

NEWSLETTER

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Treynor Optimist Club President:

Dale Willenborg



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Treynor Splash Pad

Wendy Andersen and Brooke Curtis came to talk about the Treynor Splash Pad. They started working on it four years ago and it is finally going



to become a reality. They are in the process of purchasing one acre of land from Treynor Vision. The splash pad itself will include controls for water flow and time available.

L.-R. Brooke Curtis, Wendy Andersen

Wendy said the total project is about \$300,000 and they have raised \$68,100. They expect to start construction in the spring with availability in early summer 2022. The splash pad will cost about \$120,000, the shelter and tables \$40,000, and the changing room and bathroom \$50,000. A play area will be part of phase 2 the next year.

Wendy Anderson can be reached for further questions at 402-416-8806.

Mike Holton also talked about the project. The city will get \$143,000 from ARPA (Covid relief). They have half of that money already, to be used for sewer and water for the Treynor Vision/Splash pad area. The county gets \$25M for Covid relief and is very tight with that money. Treynor has asked for \$1M for roads in the Treynor Vision/Splash Pad area. He said they presented a good case to the county.

Mike said the splash pad could use as much as 150,000 gallons a day on a very hot day. The water cannot be recycled in lowa, but they hope to use it for watering the soccer/baseball fields. The soccer fields use 56,000 gallons for watering.

Mike Holton talked a little about Treynor. He said the census shows Treynor has 1032 people, not including the newest edition. That is a 12% increase from 2010. The Dollar General store will be coming to Treynor. They bought land and will build a 10,460 sq. ft. store and will have 39 parking stalls when completed. They will probably break ground in November.

Next week's speaker will be Kelsey Stupfell, TS Bank, discussing REV and her role as Director of Public Relations at TSBG.

"Plant the seeds of expectation in your mind!"

Norman Vincent Peale

Meeting Minutes

Dale Willenborg, club President, called the meeting to order at the Treynor Community Building on August 28. Present were 15 members and 4 guests, Doug Wehring, Wendy Andersen, Brooke Curtis, and Mike Holton (the City Manager). Dale Willenborg led the Pledge of Allegiance and Dee Guttau gave the opening prayer. Gary Funkhouser, Gary Guttau and Dale Willenborg provided humor.

Marsha Underwood won the 50/50 drawing. Shelly Bailey won the attendance drawing, but did not collect.

Bragging Rights: (\$ are used for youth activities)

- Kevin and Marsha Underwood celebrated Treynor's win over Saint Albert in football last night.
- Chad Guttau rode his bike in the Doni Days parade.
- Gary Funkhouser said his wife had two surgeries at Methodist Hospital, removing her gall bladder and gall stones. The nurses were great and she is doing well.

BUSINESS:

Can Kennel Sorting: Impact After School Daycare will do can sorting Wednesday, Sept 1 at 6:00 p.m.

We will need to put up flags next Saturday, Sept. 4, after the meeting.

Chad Guttau brought some apples and Keith Denton bought them for \$2.

Community:

Homecoming is September 10.

Jr. Optimists are having a golf cart entry in the homecoming parade.

Keep Kids Alive ordered 500 reflective bracelets to give out at the homecoming parade.

HUMOR

ENGLISH LESSON

Tsunami — T is silent

Honest — H is silent

Psychology — P is silent

Knife — K is silent

Wife — Husband is silent

Class dismissed ...

Calendar

Events

Sept 1 Can Kennel Sorting

Sept 4 Put up flags after Optimist meeting

Sept 10 Homecoming Sept 13 Take down flags

Oct 4 Pot Luck sponsored by Riverside Club

Program: Child Safety

Birthdays

Sept. 1 Josh Guttau Sept 16 John Klein Sept 22 Dee Guttau

Anniversaries

Sept 24 Phil & Jan Waggoner Sept 26 Bill & Ann Vorthmann

Programs

Sept Shelly Bailey Josh Guttau

Oct John Klein

Speakers

Sept 4 Kelsey Stupfell, TS Bank

Sept 11 Jane Leick, Treynor teacher received the

Lakin Outstanding Teacher Award

Sept 18 Steve Owens, new Regional Director of

Fellowship of Christian Athlete

Sept 25 Bryce Warner, Spec. Ed Teacher,

Started Fishing Club for kids

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