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Chamber members may submit articles
by the 15th of each month to be
included in the next chamber newsletter.

Articles written may be edited or
reduced as space provides.

Contact Kris Burt at 284-9028 or
email at cwkkburt@msn.com.

WALCOTT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
P.O. Box 388 • Walcott, IA 52773

CHAMBER DIRECTORS

Brent Arp, President
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For Chamber information or meeting
times and dates contact
Brent Arp 284-6244.

Walcott CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

NEWSLETTER

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NEW MEMBER HIGHLIGHT - THE JEWELED LEAF

1. Name and Location of Business: **The Jeweled Leaf, 329 Dodge St. Suite 2, Buffalo, IA 52728**
2. Year you started in Business: **2018**
3. Products and/or Services you provide: **Full service floral and gift shop; delivery to local area.**
4. Number of employees/locations: **Just myself currently**
5. Business hours and contact information: **Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. Saturday 10 A.M.- 4 P.M. Holiday and special occasion hours are posted**



**Contact: JBernauer@thejeweledleaf.com
(563) 529-3672 Website: Thejeweledleaf.com
Facebook and Instagram @thejeweledleaf**

6. What sets you apart from your competition? **TJL is very supportive of other local small businesses and crafters. We feature many handcrafted and locally grown products. We also encourage unique and custom designed fresh flower arrangements for all occasions.**
7. Where and who is your customer base: **Local - QC and surrounding area**
8. What are you looking for in a customer/client? **We welcome all budgets, ideas and customers.**
9. Why did you decide to get into this line of business? **I have always loved working with plants and flowers. In college, I trained to become a Floral Designer for all occasions. I had an opportunity to start up my own shop in the fall of last year and we made that dream a reality in December 2018.**
10. Any special certifications, acknowledgements, recognitions, awards, etc.: **Award winner of the Bonnetts Surprise Box Contest in 2008.**
11. Why did you decide to join the Walcott Chamber? **I would love to see more businesses in our small towns and more local support.**
12. What is it about Walcott that you like? **I lived in Walcott in the 2000's, ran for Walcott Queen in 2002, worked at Grandma's Kitchen and The Walcott Family Pet Clinic until college. I got to know many of the people and businesses in town. I would love to extend my business reach to the surrounding small towns and great people.**
13. Personal information (family, education, hobbies): **Graduated from Durant High School in 2004; attended Kirkwood Community College for**

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Veterinary Technician; Worked as Lead Tech/ Surgery Tech at a vet hospital and Floral shop until retiring from Vet Med this last fall; Married to Edward Bernauer III; no children currently but many pets; live in Buffalo; own and run Bernauer Properties LLC (rental properties) as well as TJJ; spend my free time in the yard, working on the garden, demolishing and renovating properties and relaxing with our family.

14. Other organizations/groups you belong to: *We collaborate with the City of Buffalo for local events.*

15. Any special promotions/ads that you run and when: *We do weekly and monthly specials, random prize giveaways, customer contests and more. We encourage people to interact on Facebook, Instagram, our Website, Google, Yelp and in store.*

*Wedding? Holiday?
Birthday? Prom?
We can do it all!*

The Jeweled Leaf
Custom floral design

**329 Dodge St. Suite 2
Buffalo, IA 52728
(563) 529-3672**

WALCOTT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

“Thank you” to everyone that visited, contributed, or helped with our new exhibit, “Wedding Traditions, Remembered”. It was a great Walcott Day weekend! We were excited to display 13 wedding dresses with their many stories. Did you see the 1947 wedding dress made from a parachute

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that the groom sent home during his service in WWII or the 1929 Flapper style wedding dress? If not, stop in and take a peek.

The exhibit will be available thru September. If you missed seeing it, please contact any member of the Walcott Historical Society or Karen Puck (563-284-6438) to make an appointment.

NEWS FROM CALVARY

JOHN 19: 18 THERE THEY CRUCIFIED HIM, AND WITH HIM TWO OTHERS, ONE ON EITHER SIDE, WITH JESUS BETWEEN THEM.

TIM 2: 5-6 FOR THERE IS ONE GOD; THERE IS ALSO ONE MEDIATOR BETWEEN GOD AND HUMANKIND, CHRIST JESUS, HIMSELF HUMAN, WHO GAVE HIMSELF A RANSOM FOR ALL- THIS WAS ATTESTED AT THE RIGHT TIME.

REV 5: 6 THEN I SAW BETWEEN THE THRONE AND THE FOUR LIVING CREATURES AND AMONG THE ELDERS A LAMB STANDING AS IF IT HAD BEEN SLAUGHTERED, HAVING SEVEN HORNS AND SEVEN EYES, WHICH ARE THE SEVEN SPIRITS OF GOD SENT OUT INTO ALL THE EARTH.

THE ROMANS, IN ANCIENT TIMES, WORSHIPED A GOD NAMED JANUS. JANUS WAS THE GOD OF BEGINNINGS AND ENDINGS, AND SO, ALSO THE GOD OF TRANSITIONS. ONE WOULD FIND JANUS HONORED AT GATES, DOORS, AND PASSAGES BUT ALSO AT CERTAIN TIMES. THE JULIAN CALENDAR BEGINS – AND SO ALSO ENDS WITH JANUARY, HONORING JANUS, THE GOD OF THE TRANSITION BETWEEN AN END AND A BEGINNING.

I'M NOT ADVOCATING FOR AN ANCIENT ROMAN BELIEF. I'M simply pointing out that the ANCIENT ROMANS PERCEIVED SOMETHING, IMPERFECTLY, AT WORK IN THE IN-BETWEEN PLACES. WHAT THEY PERCEIVED, IMPERFECTLY, WAS OUR VERY OWN JESUS, WHO HAS ALWAYS STOOD BETWEEN ONE PERSON AND ANOTHER, BETWEEN GOD AND HUMANITY, AND BETWEEN HEAVEN AND EARTH. SO, WE ARE NEVER ALONE, NEVER WITH-

★★★ WALCOTT COMMUNITY CLUB ★★★

★ GOLF OUTING ★

August 17 - Contact Dave Arp for details at (563) 529-5519.

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OUT THAT HOLY POWER, EVEN WHEN WE FIND OURSELVES IN-BETWEEN A ROCK AND A HARD PLACE.

MANY ARE FINDING THEMSELVES RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF THAT UNCOMFORTABLE PLACE, IN BETWEEN HOW THINGS HAVE BEEN, AND WHERE THINGS SEEM TO BE GOING. EVERY WEEK SEEMS TO REVEAL SOME NEW TECHNOLOGICAL WONDER OR NIGHTMARE, DEPENDING ON YOUR PERSPECTIVE. IN THE PAST YEAR WE HAVE SEEN NO END OF UPSETS AND SURPRISES, AND IT DOESN'T SEEM TO MATTER IF WE'RE TALKING LOCALLY, DENOMINATIONALLY, OR GLOBALLY. NEXT YEAR WILL BRING NEW ELECTIONS, ANOTHER EMOTIONALLY LADEN GENERAL CONFERENCE, AND, WE CAN ASSUME, EVEN MORE UPSETS AND SURPRISES ON THE INTERNATIONAL SCENE. WHY WOULD THIS YEAR BE DIFFERENT?

AS WE MAKE OUR WAY, HOWEVER, STRIVING TO FIND A PATH FROM WHERE WE HAVE BEEN TO WHERE WE WANT TO BE, LET'S TRY TO STAY OPEN TO TRYING NEW THINGS, NEW STRATEGIES, NEW TOOLS, WHILE MAINTAINING THE VALUES THAT DEFINE US AS A PEOPLE. OUR PRACTICES, STRATEGIES AND TOOLS ARE DEVELOPED OVER TIME FROM OUR VALUES, FROM WHO WE ARE. OUR VALUES ARE NOT PRODUCED FROM OUR PRACTICES.

MANY ARE FEELING SOME ANXIETY RIGHT NOW WITH EVERYTHING THAT'S GOING ON IN OUR WORLD, BUT AS I SAID, RIGHT NOW, AS WE STAND IN BETWEEN WHERE WE'VE BEEN AND THE FUTURE WE WANT TO LIVE IN, THIS IS THE PERFECT TIME TO REMEMBER THAT WE ARE SURROUNDED BY GREAT POWER! THE SAME JESUS WHO HAS WALKED EVERY STEP WITH US SO FAR IS RIGHT HERE, WHERE WE STAND IN THIS PRESENT MOMENT. HAVE FAITH, SOMETHING AWESOME IS JUST BEGINNING!

SEE YOU ON THE ROAD,
PASTOR AL



PRESCHOOL NEWS:

CALVARY PRESCHOOL IS CURRENTLY ENROLLING 3-5 year olds for fall. PLEASE PUT THE FOLLOWING DATES ON YOUR CALENDAR:

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15TH 7:00 p.m.: PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27TH 5:30-7:00 p.m.: MEET & GREET (THIS IS AN EVENING FOR FAMILIES TO COME AND SHOW THE CHILDREN THE CLASSROOMS AND MEET THEIR TEACHER)

CALL FOR REGISTRATION FORMS: 563-284-6122 OR TEXT 563-340-2359.

CALVARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

is sponsoring a

City-Wide Bags Tournament

on Saturday, Sept.14th

at 1:00 p.m.

at Victory Park.



(To be held in the Church Social Hall if there is rain). This is a Fund raiser and all proceeds go back to the community. If you are interested in helping or have questions, please call Chuck Otto at 563-785-2059 or Larry Smith at 563-284-6519. Registration will begin at noon the day of the tournament. The cost for a team of 2 is \$30.00. Bring your own beverages.



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WALCOTT VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.

JUNE 2019 Calls

EMS	15
Assist	6
MVC	3
Hazmat	3
Fire	4
Month Total	31
Year to Date Total	161

REMEMBER

Steak Fry

Sept 21st

SEE YOU THERE



PEACH PIE WINNERS



37 peach pies were entered into the 38th Annual Walcott Day Pie Contest. Mary Golinghorst was selected Grand Champion. The highest selling pie was baked by Donna Claussen and was sold and resold twice for a total of \$1,225 to Ruby Claussen & Family in Memory of Leroy Claussen, to the Walcott Community Club and to Slaby's. The total amount raised was \$10,455!

Additional finalists were:

SENIOR DIVISION

- 1st - Mary Golinghorst
- 2nd - Janet Brockmann
- 3rd - Kyle August
- 4th - Donna Claussen
- 5th - Patty Herkelman

JUNIOR DIVISION

- 1st - Isaac August
- 2nd - Evelyn August
- 3rd - Madeline Paustian
- 4th - Lillian Cheney
- 5th - Allison Toft



Planning on reroofing or siding your home or business? Here's a reminder that a building permit is required before works begins. A building permit application can be obtained and processed at the Building Department in Walcott's City Hall. 563.284.6571 x18.

ATTENTION WALCOTT RESIDENTS

Nomination papers are available at City Hall, 128 W. Lincoln Street, for any eligible elector in the City of Walcott desiring to become a candidate for the Walcott Municipal election on November 5, 2019. Three council member positions for four-year terms will be on the ballot.

Candidates MUST file nomination petitions and affidavit of candidacy papers with the Scott County Auditor. Nomination papers can only be filed with the Scott County Auditor during the filing period, which begins on Monday, August 26th and ends on Thursday, September 19th by 5:00 p.m.

Reminder – Walcott School will be starting classes on August 26th. Please watch for increased traffic and children walking and biking to school and obey the temporary STOP signs at the intersection of Main and James Streets.



WALCOTT ORGANIZATIONS

The Quad City Convention Bureau has a website, www.visitquadcities.com, which lists upcoming community events. Walcott organizations are able to go to the website and submit their community events. Also, please submit updated contact information to City Hall so the organization contacts on the City website can be updated.



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Families mark your calendars for September 9-13th. We recently learned that the Walcott Branch will be hosting the new IPTV STEAM Trailer during this week! The STEAM Trailer brings many activities to libraries, schools and communities across the State promoting literacy, kindergarten readiness, and all aspects of STEAM subjects. The activities are suited for most ages and we will be booking group visits to take advantage of the offerings in addition to some drop-in times. Volunteers will be needed to help guide participants through the activities. If you are interested in volunteering or booking a group visit, please contact Tami at 563-285-4794, ext. 5.

Fridays at 10:00am in August--Story Time: Join us for stories, songs, a craft & more! Let's Go On A Picnic (8/2), Hot Dogs! Hamburgers! Get 'Em While They're Hot! (8/9), Everybody Loves A Pizza (8/16). A Slice Of Cake, Please (8/23), and Going Bananas (8/30)

Thursday, August 8th from 3:00-5:00pm --- Friendship Bracelet Class --Must be at least 7 to participate and all supplies will be provide.

Tuesday, August 13th from 3:00-4:00pm --- Boxes, Books and More -- We'll have a short story time from 3:00-3:30 and plenty of time to build with boxes. Additional box activities will also be offered.

Wednesday, August 14th from 3:00-5:00pm --- Ice Cube Painting -- Light refreshments will be served.

Wednesday, August 21st from 3:00-5:00pm --- Bookworm Bookmark Project -- Light refreshments will be served.

Thursday, August 22nd from 5:00-7:00pm --- Make and Take Tablecloth Wreath Project - Cost is

\$8 for supplies and pre-registration is required by August 20th.

As you are shopping for school supplies, don't forget the most important thing in your backpack -- your library card! If you haven't visited the Walcott Branch, please stop in and see us. We have collections of magazines, books, music, audiobooks, DVDs and Blu rays, museum passes and so much more. Unlock a world of possibilities at your Walcott Branch!



Congratulations to Richard Golinghorst and Kristal Koberg Schaefer winners of the 2019 Walcott Day Community Service Award.

THANK YOU

Lila Schaeffer for all you did in 2018.

Congrats Nevaeh Carmack-Calloway on being 2019 Walcott Day Princess.



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Friday, August 23rd at dusk (8:00 pm) Legion dinner is from 4-8 pm
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Pancake Breakfast
& BAKE SALE

Blue Grass Legion Home
 106 South Juniata Street
 Saturday, **August 3, 2019**, 6:30 to 10:00 AM
All You Can Eat

Pancakes**Scrambled Eggs**Sausage
 Omelets**Homemade Syrup**Potatoes
 Cinnamon Rolls** Biscuits & Gravy

Juice**Milk**Coffee

Adults: \$7 Children 4-12: \$3.50
 Under 4: FREE

Open to the Public
 American Legion Post 711
 Blue Grass, Iowa

Walcott Legion Post 548
 Walcott, Iowa

**SMOKED PORK CHOP
 SUPPER**

Friday, August 23, 2019

Serving 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Donation of \$11.00 in advance, \$12.00 at the door
 Children's Chicken Nugget Meal - \$4.00
 Homemade Desserts - \$1.50
 Raffles & 50/50

Advance tickets available from Walcott Legion &
 Auxiliary members

For further information, call 284-6640



AUGUST



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 10:00-11:15am Story Time @ Library	3
4	5 6pm City Council Meeting @ City Hall	6	7 5:15pm Park Board Meeting @ City Hall	8 3-5pm Friendship Bracelet Class @ Library	9 10:00-11:15am Story Time @ Library	10
11	12 6pm Planning & Zoning Meeting @ City Hall	13 3-4pm Boxes, Books & More @ Library	14 3-5pm Ice Cube Painting @ Library	15 7pm Parent Information Night @ Calvary	16 10:00-11:15am Story Time @ Library	17
18 1:30pm ASHHS Quarterly @ Legion	19 6pm City Council Meeting @ City Hall	20	21 3-5pm Bookworm Bookmark Project @ Library	22 5-7pm Make & Take Tablecloth Wreath Project @ Library	23 10:00-11:15am Story Time @ Library 5-8pm Lions Smoked Pork Chop Dinner @ Legion Movie Night in the Park	24 10am-12pm Card Making Class @ Calvary Church
25	26 First Day of School	27 5:30-7pm Meet & Greet @ Calvary Church	28 6-8pm Alzheimer's Support Group @ Calvary Church	29	30 10:00-11:15am Story Time @ Library	31



AMERICAN/SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN
HERITAGE SOCIETY (ASHHS)
QUARTERLY MEETING

DATE: August 18, 2019
TIME: 1:30 pm
LOCATION: Walcott American Legion
121 W. Bryant St., Walcott, Iowa

PROGRAM:

Marcie Siegel presenting a travelogue on the second half of her trip on RIVERS OF GERMANY, followed by Franz and Sam playing lively German music.

Light refreshments will be provided.
The program is free and open to the public.

For more information call Mary Ann Muller 284-6640



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