

# **Belview Bulletin**

**March 2009**

## **Curbside Appliance Pick-up May 7th:**

If you have an appliance or an old computer you need to get rid of stop by the City Clerk's Office and pick-up a sticker. The sticker must be affixed to the item in order for it to be picked-up. Checks are to be written to Eagle Appliance Recycling. Please purchase stickers at least a couple of days prior to the pickup so we can get an estimate on the amount of appliances.

## **City Wide Rummage Sales:**

We will be having city-wide rummage sales April 25. If you are planning on having a sale at your home contact Lori so that you can be included on the map. A notice will be placed in the Redwood Gazette and Tri. Co. News and posters will be placed around town. Notice due to a conflict, this is a change from the originally scheduled date.

## **Spring Clean-up Reminder:**

Just a reminder that spring clean-up will be Saturday, May 16. If you have any questions regarding what can and cannot go in the dumpsters give Lori or David a call. Remember no household hazardous waste, appliances, or tires. Also if you are in need of assistance in getting items to the dumpsters call Lori and she will arrange for someone to help you.

## **NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH TRAINING MEETING:**

Anyone interested in participating in the City's Neighborhood Watch program must attend training offered by the City and the Redwood County Sheriff's Department. The first meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> at the Belview Community Center at 7:00 p.m.. Future dates will be determined at that meeting. This is not meant to be a huge time commitment on anyone's part but the program will only be successful if we have residents willing to be involved. If you are interested in participating please contact Lori at the City Clerk's Office at 938-4335 or by email at [belview@mvtvwireless.com](mailto:belview@mvtvwireless.com).

## **AFTERNOON OF FUN AND MUSIC:**

The Belview Preservation Commission along with the Old SOD Day Quartet are planning a Sunday afternoon of fun and music on April 26<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.. There will be barbeques, cookies, and coffee served. There will be a free will offering with money going towards a sound system for the Odeon Hall. Bring your own music and join the fun. Everyone welcome to participate.

## **REDWOOD COUNTY HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY:**

The Household Hazardous Waste Facility is open the first and third Tuesdays during the months of March through December. The first Tuesday of the month the time is from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m.. The third Tuesday of the month the time is from 12:00 to 4:00 p.m..

Get rid of unwanted Household Hazardous Waste and shop the product exchange room during these times free of charge.

The Redwood County Household Hazardous Waste Facility is located adjacent to the Redwood County Museum on West Highway 19, Redwood Falls.

Any questions or to make an appointment, contact the Redwood County Environmental Office at 507-637-4023.

Materials must not be discarded at the facility while unattended.

### **ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY TO RECYCLE APPLIANCES AND ELECTRONICS:**

While the City of Belview is providing for curbside appliance pick-up on May 7<sup>th</sup>. There are also a couple of important dates to keep in mind.

There is an "Earth Day Special" Appliance Recycling for \$5.00 per item on Wednesday April 22<sup>nd</sup> from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Household Hazardous Waste Facility, west of Redwood Falls. This includes items like stoves, refrigerators, washers, dryers, dish washers and microwaves. There will be a FREE collection of fluorescent light bulbs of any size. Both collections are for households only.

The second event is for recycling your electronics. Recycle your television, monitors, CPU's, and copy machines for the reduced rate of \$5.00 each during this one day event, Thursday May 28<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Redwood County Fairgrounds. All other electronic devices, including mice, keyboards, speakers printers, etc, will be recycled for free during this event.

All businesses will be charged a disposal fee of \$7.00 per item priced above. For more information or to obtain a list of acceptable items call the Redwood County Environmental Office.

Both of these events are being sponsored by the Redwood County Environmental Office, 507-637-4023.

### **ANNUAL FIREMENS DANCE**

The Belview Firemen's annual dance will be on Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at the Odeon Hall from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.. The music will be provided by Hick Town Mafia. It is sure to be a great evening of entertainment. Watch your mail for more information.

### **BELVIEW SENIOR DINING CLOSING MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>:**

We were recently notified that Lutheran Social Services terminated the agreement with the Belview Senior Dining site effective March 31<sup>st</sup>. The Belview site will be closed following that meal service day. They cited a couple of reasons for their decision. One of which was the low number of seniors being served. It is extremely unfortunate that this has happened as our senior dining site also provided meals to students and staff of the Belview Learning Center. While other possibilities are being discussed for the students and staff, our senior citizens are unfortunately left with few options at the present time. Currently, there is the Meals On Wheels program through Parkview Home. If you are up for a drive there is the Senior Dining Program in Echo. We are anxiously awaiting the opening of The Coffee Tavern here in Belview, which promises to provide us with some good home cooking. As always, we also have the delicious food at Inn Like Flinns. In these tough economic times, hard choices have to be made but it is sad when being able to provide good nutritious affordable meals to our seniors is effected.