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2026 EVENTS SCHEDULE
July 30 - August 2, 2026
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Thursday, July 30th

DOWNTOWN MARKET

4:30-6:30 PM, Library Square

EMMET COUNTY NATURE CENTER

5-6 PM, Library Square | Ambassador Animal, Kids Crafts, and Games.

OPENING CEREMONY AND BURNING OF THE COBS

5:30 PM, Library Square | Event Opening Ceremony and bonfire of last years cobs! Hosted by Excel Arts and Culture.

SMORES

5:45 PM, Library Square | FREE SMORES! Bring the whole family for this sweet treat!

BAG TOURNAMENT

6 PM, Grand Central Depot | Entry Fee \$20 Per Team, Pre-register before event or at 5:30pm day of at the Grand Central Depot.

KIDS FISHING COMPETITION

6:30 PM, Carrico Heights Pond | Kids 15 and under bring your own fishing poles! Must be accompanied by an adult. **PRIZES FOR WINNERS!**

Need more event information, golf balls, or merch? Visit the Chamber tent in Library Square!

Open Thurs 4:30-6:30 pm, Fri 5-9 pm, & Sat 9am-3pm

Friday, July 31st

POP INTO STORYTIME: CORNY ADVENTURES AWAIT!

10:30 AM, Storytime Room at the Library | Bring your littles to enjoy a fun story time!

GOLF TOURNAMENT

1 PM Shotgun Start, Creed National Golf Club | 4 person scramble register online.

FOOD VENDORS

5-9:30 PM | Options include desserts, BBQ, Fair Foods, Pie and so much more!

SWEET CARS CRUISE IN

5:30-8 PM, North 7th Street | Cruise leaves at 7 PM | Hosted by the Black Knights Car Club.

ANTIQUE TRACTOR SHOW

5:30-7:30 PM, 6th Street | Come see some old-school antique tractors!

LITTLE MISS & MR SWEET CORN PAGEANT

5:30 PM, Library Square Center Stage | Children ages 5-8 | Must be pre-registered.

JUNIOR VET CLINIC

5:30-7:30 PM, Library Square | Hands-on fun! Learn basic veterinary skills, use real tools, and care for stuffed animal patients.

KIDS GAMES

6:30 PM, Library Square | FREE to all kids, Old fashioned games divided up by age categories.

MINUTE TO WIN IT

7:45 PM, Center Stage | Do you have what it takes to win it? Fun audience participation games!

HULA HOOP CONTEST

8:45 PM, Center Stage | All ages, hula hoops provided!

FIREWORKS

After Dark/9:30 PM | Brought to you by Excel Estherville!

FREE MOVIE IN THE PARK

Approximately 10 PM - following fireworks, Library Square | Bring your chairs or blanket for a free showing of the movie Hoppers on the big screen!

Saturday, August 1st

MERCHANT MARKET

10 AM-4 PM, Court House Square | Vendors selling all types of handmade items!

FOOD VENDORS

10 AM-4 PM, N 7th Street | Something delicious for everyone!

SWEET CORN DAYS PARADE

10:30 AM, Central Avenue | Join us for one of the biggest parades in NW Iowa! Sponsored by Estherville Communications.

FREE SWEET CORN!

STARTS AT 12 PM, 1st Ave North | SERVED UNTIL IT'S GONE! Sponsored by Avera Holy Family Hospital.

BUBBLES

12-2 PM, Library Square | Giant bubble show and hands on bubble stations!

BALLOON ANIMALS

12-3 PM, Library Square | Free balloon animals!

ROCK'N THE SQUARE

12-3 PM, Library Square | Join us for music in Library Square!

KIDS BARREL TRAIN

12:30-3:30 PM, North 6th Street | Free Barrell Train rides.

BLACK KNIGHTS SWEET CAR SHOW

12-4 PM, North 8th Street and 1st Ave North.

INFLATABLE FUN

12-4 PM, North 6th Street | \$15 for a wristband! 7 Large Inflatables for all ages!

HENNA ART

12-4 PM, Library Square | Fee per design | Professional Artist!

FIREFIGHTER WATER FIGHTS

1 PM, N 7th street | Watch local firefighters face off in a water battle! Hosted by Estherville Fire Fighters.

SIDEWALK CHALK CONTEST

2 PM, South Section of Library Square | Age categories for children and adults. Prizes for winners. Chalk supplied but welcome to bring your own. Hosted by the Emmet County Extension Office.

GOLF BALL RACE

2 PM, Corner of 1st Avenue North and 6th Street | Watch 600 golf balls race down the hill, first one down wins! Buy a Golf Ball for \$10 for a Chance to win \$1,000, \$500 or 5 - \$100. Do not need to be present to win!

MUD VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

4 PM, Joe Hoyer Park, Swinging Bridge Parking lot | Coed Adult Tournament | Firefighter Association will offer a pulled pork meal for purchase.

STREET DANCE - LIVE BAND THE SCHMIDT BROTHERS!

9 PM-1 AM, 10 Block of South 6th Street, entrance at Central | \$10 cover | Must be 21+ for alcoholic beverages, ages 19-20 welcome. Rain Location Fair Grounds | Firefighter Raffle Drawing.

Sunday, August 2nd

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST

9 AM-NOON, Duhigg Center | Free Will Donations | Proceeds given to charities.

DISC GOLF THROWDOWN

10 AM, Rivers Edge DGC | Check in from 9-9:30 | 18 Hole Tournament with cash prizes. Player meeting prior to start, lunch in between rounds with second round to follow!

DES MOINES RIVER FUN FLOAT (SUBJECT TO RIVER CONDITIONS)

1 PM, Des Moines River | Starts at A17 Access Ends at 4th Street Bridge Access - Participate at your own risk! Boats launch at 1pm. Must provide your own boat/float. Hosted by the Emmet County Water Trails Association!

POOL PARTY! FREE SWIM!

1 PM-7 PM, Estherville Aquatic Center | Splash and slide into fun at the pool! Hosted by the City of Estherville Parks & Recreation.



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