





2025

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

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

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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.

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# SECURITY STATE BANK HOLIDAY HOURS:

CLOSED Sat., May 24th and CLOSED Mon., May 26th In observance of Memorial Day.

# MAY IS BEEF MONTH!



Security State Bank is proud to support the beef industry!

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### SECURITY STATE BANK ELMA

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Thursday, June 19th in observance of...





# SECURITY STATE BANK IS PROUD TO SUPPORT THE DAIRY INDUSTRY!

June is National Dairy Month and we are proud to support our local dairy producers who take pride in producing quality milk for America's consumers.

#### **ATTENTION CUSTOMERS:**

To file a dispute for a debit card charge you need to call SHAZAM at 833-288-1126.













HOLY ROSARY CLUSTER MASS SCHEDULE FOR MAY/JUNE
May 10, 17, 24, 31, 4:00 p.m., OLL-Lourdes.
May 3, 10, 17, 24, 6:00 p.m., St. Bernard's-Alta Vista.
May 4, 18, 25, 7:15 a.m. IC-Elma.
May 4, 11, 25, 9:00 a.m., IC-Riceville,
May 4, 11, 18, 10:45, St. Peter's-New Haven.
8:00 a.m. mass daily, IC-Elma, Thursdays at Care Center.



June 14, 21, 28, 4:00 p.m., OLL-Lourdes. June 7, 14, 21, 28, 6:00 p.m., St. Bernard's-Alta Vista. June, 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 7:15 a.m. IC-Elma. June 1, 8, 15, 29, 9:00 a.m., IC-Riceville, June 1, 8, 15, 22, 10:45, St. Peter's-New Haven.

ST. PAUL'S MAPLE LEAF LUTHERAN CHURCH SCHEDULE FOR MAY/JUNE Summer Worship Service starting May 18th. Service will be at 9:00 a.m. with communion on the 1st, 2nd, and 5th Sundays.

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

ELMA CHRISTIAN CHURCH Sunday Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

May 1



Nay Day is a public holiday usually celebrated on 1 May. It is an ancient Northern Hemisphere spring festival and a traditional spring holiday in many cultures. Dances, singing, and cake are usually part of the festivities.

May 2, 16, 30/June 13, 27...City of Elma Recycling, Jendro Sanitation. Like us on Facebook, updates will be posted.

May 6/June 3...Bridge Organization Meeting, 12:00 p.m. at the Elma Community Complex community room.

May 6/June 3...American Legion Meeting, Elma, 7:00 p.m.

May 11



May 12/June 8...Elma City Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m. at the Elma Community Complex Community Room.

May 12/June 8...Colonial Manor Auxiliary meeting, 10:00 a.m. Everyone welcome.

May 24 **Security State Bank will be CLOSED.** 

**May 26 Security State Bank will be CLOSED.** 



May 26 MEMORIAL SERVICES AMERICAN LEGION-ELMA. St. Patrick of St. Cecilia-8:00 a.m.; Colonial Manor—8:30 a.m.; Maple Leaf-9:00 a.m.; Lourdes-9:30 a.m.; Elma-11:00 a.m.-march out to the cemetary. Open to the public: Short Program at 12:30 p.m.

Lûnch will be available for a free will offering.





#### **AMERICAN LEGION POST 597 -2024 SHOW AND SHINE CAR SHOW**

First Monday of the month 5:00-8:00 p.m., Elma, IA May 5, June 2, July 7, Aug. 4, Sept. 1





Museums and Trail Head will be opening beginning of May.











In the United States, Flag Day is celebrated on June 14. It commemorates the adoption of the flag of the United States on June 14, 1777 by resolution of the Second Continental Congress. The United States Army also celebrates the U.S. Army birthday on this date; Congress adopted "the American continental army" after reaching a consensus position in the Committee of the Whole on June 14, 1775.





Elma Splash Pad will open end of May/1st part of June.





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of your choice and then follow the directions that are displayed. This process is known as provisioning. Once you are approved you may begin using your digital wallet.

You will need to download the digital wallet

# Cut & Send this Entry Form + Payment to: Marian McGee, 5k Run/Walk | 409 2nd St | Elma, IA 50628 (Checks payable to: BRIDGE) Signature (Parent if under 18) Child Cotton Shirt 6-8 10-12 14-16 18-20 OR Child Dri-Fit (Add \$5) 6-8 10-12 14-16 18-20 OR Dri-Fit Shirt (Add \$5) S M L XL XXL XXXL/Tall (Add \$3) Adult Cotton Shirt (circle one) S M L XL XXL XXXL/Tall (Add \$3) Age on 7/13/2024 Mailing Address \*\*\* CIRCLE Which Race You'll Do: Gender Email Address State 5k OR. Dri-Fit Shirt upgrade option (add \$5) Entry Form: 1 form per participant please XXXL/Tall sizes option (add \$3) Registration fee Total Amount Enclosed "Sorry, No Refunds"

6:20 am --5:45 am — Memorial Hall in Elma opens for packet pickup and late registration

Knights of Columbus breakfast begins (included in your registration) Races Begin [10k at Elma Trail Finish Line; 5k at Lylah's Marsh] Last shuttle bus for 5k leaves Elma Late Registration / packet pick up ends 1st shuttle bus for 5k departs Memorial Hall for Lylah's Marsh

 $9:15~\mathrm{am}$  — Awards and medals presentation at Elma Memorial Hall (approximately)

11:00 am – Parade begins and other town events continue throughout the day & night

8:00 am — 6:50 am -6:45 am -

7:30 am —

\$30.00 Registration is June 1 to July 4, 2025 \$35.00 Late Registration is July 5 to July 11, 2025. No guarantee for a shirt and/or goody bag \$40.00 Same Day Registration is July 12, 2025. No guarantee for a shirt and/or goody bag.

\$25.00 Early Bird Registration prior to June 1, 2025 \$30.00 Late Registration is July 5 to July 11, 2025. *No guarantee for a shirt and/or goody bag* \$35.00 Same Day Registration is July 12, 2025. *No guarantee for a shirt and/or goody bag*.

\$20.00 Early Bird Registration prior to June 1, 2025 \$25.00 Registration is June 1 to July 4, 2025

This year, the 19th Annual Elma Trail Days will be offering both a 5k and 10k race and BOTH races will begin at 7:30 am. The participants will be shuttled out to Lylah's Marsh to start their race. The 10k participants will start in Elma at the finish line, run out Lylah's Marsh, turn around, and run back into Elma. The event follows the Old Roundhouse and Wapsi Great Western Line Trail, an concludes just north of the water tower in Elma. Breakfast by the KC's (included in entry fee) and awards presentation takes plainmediately following the race at the Memorial Hall, Join us on one of the flattest, fastest, and scenic courses in Northeast lowa.

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19th Annual Elma Trail Days 5k/10k Run/Walk

Saturday, July 12,

\*\*Early Packet Pick Up & Registration @ the Elma Memorial Hall, Friday, July 11, 2025 is from 4:00-6:00 pm\*\* Race Day Information for Saturday, July 12, 2025

in consideration of you accepting this entity I, the above signed intending to be legally bound hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, contractually waive and release any and all claims for damagest may now or hereafter have against all sponsors, including, but not limited to BRIDGE, and/or the City of Elma, and/or Howard County Conservation, entitier theward Momentains Community Schools, for eny and all injuries, including allows of damages, suffered by me in this event as a result of my participation in and/or transportation to said race. I understand the race will be completed on blacktop and grared and it could be hazardouse, Further, Lattest that I have trained for this event for any legitimate purpose, grant full permission to the sponsors and authorize them to use any photographs, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings, or any record of this event for any legitimate purpose.

\*\*Contact us with any questions: elma5k@yahoo.com or telephone race director Kelly Bodermann at 319-240-9150

 $^{**}$ DRI-FIT SHIRT & SIZE OPTIONS: Standard cotton shirt included in entry fee. If Dri-fit shirt is desired, add \$5 to entry fee. If XXXL or Tall size is wanted for either standard cotton or Dri-fit, please add additional \$3 to entry fee.

\*\*Follow "Run Elma" on Facebook!\*\*

### **INVESTMENTS**

Terms in Months	Min. Balance	APY
		4.5.50
6	\$5000.00	4.25%
12	\$5000.00	4.10%
24	\$5000.00	3.65%
36	\$5000.00	3.50%
48	\$5000.00	3.50%
60	\$5000.00	3.50%

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#### **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 20<sup>th</sup>, for a free gift.

Winners will be listed in the following newsletter. Also, don't forget to bring your Report Cards in for Crackin' the Books at the end of the school year, we will pay

you for your grades.
MARCH/APRIL
Super Saver Winners:
Karter Grober

Diane Leid **Emily Leid** Lucas Roethler Alanna Schatz Kaden Schwarck

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!

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- \*And much more
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**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 \$5.00 fee for each card. Stop in and see us for more details.

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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-Lidtke 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.

#### MAY & JUNE 2025 LIBRARY LIMELIGHT

Tues.1-6, Wed.9-7, Thurs.9-6 Fri.9-12. Sat.9-2

Hours: Sun. Closed, Mon.9-6

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

Facebook: Elma Public Library-Elma, Iowa-Phone 641-393-8100

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Library Address: 319 Oak St., P.O. Box 287

CLOSED: Fri., May 23 - Mon., May 26 - Have a Safe & Fun Memorial Weekend!

BINGO -Tues., MAY 13 & JUNE 10, 2025. Bring a \$5.00 donation to have lunch and \$3 donation to play 12 18 0 48 66

BINGO. *Please call the Elma Library 641-393-8100 by MAY 8<sup>TH</sup> and JUNE 5th to reserve a lunch.*Crochet Club: Wed., MAY 7 & 21; JUNE 4 & 18 from 9:00 - 11:00 AM; All are welcome to join.

Special Summer Program: Wednesday, June 11 Come See Karen Land and her Alaskan Huskie, Noggin along with her Dog Sled and Racing Outfit. Karen will share her adventures as a Musher in Alaska.

<u>Memorials:</u> Paul & Mary Ptacek gave in memory of Mike Farrington, Kathleen Thiele, John Lentz & Doris Miller, Kenny & Janice Fangman in memory of Pat Arnold, Barb Boyle in memory of John Lentz, Roger & Marilee Nibaur in memory of Pat Arnold, Francis & Lois Meier in memory of Doris Miller, Joan Mitchell in memory of Pat Arnold, Steve Dvorak & Vern Laures, Millie Whitinger in memory of Mike Farrington, John Lentz & Norbert Freidhof. Your thoughtfulness is very much appreciated. <u>Monetary Donation to Library</u>: Barbara Boyle gave a monetary donation to the library. Thank you for your generosity.

**<u>Donation:</u>** Books from Kaye Hayden. Thank you for your donation of books.

#### MAY Books & Movies

<u>Books for Adults:</u> The Girl in the Leaves by Robert Scott, <u>Long Haul</u> by Frank Figliuzzi, <u>The Cruelest Miles</u> by Gay & Laney Salisbury, <u>Reckoning</u> by Catherine Coulter, <u>After That Night</u> by Karin Slaughter, <u>Blood Moon</u> by Sandra Brown, <u>A Face to Die For</u> by Iris Johansen, <u>Counting Miracles</u> by Nicholas Sparks, <u>The Housemaid is Watching</u> by Freida McFadden, <u>Deep River Promise</u> by Jackie Ashenden, <u>The Ribbon</u> and <u>The Rock</u> by Cara Grandle, <u>Love's Winding Road</u> by Susan F. Craft, <u>Libby's Lighthouse</u> by Susan G. Mathis, <u>The Heir's Predicament</u> by Lorri Dudley, Far From Home by Danielle Steel.

Youth Books: Amelia Bedelia Cleans Up, Shapes Up, Goes Wild! & Road Trip! by Herman Parish, Ameila Bedelia by Peggy Parish, Pete the Cat At the Beach by James Dean, Bad Kitty & Bad Kitty Goes on Vacation by Nick Bruel, The Pizza That We Made by Joan Holub, Goats by Rose Davidson, Facts About The Goat by Lisa Strattin, A Place for Rain by Michelle Schaub, Mouse's First Summer by Lauren Thompson, Right This Very Minute by Lisl Detlefsen, Trucktown Smash! Crash! by David Shannon, The Little Snowplow Wishes for Snow by Lora Koehler, Farming Strong All Year Long by Sherri Rinker, Over and Under the Wetland by Kate Messner, 10 Little Rubber Ducks by Eric Carle, Color Zoo by Lois Ehlert, Jessie Bear, What Will You Wear? by Nany Carlstrom, You Can Be A Good Friend by Taraji Henson, They Call Me Teach by Lesa Cline-Ransome, The Three Pigs by David Wiesner, Encyclopedia Brown-The Case of the Secret UFOs & The Case of the Soccer Scheme by Donald Sobol, Kiki's Delivery Service by Eiko Kadono, Dewey the Library Cat by Vicki Myron, Magic Treehouse Dogsledding and Extreme Sports by Mary Pope Osborne, Girl Meets Ghost: Ghost of a Chance by Lauren Barnholdt, Where the Sidewalk Ends by Shel Silverstein, Priceless Facts About Money by Mellody Hobson, Alaska's Dog Heroes by Shelley Gill, Animal Doctors by Libby Romero, All Things Bees by Animal Reads, Honey Bees by Jill Esbaum, Bees by Laura Marsh.

MAY Movies: House of the Dragon Disc 5, Kung Fu Panda-1 & 2, A Quiet Place-Day One, The Forge, 2 movie collection-Loves Greek To Me, A Scottish Love Scheme, The Jetsons Disc #8.

### JUNE Books & Movies

<u>Books for Adults</u>: The Let Them Theory by Mel Robbins, <u>Levi's Eyes</u> by Aphrodite Jones, <u>Race Across Alaska</u> by Libby Riddles, <u>Dogs on the Trail</u> by Blair Braverman, <u>Iditarod</u> by Bill Sherwonit, <u>Creating A Life From the Ashes</u> by Dr. Fidele Sebahizi, <u>Such Good Boys</u> by Tina Dirmann, <u>One Foot in Front of the Other</u> by Ann Webb, <u>A Certain Man</u> by Linda Dindzans, <u>One Last Stand</u> by Susan May Warren, <u>The Ruby</u> & <u>The Rose</u> by Cara Grandle, <u>Trail of Promises</u> by Susan F. Craft, <u>The Last Wagon Train</u> by William Johnstone.

Youth Books: Touch & Feel Weather by Jessica Carapella, Worm Weather by Jean Taft, Adventure USA-Alaska! Danger on the Mushing Trail by Barbara Failing, Little Golden Book-Balto by Chip Lovitt, Storm Run by Libby Riddles, The True Tails of Togo the Sled Dog! by Jonathan Hayes, The Bravest Dog Ever: Balto by Natalie Standiford, Animals to the Rescue!-Balto by Emma Berne, Born to Pull by Bob Cary, Everything Weather by Kathy Furgang, Howl's Moving Castle & Castle in the Air by Diana Wynne Jones, Once Upon A Crime by Robin Stevens, Encyclopedia Brown Sets the Pace by Donald Sobol, Amelia Bedelia Unleashed, Means Business, Dances Off, & Sets Sail by heman Parish, Choose Your Own Adventure: Creature Feature, Summer Days and Nights by Wong Herbert Yee, Faithful Cubs by Stan & Jan Berenstain, Where is Tippy Toes? by Betsy Lewin, If Kids Ran the World by Leo & Diane Dillon, Frog and Toad Together by Arnold Lobel, I Went Walking by Sue Williams, What Should Darla Do? by Ganit & Adir Levy, Stars & Planets by Rick Morris, The Dog Encyclopedia by Tammy Gagne, Dog Breed Guide for Kids by T.J. Resler, Dog Training for Kids by Vanessa Estrada Marin.

JUNE Movies: Two Tickets to Paradise; Love, Romance, Chocolate; Jetsons Disc 7; Kung Fu Panda 3 & 4.

## **Corn and Beans**

As of this writing, cash corn is \$4.55 and cash soybeans are \$9.77. Corn is \$.13 lower and soybeans are \$.07 higher than two months ago. May corn futures are \$4.85 with support at \$4.80 and then at \$4.75. resistance is at \$4.87 and then ■ at \$4.91. May soybean futures are \$10.34 with support at \$10.29 and then at \$10.19. resistance is at \$10.47 and then at \$10.55. April typically is not a good month for making grain marketing decisions, to purchase or sell. So far April is mixed with a lot of volatility and high emotions. ■ The March 31st quarterly Grain Stocks report had no surprises. US corn stocks are 8.151 billion bushels, 2.4 % below a year ago and still the

2nd largest in the past six vears. As of March 1st on farm corn stocks totaled 4.5 billion bushels, down 12.9% from one year ago. Off-farm ks totaled 3.651 billion bushels, up 11.6% from one year ago. The market feels corn stocks are in stronger hands than 1 year ago. This should help support prices and basis levels in corn-deficit areas. World wide corn fundamentals are bullish as supplies continue to drop. Large expected US planted acreage currently holds upward pressure on corn while tightening world stocks provide downward support. \$5 resistance is psychologically significant and would take some fairly bullish news to move above the \$5 resistance. If May soybean futures can get thru \$10.50 a rally to \$10.75-\$10.80 area is

ikelv.

Be safe this spring planting season.

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

**Doug Uthe** 

### **Cattle**

Cash cattle are \$2.08 up \$2 from 2 months ago. Live cattle slaughter weights have declined, but remain well above a year ago.

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