



Town and Country News

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Truro Betterment Committee:

Don't forget to Vote November 4th

This Months Activities:

Fire & Rescue Fundraiser
Beef & Noodles: Nov 2nd, 11-2
pm at the Truro Lions Hall.

\$6 for adults and \$4 for children
Truro Lions Election Soup
Supper: Nov. 4th 5pm till 7pm.

Truro Lions Breakfast: Nov.
1st and 15th. On the 15th the
Supervisors will be present for
general discussion about roads
and other county matters.

Holiday Bazaar: Nov. 22nd
9am-3pm at the High School.

Library News

Hours

Tuesday 10-12 & 1-6

Wednesday 3-6

Thursday 10-12 & 1-6

Sat 9-12

President: Helen Elben

Secretary: Phyllis Glasscock

Board Members: Harriet
Husted, Barbara Cook and
Helen Lorenzen.

TRURO HOLIDAY BAZAAR

Plan on attending this year's Truro Holiday Bazaar on November 22, 2008 from 9 am to 3 pm at the Interstate 35 school.

There will be the usual cookies and candies for sale from the Betterment Committee as well as our 125th Anniversary Calendars and T-shirts.

Plan on bringing your appetite as breakfast and lunch will be served. This includes cinnamon rolls & chili.

There will be plenty of crafts and this year we will add a variety of vendors like Mary Kay, Pampered Chef and Gold Canyon candles as well as a variety of other vendors.

This will be a perfect time to get those Christmas gifts. So put this date on your calendar: Saturday, November 22 from 9 am 'til 3 pm.

We are looking for crafters and vendors to set up that day. There will be a charge of \$15 to set up on the day of and \$10 if you reserve a spot and pay in advance. Please contact Joan Mease at 641-765-4863

We are also looking for people to donate Christmas cookies and candies for the bake sale. If you are interested in donating please contact Joan Mease at 641-765-4863 or Michell at Union State Bank in Truro, we also have an e-mail address: trurobettermentcomm@yahoo.com.



We now have an E-mail address. Please feel free to send us an e-mail anytime.

trurobettermentcomm@yahoo.com

Please let us know if there is anyone that would like to receive the news letter by e-mail.

Please send all mail inquiries to Truro Betterment Committee, PO Box 174, Truro IA 50257



Volunteer of the Month!

Helen Elben

If you want something done ask the busiest person in town. She is known for the following:

- President of the Library Board for 27 years.
- Volunteer at the Madison Co. Historical Complex and the Madison Co. Tourism.
- Active in the United Methodist Church.
- Member and Officer in the New Virginia and St. Charles Eastern Star.
- Helps those in the community that are shut ins, by taking them there mail or to doctor appointments.
- Volunteers at the I-35 Schools.

She serves on the election board in Truro.

She has received the following awards:

- Iowan Volunteer by the Governor
- State Fair Volunteer
- IA Volunteer Hall Of Fame
- ROSE Award for adopt a Highway.

These are just a few of the activities and awards that Helen has been involved in or received.

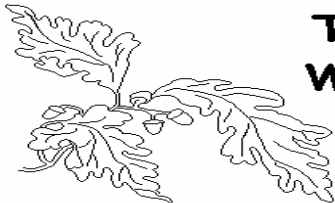
We would like to share with Helen our appreciation for everything that she does to help our community and it's citizens.

Thanks Helen!!!!

Interstate 35 PTO

The I-35 PTO had an outstanding attendance for their 1st annual Trunk or Treat. There were lots of kids with their families and in great costumes. The trunks were decorated very creatively. The Smoke House and the Fire Truck and Ambulance were a big hit with the kids. We hope to do this again next year and have a great turn out again. Thanks to all who participated and to those also who made the night possible.

Thanksgiving Word Search



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Fire & Rescue

Correction to last months newsletter. The Association Officers got left off in error we are very sorry about that. They are as follows:

President – Julie Morris

Vice President – Tammy Brown

Sec/Treas. – Mary Lou Parker

The Truro Fire and Rescue has had a very busy couple of months. We had an unusual stretch of about 6 calls in 3 days. We have had several EMS calls and a couple fires recently. We are now up to around 100 calls for the year. The Fire Dept. has also been very busy outside of our emergency calls.

We had a weekend training event that in total lasted over a day. We were able to use the equipment at the park and had several stations set up including advanced search and rescue training, pump operations, and tanker operations. We have a few new members on the Dept. so this was not only a great refresher for some, but provided some good initial training for our new members. A special THANK YOU to the members families and association members for providing a picnic lunch for all the fire fighters.

We have also been busy in getting the new building addition started. Dirt work has been started and plans are getting finalized to get the addition rolling. The Dept. is still in need of some funds to finish the addition, so any donations would be greatly appreciated and could be taken to city hall. The new addition will be able to provide us room for greatly needed new fire trucks and more room for personnel which right now is a large safety factor.

The Dept. has also been providing EMS coverage for all the football games at the high school including varsity, JV, Junior High and little league. All the members deserve praise for stepping up and making sure this coverage was always there. The Dept. would also like to thank New Virginia Fire and Rescue for assisting us at the games when we were on other emergency calls and not able to be there.

The Fire Dept. is doing great in numbers right now but any additional volunteers is always appreciated. If anyone is interested, you can contact Fire Chief Jeremy Ransom for information.



This story can fit 75-125 words.

Selecting pictures or graphics is an important part of adding content to your newsletter.

Think about your article and ask yourself if the picture supports or enhances the message you're trying to convey. Avoid selecting images that appear to be out of context.

Microsoft Publisher includes thousands

of clip art images from which you can choose and import into your newsletter. There are also several tools you can use to draw shapes and symbols.

Once you have chosen an image, place it close to the article. Be sure to place the caption of the image near the image.



Truro Betterment Committee Members:

President: Tim Palmer

Treasurers: Michell Sciarrotta and Jennifer Collins

Secretary: Abbey Mease

Members:

Back Page Story Headline

This story can fit 175-225 words.

If your newsletter is folded and mailed, this story will appear on the back. So, it's a good idea to make it easy to read at a glance.

A question and answer session is a good way to quickly capture the attention of readers. You can either compile questions that you've received since the last edition or you can summarize some generic questions that are frequently asked about your organization.

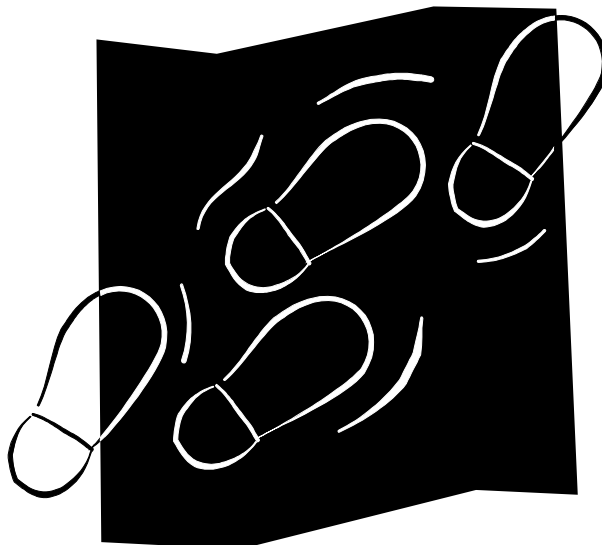
A listing of names and titles of managers in your organization is a good way to give your newsletter a personal touch. If your organization is small, you may want to list the names of all employees.

If you have any prices of standard products or services, you can include a listing of those here. You may want to refer your readers to any other forms of communication that you've created for your organization.

You can also use this space to remind readers to mark their calendars for a regular event, such as a breakfast meeting for vendors every third Tuesday of the month, or a

biannual charity auction.

If space is available, this is a good place to insert a clip art image or some other graphic.



Caption describing picture or graphic.