THE FERTILE REMINDER

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"The FERTILE REMINDER" comes to your home once each month. Most of the support for this small information and conmunication paper comes from local merchants.

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Suggestions for improvement changes are welcome.

News items may be left at Jordan's Midland Service or call 797-2267 or 797-2686.

#### ATTENTION

We want to be sure that everyone in Fertile who plans to hook up to the municipal water system - understands that they must send their \$20.00 deposit to the city clerk or any member of the town council immediately. FHA requires that we have the total hook-up cost of \$80.00 from each household planning to be on city water, by October 15th.

We also want to be sure that it is understood that anyone who doesn't hook up now, and decides to do so later, will be paying the actual costs which are estimated to be a minimum of \$250 - \$300. By doing it now, both water and sewerr pipe can be in the same ditch dug from the edge of your lot line to your house, which will result in considerable savings.

- Town Council

#### NOTICE

The Red Cross Blood Mobile will be at Fertile Church of Christ Thursday, September 6th, 2 to 7 PM.

Volunteers are needed for calling prospective blood donors. Contact 797-2267 if you can help.

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Thank you to those in Fertile for buying poppies for Disabled Veterans. Total collected, \$37.21. Thank you also to two great little helpers, Eadie Zobel (my daughter) and Rachell Higgenbottom from Church Point, Louisianna.

> Jean Zobel, VFW Auxiliary Member

Thank you for the assistance of the Fertile Fire Department at the fire at Larry Tuttles.

- Larry, Pat and Family

#### COUNCIL MEETINGS

A special meeting of the Town Council was held on July 17 at 7 PM at the Library. Mayor Shropshire called the meeting to order. Council members present, Van-DenBosch, Worsley, Faber, Waage. Absent: Olson.

Discussion on dust control for streets.

Wallace and Holland recommended that the low bidders be awarded the contracts for the Water System.

Motion that the low bidders be awarded contracts for water. Carried.

Discussion on Sewer.

Motion to adjourn. Carried.

The regular meeting of the Fertile Council was held August 7th at 7 PM at the Library. Council members present.. Worsley, VanDenBosch, Faber, Olson and Waage. Mayor Shropshire presided.

Motion to buy land from the easement to the river on Debra Haugen's property. Carried.

Discussion on easements for water.

Discussion on Sewer.

Citizens present: Bob Cuverson, Alan Elthon, Evelyn Elthon, Mike Purcell and Virginia Purcell.

Motion to pass resolution to approve Street Finance Report. Carried.

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Motion to put Revenue Sharing Money in City Fund for Senior Citizens. Carried.

Motion to pay presented bills. Carried.

Motion to adjourn. Carried.

- Jo Ann Bailey, Clerk

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

Jo Ann Bailey	203.11
Larry Shropshire	200.00
Richard Hanner	60.00
Fertile Water	40.00
Evelyn Knudson	143.98

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# (Financial Report Continued)

Glen Furcell	258.14
Henry VanDenBosch	5.16
Martin Maržetta	307.64
Ed M. Feld Equipment Company	
Northwood Anchor	200.00
Ouverson Oil Company	89.93
Mrs. Edward Holland	24.80
Family Bookshelf	917.00
Outdoor Life	28,80
	12.24
National Geographic Society Random House	5.75
	3.78
Thomas Bouregy and Co.	10.65
NIACOG	79.80
League of Iowa Municipalities	107.00
Matt Parrott and Sons	15.88
Baker and Taylor Company	21.67
Fertile Meats and Groceries	3.73
Worsley Electric	282.88
Jordan's Service	138.78
Max Boyd Business Machines	28.75
Fertile Lumber and Hardware	20.19
Peoples Natural Gas	15.90
Winnebago Telephone	43.72
Interstate Power Company	79.34
IPERS	99.77
IPERS (FOAB)	156.24
Peoples Natural Gas	
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Receipts \$1703 06	

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Disbursements \$3626.57

## THESE ARE THE MERCHANTS THAT SUPPORT THIS PAPER

Gail's Beauty Shop	797-2475
Larsen Plumbing and Heating	797-2219
Putsy Place	797-9698
Fertile Block and Tile	797-2291
Jordan's Midland Service	
	797-2677
Ray Sandifer - Tom's Sales	797-2681
Worsley Electric	797-2494
Fertile Lumber and Hardware	797-2437
Ouverson Oil Company	797-2267
Tuttle's Farm Store	
	797-2792
Personal Touch Beauty Salon	797-2422
Old Mill Antiques	797-2490
Burtness Plumbing and Heating	797-2680
Fertile Meats and Groceries	the second s
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### FERTILE AREA CHURCHES

FERTILE LUTHERAN - August through Decem-
ber: 10:30 A.M. Worship
August 22 - Mary Circle, Rest Home Visi-
tation
Rebekah Circle, Rest Home
Visitation
August 27 - Ruth Circle, Rest Home Visi-

tation.

Sarah Circle, Rest Home Visitation.

PIOLT KNCB LUTHERAN - August through December, 9:00 A.M. Worship

August 21 - Esther Circle 2 P.M. Picnic in Forest City.

# FERTILE CHURCH OF CHRIST

August 19 - Meet at the church for the Communion Service at 9:30 A.M.

<u>COMMUNITY WORSHIP SERVICE</u> at the park on August 19 at 10:30 A.M. Pastor Laaveg will be speaking for the service. In case of rain, the service will be held at the Church of Christ.

#### 4-H CLUB NEWS

## GRANT LIVEWIRE LASSIES 4-H CLUB AT THE NORTH IOWA FAIR

JUNIOR MEMBERS - Sandy Bruns, Cookies, Blue. <u>Rene Duregger;</u>. Cookies, Red... Wall decoration, Blue...Craft, coveredbottle, Red...Totebag, Blue. <u>Danielle</u> Jordan, Cookies, Blue. <u>Marilyn Lee</u>, Cookies, Red...Kitchen poster, Blue... Pillow, Blue...Covered hanger, Blue... Top, Red...Skirt, Red. <u>Valorie Mitchell</u> Cake, Blue...Poster, Blue....Crocheted poncho, Purple...Afghan, Blue.

<u>Cheryl Nelson</u>, Cookies, Blue ....Yeastrolls, Blue....Pillow, Blue....Top, Blue. ...Shorts, Blue.

Julie Ouverson, Cookies, Blue.

Lisa Pederson, Place setting, Red....Storage Box, Red....Cookies, Blue....Banana Bread, Red....Plant, Blue.

Sara Seglem, Cake, Blue....Banana Bread Red.....Teddy Bear, Blue....Placements, Blue....Terry top, Blue....Terry shorts, Blue.

Sandy Seglem, Cookies, Red....Hook rug Blue....Top, Blue....Shorts, Blue.

Lisa Weaver, Cookies, Blue.

Domenie Zirbel, Grapenut bread, Red.... Pillow, Blue.

INTERMEDIATE MEMBERS - Maren Boman, Coffee Cake, Blue....Picture, Blue....Quilt, Blue....Jacket Top, Blue.

Lorelei Jennings, Cookies, Blue...Rolls, Blue...Pillow, Red...Baby Bed, Blue... Terry Suit, Blue...Terry Suit, Red. Joy Kleveland, Coffee Cake, Blue...Banana Bread, Blue...Pillow Cases, Red... Pictures, Blue...Heritage Box, Blue...

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## (cont. Fair)

Sundress, Blue. Theresa Lee, Cookies, Blue .... Poster, Blue.... Calorie Poster, Blue.... Picture, Blue.... Needlepoint Pin Cushion, Red .... Dress, Blue.... Child's dress, Blue. Kim Mitchell, Cookies, Blue .... Wall hanging, Blue .... Embroidered dishtowels, Blue ...Afghan, Blue. Christine Nelson, Baked product, Blue.... Decoration, Red....Blouse, Blue....Skirt Blue...,Scarf, Blue. Julie Pederson, Yeast bread, Blue Slacks, Blue .... Shelly Pederson, Cake, Blue .... Place setting, Red....Spoon, Red....Skirt, Red.... Shorts, Red. Alisa Pederson, Cake, Blue....Dress, Red. SENIOR MEMBERS - Laura Nelson, Cheese Cake Bars, Blue .... Place setting, Blue ... Dress, Red.... Purchased Dress, Blue. Marie Nelson, Nutrient Poster, Red .... Pillow, Red .... Macrame plant hanger, Blue. Julie Severson, Yeast Bread, Blue .... Hook Rug, Red....Figurine, Red....Doll, Red. Tammy Waddington, Cookies, Blue .... Plant Hanger, Red .... Owl Wall Hanging, Blue. Eileen Zirbel, Yeast Bread, Blue .... Baked Product, Blue.

#### ITEMS CONSIDERED FOR STATE FAIR

Rolls and bread - Lorelei Jennings Doll - Julie Severson Foreign Product - Christine Nelson Jacket - Maren Boman Baked Product - Eileen Zirbel Sundress - Joy Kleveland

<u>HRESENTATIONS</u> were given by: <u>Sandy Seg</u>lem, "Eggs and You", Purple. <u>Theresa Lee</u> "Folk Toys", Blue.

### GIRLS IN LIVESTOCK ENTRIES

MARKET BEEF: <u>Marie Nelson</u>, 2 Reds, <u>Cher-</u> yl <u>Nelson</u>, 2 Reds.

MARKET SWINE: <u>Cheryl Nelson</u>, Purple,... <u>Tammy Waddington</u>, Blue.

BREEDING HEIFER: Sara Seglem won the Showmanship Trophy in the breeding heifer class, also a blue ribbon. <u>Tammy Wadd</u>ington, Red. Sandy Seglem; breeding heifer, Purple.

HORSE: <u>Tammy Waddington</u>; halter, Blue... Barrels, Blue.....Reining, Red.....Trail Class, Blue. <u>Cheryl Nelson</u>, Red. <u>Sara</u>

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Seglem, Red.

Maren Boman won Showmanship Trophy.

Tammy Waddington goes to State Fair with her horse in the Trail Class event.

#### LIBRARY NOTES

NEW BOOKS - EASY READERS:

"The Little Rabbit Who Wanted Red Wings", Carolyn Bailey

"Happy Birthday, Oliver."

YOUNG PEOPLE FICTION:

"Ridge of Fear", Georgia Shewnmake "Summer of Awakening", Frances Barney "A Nurse for Dr. Turner", Berta Barker

ADULT FICTION:

"Day of the Donkey Derby", Joan Fleming "An Accomplished Woman", Nancy Price "Red Stair Case", Gwendoline Butler

#### NON FICTION:

"Flight Back and Don't Get Ripped Off", David Horowitz.

"Muddlin Thru Those Golden Years", Helen Foster

"Billy Graham, Saint or Sinner," Curtis Mitchell.

"America's Majestic Canyons", National Geographic

In 12 months 5,579 books were checked out from the Fertile Library.

