

Luther Community Newsletter

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Monday 10:30am-6:00pm Wednesday 10:30am-6:00pm Friday 10:30am-6:00pm Saturday 10:30am-1:30pm

JANUARY 2022

Community Calendar

Jan. 1	Happy l	New	Year!

Jan. 1 Library Closed for New Years

Jan. 2 Lions Breakfast, Lions Hall, 9-11am

Jan. 6 Fire Board Meeting, Fire Hall, 7pm

Jan. 8 Yesterday's Wine, North Bar, 6-10pm

Jan. 10 Ellsworth Township Board Meeting, 7pm

Jan. 10 Sauble Township Board Meeting, 7pm

Jan. 11 Luther Village Council Meeting, 7pm

Jan. 11 Elk Township Board Meeting, 7pm

Jan. 12 Handful of Purpose - Community Food Pantry, Edgetts Wesleyan Church, 10am-12pm

Jan. 12 Dover Township Board Meeting, 7pm

Jan. 13 Prayers & Squares Ministry, Edgetts Wesleyan Church, 10am-12pm

Jan. 13 Library Board Meeting, Luther Library, 4:30pm

Jan. 15 Birthday Party, North Bar

Jan. 18 Newkirk Township Board Meeting, 7pm

Jan. 20 Eden Township Board Meeting, 7pm

Jan. 22 Cinema Saturday, Movie: Raya and the Last Dragon, Luther Library, 2pm

Jan. 26 Lions Soup & Baked Potato Bar, Lions Hall, 5-7pm

Jan. 26 Handful of Purpose - Community Food Pantry, Edgetts Wesleyan Church, 10am-12pm

Jan. 26 Peacock Township Board Meeting, 6:30pm

Jan. 27 Prayers & Squares Ministry, Edgetts Wesleyan Church, 10am-12pm

Jan. 29 Story Hour & Fire Department Bake Sale, Luther Library, 11am

WEEKLY: Senior Citizens Center - Wednesdays - Bingo, 9:30am-11am

Edgetts Wesleyan Church - Fridays - Family Game Night, 6pm - When Finished

North Bar - Tuesdays - Euchre at 6:30pm

Wednesdays – Euchre at 2pm

Luther Library - Monday - Minecraft Club, 4-6pm

Wednesday - Roblox Club, 4-6pm

"Write it on your heart that every day is the best day in the year."
-Ralph Waldo Emerson

Library News

- Monthly Board meeting, Thursday, January 13th, at 4:30pm. Public always welcome!!
- The Library will be closed December 31st January 1st in observance of the New Year.
- The Library is starting up two gamer clubs for Minecraft and Roblox. **Minecraft Club** will meet every Monday, starting January 10, from 4-6pm. **Roblox Club** will meet every Wednesday, starting January 13, from 4-6pm. All members are required to have either a Minecraft or a Roblox account to participate. To ensure the safety of our club members, they will be playing together on a private server. Contact the Library to sign up your child and reserve a spot.
- This month's Cinema Saturday movie will be *RAYA AND THE LAST DRAGON*, Rated PG. Pop and snacks will be available starting a 2pm, on January 22. Movies are funded by a grant from the Lake County Community Foundation.
- Come to the Library on January 29th for **Story Hour!** Preschool children are welcome to come to the library from 11am noon. We will read a book, do a craft or activity, and have a treat. Our special guest will be the Luther Fire Department. A **Bake Sale** to support the Luther Fire Department Rescue Sled project will also be happening. If you are interested in supporting this cause by providing baked goods, please contact Theresa at the Library.

Do you know about **Libby**? Libby is a free app that allows you to borrow e-books, magazines, and audiobooks from the Up North Digital Collection. With a library card in good standing, items may be read through an internet browser or downloaded onto a computer or digital device (Kindles, iPads, smartphones, etc.) Come to the library to get started today!

Recycle or trade-in your used electronics and appliances regardless of where you bought it, how old it is or who made it. Limited to 3 items, per household, per day at Best Buy. Check out their website at www.bestbuy.com.

Luther Lions Club News

- Luther Lions will host their monthly Breakfast on Sunday, January 2, from 9-11am adults \$9, children ages 6-12 \$4, and under the age of 6 are FREE.
- A Soup & Baked Potato Bar will be held on Wednesday, January 26, from 5-7pm at the Lions Club. Dessert, coffee, and lemonade included. Cost is a free will donation. All proceeds go towards College Scholarships for Pine River Area Students.

Luther Senior Center News

The Senior Center lunches concluded in October, but are planning on starting up again in the spring. Bingo will be held on Wednesdays only from 9:30am to 11am until further notice. Schedule may vary with the holidays.

North Bar Happenings

- Surf and Turf dinner specials every Saturday and Sunday during the month of January.
- The third Saturday of every month will be a special Birthday Party for those born in that month. January's theme will be "Country Gold."
- Yesterday's Wine will be playing January 8th from 6-10pm.

"Life isn't about finding yourself. Life is about creating yourself."
- George Bernard Shaw

Edgetts Wesleyan Church

• Handful of Purpose – Community Food Pantry, January 12 and 26, from 10am – 12pm. Please note the change in time.

Pine River Area Prayers & Squares Ministry

This interfaith quilt ministry is meeting on January 13th and 27th at the Edgetts Wesleyan Church from 10am – 12pm. All are Welcome to join. Material donations accepted. For more information contact Barb at 231-253-4522.

Pine River Preschools

Are you looking for a Preschool? Pine River Preschools are still accepting applications for the 2021-2022 school year, over the phone, and in person. These programs are offered at NO COST for families that qualify. Call Heather Peffer at 231-349-9420 to schedule an appointment, over the phone or in person.

"Keep on beginning and failing. Each time you fail, start all over again, and you will grow stronger until you have accomplished a purpose – not the one you began with perhaps, but one you'll be glad to remember."

—Anne Sullivan

Note: This Community Newsletter is accurate to the best of our ability and knowledge. If you, or your organization, would like an event posted, please contact the Library by the last week of each month. Please feel free to pass along contact information for reminders.

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