



SECURITY
State Bank
Elma, IA

September

2023



SSB HOURS:

Lobby:
Monday-Friday
7:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Drive-Up:
Monday-Friday
7:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Saturday
DRIVE-UP ONLY
7:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

Elma and Alta Vista
ATM/Night Drop
Available 24/7

All business conducted after
3:30 p.m. will be posted on
the next business day.
ATM activity conducted after
3:30 p.m. will be posted the
next business day.

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Elma, IA 50628
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Fax. 641-393-2556
www.mysecuritystate.com
email-
psb@mysecuritystate.com

SSB will be glad to print
community-oriented
information in the
CALENDAR OF EVENTS
feature of our newsletter. If
you have an item to submit,
please contact us at (641)
393-2301. Deadline to
submit an item is the 15th
of the month preceding the
event.

**Don't forget to
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Search for
**Security State
Bank Elma** on
Facebook then
click like!



SECURITY STATE BANK

Holiday Hours:

Sat., Sept. 2nd CLOSED

Mon., Sept. 4th CLOSED

In observance of.....



Rainbow was the
theme for the
Riceville's
Wapsipinicon
Festival Parade
Aug. 5th.
Doug Uthe,
Kari Pietan,
Joanne Lane and
Sue Praska
participated in the
festivities.

Featuring Food Trucks: Opening Act
Braelyn
McCarville
5:30 pm

September 3, 2023

MADDIE POPPE LIVE!
Gates Open at 3 pm \$20 per person
FIREWORKS 8 PM

FREE admission to all EMS,
Firefighters & Law Enforcement
who provide valid ID

Proceeds go to the Firefighters of Elma



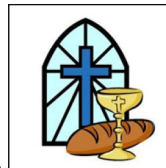


SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Calendar of Events

HOLY ROSARY CLUSTER MASS SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER

September 2, 9, 23, 30 OLL-Lourdes.
 September 2, 16, 23, 30, 6:00 p.m. St. Bernard's-Alta Vista.
 September 3, 10, 17, 7:15 a.m. IC-Elma.
 September 3, 10, 17, 9:00 a.m., IC-Riceville,
 September 10, 17, 24, 10:45, St. Peter's-New Haven.
 8:00 a.m. mass daily, IC-Elma, Thursdays at Care Center.
 SEPTEMBER 10, 8:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m., IC CHURCH FALL FESTIVAL-
 DAD'S BELGAIN WAFFLES, IC CHURCH, ELMA



ST. PAUL'S MAPLE LEAF LUTHERAN CHURCH SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER
 September 3 WORSHIP IN THE CORNFIELD (Steve and Rose Christensen's farm on Hwy 9)
 10:00 a.m.-meal following services served by the Youth Group-free will donation.
 September 10, 17, 24 9:00 a.m. Sunday School.
 September 10, 17, 24 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH
 Sunday Services @ 9:00 a.m.

ELMA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Sunday Fellowship 9:00 a.m-9:15 a.m.
 Sunday Worship Service 9:15 a.m.-10:00 a.m.



Security State Bank will be **CLOSED**
 Sat., Sept. 2nd and Mon., Sept. 4th
 in observance of Labor Day. Stay safe and enjoy!

- Sept. 3 MADDI POPPE LIVE, gate opens 3:00 p.m., Elma park, see front page for more details.
- Sept. 4 American Legion Show & Shine Car Show, Elma, 5-8 p.m.
- Sept. 5 American Legion Meeting, Elma, 7:00 p.m.
- Sept. 8 City of Elma Recycling, Jendro Sanitation. Like us on Facebook, updates will be posted.
- Sept. 10 IC CHURCH FALL FESTIVAL-DAD'S BELGIAN WAFFLES, 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Immaculate Conception Church, Elma. See last page for more details.
- Sept. 11 Elma City Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m. at the Elma Community Complex community room.
- Sept. 11 Bridge Organization Meeting, 6:00 p.m. at the Elma Community Complex community room.
- Sept. 22 City of Elma Recycling, Jendro Sanitation. Like us on Facebook, updates will be posted.



Sept. 23



First Day of Autumn



The Equinox (Vernal & Autumnal) The "nearly" equal hours of day and night is due to refraction of sunlight or a bending of the light's rays that causes the sun to appear above the horizon when the actual position of the sun is below the horizon. Additionally, the days become a little longer at the higher latitudes.



Fall is a great time to get those bikes and walking shoes ready and get out and enjoy the beauty of the season by walking, running, biking or roller blading the OLD ROUNDHOUSE TRAIL in Elma, which is a portion of the Great Western Wapsi Recreational Trail.

INVESTMENTS

Terms in Months	Min. Balance	APY
6	\$5000.00	4.25%
12	\$5000.00	5.00%
24	\$5000.00	4.00%
36	\$5000.00	3.75%
48	\$5000.00	3.65%
60	\$5000.00	3.50%

SUBSTANTIAL PENALTY FOR EARLY WITHDRAWAL. MEMBER FDIC.

These rates are effective now, rates may change weekly. For current yields, please call the bank at (641) 393-2301.
APY= Annual percentage yield.

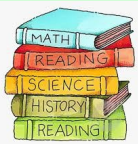
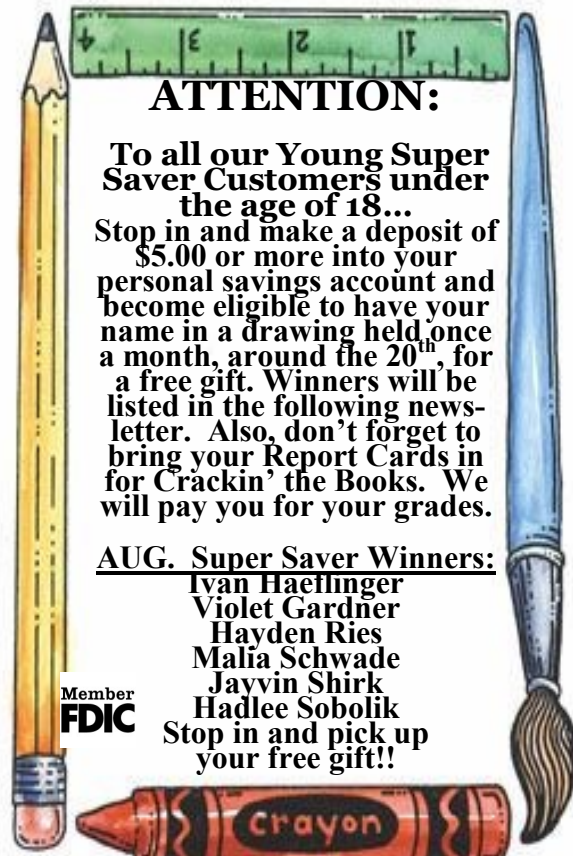
ATTENTION:

To all our Young Super Saver Customers under the age of 18... Stop in and make a deposit of \$5.00 or more into your personal savings account and become eligible to have your name in a drawing held once a month, around the 20th, for a free gift. Winners will be listed in the following news-letter. Also, don't forget to bring your Report Cards in for Crackin' the Books. We will pay you for your grades.

AUG. Super Saver Winners:

Ivan Haeflinger
Violet Gardner
Hayden Ries
Malia Schwade
Jayvin Shirk
Hadlee Sobolik

Stop in and pick up your free gift!!



ATTENTION: CRACKIN' THE BOOKS

There will only be one deposit for the school year. Bring your report cards in at the end of the school year and we will deposit \$10 in to your savings account!

SSB PRODUCTS AND SERVICES

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SSB WEBSITE: www.mysecuritystate.com

INTERNET BANKING: Sign up now by going to our website www.mysecuritystate.com. Getting the most current banking information is a powerful feature. You will be able to keep track of your accounts, giving you more control over your money. Some of the Banking tasks you will be able to do are:

- *Check current balance
- *Transfer money between accounts
- *Access interest information
- *View transaction and activity information
- *View and print an entire statement
- *Reconcile your account without waiting for a monthly statement
- *View both current and previous months' statements
- *And much more
- *You can NOW see images of checks/deposits.

E-STATEMENTS: Sign up at the bank or call to enroll. Once you have signed up you will receive an email telling you your statement is available in Online Banking.

MOBILE BANKING: Call us for a user ID and temporary password to get started if you are not enrolled in on-line banking. Then download the app - SSB Sutherland. Follow the steps. Or stop in or call and we can assist you in getting signed up.

MOBILE DEPOSIT: After signing up for mobile deposit, go to settings-deposits-and agree to the mobile deposit agreement..

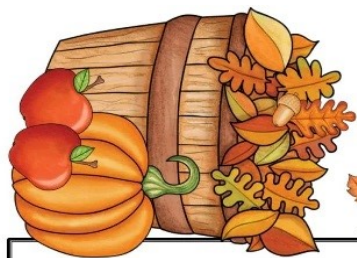
24 HOUR VOICE ACCESS: You may call 24 hrs. a day, 7 days a week to receive bank information on your account. Call (641) 393-2750 or (877) 540-7444.

GIFT CARDS: Security State Bank of Elma has Gift Cards available for any occasion. The minimum amount to apply on a card is \$10.00. These gift cards may be used at any merchant location where debit cards are accepted. There is a \$2.00 fee for each card. Stop in and see us for more details.

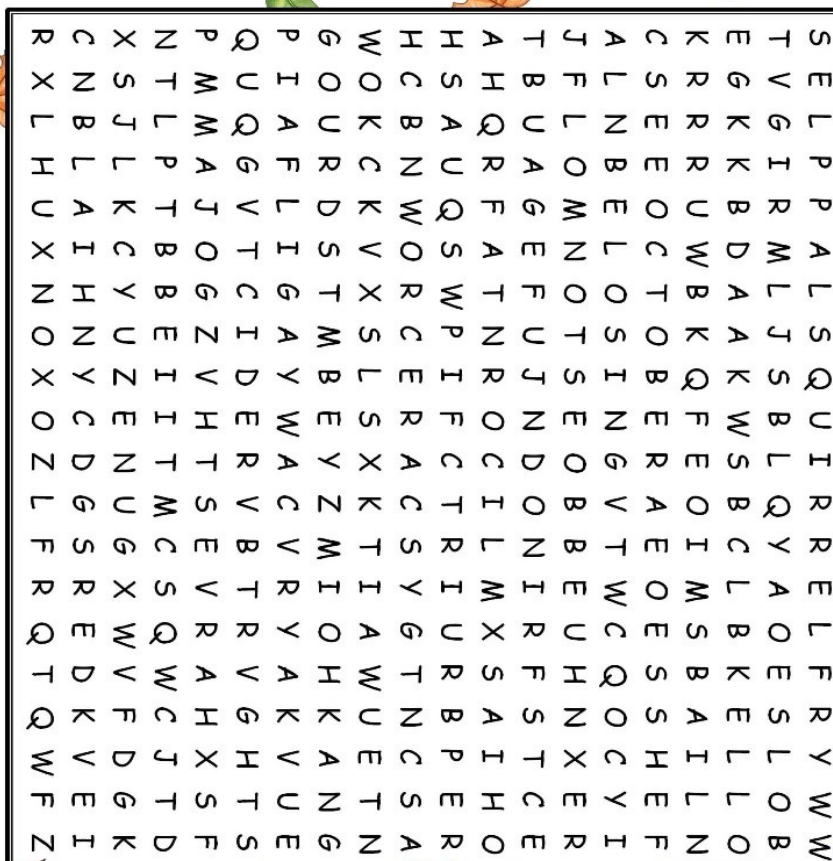
HAWKEYE SANITATION SCHEDULE-Howard County Rural
1st/3rd Monday Cresco (County Shop-Fairgrounds) 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.
2nd/4th Monday Elma (County Shop) 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.
1st/3rd Tuesday Saratoga 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.
2nd/4th Tuesday Lime Spring (County Shop-Lidtk Mill) 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

ATTENTION SSB CUSTOMERS

If your license has been renewed, please stop in and let us scan it to update it on your customer information. Moving? Don't forget to call us with your new address, phone numbers etc. Thank you.



acorns	cobweb	harvest	October	seasons
apples	corn	hayride	orange	September
autumn	Fall	jackets	pumpkin	squash
bonfire	festivals	leaves	quilt	squirrel
brown	foliage	maize	rake	sweaters
chestnuts	football	migrate	red	Thanksgiving
chilly	gourds	November	scarecrow	wagons
cider	green	nuts	scenic	yellow



FALL WORD SEARCH



Corn and Beans

As of this writing, cash corn is \$5.29 and soybeans are \$13.78. Corn is \$.31 lower and soybeans are \$.74 lower than one month ago. September corn futures are \$4.79 with support at \$4.73 and then at \$4.63, resistance is at \$4.83 and then at \$4.93. November soybean futures are \$13.53 with support at \$13.37 and then at \$13.13, resistance is at \$13.62 and then at \$13.86. Corn and soybean futures have been under pressure with nearby corn futures hitting the lowest level seen in the last two years last week before rebounding slightly. The rebound was lead by soybeans after the weather forecast for the rest of August showed little to no rain and an extended run of temperatures in the 90's and some triple digit temps. That puts us past the point of guessing how the weather forecasts might

impact yields to the point of arguing about what final yields will be. This week is the start of Pro Farmers annual crop tour. The crop tour is closely watched by farmers but other than last year has had little impact on traders and the market. We feel yields are down this year after missing many rains which other areas received. Many of the lucky areas receiving rains are looking forward to good and possibly some record yields. This year looks down for us but we've been fortunate the last couple of years with good yields and good prices when others had lower yields due to crop stress. As harvest begins in the next 30 days please be safe.

Feel free to contact Logan or myself with your marketing plans or concerns.

Doug Uthe

Cattle

Cash cattle last week were \$185, up \$1 from last month.





SEPTEMBER 2023 Library Limelight

Elma Public Library Website: www.elma.lib.ia.us

Facebook: Elma Public Library-Elma, Iowa Phone 641-393-8100
Library Address: 319 Oak St., P.O. Box 287

Hours: Monday 9 AM - 6 PM, Tuesday 1 - 6 PM, Wednesday 9 AM - 7 PM,
Thursday 9 AM - 6 PM,
Friday 9 AM - Noon & Saturday 9 AM - 2 PM, Sunday – **CLOSED**
(The library is open 41 hours a week.)

*Library Board Meeting will be held on Monday, September 25 at 5:30 PM in the library.

CLOSED: September 2nd, 3rd and 4th for Labor Day Weekend Be Safe and Enjoy Your Weekend!

Thank You – Thank you to the people who supplied baked goods and other items for the bake sale, made monetary donations or purchased items for the Library Fundraiser. Your support helps us to pay for programming, books and match funds for grants. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

SPECIAL PROGRAM - Elsenpeter Marionettes – Saturday, September 30, 10:00 AM, Location to be determined. Either the Community Room at the Library or the Memorial Hall.

Enjoy the story telling and mastery of marionettes and their human handlers. It's an amazing show with 139 years of performing under their belt. **ALL AGES are Welcome to Attend. Come see this wonderful world of story telling through marionettes.**



Tuesday, September 12 at 11:30 AM

Speaker, Lunch, Bingo Speaker starts at 11:30, Lunch at Noon, BINGO at 12:30 PM.

Community Bingo is for everyone! (\$5.00 if you'd like to purchase a lunch) **Please bring a \$3.00 gift in a brown paper sack for a Bingo Prize; To Reserve a lunch please let the library know by September 7.**

Crochet Club - Wed., September 13 & 27 from 9:00 - 11:00 AM; Anyone is welcome to join the group.

Healthy Cooking Program – Thursday, September 28 from 10:30 – 11:30 AM, Carol Kout, Pampered Chef consultant, will be here to demonstrate how to make some healthy dishes, especially if you are just cooking for 1 or 2 people.

Memorials: Bryce & Mary Ellen Larsen gave in memory of Roger Meirick and Todd Lentz, John & Ardel Boyle gave in memory of Kevin and Kraig Boyle. Your thoughtfulness is very much appreciated.

Donations: Thank you for thinking of the library.

Books for Adults: The Stranger in the Woods by Michael Finkel, The Boy from Block 66 by Limor Regev, The Faith of Elvis by Billy Stanley, Me and a Guy Named Elvis by Jerry Schilling, Atomic Habits by James Clear, The 10X Rule and 10X Kids by Grant Cardone, Killer Style by Serah-Marie McMahon, Dark Vector by Clive Cussler, Dream Town by David Baldacci, The 23rd Midnight by James Patterson, Sparring Partners by John Grisham, The Investigator by John Sandford, Sweet Tea B&B and Sweet Tea Sunrise by Rachel Hanna, The Schoolhouse and The Christmas House by Elizabeth Bromke, Childless by Brian J. Gail, Dust and Shift by Hugh Howey, The Words We Lost by Nicole Deese, Famous for a Living by Melissa Ferguson, Scream Blue Murder by Susan Page Davis, Love Off-Limits by Jenny Proctor, Just a Cowboy's Convenient Marriage and Just a Cowboy's Best Friend by Jessie Gussman.

Books for Youth: More Adventures According to Humphrey, School According to Humphrey, Holidays According to Humphrey by Betty G. Birney, Choose Your Own Adventure: Fairy House by James Preller and Unicorn Princess by Shannon Gilligan, Inspiring Stories for Curious Kids by Curlene Wade, Ranger's Apprentice: The Ruins of Gorlan, The Burning Bridge and The Icebound Land by John Flannigan, My Calming Book by Little Busy Minds, Calm Ninja by Mary Nhin, Pete the Cat Saves Up and Pete the Cat Hickory, Dickory, Dock by Kimberly Dean, Tractor Mac: Worth the Wait by Billy Steers, My Family's Corn Farm by Katie Olthoff, The Bedtime Rhyme and Dear Mom and Dad by Regina Noel Downing, World War II by DK Publishing.



IC CHURCH FALL FESTIVAL

**Sunday, Sept. 10th
8:00-11:00 a.m.
207 7th Street, Elma
in church basement!**

**All-you-can- eat Dad's Belgium Waffles
with flavored syrups & whipped
topping. Served with link
sausages, coffee, juice,
or milk.**



**Costs are:
\$10.00 ages 10 -adult
\$5.00 ages 5-9
FREE under age 5**

Handicap-accessible elevator!

Carry-outs available!

Tossed & Found
321 Main Street ~ Elma, IA

IT'S GRANT TIME!!

We're giving out \$5000 in charitable grants to
*Elma-area non-profits for *new* community
betterment projects or programs!

Any one application request not to exceed
\$1000. Preference given to projects with
matching funds or collaborating partners.

Applications may be found at the Tossed &
Found store, Security State Bank-Elma or Elma
City Clerk's Office, Additionally the
application will be posted on the Tossed &
Found Facebook page Sept. 1st.

Applications must be returned with proof of
non-profit status and postmarked by
September 30, 2023 to Tossed & Found,
P.O. Box 15, Elma IA 50628.
Winners will be determined by a 3-member
panel and notified by October 13th. Funds will
be given with photo taken at Tossed & Found
on October 19, 2023.

*Elma-area to include towns of Elma, Alta Vista,
Lourdes & Riceville.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION ...To be included in the monthly drawings for gift certificates, please bring your newsletter labels
in the bank by the 20th of the month. CUT OUT THE LABEL ON THE DOTTED LINES.

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