

CERESCO RESIDENT NEWSLETTER July 2019

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Village Office: 402-665-2391

Police: 402-443-1000



**** COME HELP US CELEBRATE: CERESCO'S FIRST POST OFFICE WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1869 – 150 YEARS AGO. July 11-13, 2019.**

**** REMINDER FROM CERESCO FIRE DEPARTMENT:** Please make sure your address can be seen easily in case emergency personnel need to get to you.

**** COMMUNITY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** Be a part of Gods team, by attending VBS July 22nd & July 25th from 6:15 & 8:00 pm. VBS will be hosted by Immanuel Lutheran Church in Cerescos with support from the Methodist and Covenant Churches of Cerescos. Children from Pre-K & 6th grade are welcome to attend. You can register at Cerescos Days & Kids Games & on Saturday, July 13th from 5:30 & 6:30 pm or at the church the day of VBS, Please call Immanuel Lutheran Church 402-665-2270 or Pastor Scott 402-499-4444 for more information.

**** PET LICENSES ARE PAST DUE.** Pets must be licensed EVERY YEAR by May 1st. The cost of the license is \$10.00 for dogs and \$3.00 for cats that are spayed/neutered and \$5.00 for cats that are not spayed or neutered. There is a limit of 3 dogs and 3 cats per residence. Please license your pets ASAP. Also, chicken permits are required annually. The permit cost is \$1.00. **IT IS THE PET OWNERS' responsibility** to keep their pet off other peoples property whether its a dog or cat. **DO NOT** let your pet defecate on others property or on the sidewalk (chapter 3 article 2 section 2-213). **PLEASE, CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR PET.**

**** WITH WARMER WEATHER** coming and people leaving their windows open, barking dog complaints always rise. Please be considerate of your neighbors and keep your dog quiet. Everyone has different sleep schedules and daytime sleepers have a difficult time when people leave their dogs outside all day while they are at work and not there to monitor them. Dogs should be fenced in or kept on a leash or tied up when outside.

**** MOSQUITO REMINDER:** Mosquitos carry the West Nile Virus. Ways to reduce risk of exposure are to apply insect repellent, cover up by wearing long sleeve shirts, long pants and socks sprayed with repellent while outdoors. Avoid mosquitos by limiting time outdoors between dawn and dusk. Remember to spray your yard and get rid of any standing water.

**** CERESCO DAYS YOUTH WIFFLE BALL TOURNAMENT:** Officer Chilton Leedom is hosting a 10+ Whiffle Ball Tournament on Saturday, July 13th from 11 am & 3 pm. Get your 1 & 4 person team together and sign up by contacting the Village Office (402) 665-2391 or email Chilton at cerescopolice@gmail.com. **Concession stand will be open.**

**** COMMENTS, CONCERNS, and COMPLAINTS:** Please call the Village Office 402-665-2391 if you have any comments, concerns or complaints. Or go to www.cerescone.com and click on Comments, Concerns, Complaints button and fill out the form and click submit. Please allow 48 hours for a response.

******* WARM WEATHER REMINDERS *******

**** WITH THE WARMER WEATHER:** Children and adults will be out walking, riding bikes, etc. Please be cautious when driving and slow down. **REMINDER:** If you are out walking, please wear bright or reflective clothing.

**** FIRE PITS:** There is a code regulating fires and fire pits in town, please contact the Village Office for details.

**** BUILDING PERMITS:** Many home/property improvements including fences, sidewalks, driveways, swimming pools, sheds car ports, ETC. require building permits. Please contact the Village Office with any questions.

****HELP US:** Take care of our parks and playgrounds-please supervise your children and remind them to take care of equipment, bathrooms, etc., and throw their trash away. Adults, please help monitor unattended children on the playground. Please report any suspicious behavior as soon as possible. **Both parks close at 10 PM.**

**** STREET LIGHTS:** If you see street lights not working, please call the Village Office and leave a message stating the location of the light that is out. Or you can visit www.OPPD.com, go to outages, and then click on report street light problem.

**** COVENANT COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY:** Is a food program for ANYONE in the community. It will be held the 2nd and 4th Saturdays each month from 9:00 ó 10:00 A.M, at the Evangelical Covenant Church 208 W Pine. Enter through the East door and come to the kitchen. Local delivery available. If you have questions please call 402-785-5455 or 402-890-9850 and leave a message. They will get back to you.

CERESCO LIBRARY NEWS

**** LIBRARY HOURS:** Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday: 10:00 am - noon and 2:30 - 7:00 pm, Saturdays 10:00 am ó 3:00 pm.

COMPOST SITE

**** COMPOST SITE:** Is not a dump or a landfill and **CANNOT** be treated like one. **Do not leave trash bags at the compost site.** It is a collection site for tree branches and grass clippings only. **Absolutely NO** lumber may be left at the compost site. Make sure to keep the piles separate. (Tree branches in the tree pile/grass in the grass pile.) Citations may be issued because we are at risk of losing it. Please contact the Village Office if you see any illegal dumping. A description of the vehicle and a license plate number would be a big help. The Compost site is open to Ceresco Water users only. **PLEASE DO NOT DRIVE IN THE COMPOST SITE WHEN IT IS MUDDY.**

SOLID WASTE

****GARBAGE PICKUP AND RECYCLING:** **Please make sure your toter is out the night before pickup and have the handle pointed in towards your house.** They have a new truck with an arm that lifts the toter and dumps it.

**** CARDBOARD:** The dumpster at the Village Maintenance Shop is for **CARDBOARD ONLY**. Please **break down** boxes. No carpet or other items allowed.

**** METAL:** The metal box is for **METAL ONLY**. No mattresses, couches or other trash. The dumpsters will be removed if violations continue. **THE DUMPSTERS ARE FOR VILLAGE RESIDENTS ONLY.**

**** SENIOR DINER:** Ceresco 60+ has serves lunch every Wednesday at noon in the Community Building. New members are welcome.

**** COMMUNITY CALENDAR:** Any church group or organization that would like to have an event added to the community calendar, please contact the Village Office at 402-665-2391, or email cerescoutilities@gmail.com.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

July 11th - 6:00 pm "Faith of our Fathers" - Join us for a night of praise and worship in The Ceresco Park (Will be held at the Methodist Church if it rains) guest speaker: Ron Brown **FREE WILL DONATION ACCEPTED**, Bring your own lawn chair. (concessions available)

July 12th - 4:00 pm ó Outstanding food by Ceresco Legion Post 244 (park shelter) **4:00 pm ó 9:00 pm** ó 14th Annual Car & Truck Show (park) **5:30 pm** ó Best Dressed Animal Contest (tennis court) **6:00 pm** ó Beer Garden Opens (corner of 1st & Elm) **6:45 pm** ó Kiddie Parade (south side of school) **7:00 pm** ó HUGE 150 Ceresco Days Parade (lineup corner 2nd & Spruce) **Following Parade** - Kids Races (South of tennis court) **Following Parade** ó FREE Watermelon Feed ó First Northeast Bank, Methodist church Pie and Ice-cream fundraiser **8:00 pm** Street Dance with öFour on the Floorö **Fireworks @ Dusk**

July 13th - Color Run (park) **10:00 am** 10 + Youth Whiffle ball Tournament (Ceresco Ball Field) **11:00 am ó 3:00 pm** Beer Garden Opens **2:00 pm** Annual Fire Department Water Park (in front of Fire Barn) **1:00 ó 3:00 pm** Sign up for Chinese Horseshoe tournament (Beer Garden) **3:00 pm** Fire Department fundraiser Chinese Horseshoe Tournament starts **4:00 pm** Spectacular Kids Games (park) **5:30 ó 6:30 pm** Root Beer Float Garden (park) **6:00 pm** Kiddie Tractor Pull (park) **7:00 pm** Street Dance with ö3 Wise Menö **8:00 pm**

July 16th ó Village Board Meeting ó 6:00 pm

July 22nd – July 25th ó Vacation Bible School ó Immanuel Lutheran Church

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to help make the 2019 Ceresco Days Celebration a success. There is a sign-up genius account set up for volunteers. Visit <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C49ABAC2EA1FA7-ceresco2> to sign up!

