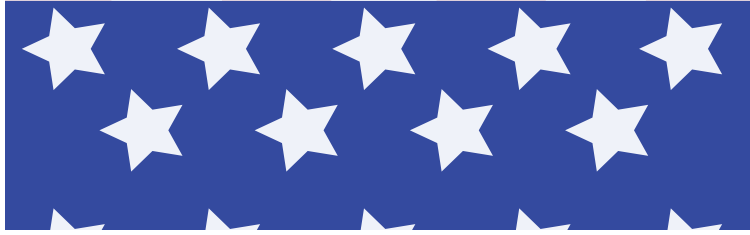
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4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

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MURDOCK 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

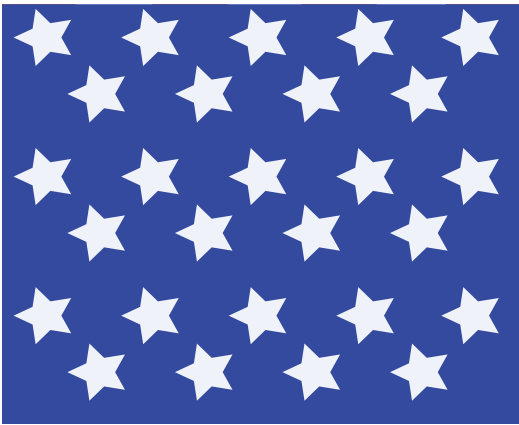


SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

7:30 a.m.	Knights Fun Run	Elmwood Park
10:00 a.m.	Murdock Museum Open	3rd & Main Street
10:00 a.m.	Games and Activities	On Main Street
10:00 a.m.	Parade Line-Up	At E/M JR/SR High School
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Lions Club Lunch	In Old Fire Hall on Main Street
11:00 a.m.	MURDOCK PARADE	On Murdock Main Street \$80 prizes for best float and antique/classic vehicle. Sponsored by Corn Growers State Bank & Oxbow Animal Health For more information call: Bruce Stock, 402-944-2585
FOLLOWING THE PARADE		
12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Pie and Ice Cream Social	At the United Methodist Church Basement Sponsored by United Methodist Church
1:00 p.m. - Midnight.	Beer Garden	Fire Hall
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Cornhole Tournament.	Fire Hall
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Pulled Pork, Coleslaw, Chips.	Fire Hall
8:00 p.m. - Midnight.	Street Dance	Aston Dugan Band
Dusk	FIREWORKS	At the Murdock Ball Field. Donations requested. Contact John Stroy, 402-297-8728



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Happy 4th of July!

Isn't it exciting to have activities and events returning to normal after a long 15 months! The Merchants' Association is pleased to bring you this newsletter with the schedule of events for Murdock's July 4 celebration, plus dates for upcoming activities through summer and fall, ending with Elmwood's Holiday Extravaganza on November 27. Let's keep our fingers crossed for a good weather day and see you at the parade!

Kris Shrader
EMMA President

KNIGHTS 4TH OF JULY FUN RUN

Start Times:

7:30 am for Kids \$10.00

8:00 am for 5k \$30.00

Located at the park in Elmwood

Contact Nicole Hoffman
for more information

402-609-6767

Profits will be donated to help fund the
repair of Main Street in Elmwood.

Visit EMMA's facebook page!
Friend us today.



**View the Schedule of Events
in this newsletter and at
elmwoodmurdock.com**

AS THE WINDMILL TURNS

Join me at my wood shop/studio where
I design and create wood art on lathes

Enjoy coffee and treats

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Elmwood Community Center
Elmwood Convenience Store
Elmwood Meat Plant

* **WELCOME!**
New Member in 2021

Elmwood Public Library
Elmwood Small Engine Repair & Recycling
Elmwood-Murdock Public School Booster Club
For the Love of Junk
Fountain Creek DezinWorks
Frontier Cooperative
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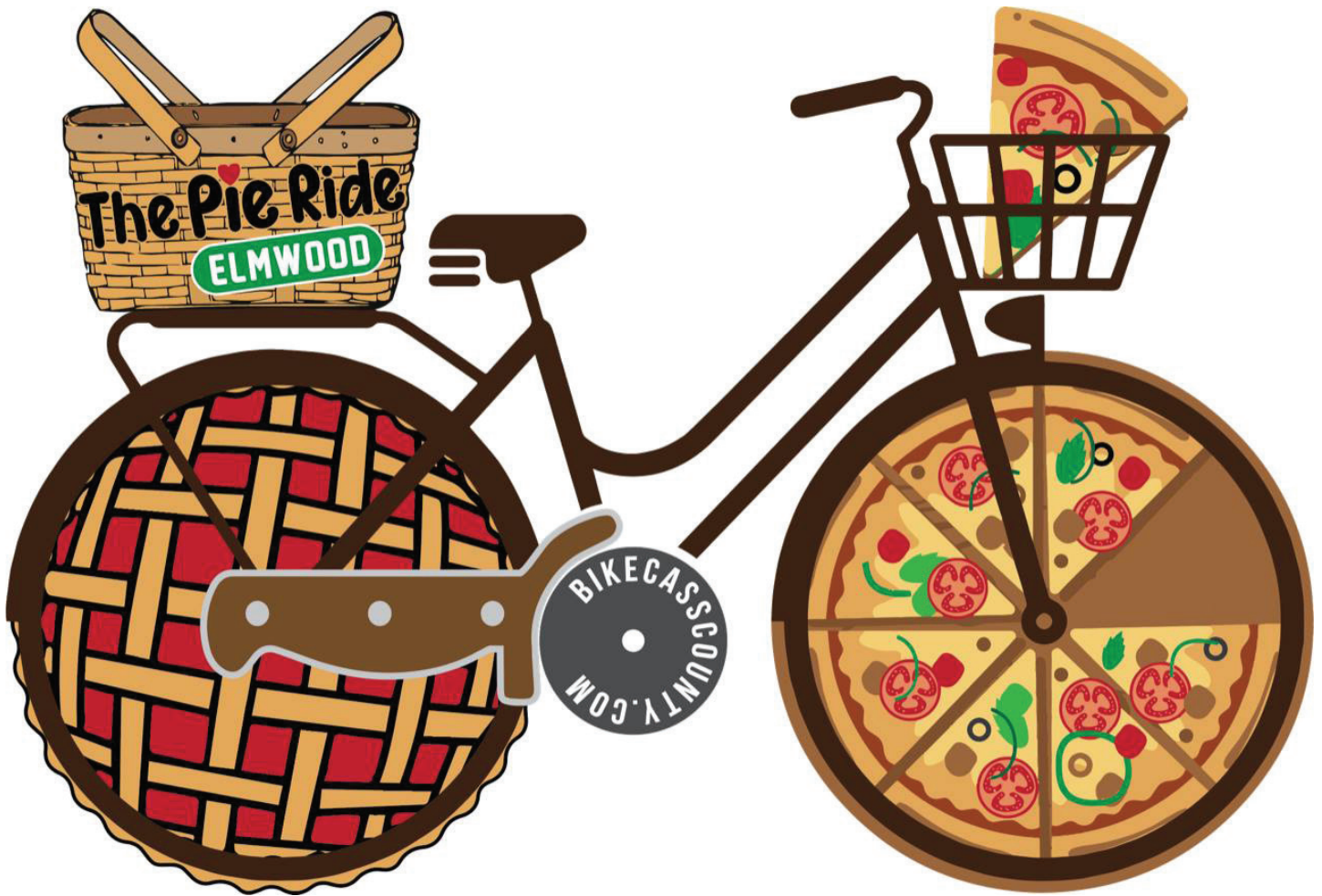
Elmwood - Murdock Public School FBLA
LEADERS
Julie Anderson
Dawn Romine
Kris Shrader
STUDENTS
Karly Anderson
Nate Rust
Henry Coleman
Cole Wendt
Rylan Kastens
Haylee Joseph
Rylee Hogue



If you'd like to learn more about joining EMMA, visit our website at elmwoodmurdock.com.



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NEW EVENT! The Elmwood Pie Bike Ride

The Elmwood Pie Ride

1st and 3rd Thursday in June, July, August

An unstructured ride to Elmwood, Nebraska to enjoy some PIE. -

That is delicious slices of Pizza Pie and Dessert Pie!

Dates: June 3, 17, July 1, 15, August 5, 19.

Route: .

Suggest start in Eagle or Wabash and riding the MoPac to Elmwood.

PIZZA by the Slice, 5 p.m. - 9 p.m.

The Quonset Bar and Grill has drinks on sale, pizza by the slice, and a full menu.

Elmwood Convenience Store sells pizza slices plus grab and go items

DELICIOUS Dessert Pie, 5 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Civic groups will sell dessert pie slices in the park.

Join our Facebook group for themes and specials!

Services:

The Bess Streeter Aldrich Park has parking, restrooms, and a playground.



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Corner House Market Goods



Established in Elmwood, Nebraska, Spring of 2020, by Becky Kicak. My foundation is simple, Faith, Family and Friends, providing you with homemade or homegrown goods.

I moved to Elmwood, Nebraska in the summer of 2014.

I did not know a single person in Nebraska when I moved here, from the fast hustle and bustle of the city life just outside of Denver, Colorado. Though I grew up in Colorado, I never felt like that was home, but I didn't know what home looked like.

I took a leap of faith, and after a few missed turns, ended up in a beautiful, peaceful community, where, as a single parent, felt at ease. I was blessed to make fast friendships and with the support of my new friends, I quickly made a home for myself and my daughter.

I started my first garden in 2020 and fell in love. I was fortunate enough to be able to work from home during the Covid-19 Pandemic, which allowed me the time to tend to my new hobby. My produce sold out just about every time I would take it down to the local Elmwood Farmer's Market at the Bess Streeter Aldrich Park. From time to time I would meet someone new and they would say, "oh, you live in that pretty corner house!" And just like that, the birth of Corner House Market Goods.

Corner House Market Goods offers a variety of fresh, locally grown (at the corner house) produce, sweet jams and salsa, baked goods, homemade soap and lotions and sometimes crafts. I use only pure and natural ingredients, free of chemicals and pesticides.

I found myself and my home in Elmwood Nebraska.

Corner House Market Goods by Becky Kicak
CHMgoods@gmail.com

VENDORS NEEDED!!

Holiday Craft Fair

Saturday November 27, 2021

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

E-M Elementary School - Elmwood NE



If interested and would like an application form,
Contact Teresa Hawks at trhawks85@yahoo.com

Grant Opportunity!

Elmwood-Murdock (EMMA) members and local nonprofit organizations are invited to apply for the Elmwood-Murdock Community Grant. The funds provided by this grant are intended to improve and promote the communities of Elmwood and Murdock. Each grant request may not exceed \$250. Grants can be written for \$500 with potential reimbursement of \$250 (50 percent match). Applications are due July 10. Check out the complete details at

www.elmwoodmurdock.com
[Grant Application](#)

What's new in Elmwood and Murdock?

Sign up to receive Elmwood's and Murdock's newsletters!
Send in your news! Check them out at

www.elmwoodnebraska.com
www.murdocknebraska.com



Elmwood Cultural Arts & Learning Center

In August 2020, the Bess Streeter Aldrich Foundation and American Legion Post 247 jointly purchased the Prairie Technology Solutions Building (old Farmer's Union Oil Association) in Elmwood. Now named the Elmwood Cultural Arts & Learning Center, our mission is "to serve as a cultural arts and learning center for Elmwood while providing long-term preservation of the community's historical artifacts with special emphasis on the life and works of Bess Streeter Aldrich and the Grand Army of the Republic (G.A.R.) Hall Veterans Museum."



Shortly after the purchase, we welcomed the Elmwood Village Office, as well as two other office tenants to the front portion of the building. As we work through Phase I of this project - to pay off the mortgage and operate "as is" - we can't help but look ahead and plan for Phase II. This will be the most exciting part because this is when all the pieces come together as one - when the Bess Streeter

Aldrich Museum (currently located in the Elmwood Library), special exhibits from the G.A.R. Hall Veterans Museum, Elmwood History, and a Genealogy Center all come together under one roof.

One way you can participate in helping achieve our goal is through our brick project. We offer \$100, \$250, \$1,000, and \$5,000 bricks where you can honor/remember a loved one, honor a veteran, commemorate a family event, celebrate a wedding, remember a mentor or teacher who played a vital role in your life, retirement gift, Mother's Day or Father's Day gift, honor your alumni class, promote your organization or company, honor a lifetime milestone, or just because you love Elmwood and want to be a part of this new adventure in her history.

We hope that you'll be as excited as we are about this new project for Elmwood - preserving the past as we look toward the future. Follow along for updates via our Facebook page at "Elmwood Cultural Arts & Learning Center." A YouTube video is also available for viewing at: <https://youtu.be/w8XWr0udsM0>. If you are interested in seeing the Learning Center in person, just contact us and we'll be glad to set up a tour and share our visions. Contact Kurk Shrader at kurkshrader@gmail.com or (402) 867-4233; or Bonnie Brewer at bb45231@windstream.net or (402) 540-1662 for more information.



Bess Streeter Aldrich House Wedding Exhibit

Runs Until August 29; Open the 4th of July
(Wed., Thurs., Sat. & Sun., 1 to 4 p.m.)



- 20+ Period Wedding Gowns (Late 1800's to Present Day)
- Wedding Accessories
- Tour of Historic Home, \$5
204 East F Street
Elmwood, NE 68349
- Cost: \$5



Funding Provided by Cass County Tourism, visitcasscounty.com
and Humanities Nebraska



2021 EMMA SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



Congratulations to
Rylie Hogue and
Gus Pope

EASTER HAM DRAWING WINNERS



Deb Lenz from Elmwood
and
Brittany Neels from Murdock

EMMA would like to thank the Elmwood Meat Locker and Chris Cramer for donating the hams.





Elmwood Convenience Store

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Elmwood, NE 68349

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Check out our full menu at ElmwoodCStore.com

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Bike Share in Elmwood, NE



In coordination with St. Paul Methodist Church, United Methodist Health Fund, Hutchinson, Kansas, and Bits & Pieces five bicycles are available to check out (just like a library book) and ride around town, to the park, or on the trail.

- To check out a bike, you must sign a waiver. General bike share program rules – must show a driver's license at check out.
- 12-17 can rent bikes with a parent at check out. Parents take full responsibility and sign a waiver for their child.
- The bike is due back by the next Bits and Pieces business day. There is a drop box for the keys, too.
- The condition of the bike is checked at check out and when it is checked back in.
- When you check out a bike you are responsible for the bike. Any damage will result in a fee.
- Failure to return the bike by the due date will result in the suspension of your ability to check out bikes.
- No holds/reservations on bikes will be allowed.
- We do not provide helmets. You can bring your own helmet to use while riding the bike.
- Have fun!!!!

Funding for this project was provided in part by the United Methodist Health Fund, Hutchinson, Kansas.

ELMWOOD FARMERS' MARKET

Bess Streeter Aldrich Park

Saturday Mornings
8:00 - Noon

- Locally raised vegetables & produce
- Freshly baked goods
- Gourmet coffee & artisan teas
- Homemade artisal soap
- Regionally made candles
- Crafters and local vendors



Three years ago the Elmwood Farmers Market moved to tsh Bess Streeter Aldrich Park. Since then it has grown to what has been referred to as the "Best Farmers Market in Cass County."

Stop by every Saturday morning and support local. Support small business.

NEW VENDORS WELCOME