

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES SHEET

August 12, 2018

Please turn in announcements by 10:30 on Wednesday mornings to the office of the First Christian Reformed Church: office@firstcrc.com or 712-722-0717.

Monday, August 13: A Community Impact Night Fundraiser for Rog & Diane Koele will be held at the Sioux Center Pizza Ranch from 5-8pm. A silent auction will also be held and donations are welcomed. Ten percent of the sales and 100% of all donations will go towards Rog's ALS treatment expenses and future needs. Call Deb Feekes (712-441-1767) for more information.

Advance Announcements

Wednesday, August 22: Freshmen Orientation will be held at Unity Christian High School at 7:00pm. All freshmen and their parents are expected to attend. Informational meetings, walk through of classes, meeting teachers, and a parent/student photo for freshmen directory will also be taken this evening.

Thursday, August 23: School begins at Unity Christian High School at 8:20am with dismissal at 11:50am.

Thursday, August 23 – Thursday, November 8: A *GriefShare* support group in Sioux Center will begin again on Thursdays from 6:45pm – 9:00pm for 13 weeks at New Life Reformed Church's Chapel. The cost is \$20 for the workbook; scholarships are available to cover this cost. For more information or to register, please call Arlis De Boer at 712-441-0217. Registration is also available online at www.nlrchurch.org.

Saturday, August 25: Sioux Center Christian School invites you to join our Back to School Bash! Please come for a freewill supper served from 5-7pm, proceeds support The Legacy Plan. Inflatables and activities for kids will be held from 4-8pm and an Outdoor Movie, "The Little Rascals", starting at 8pm.

Thursday, August 30: Are you an expectant mother or the mother of a child/children up to five years old? Then Mother Of PreSchoolers is looking for you! Come join the Sioux Center MOPS group where you'll find spiritual encouragement, friendship, and lots of coffee as well as childcare. Drive-through Registration is set for 10am-12pm at First Reformed Church in Sioux Center. For details, find us on Facebook @SiouxCenterMOPS.

Tuesday, September 11: Love INC's fall session of Love & Learn classes will begin at Trinity CRC in Rock Valley. We will be offering our Faith & Finance class and *GriefShare*. If you would be able to share your time, talent or treasure to help support these programs, it would be a wonderful opportunity to serve in the community. We could use volunteers for greeters, coffee/snack makers, and servers, childcare coordinator/workers, and Faith and Finance mentors. If you would like to volunteer or register for these classes, please contact Love INC at 712-476-5990.

Tuesday, September 11: Bible League International's MINN-IA-KOTA retreat will be held at First Reformed in Sioux Center at 9:30am. Join Liz Curtis Higgs, Jennifer Frens, Bible League International leaders and volunteers in providing you a special day with an evening concert by the Matthews Brothers. Registration brochures are available online at bibleleague.org/retreat18.

Tuesday, September 11: The Kyiv Symphony Orchestra Chorus, in association with Music Mission Kiev (Ukraine), will be touring the Midwestern United States and making a stop in Sioux County for a concert at Dordt College. This will be the 14th tour to the U.S. for this fine ensemble. Their mission is to transform lives through music, and to share a message of what is currently happening in Ukraine. Homestays for Tuesday evening are needed for the approximately 50 adult musicians in this ensemble. If you are willing to contribute to this effort, please contact Sanneke Kok at sanneke.c.kok@gmail.com or 712-722-2254.

Requested Announcements

Unity Christian High School is seeking a kitchen staff member for the 2018-19 school year. This position requires a commitment of 15 hours/week. For more information, please contact Becky Scholten at gbschlt@premieronline.net or call the school office at 737-4114.

Want to help us transform people's lives? Need a job during school hours? Like greeting people and keeping things organized? Center for Financial Education is searching for an energetic, organized, friendly self-starter with competent phone skills and knowledge of, or ability to learn Microsoft Office and work for 25-30 flexible daytime hours/week. To learn more or to apply (cover letter and resume), email tricia@cfeministries.org or mail to Center for Financial Education, Attn: Tricia, PO Box 343, Sioux Center, IA 51250.

Sioux Center MOPS is looking for babysitters for the 2018-2019 season. Please contact Vanessa Steiger at (712)463-2004 if you are willing to help (background check required). Meetings are the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of September through May, and we would appreciate the hours of 8:45-11:15am. Ages range from newborn to preschool, and a small group of older homeschool kids.

MANAGER OF CHURCH AND PUBLIC RELATIONS: Hope Haven is looking to hire a leader who seeks more than a job, but a calling to work through your belief as a Christ-centered person of faith. This position will represent the philosophy of Hope Haven to the public and assure a dynamic and on-going public relations effort with churches, civic groups, schools, the business community, the Hope Haven constituency, and the general public. This position will also be active in fund raising through the support of the Hope Haven Foundation. The successful candidate will be a self-starter, comfortable with public speaking, demonstrate above average writing and computer skills, and be willing to travel extensively to call on churches and civic groups within a 100 mile radius of Rock Valley, IA. Occasional overnight travel and work on Sundays is required. A bachelor's degree or significant applicable experience is required and five years' experience in a related field. Please contact Mark Siemonsma at msiemons@hopehaven.org for more information or go to www.hopehaven.org/careers.