



# the Lindsborg City View

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## ***City, community partners collaborate on emergency planning***

*By Kristi Northcutt, City Administrator*

**“Plans are useless; but planning is indispensable.”** – Dwight D. Eisenhower

On a Friday morning in April, a couple dozen people filled the Levin Room at Bethany College to participate in an emergency planning tabletop that conceptualized an active shooter at the Social Science building. The number of people wounded and killed, weather conditions, the ability to use cell phones, number of shooters, number of visitors on campus, and other variables were put into the tabletop for the three groups. Participants included the college, City, Lindsborg Community Hospital, Bethany Village, and USD400, and was led by Russell/Ellsworth County Emergency Management officials.



The moderator of the event reiterated that while it's imperative for every entity to have an Emergency Response Plan, it's not as much about the plan itself as it is the planning. Sitting down and talking out scenarios, assessing plans, resources, capabilities and gaps, and how to tap into other entities across the community ensures that lines of communication are open.

With that mindset, McPherson County Emergency Management has stepped up its efforts in the last several months to engage a Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC). This group includes members from every city in the county, law enforcement, EMS, fire departments, school districts, senior living facilities, childcares, hospitals, and representatives from major employers like CHS and Pfizer in McPherson. Plans are being discussed and shared, and capabilities and gaps are being assessed so that emergencies in any one of the county's cities would have a coordinated, mutual aid style response.

One tool that the LEPC is evaluating is whether McPherson County should offer a Community Emergency Response Team (CERT). This program was developed by the Los Angeles City Fire Department in 1985, and offers a consistent, nationwide approach to volunteer training and organization that professional responders can rely on during disaster situations, allowing them to focus on more complex tasks. Last year, the City of Lindsborg took steps to begin the process of becoming a CERT community when we sent Officer Eric Kruckenberg to training to become an instructor. He remains an active voice in the CERT conversation with both the city and county.

Chief Davis and I serve as members of the LEPC, representing the city for McPherson County Emergency Management. We participate in meetings and trainings and are coordinating emergency response plans with entities across the city, specifically those who were participants in the tabletop exercise at Bethany College. Additionally, as you'll read in the Public Safety section, part of the Safety Center renovation was to address flooding of the EMS basement, which serves as an Emergency Operations Center (EOC) for the city.

General Dwight D. Eisenhower said, “In preparing for battle I have always found that plans are useless, but planning is indispensable.” We hope that citizens of Lindsborg can rest a little easier knowing that the City takes a proactive role in planning for the worst, but always hoping for the best.

Learn more at [www.mcphersoncountyks.us/104/Preparedness-Tips](http://www.mcphersoncountyks.us/104/Preparedness-Tips), including how to prepare a disaster kit.





# City Council

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



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## Election Year 2024

April 2024 is gearing up to be an important, and busy, election season both locally and on the national scene. Here are some important dates and details to keep in mind so you don't miss your chance to exercise your right to vote.

- **April 30:** Deadline to register to vote or update voter registration information, if not already registered. Party Affiliation changes are NOT necessary for this election.
- **May 1:** First day of advance voting. Advance ballots by mail are sent out and In-person advance voting begins.
- **May 14:** Last day to apply for advance ballot by mail.
- **May 20:** In-Person advance voting ends at noon.
- **May 21:** HOSPITAL TAX SPECIAL ELECTION DAY. All regular polling places open 7 a.m.-7 p.m.
- **May 23:** Post Election Audit at the County Courthouse, basement level, 10:30 a.m.
- **May 28:** County Canvass. Provisional ballots will be opened and counted after permission is granted and final official results will follow.
- **Aug. 6:** PRIMARY ELECTION
- **Nov. 5:** GENERAL ELECTION

## Lindsborg Voting Sites

Voting/polling locations for Lindsborg based on your ward:  
 Ward 1: Villa Ro, 421 E. Saline  
 Ward 2: Bethany Cottages Community Room, 404 W. State  
 Ward 3: Lindsborg Senior Center, 116 S. Main  
 Ward 4: Sundstrom Conference Center, 102 N. Main

The McPherson County Clerk oversees elections. Visit [mcphersoncountyks.us/946/Elections](http://mcphersoncountyks.us/946/Elections) for more information.

## Two Lindsborg favorites return in May and June

You don't have to be a kid to love the Coronado Heights Kite Fly (**May 18, 11 a.m.-4 p.m.**). Enjoy a day of kite flying, either flying yourself or watching others, during this popular springtime event. You can purchase a kit and make your own kite to fly on the spot limited kits available on site. Additional kits can be purchased at Trollslanda Toy Store (135 N. Main St.).

Midsummer's Festival (**June 15**) is always a fun-filled day for the entire family, including a free swim at the local pool, Viking reenactments and demonstrations, Kubb Tournament, Swedish Dancing, craft demonstrations, and food vendors, including the Lindsborg Swedish Folkdancers serving Viking-on-a-Stick.

More info for both events can be found at [VisitLindsborg.com](http://VisitLindsborg.com).

## City reminds graduates to plan a return to Lindsborg

For the third year in a row, Smoky Valley High School graduates will receive a gift from the City of Lindsborg, honoring their success. A personalized dala horse key chain, bearing the graduate's first name on one side and their graduation year on the other, is hand painted by an artist at the Hemslojd and presented to graduates by Mayor Clark Shultz and City Administrator Kristi Northcutt. With the keychain is a handwritten note, personalized to each graduate.

In presenting the gifts, City leaders share with graduates that they should always feel at home in Lindsborg – whether they stay after graduation to work or further their education or move away from the city and choose to come back one day for a visit or to make a permanent home. Wherever their plans take them, they'll always have a piece of Lindsborg with them for their journey.



### K-4 project greenlit for development by KDOT

On March 7, 2024, Governor Laura Kelly announced the latest projects that would be included in the next phase of the Kansas Department of Transportation's Eisenhower Legacy Transportation Program (IKE Program). Among the modernization projects selected was the K-4 at Bethany Drive realignment that leads into Lindsborg from the north. Due to continued deterioration of the bridge, the cost of upkeep/repair, and it no longer serving a purposeful function since the railroad abandoned the area, the project would remove the bridge and provide a new entrance into Lindsborg from K-4 highway. This announcement places this project in KDOT's development pipeline along with numerous other projects occurring around the state. A select number of projects move into the construction pipeline in future phases; it's unclear at this time when this project would move to that stage.

This is a KDOT project, estimated to cost \$8-10 million, with all funding and construction-related activities going through the state. There will be no Lindsborg resident-specific taxes needed to fund this project. Lindsborg city staff will assist in logistical support roles as needed, as well as acting as a facilitator in getting important information out to Lindsborg residents. However, most information regarding the status of the project will come directly from KDOT. While change sometimes isn't easy, the results of this project provide many benefits to the city and its residents.

- Development potential: Some acreage to the east of K-4 could potentially be developed and provide economic opportunities that benefit Lindsborg.
- Safety: Eliminates potential traffic safety hazards (inclement weather related or otherwise).
- Accessibility: Increased access and exposure for Bethany College with roadway realignment.
- Vision: This project is a part of the 2018 Lindsborg Community Vision Plan, 2021-2024 Strategic Plan, and 2040 Comprehensive Plan.

To learn more, visit [ike.ksdot.gov/projects/development-pipeline-announcement-2024](https://ike.ksdot.gov/projects/development-pipeline-announcement-2024).

### Lindsborg business receives HEAL grant from Dept. of Commerce

Governor Kelly recently announced the latest recipients for the Historic Economic Asset Lifeline (HEAL) grant program and a local Lindsborg business will be one of beneficiaries of the award. The City of Lindsborg submitted the grant application on behalf of The Good Merchant, a retail boutique located in downtown Lindsborg, which has been owned and operated by Tyler and Molly Johnson since 2017.

"We are extremely grateful for the chance to continue the enhancement of our historic downtown building. This opportunity will contribute to the growth and vibrancy of our community," said Molly Johnson.

The HEAL program's goal is to revitalize underutilized and dilapidated downtown structures where the cost to rehabilitate exceeds the amount that traditional financing can cover. As part of the grant award, projects must be completed within two years. The building that houses The Good Merchant was built in 1901 and was originally named the Lindsborg Mercantile Co. The structure is listed on the State Registry of Historic Places and the city and Johnsons will work closely with the Kansas Historical Society on this renovation project. The renovations to the building will include a new roof, windows, awning, front door, paint, and signage. The goal is for these improvements to help enhance both aesthetics and functionality, while fostering a welcoming and visually appealing space for the Lindsborg downtown community.

"Thanks to the generous matching grant, we can expedite essential improvements which will enhance this downtown space. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the City for their crucial support in the grant application. Their partnership was vital in qualifying for the grant," said Johnson.

To learn more about the HEAL program, visit [kansascommerce.gov/community-development/heal](https://kansascommerce.gov/community-development/heal).



# Community connection



Collaboration is everything when it comes to the success and health of any small town. For a great example of this, look no further than the partnership between the City of Lindsborg and USD400. Whether it's an annual event or a one-off project, the relationship has been a thriving and mutually beneficial cooperative for Lindsborg as a whole.

## 8<sup>th</sup> grade trip to the Capitol

Every March, members of the City staff take Smoky Valley 8<sup>th</sup> grade students to Topeka to tour the Statehouse, meet legislators, and learn how state government operates. Senator Rick Wilson greeted the group this past March in the gallery of the House, a building tour followed, and then lunch at the Kansas Department of Education building. After lunch, the students departed for Lindsborg, but city staff returned to the Capitol to deliver thank you notes and small packages of Swedish Fish to each of the legislators. The trip is a highlight for both students and staff.

## 4<sup>th</sup> grade community project

Learning the value of community and the importance on taking care of your environment are important lessons for everyone. Each May, the fourth graders of Soderstrom Elementary get the chance to learn those critical values. The Visit Lindsborg and Parks Department staffs host a community service project day each year with activities that differ every year, but the lesson remains the same: civic responsibility is important. In 2023, students learned the value of trees in our community, how bees play a critical role in nature, water conservation, and more. This project often involves outside organizations, and last year the Kansas Forest Service, K-State Research and Extension, and the Lindsborg Tree Board gave their time and expertise to the students. This year, the project will focus on planting native pollinators and wildflowers along the northern section of the trail, just east of the overpass.

## Troy Miller Field partnership

A new ballfield opened last month in Lindsborg and it was a joint project years in the making. Troy Miller Field, named after longtime Smoky Valley High School baseball coach, came together thanks to a partnership between the City and USD400. The entirety of the project, from grant writing, planning, logistics, and, construction, was shared between the two staffs. The field will serve as the home diamond for SVHS baseball games and City-run recreation programs. The ballfield represents the embodiment of what is possible when people work together for the good of their community.



8<sup>th</sup> grade students from Smoky Valley gather around the mural of John Brown while touring the Capitol.



Soderstrom Elementary 4<sup>th</sup> graders assist City of Lindsborg Parks Director Noah Flores as he plants a tree along the Valkommen Trail.



As friends, former players, and city staff look on, longtime SVHS baseball coach Troy Miller reacts after cutting the ribbon to open the field that bears his name.

## Planning to dig? Here's what is marked by Kansas One-Call

Do you have any projects planned that require some type of digging in your yard? How many times have you seen the commercials with John Ratzenberger reminding you to call 811 before starting a project that requires digging? These commercials play frequently to remind people of the importance of calling 811. It is important to understand that not everything that is buried will be marked. Understanding what will be marked after you place that call and who is responsible for a specific utility is important.

Those commercials can be a little misleading in that they make it appear as though all utilities within the area requested will be marked; this however is not the case. A utility locating service and your local utility are going to come to the location and mark the underground utilities. What they are going to mark are "Public" utilities. "Public" means that the item marked is the responsibility of a specific utility, i.e. Kansas Gas Service, Cox Cable, Ideatek Fiber, or the City of Lindsborg. They installed the specific utility when it was new and are responsible for repairing or replacing it should it fail. The utilities that will not get marked are "Private" utilities; these utilities are the responsibility of the property owner. Private utilities were installed by a contractor working for a homeowner and the homeowner would be responsible if it needed repaired or replaced at some point.

- Kansas Gas Service is responsible for the gas line to and including the meter. For most locations throughout town, the gas meter is located by the house which means that the gas line through the yard will be marked.
- Any phone, cable, or fiber company is responsible for the line to where it connects to the home. Therefore, these underground utilities are typically marked all the way to the home.

### The responsibility for city utilities is a little different

For water, the City of Lindsborg is responsible for the line from the water main to the water meter and it will be marked, "Public." The line from the water meter to the home is "Private" and the responsibility of the homeowner. This line does not get marked by the city. For sanitary sewers, the sewer line from the home to the city sewer main is "Private" and the responsibility of the homeowner. The City of Lindsborg does not mark homeowner sewer lines.

Underground secondary electric is "Private"—the secondary electric that runs from the underground meter pole or meter stand to the home is the responsibility of the homeowner and does not get marked when a locate request is called in.

Some other examples of underground utilities that do not get marked because they are "Private" utilities, and the responsibility of the homeowner might include:

- Electricity to accessory buildings on the property
- Invisible dog fences and landscape lighting
- Water lines to hydrants or irrigation systems
- Gas lines to grills of pool heaters



Understanding what is marked when you call 811 is important, starting a project and assuming the area is clear because there are no markings on the ground can lead to trouble. Before you dig, inspect the property carefully for possible underground utilities. If you have concerns, consider hiring a private locator to have private lines marked that could conflict with the work that is planned.

### A few reminders...

- If you have not taken time to fill out the Lead and Copper Survey, please take a few moments to do so. This survey was sent out in utility bills and is also available on the city website. This survey is to help city staff complete a water line inventory that is required by KDHE and the EPA and is due October of 2024.
- If you have a lawn irrigation system that is connected to the city water supply, it is required to have a backflow prevention device installed and testing of that device is required every year. Testing must be performed by a licensed tester and those results must be submitted to the city Public Works Department each year. A list of licensed testers and test sheets are available on the city website, [Lindsborgcity.org/water](http://Lindsborgcity.org/water).



## Lift Up Lindsborg! ready for next round of projects

Applications have been received for the 2024 year, with the majority choosing the Matching Program.

- **Program 1:** Matching program; the City will match up to \$2,500 for exterior home upgrades.
- **Program 2:** Classic program for property maintenance and exterior home upgrades which the resident organizes.
- **Program 3:** Grounds program for lawn maintenance to clear any trash and debris with volunteer help.



2023 Lift Up Lindsborg! program recap:

- 13 applications submitted and 10 applications approved.
- Two classic applications and eight matching applications.



Above: The before/after of a LUL! home from June 2023.

Above: A volunteer paints the outside of one of the LUL! homes.

## KanCycle Bike Share program remains popular in Lindsborg

This year, the City of Lindsborg was awarded a David J. Nutt Grant to continue the growth and success of the Bike Share program, which began in Lindsborg in July 2023. Since joining the program, Lindsborg has been the top location for rides throughout North Central Kansas. In the graphic below, Lindsborg far outpaces other communities in the region on average usage per month; Lindsborg's rides were the highest seven of the nine months. The City of Lindsborg is grateful to Bethany College and the Lindsborg Community Hospital for their partnership.



**KANSAS BIKE MONTH**  
MAY 2024

Activities all across the state  
[www.ksrides.org/bike-month](http://www.ksrides.org/bike-month)

Enjoy 31 days of free KANcycle rides, starting May 1, 2024, by using the promo code "bike2024" in the Movatic app.

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Bike Share for Kansas

Kansas Rides  
Kansas State Transportation

## Renovated Lindsborg Safety Center now open

On April 10, 2024, The City of Lindsborg unveiled its newly renovated Safety Center with a vibrant ribbon-cutting ceremony. City Administrator Kristi Northcutt, Chief Davis, Mayor Clark Shultz, and Hutton representatives spoke at the grand re-opening, which included many residents. They thanked the Public Safety team, the project team, City Council, the Patterson Family Foundation (which gave \$163,000 to the project) and the David J. Nutt Fund (which gave \$10,000 to the project), as well as all citizens of Lindsborg who value public safety and supported the project. Staff hosted open house tours, complete with refreshments, to give eager visitors a captivating before-and-after look at the renovation project. Features of the renovation:

- The entrance to the Safety Center is now located on First Street and offerst additional parking for the public.
- Inside, there are dedicated interview rooms, an increased number of workstations designed for improved workflow efficiency, technology room, locker room, training/break room, and an evidence preparation room. The evidence storage room has also been expanded for increased storage capacity and better organization.
- In the fire garage, significant upgrades have been made. Four water replenishment lines have been installed to easily fill the fire trucks within the garage. Additionally, three non-functioning heaters were replaced, and an eyewash/decontamination shower was added. This shower is designed for firefighters to use for themselves or their equipment after a fire, enhancing health and safety measures.
- The final phase of the renovation project will involve enclosing the staircase on the backside of the EMS building. This enclosure will prevent flooding of the basement, ensuring a safer and more efficient environment for all personnel.

Approximately 100 attendees, including elected officials, regional law enforcement officers, County emergency management, and members of the public gathered to celebrate this milestone and view the completed Safety Center before it became operational the next day.

During the April 15 City Council meeting, a representative from Hutton delivered a summary of the project outlining the improvements mentioned above. It was highlighted that the project was completed on schedule and within budget. The Public Safety Team is immensely proud of the outcome of this project and deeply appreciates the steadfast support from our community partners throughout the entire timeline of this project.



**Above:** The newly renovated Lindsborg Safety Center.

**Left:** City staff, City Council members, and Mayor Shultz are among those present for the ribbon cutting.

*AMR (Lindsborg EMS) and the Lindsborg Community Hospital, with input from the City of Lindsborg, are exploring a pilot paramedicine program to serve the community. Such a program could include having EMS personnel come to your home on a scheduled basis and provide a check-up on you and your health, especially if you have a chronic condition. The goal would be to reduce the need for emergency care and inpatient admission. There would be no direct charge for this service unless it led to further emergent care and/or transport to the ER.*

*Please take a couple of minutes to share your opinion by scanning the QR code on the right.*



## Tree Cost Share program is available year-round

Lindsborg offers a Tree Cost Share program to help property owners plant more trees in our community.

The following stipulations will apply to this program:

- Tree species must be selected from the current city tree recommended list.
- The planting location must be approved by the Tree Board.
- Property owners are eligible for up to two trees cost shares per year.
- The City will reimburse half the cost of the tree, up to a maximum of \$50 per tree.
- The program is limited to available funds and is on a first-come, first-served basis.

To participate in the program, contact Parks Director Noah Flores by calling City Hall at 785-227-3355, stop by City Hall for an application form, or visit [Lindsborgcity.org/parks](http://Lindsborgcity.org/parks).

## Lindsborg is a designated Tree City USA

Lindsborg is enjoying its 39<sup>th</sup> year designated as a “Tree City USA” community.

This designation is earned by adhering to the following four standards:

1. Maintaining a Tree Board or department;
2. Having a community tree ordinance;
3. Spending at least \$2 per capita on urban forestry; and
4. Celebrating Arbor Day with an official proclamation/event.



**TREE CITY USA**  
An Arbor Day Foundation Program

These standards are set by the Arbor Day Foundation. Lindsborg must apply to be designated a Tree City USA community and be and be approved by our state community forester and the Arbor Day Foundation. The private property of Lindsborg, Valkommen Trail system, and our parks make up our urban forest and Lindsborg works diligently to keep it healthy. Lindsborg’s urban forest is an important attribute to our community.

A thriving urban forest offers many advantages to communities. Here are just a few:

- Trees help absorb the sounds of traffic in urban areas by 40%.
- Neighborhoods with trees are seven to nine degrees cooler than those without.
- Trees reduce energy costs up to 25% by shading buildings and protecting them from winter winds.
- Planting and maintaining trees absorb carbon dioxide in the atmosphere, mitigating the effects of climate change.



## Lindsborg student places 1st in regional poster contest

Every year, the city of Lindsborg submits a hand-drawn poster to the Kansas Forest Service from Soderstrom’s fifth grade. The poster has a requested theme from the forest service that also includes a lesson plan. The science teacher from the fifth grade teaches the class about trees and the many benefits they provide. This year’s theme is “We All Need Kansas Trees for Thriving Forest Habitat.”

The fifth-grade class learns a lot about trees in a short time and Mrs. Jones, the science teacher, does a great job informing the children and participating in the contest. The Tree Board is also involved and is delighted to see all the creative work done by the students. They choose the three best based on certain criteria. This year’s south-central Kansas regional winner is Ivana Tupas. Congratulations!

**LINDSBORG PHOTO CONTEST**

**THEME: COMMUNITY EVENTS**

- Winner announced in early July
- Enter as many photos as you'd like
- Prize for the winner
- Post your photo on Facebook or Instagram and use #LindsborgPhotoContest
- Only photos taken between March through June 2024 are eligible

Photos entered in the contest may be used by the City of Lindsborg for future use.



## itty bitty tennis

Wednesdays in June  
 Registration deadline: May 28  
 3 yrs old-PreK: 8-8:45 a.m.

Cost: \$25  
 Instructor: Traci Baker  
 Location: Ron Dahlsten Courts (SVHS)

## youth tennis

A perfect way to exercise and learn about the skills of tennis. Join our camp to become the best you can be. Shirt is included.

Tuesdays & Thursdays in June  
 Registration deadline: May 28  
 K/1<sup>st</sup> grade: 8-8:50 a.m.  
 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> grade: 9-9:50 a.m.  
 4-8<sup>th</sup> grade: 10-11:30 a.m.

Cost: \$40  
 Instructor: Traci Baker  
 Location: Ron Dahlsten Courts (SVHS)

## youth t-ball, coach pitch, baseball/softball

Practices begin mid-May and run through first week of July. Games begin the first week of June. Practice times will be decided by each coach. Registration deadline is April 19.

Cost: \$25: T-ball/coach pitch  
 \$35: Baseball/softball, city of Lindsborg resident  
 \$40: Baseball/softball, city of Lindsborg non-resident

## age divisions

3-4 yrs old, coed t-ball  
 5-6 yrs old, coach pitch  
 Location: Bethany College Sports Complex

## grade completed for 2023-24 school year

1st-2nd grade girls	coach pitch
1st-2nd grade boys	machine pitch
3rd-4th grade girls	kid pitch
3rd-4th grade boys	kid pitch
5th-6th grade girls	youth pitch
5th-6th grade boys	youth pitch

## game nights

monday/thursday
tuesday/friday
monday/thursday
monday/thursday
tuesday/friday
tuesday/friday

## wavemakers

Are you looking for a recreational competitive sport in the water? Join our team to compete against surrounding towns and begin to excel at swimming.

May 28-July 6  
 Registration deadline: May 31  
 5-18 yrs old as of June 1  
 8:30-10:30 a.m. M-F; Saturday meets

Cost: \$75

## junior golf

Get outside and enjoy the outdoors with golf! Learn the rules and basics of the game. Golf clubs will be provided if needed.

July 10-12  
 Registration deadline: July 1  
 5 yr old-2<sup>nd</sup> grade  
 9-9:45 a.m.

Cost: \$20  
 Instructor: Bethany College coach Zach Able  
 Location: Lindsborg Golf Course

July 15-18; \*tournament July 19  
 Registration deadline: July 8  
 3<sup>rd</sup> grade-8<sup>th</sup> grade  
 Beginner session: 8:15-9:15 a.m.  
 Advanced session: 9:30-11 a.m.

Cost: \$35  
 Instructor: Bethany College coach Zach Able  
 Location: Lindsborg Golf Course

*\*July 19 will be the Junior Golf tournament. Anyone who is signed up for the beginner or advanced camps can participate in the tournament.*



# sports

## **bethany college women's basketball camp**

Coaches and players are excited to offer a basketball camp of learning, growing, and fun games. Shirt Included.

**July 16-18**

**Registration deadline: July 2**

**1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> grades: 9-10 a.m.**

**4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grades: 10:30 a.m.-noon**

**Cost: \$30**

**Instructor: Bethany College staff**

**Location: Hahn Gymnasium on Bethany College campus**



# programs

## **safe sitter**

Safe Sitter is designed to prepare students grade 6-8 to be safe when they are home alone, watching younger brothers or sisters, or babysitting.

**June 13, July 16 & Aug. 8**

**Registration deadline: One week prior to class.**

**6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade: 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.**

**Cost: \$25**

**Location: J.O. Sundstrom Center**

## **STEM**

Join us for soldering, programming, designing, and explore technology with Mr. Vogel and Mr. Nickel. Learn about sensors, motors, transistors, LEDs, and more!

**June 18-20**

**Registration deadline: June 12**

**6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade: 2:30-4:30 p.m.**

**Cost: \$20**

**Location: New Vision Tek Building  
(Behind SVHS near the weight room)**

## **snack attack class**

Interested in making fun, easy, non bake snacks? This is the class for your child. We will explore fun ideas and tastings for three days!

**Wednesdays, July 10, 17 & 24**

**Registration deadline: June 28**

**1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> grade: 2-4 p.m.**

**Cost: \$20**

**Location: J.O. Sundstrom**

**WANTED:**  
**Referees**  
**for all**  
**sports**

Contact Lauren Doak  
if you would like more  
information on  
getting involved!  
[recdirector@lindsborgcity.org](mailto:recdirector@lindsborgcity.org)

**785.**  
**227.**  
**3355**

# pool

## membership pricing

Single	\$75
Family*	\$175
Family w/guest**	\$200

\*Immediate family (up to 6) living in the same household.  
Additional family members - \$15

\*\*Immediate Family (up to 6) living in the same household. You can bring a guest each time.

## daily pricing

3 & under w/ paid admission	free
4 yrs & older	\$4
Daily swim 10-Punch Pass	\$32

Season Pool Membership applications and Punch Passes can be paid for at City Hall until opening day, **May 31**, all sales after will be done at the Lindsborg Swimming Pool. You can also sign up for your Summer Pool Pass online at [lindsborgrec.org](http://lindsborgrec.org).



## family swim night

Tuesday nights  
June 4-Aug. 6, 6:30-9 p.m.

Cost: \$2 /person  
*summer passes are accepted*

## water baby/toddler swim

A five-day intro class designed to get toddlers comfortable in the water as a basic first step to swim lessons.

Monday-Friday  
July 8-12, 5:30-6:15 p.m.  
18 months-4 yrs old

Cost: Free  
*Must have an adult in the water with child at all times.*

## swim lessons

Session One: June 17-28  
Session Two: July 8-19  
Both sessions available from either 10:40-11:30 a.m. or 11:30 a.m.-12:10 p.m.  
5 yrs and older (4 yrs if parent/lesson coordinator both agree child is ready)

Cost: \$35  
**what swim level are you?**

### Level 1-white:

Introductory to Water Safety and Skill (Trust and Submersion): This is my child's first time taking swim lessons or took them last year but still does not feel comfortable getting into the water. They are nervous, but excited to grow and learn the importance of water safety and training.

### Level 2-red:

Fundamental Swimming (Passed Level White): My child has been to swimming lessons before or feels comfortable getting in the water alone. Swimmer should be able to put head under water and float on front and back with support.

### Level 3-yellow:

Swimming Strokes (Passed Level Red): Swimmer is comfortable being in the water alone, is able to go under and float. Swimmer is ready to learn basic strokes for forward movement and direction change.

### Level 4-blue/green:

Stroke Improvement and Refinement (Passed Level Yellow): Swimmer knows how to swim. Swimmer will learn perfecting their strokes, alternate breathing, flip turns, treading water, and different types of dives.

# private parties

Friday, Saturday, Sunday | 6-8 p.m. | \$200

Full payment is due at time of the reservation. A full refund will be given if the City Pool Staff has to cancel due to weather or unforeseen circumstances and another day is not available to be schedule for both groups (city and reserving group).

*If a party is cancelled by the group 48 hours before the event, a refund, minus a \$25 administrative fee, will be issued.  
If a party is cancelled by the group reserving within 48 hours of the event, the payment will not be refunded.*

**Reservations:  
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## UPCOMING EVENTS

[www.visitlindsborg.com/lindsborg-calendar-of-events](http://www.visitlindsborg.com/lindsborg-calendar-of-events)  
[www.lindsborgcity.org](http://www.lindsborgcity.org)

**City Council Meetings:** May 6, 13 & 20, June 3 & 17, July 1 & 15; 6:30 p.m. at City Hall  
*Meetings are streamed on our Facebook and YouTube channels.*

**City Offices Closed:** May 27 (Memorial Day), July 4 (Independence Day)

**Planning Commission Board Meeting:** May 28, June 25 & July 23  
6 p.m. at City Hall

**Design Review Board Meeting:** May 21, June 18 & July 16  
6 p.m. at City Hall

**Recycling Center:** Open 24/7; please be considerate with noise levels and posted rules.

Visit [Lindsborgcity.org](http://Lindsborgcity.org) for city-related news, online bill pay, and more.

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## EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Police, Fire and Ambulance: 911 or 785.227.2988 (non-emergency)

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