



# Luther Community Newsletter

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## Library Hours

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

## June 2021

### Community Calendar

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| June 1  | Luther Days Association Meeting, Newkirk/Village Hall, 6:30pm                           |
| June 3  | Fire Board Meeting, Luther Fire Hall, 7pm   |
| June 4  | Last Day of School for Pine River Schools   |
| June 6  | Lions Breakfast, Lions Hall, 9-11am   |
| June 8  | Elk Township Board Meeting, 7pm   |
| June 8  | Luther Village Council Meeting, 7pm   |
| June 9  | Handfuls of Purpose – Community Food Pantry, Edgetts Wesleyan Church, 8-11am            |
| June 9  | Dover Township Board Meeting, 7pm   |
| June 10 | Pine River Area Prayers & Squares Quilting Ministry, Edgetts Wesleyan Church, 10am-12pm |
| June 10 | Feeding America Food Truck, Luther Lions Club, 3:30pm or earlier                        |
| June 10 | Library Board Meeting, 4:30pm   |
| June 12 | Music by Yesterday's Wine, North Bar, 6-10pm  |
| June 14 | Ellsworth Township Board Meeting, 7pm   |
| June 14 | Sauble Township Board Meeting, 7pm  |
| June 15 | Newkirk Township Board Meeting, 7pm   |
| June 17 | Eden Township Board Meeting, 7 pm   |
| June 20 | HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!!  |
| June 20 | FIRST DAY OF SUMMER!!   |
| June 23 | Handfuls of Purpose – Community Food Pantry, Edgetts Wesleyan Church, 8-11am            |
| June 23 | Peacock Township Board Meeting, 6:30 pm   |
| June 24 | Pine River Area Prayers & Squares Quilting Ministry, Edgetts Wesleyan Church, 10am-12pm |
| June 26 | Lions Supper, Lions Hall, 5-7 pm  |

## Support your local businesses as much as possible!

- WEEKLY:**
- North Bar** – Music on the patio, Fridays 6-9pm  
Saturdays/Sundays – Breakfast buffet
  - Purchase Pavilion** – Wednesdays – Music Concerts, 6-8pm
  - Edgetts Wesleyan Church** – Family Game Night, Fridays 6-8pm

*"I wonder what it would be like to live in a world where it was always June."  
— L.M. Montgomery*

## Luther Days Association

- The next meeting will be held on June 1<sup>st</sup> at the Newkirk/Village Hall starting at 6:30pm.
- Stop by the North Bar to purchase your **Queen of Hearts Drawing** weekly tickets. Every Sunday, you may win, but you can't win without a ticket. 60% of the money goes to the winner and 40% of the money goes to the Association, to be used for the Luther Days Festival held from July 2-4. Fireworks scheduled to be Friday, July 2.
- If interested in joining in the fun, contact Connie Cohn at 734-812-5113 for more information.

## Library News

- Board meeting – June 10 at 4:30pm at the library. Public always welcome!!
- The Library is participating in **MiLibraryQuest: Summer Edition 2021**. **MiLibraryQuest** is a digital scavenger hunt put on by the libraries across Michigan for teens across the state. Teens, Grades 6-12, will have an opportunity to learn about unique animals and Michigan libraries in conjunction with this summer's theme for the Summer Reading Program, **Tails and Tales!** Teens will find descriptions of a variety of animals spread across the websites of about 170 participating libraries. Teens could also win a **prize** from their library! For further information ask a librarian or check out the website at <https://milibraryquest.wixsite.com/quest1> to register for the Current Quest. The adventure begins June 1<sup>st</sup> and continues until July 31<sup>st</sup>!!
- The Summer Reading Program will soon be upon us. Program runs from July 5 through August 13. Come into the library to register or call 231-797-8006.
- The Library will be hosting its **Annual Book Sale** during **Luther Days Festival** on July 2-3. There will be some great deals on books and other items.
- Check out the library's website for FREE virtual content available on the web.
- Are you looking for something to do? The Library Boosters are looking for a few good people to help to support the needs of the library. Contact the library, if interested.

## Lions Club News

- Monthly Breakfast will take place on Sunday, June 6, from 9-11 am. Adults \$8, Children \$4, and under the age of 6 are FREE.
- The Feeding America Food Truck will arrive on June 10. Line begins 3:30pm or earlier.
- Lions Club Dinner will be held on June 23, from 5-7 pm. It's a free will donation.

## North Bar Happenings

- Music on the outdoor patio on Friday nights from 6-9pm
- Breakfast Buffet on Saturday and Sundays
- June 12 – Music by Yesterday's Wine, 6-10pm

## St. Ignatius Church

St. Ignatius Church in Luther will be holding their Bi-Annual Rummage Sale Friday, June 4<sup>th</sup> from 9am – 3pm and Saturday, June 5<sup>th</sup> from 9am – 12pm. It will be in the basement with safety measures followed.

## Pine River Area Prayers & Squares Ministry

This ministry will be starting back up and meeting on June 10<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> at the Edgetts Wesleyan Church from 10am – 12pm. All are Welcome to join. Material donations accepted. For more information contact Barb Fitzgerald at 231-253-4522.



## Lake County Economic Development Alliance

The Lake County Economic Development Alliance continues to work with Connect Michigan to bring better broadband service to Lake County. One of the potential providers to our area is Great Lakes Energy (GLE) that is beginning to provide Truestream Service to its customers. It is important for GLE customers to register their interest with them by going online to their website or calling them at **888-485-2537**. This does not commit you to their service and only indicates your interest if it becomes available in your area. For basic service of 100 mbps the cost is \$59.99/month; 200 mbps service is \$69.99/month.

Discounts for broadband service may become available for GLE or service by other providers in the near future. Check out [www.fcc.gov/broadbandbenefit](http://www.fcc.gov/broadbandbenefit) for a **Consumer FAQ** about this FCC program and other program resources.

## GetSetUp

The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) has partnered with GetSetUp to provide free virtual classes for older adults taught by peers – ask questions, make friends, learn new things, and have fun. Use **MICHIGANHEALTH** coupon code. GetSetUp is an interactive learning platform providing health and learning benefits for older adults. Now more than ever, older adults in Michigan need access to virtual services to not only learn new skills but to socialize in order to help alleviate anxiety, depression, and isolation. Sponsored by the Michigan Health Endowment Fund, these classes are **FREE** to all older Michiganders, age 60 and over. Michigan's e-learning channel is at <https://www.getsetup.io/partner/michigan>. For help, contact GetSetUp at **1-888-559-1614** or by email [info@getsetup.io](mailto:info@getsetup.io).

## Young Adult Services – Michigan Works!

If you are between 17 to 24 years of age and are looking for employment, Michigan Works! West Central's Young Adult Services Program can help you gain the skills necessary to succeed. On-the-job training and work experience are a few of the opportunities available. For more information, contact your local Michigan Works West Central office or stop by the library for their brochure. The Baldwin office is available by appointment, curbside from 1pm to 4pm, Monday – Friday, or visit their website at [michworkswc.org/youth](http://michworkswc.org/youth).

*You can't stop the waves, but you can learn to swim.  
-- Jon Kabat-Zinn*