

## MARSHALLTOWN AREA UNITED WAY'S ANNUAL GOLF EVENT RAISES RECORD-BREAKING \$28,000+

The Marshalltown Area United Way (MAUW) is proud to announce the success of its 2025 Annual Charity Golf Event, which raised a record-breaking \$28,000+ to support programs that focus on health, youth opportunity, financial security, and resiliency in Marshall County.

Held on June 6th, at the American Legion Golf Course, this year's event brought together local businesses, community leaders, and volunteers for a fun-filled day of golfing, giving, and community building.

We are deeply grateful to our Event Sponsor, Gary Schaudt with CIACA, and our Golf Cart Sponsor, Emerson, for their leadership and commitment to the mission of MAUW. Special thanks also goes to our Exclusive Sponsors, whose generosity played a major role in this year's success: Con-Struct, First Interstate Bank, Glenwood Place, Hy-Vee, Karl's Auto Group, Legacy Real Estate, Marshalltown Speedway, McGregor's Furniture, MEMBERS1st Community Credit Union, Metronet, Pentz Appliance & TV, T2K Nutrition, and Niedermann Construction. Our appreciation extends to TFD Photo & Film, who sponsored the Lower Lounge, providing a relaxing and welcoming space for golfers after their rounds.

We also want to recognize and thank our outstanding Hole Sponsors, whose support was crucial in bringing this event to life: 19 Salon & Spa, Alerus, Anderson Funeral Home, Animal Medical Clinic, B&G HVAC, Bankers Advertising (with Peggy Hannam), Bowman & Miller P.C., Cubbies on Main, Dave's Crane, Dynamic Installations, El Portal, Electric Supply, Embers, Ethington Heating & Cooling, Eyecare Associates, Farmer's Savings Bank, Feldman Financial, GNB Bank, Hipster Sisters, Iowa Kitchen Company, Labor City Barber Shop, La Carreta Mexican Grill, Mann Construction, McAtee Tire, McFarland Clinic,

Mitchell Family Funeral Home, No Limits Real Estate, Old Timer, Opa! Grill, Premier Real Estate, Real Deals, Shomo Madsen Insurance, Sign Creations, Simms Construction, Smokin' G's, State Farm Insurance (Tyler Peschong), STR Ventures, Sub City, Tannin Inc., The 918, The Flying Elbow, The Willows, Top Crafters, Top Notch Tree Service, Vaughn's Pub, and Wells Fargo Financial Advisors (Jim Hunt).

A huge thank-you also goes out to the many businesses and individuals who donated door prizes and sponsored on-course contests—you made the day more exciting and memorable for all.

Our meal was made possible thanks to a generous meat donation from JBS, with Hy-Vee stepping up to prepare the food with excellence. Your contributions created a warm and welcoming atmosphere that golfers raved about.

We'd also like to recognize and thank the American Legion Golf Course and staff for being such wonderful hosts. Your continued partnership makes this event a staple in our community each year.

Finally, this event wouldn't have been possible without the incredible work of our Golf Committee Members: Brandon Dutton, Brooke Holven, Gary Schaudt, Kendra Sorensen, Lana Benz, Leah Stahlin, Matt Brodin, Rachel Norton, and Sampson Songkhamdet. Your passion, leadership, and coordination were key to making this year a record-breaking success.

The Annual Golf Event is more than just a fundraising event—it's a celebration of what we can accomplish when we come together. Every dollar raised will support vital programs and services in our local community through MAUW and its partner agencies.

For more information about Marshalltown Area United Way, ways to give, or upcoming events, visit [www.unitedwaymarshalltown.org](http://www.unitedwaymarshalltown.org) or follow us on Facebook and Instagram.

## 50 Days of Fair Sweet Savings

DES MOINES, IA -- Sweet news for smart Fairgoers – buy early and save big! From food to fun, planning ahead is the easiest (and sweetest!) way to stretch your budget and make the most of every Fair day. The countdown is on – only 50 days until the gates open for the sweetest days of summer! It's time to map out your visit and get ready to soak up all the food, fun and favorites of Fair Sweet Fair with all the sweet savings you can find. With new attractions, tasty treats and sweet surprises around every corner, this year's Fair is shaping up to be the sweetest one yet!

### SAVE \$5

Advance Admission tickets are on sale now for \$11 (ages 12 and up) and \$7 (ages 6-11). Admission tickets are valid for one admission to the Fair any day, August 7-17, 2025.

Outlaw Truck and Tractor Pulls Pre-Fair tickets for August 12-13 are \$25 for adults and \$20 for children (ages 2-11)

Demolition Derby Pre-Fair tickets for August 16 are just \$15 for adults (ages 12 and over) and \$10 for children (ages 2-11)

Figure 8 Race Pre-Fair tickets for August 17 are just \$15 for adults (ages 12 and over) and \$10 for children (ages 2-11)

Additional activities in the Elwell Family Park are free events.

### SAVE \$10

Advance Thrill Pass Wristband: \$30 for 40 ride credits in the main ride area, Thrill Ville, and the kids' rides in Thrill Town. This pass is good every day of the Fair, August 7-17, 2025, and credits can be added at any time.

One Day Ride Wristband: \$40 for Monday-Thursday in Thrill Ville and Thrill Town. Unlimited ride wristbands do not include games and unlimited rides only last until 10 p.m. on the day of use. Additional credits can be added at any time, but wristbands cannot be shared. This deal is only available before the Fair.

### SAVE \$16.50

Find all the fun things to do at the Fair in one place and save money. State Fair Value Packs are just \$20 and can only

be purchased before the Fair. The Value Pack includes:

- 1 Ye Old Mill ticket
- 1 Snakes Alive OR Train Exhibit ticket
- 1 Rock Wall\* OR Krazy Maze ticket
- 2 Giant Slide tickets
- 1 Sky Glider ticket
- 4 \$1 Food/beverage tickets
- 1 cup of Barksdale's State Fair Cookies

State Fair Value Packs are available at [www.iowastatefair.org](http://www.iowastatefair.org) through July 23 online or in person at the Iowa State Fair Ticket Office before August 7.

### DURING THE FAIR

Dollar Discount Days: You're in luck, save a buck. Monday-Thursday, EVERY ride and game in Thrill Town (10 a.m. to 4 p.m.) and Thrill Ville (11 a.m. to 4 p.m.) is \$1 less.

Monday-Thursday evenings; \$12 adult admission, \$8 child (ages 6-11) admission Monday-Thursday evenings, 5 to 10 p.m.

Veterans Day, Monday, Aug. 11: \$12 admission for active and former members of the U.S. military and their spouses, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Older Iowans' Day, Wednesday, Aug. 13: \$12 admission for Fairgoers ages 60+, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sunday Funday, Sunday, Aug. 17: \$12 adult (ages 12+) admission and \$8 child (ages 6-11) admission. \$9 adult admission with the donation of 3 cans of non-perishable food, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Save more to see more! There are so many sweet new things to discover at the 2025 Iowa State Fair. Check out the new locations for the Farmers Market and the brand-new Kids Makers Market, plus the all-new Variety Star Playground in the Hy-Vee Fun Forest. You'll also find more seating and shaded spaces to help you relax between all the fun. The full daily schedule will be posted in mid-July-get ready for Fair Sweet Fair!

With just 50 days to go, the countdown is officially on! Visit [www.iowastatefair.org](http://www.iowastatefair.org) for more information.

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## West Marshall Audit Report Released

Terpstra Hoke and Associates P.C., Certified Public Accountants, today released an audit report on West Marshall Community School District in State Center, Iowa.

The District's revenues totaled \$14,335,297 for the year ended June 30, 2024, a 3.3 percent decrease from the prior year. Expenses for District operations for the year ended June 30, 2024 totaled \$12,953,868, a 1.8 percent increase from the prior year.

The auditor reported eight findings related to the receipt and expenditure of taxpayer funds. They are found in the Schedule of Findings of this report. The District was provided with recommendations to address each of the findings. Three of the eight findings discussed above are repeated from the prior year.

A copy of the audit report is available for review in the District Secretary's office and on the Auditor of State's website at <https://auditor.iowa.gov/audit-reports>.

## CITY OF RHODES

**City of Rhodes**  
Special Session Council Meeting for June 23rd, 2025  
The Rhodes City Council met in Special session on June 23rd, 2025 at the Rhodes Community Building at 7:00 PM.  
Present were: Mayor Cyril Thill Council persons Jessica Armstrong, Brandon Buck, Chris Buck, Abra Dougherty, Wendy Eldridge. Others present, Nancy Youker-Raney, Vanessa Davison, Janice Eldridge  
Motion to approve previous minutes by C.

Buck 2nd by W. Eldridge. Motion carried 5-0  
Ordinance 163 rejected 0-5.  
Council reviewed, discussed, and responded to requests from Simmering-Cory, the company working the 2025 City Codification project.  
B. Buck moved to pay the Expenditures below. 2nd by C. Buck. Motion carried 5-0.  
Adjournment at 8:39 PM.  
Respectfully submitted  
Vanessa Davison, City Clerk

**EXPENDITURES in June 2025 – to be paid in Special Session June 2025**

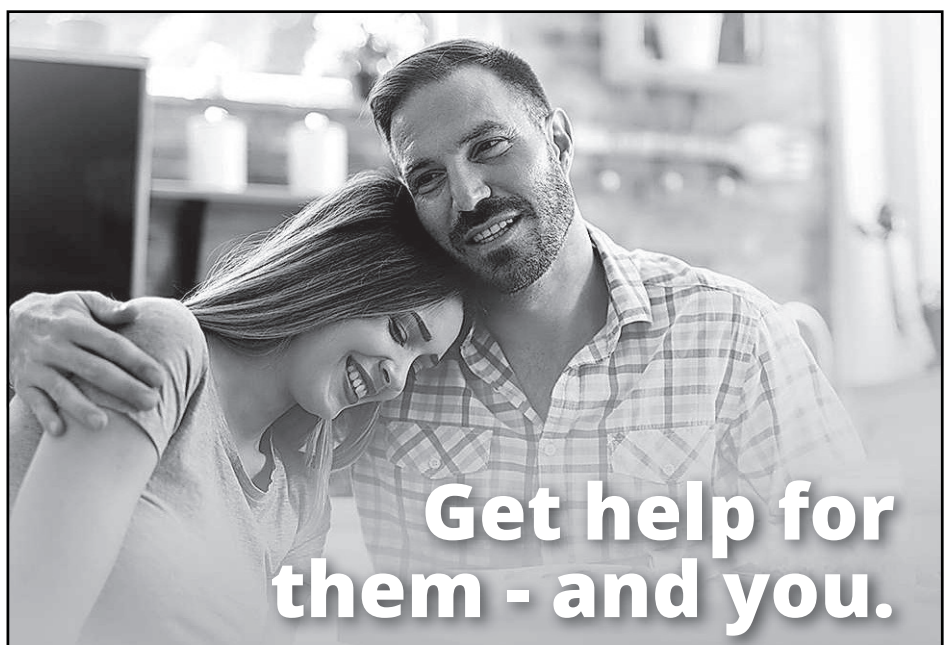
IRS	Payroll Payments for May Employees and 2nd half 2025	
	Mayor & Council	\$781.96
IPERS	Payment for May Payroll	\$528.86
IA Dept Revenue	Water Service Excise	\$369.78
Iowa DNR	Water & Wastewater Operator Cert	\$124.50
Cyril Thill	Mayor Wages	\$290.90
Jessica Armstrong.	Council Member Wages	\$110.82
Brandon Buck	Council Member Wages	\$110.82
Christopher Buck.	Council Member Wages	\$124.67
Abra Dougherty.	Council Member Wages	\$83.12
Wendy Eldridge.	Council Member Wages	\$124.67
US Postal Service.	(3 rolls of 100) "Forever" stamps	\$219.00
<b>ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURES in May 2025 – reporting in June 2025</b>		
Charge by MasterCard-Border Fees (for partition walls)		\$43.86
<b>Total Expenditures</b>		<b>\$2,912.96</b>



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