

Staplehurst Residents Newsletter was created by the Board of Trustees to help keep the residents "in the know". We will let you know of upcoming events, Village projects, as well as ordinance reminders.

What's new

- Village Board swore in the new trustees
- Miller & Associates Engineers shared information on how they may be able to assist the village with our water needs
- Discussed the contract with the village attorney and the sheriffs department present
- Fire Department provided estimates regarding their building plans

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Village Clerk: Sharon Reinmiller

Village Board of Trustees:

- *Donna Thompson, Chairman*
- *Craig Stava, Trustee*
- *Kasey Alloway, Trustee*
- *Shaun Benedict, Trustee*
- *Bobbi Blath, Trustee*

Ordinance Reminder

2021 Dog Licensing Due in January

\$5.00

SECTION 2-203: LICENSING; RABIES CERTIFICATE; FEE A. Any person who shall own, keep, or harbor a dog over the age of three months within the village shall within 30 days after acquisition of the said dog acquire a license for each animal. Said animal shall be re-licensed annually by or before January 1 each year. Application shall be made upon a printed form provided by the village, upon which the owner shall state his or her name and address and the name, breed, color and sex of each dog owned and kept by him or her. A certificate stating that the dog has had a rabies shot, effective for the ensuing two years of the license, shall be presented when the license is applied for and no license or tag shall be issued until the certificate is shown. If the dog has been spayed or neutered, a statement signed by a veterinarian verifying the spaying or neutering must be presented. **B.** Upon payment of the license fee as set by resolution of the Village Board, the village clerk shall issue to the dog owner a license certificate and a metallic tag for Village of Staplehurst Misdemeanors each animal so licensed. The village shall, in addition to the license tax imposed, collect from the licensee a fee of \$1.00. The clerk shall retain three cents from the said fee and remit the balance to the state treasurer for credit to the Commercial Dog and Cat Operator Inspection Program Cash Fund. The three cents collected shall be credited to the general fund. **C.** The said dog tax shall be delinquent from and after January 15; provided, the possessor of any dog brought into or harbored within the corporate limits subsequent to January 1 shall be liable for the payment of the dog tax levied herein and such tax shall be delinquent if not paid within 10 days thereafter. It shall be the duty of the village clerk to issue tags of a suitable design that are different in appearance each year. **D.** The metallic tag shall be properly attached to the collar or harness of every dog so licensed and shall entitle the owner to keep or harbor the said animal until December 31 of that year. Said licenses shall not be transferable and no refund will be allowed in case of death, sale, or other disposition of the licensed dog. **E.** Every service animal shall be licensed but no license tax shall be charged. Upon the retirement or discontinuance of the animal as a service animal, the owner of the animal shall be liable for the payment of a license tax as prescribed herein. (Neb. Rev. Stat. §17-526, 54-603)

Other contacts in town:

Community Hall:

Priscilla Thonen 402-535-2611

Fire Dept. :

Justin Hemphill 402-429-7147

Cross Creek Animal Health Center:

Dr. Cori Stava 402-643-5059

JR Bobcat Services:

Jason Butzke 402-643-6978

Hemp's Lawn Care:

Steve Hemphil 402-641-5795

Strong Mobile Repair, LLC:

Tyler Strong 402-336-7078

Frenchie's Tree Service

Matthew French, 402-314-8405

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church & School

Rev. Shawn Kitzing 402-535-2251
Principal Harlan Anson 402-535-2251



Our Redeemer Lutheran Church and School:

Christ-Centered — Community-Engaged — Kingdom-Focused

- **Worship Services:** As always we would love to have you join us for worship on Sunday mornings at 9:00 at 3743 Marysville Rd, just west of town.
- **Live Streaming:** All worship services and school chapels are live streamed to our YouTube and Facebook pages. So if you aren't able to join us in person please join us online.
- **Ministry Center:** We are starting to see a lot of progress on the new Ministry Center in town, very soon we will have a complete outer structure constructed. This is super exciting news to share with all of you. We also have other exciting news to share, we have started fundraising for the second phase of this project, the gymnasium. The theme for phase 2 is "A Place to Gather and Grow" if you would like some information or are interested in giving towards phase 2 please let us know. This project will no doubt be a wonderful addition to our community.
- **Save The Date:** Friday, March 12, 2021 — 2nd Annual Our Redeemer Gala at the Ag Pavilion in Seward. More details coming soon.
- **Stay connected:** Check out the church and school website (www.orlcne.org) to stay up to date. Also like us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/ourredeemerstaplehurst), follow us on Instagram (@orls_huskies), and subscribe to our YouTube channel (Our Redeemer Staplehurst NE).
- **We're here for you:** If you are in need of anything please let us know. You can contact Pastor Shawn Kitzing or Principal Harlan Anson at the school (402)535-2251.



Good To Know

- Village Board agendas need to be posted to the public at least 24 hours prior to meeting, therefore **if you want to add anything to the agenda please contact the Village Clerk at 402-535-2758 at least 1 week prior to the meeting.**
- Village Board meets at 7p.m the last Tuesday of each month at the Village Office located at 155 South 3rd Street.
- If you would like to share events within the newsletter please email Bobbi Blath at **bblath93@gmail.com at least two weeks** prior to board meetings.
- If you would like to receive the newsletter through email or know of someone outside of city limits that would be interested please email Bobbi Blath at bblath93@gmail.com.
- Would you like to receive text alerts to stay up to date with what is happening in Staplehurst? Simply text **@stplhrst to 81010** and follow the prompts.