



Monthly Newsletter

CITY OF SUMMERSET

March 2024

Calendar of Events & Celebrations

- **Commission Meetings: March 7th, and 21st, at 6:00 pm**
- **Planning and Zoning Meetings: March 12th, and 26th, at 6:00 pm**
- **March 10th: Daylight Saving Time starts.**
- **March 17th: Saint Patrick's Day**
- **March 19th: March Equinox**
- **March 24th: Palm Sunday & Purim**
- **March 29th: Good Friday – City Offices are closed.**
- **March 31st: Easter Sunday**
- **April 1st: Easter Monday – City offices are closed.**



NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR VOTER REGISTRATION

Voter registration for the Summerset Municipal Election to be held on April 9, 2024, will close on March 25th, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. Failure to register by this date will cause forfeiture of voting rights for this election. If you are in doubt about whether you are registered, check the Voter Information Portal at www.sdsos.gov or call the county auditor at (605) 347-2360.

Registration may be completed during regular business hours at the county auditor's office, municipal finance office, secretary of state's office, and those locations which provide driver's licenses, SNAP, TANF, WIC, military recruitment, and assistance to the disabled as provided by the Department of Human Services. You may contact the county auditor to request a mail-in registration form or access a mail-in form at (www.sdsos.gov or a county provided website with a link to a voter registration form - insert one option or the other).

Any voter who needs assistance, pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, may contact the county auditor for information and special assistance in voter registration.





Somerset Police Department

A gentle reminder from last year: **Don't Drink and Drive.**

The month of March is an exciting time as spring approaches and St. Patrick's Day is right around the corner. The international celebration is often recognized by adults as a time for gatherings at bars and pubs. Unfortunately, one night of drinking can lead to deadly consequences if plans aren't made to get home safely.

The Somerset Police Department will have increased patrols to ensure the motoring public will enjoy a safe St. Patrick's Day. The Department encourages everyone to take the following safety precautions:

- Designate a sober driver or call a ride service to get home safely. Remember that it is never okay to drink and drive.
- Never let a friend drive drunk. Arrange a safe and sober way for them to get home.
- If you're the designated driver, make sure you don't drink so you can keep that promise of safety to yourself and your passengers.
- Don't ride in a vehicle with a driver who has been drinking.
- If you see a drunk driver on the road, contact law enforcement to report the driver.

Police Department phone number: (605)721-6806

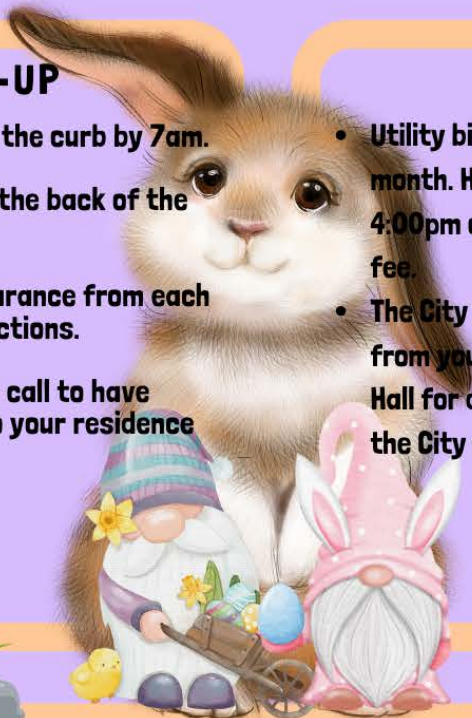


Friendly Reminders:



TRASH PICK-UP

- Garbage totes must be at the curb by 7am.
- Totes should be placed at the back of the curb.
- They should have 3' of clearance from each other and all other obstructions.
- There is a \$10.00 fee for a call to have public works come back to your residence for pick-up.



UTILITY BILLING

- Utility bills are due by the 20th of each month. Have your payment in the office by 4:00pm on the 20th to avoid the \$15.00 late fee.
- The City offers free automatic payments from your bank account, see Nicky at City Hall for details. Forms are also available on the City website. www.summerset.us



FREQUENTLY REQUESTED CONTACT INFORMATION.



- Public Works: 605-593-8902
- Summerset Police Department: 605-718-6806
- Code Enforcement: 605-718-2145
- Finance Office/Utilities: 605-718-9857
- Permits/Licensing: 605-718-9857

LET'S MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Please email Nicky at nbirgen@summerset.us to have your utility bill sent to your email address.

This will enable the City to cut back on paper use, which helps the environment.

It's a simple act, but it can have a powerful effect.

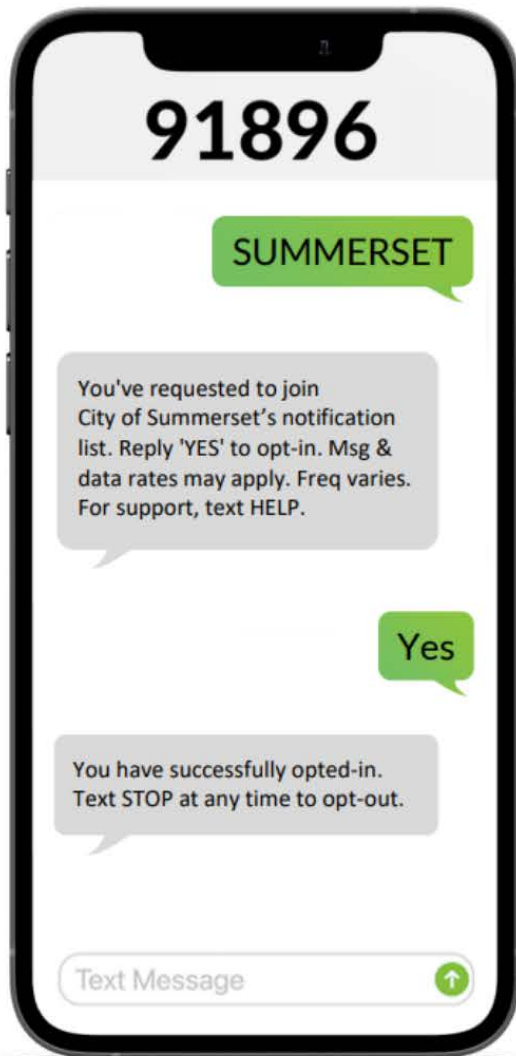


City Text Updates

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Us on Facebook!

“You cannot do a kindness too soon, for you never know how soon it will be too late.” Ralph Waldo

Emerson TEEN NIGHT

Thursday March 14th at
5:00 p.m.

We'll watch the movie
“Luck” and eat pizza!



Night Owls Book Club

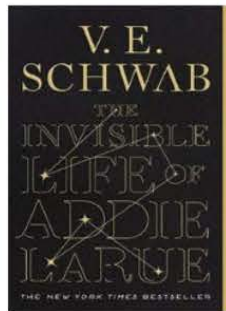
Title: The Invisible Life of Addie LaRue by V.E. Schwab

Where: The Library

When: Thurs Mar 21st at 7:00 p.m.

Who: Anyone Who Wants to Join

How: Simply stop by the library to borrow a copy of the book.



CURBSIDE PICKUP AVAILABLE



Preschool Story Time!

Join us every Thursday at 10 AM for a fun, preschool story time in the Library!



Bluestockings Book Club

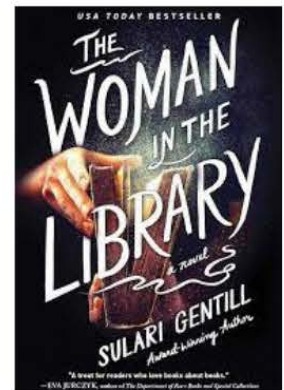
Title: The Woman in the Library by Sulari Gentill

Where: The Library

When: Friday, March 15th at 10:00 AM

Who: Anyone Who Wants to Join

How: Simply stop by the library to borrow a copy of the book.



FREE Coffee and advice
Friday, March 1st
10:00 a.m.

Learn about Medicare Part D
Plans, how to lower costs, and
protect from fraud.

Elementary Book Club

Thursdays at 3:30 p.m.

Our new book is
The Green Ember
by S.D. Smith



Crochet Club!

Every 3 Saturday
at 10:00 a.m.

Pokemon Club

Saturday March 2nd at 10 a.m.

RSVP soon – limit 15 children, ages 6+



Genealogy Group
Friday, March 8th –
10 a.m.