

Olsburg Community PRIDE

APRIL 2024

THANK YOU!

*I would like to thank all those who came to rescue
and cared for me during my recent falls.
It's great to live in a community that looks out for
one another.*

- Marvin Johnson

Olsburg Lutheran Church invites you to attend
Lenten worship services. We begin on February
14 with Ash Wednesday services. Olsburg worships
at 6:30 p.m. or Walsburg worships at 7:45 p.m.

We welcome you to worship with us
on Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m., too! Pastor Kaylie
Ines is sure to have an uplifting message of hope
and love! We look forward to seeing you soon!

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday, March 24 regular celebration worship
services at Olsburg at 9:00 a.m. and at Walsburg at
11:00 a.m.

Maundy Thursday service at Olsburg at 7:00 p.m.
Good Friday service at Walsburg at 7:00 p.m.

Easter Day

Sunrise service at Walsburg time to be announced
Easter Celebration at Olsburg 9:00 a.m.
Easter Celebration at Walsburg 11:00 a.m.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OLSBURGS ANNUAL

EASTER EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, MARCH 30TH

1:00 PM

Olsburg City Park

For Ages 10 and
Under

LOOK FOR THE EASTER BUNNY TO MAKE AN APPEARANCE



ANYONE WILLING TO HELP FILL
SOME EASTER EGGS FOR THE
HUNT, PLEASE STOP BY THE BANK.
WE HAVE FILL-ABLE EGGS 😊

Here's was this past month's challenging question... How many teachers both past and present have called the Olsburg Community their home. Let's see if we can list them by name and what they taught! What a response! Flip the page to see all the wonderful educators who have called Olsburg their home. I'm sure we missed some, but the list is sure impressive! Thanks to everyone who contributed – WOW!

And for this month... It was so much fun finding out about the teachers from the Olsburg Community, let's find out about other staff at the schools also!

Lunch Ladies, Bus Drivers, Aides, Secretaries?? Who do you remember?

TEACHERS IN AND FROM THE OLSBURG COMMUNITY

Akana	Bill	Science at Olsburg
Apley	Mike	Professor at KSU in Vet Science
Avery	Becky	taught in Manhattan
Blackburn (Hough)	Goldie	Olsburg 1 room school - finished career in Topeka
Blockcolsky	Nancy	College music professor
Bongers (Olson)	Linda	Elementary
Buchanan	Lee	HS Ag
Burgess	Donna	HS Science
Cantrell	Lee	BVHS Counselor and Art
Cantrell	Joyce	College
Carnahan	Florence	several rural 1 room schools - 1st grade in Riley
Carter	Ava Nell	BVHS Math
Catt	Laurine	3rd Grade Teacher
Catt	Jack	Middle School Principal USD 384
Countryman	Helen	Elementary?
Dehart	Marsha	Wamego Schools Special Education
Dowell	Jeannie	BVHS Home Economics and FCCLA
Dowell	Nick	High School PE
Drouillard	Jason	High School
Edwards	Bonnie	BVHS Home Economics
Ekart (Olson)	Vicki	Elementary
Esping	KO	HS Principal
Frank	Helen	Elementary
Fronce	Blake	High School
Gillespie	Kelly	Teaching Teachers
Green (Jones)	Susan	Home Ec
Greenegard	Ramona	1st Grade at Fostoria
Greenegard	Esther	6th grade in Randolph
Gude	Annette	Manhattan Schools and USD 384 Library
Gude	Greg	Rossville Vo Ag
Gutsch	Curtis	BV and Riley Co Schools
Hammeke (Howland)	Taellor	Autism Specialist
Hammilton (Hough)	Maxine	grew up in Olsburg and taught school elsewhere
Hanson	Helen	Elementary
Hargrave	Diana	taught elsewhere and BV
Hellebust	Lois	Music
Jacobsen	Margaret	Olsburg Grade School
Jenkins	Sue	Teaching Teachers
Johnston	Ramona	Several positions and substitute
Jones	Katie	USD 384
Jones (Pope)	Marie	Elementary
Kasselman	Woody	Shop teacher
Kasselman	Luellen	Taught at Rock Creek

TEACHERS IN AND FROM THE OLSBURG COMMUNITY

Kasselman	Monica	Elementary
Kellogg	Cyrena	HS Computer
Kelly (Esping)	Angie	Elementary
Laflin	Shelie	KSU in Vet Science
Laflin	Karen	HS Counselor
Lauer	Pam	HS English
Maphet (Bingham)	Amy	Elementary
Marceron (Holt)	Darlene	Kindergarten
Melgren	Agnes	5th grade in Randolph
Mellgren	Hildur	Elementary
Monser	Kathy	Librarian & Computer Lab
Moore (Edwards)	Kathy	HS Spanish
Nelson	Donica	BV and Riley Co Schools
Nelson	Ebba	Elementary & 1 Room School
Nelson	Patty	BVHS Business and Computer
Nelson	Heather	College English
Olson	Elaine	retired to Olsburg after teaching elsewhere
Olson	Kylie	Elementary
Olson	Margaret	HS & Elementary
Olson	Elaine	Elementary ?
Pfaff	Cindy	Sabetha and BV Music Department
Pickett	Dorothy	Elementary
Pickett	Omar	taught in JC and elsewhere
Pope	Ron	College
Rezac (Fagerberg)	Stacy	Elementary
Ricketts (Kasselman)	Kathy	Manhattan High School
Ross	Kim	USD 384 grade school
Ross	Annie	Elementary
Schreiber	Matt	former USD 384 teacher, principal and coach
Schreiber	Carrie	USD 384 grade school
Schwandt	Connie	Elementary
Schwandt	Gary	HS Science
Schweer	Vernon	BVHS Vo Ag
Smith	Tom	HS History
Southerland	Louise	taugh elsewhere
Southerland	Laura	Elementary
Steele	Duane	HS Principal
Thaemert	Allan	Math at Olsburg
Turner	Jim	Community College professor / teacher
Tyler	Raleigha	USD 384 grade school
Vargo	Darnell	Grade School
Westling	Eunice	Elementary @ Dry Creek
White	Denise	BVHS English

In honor of our teachers - past, present and future, here are some guidelines for teaching school in 1880. Women teachers were not allowed or encouraged to marry. Once married, their place would be in the home with their husband and children.

My, how the times have changed!

1880 Teacher Rules and Regulations

These rules and regulations for teachers were included in the school register for 1880.

Credit: <https://www.wcihs.org/history/1880-teacher-rules-and-regulations/>

These rules and regulations for teachers were included in the school register for 1880:

1. Any person employed to teach a public school in this district is expected to be in his or her schoolroom at least fifteen minutes before the time for the morning session to begin, and at least five minutes before the time for the afternoon session.
2. If no janitor be employed to take care of the school-room, it shall be the duty of the teacher to see that the fire, if any, is in a safe condition, that the windows are properly closed, and the outside door locked at the close of each day.
3. The Teacher shall notify the President of the District Board when, any article for sweeping or cleaning the school-room is needed, or when necessary to employ a person to make the fires.
4. If any pupil be absent or tardy twice in one week, the teacher shall send a written notice of the same to the parent or guardian at the close of the school-week.
- b. If any pupil be guilty of disobedience to teacher, or of bad conduct at school, the same may be reported to the President of the School Board, at the discretion of the teacher.
6. No pupil shall be admitted to the school if known to be affected with a contagious or infectious disease, or to come from a family where such a disease prevails.
7. If any pupil shall come to the school-room with offensive uncleanness of person or of clothes, he or she shall be sent home to be properly prepared for school.

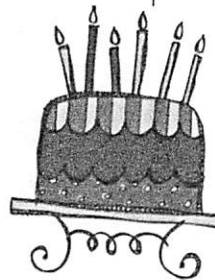
Early women teachers were given these additional qualifications:

1. Not to get married. This contract becomes null and void immediately if the teacher marries.
2. Not to have company with men.
3. To be home between the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. unless in attendance at a school function.
4. Not to loiter downtown in ice cream stores.
5. Not to leave town at any time without the permission of the chairman of the trustees.
6. Not to smoke cigarettes. This contract becomes null and void immediately if the teacher is found smoking.
7. Not to drink beer, wine or whiskey. This contract becomes null and void if the teacher is found drinking beer, wine or whiskey.
8. Not to ride in a carriage or automobile with any man except her brother or father.
9. Not to dress in bright colors.
10. Not to dye her hair.
11. To wear at least two petticoats.
12. Not to wear dresses more than two inches above the ankles.
13. To keep the school room clean:
 - To sweep the classroom floor at least once daily.
 - To scrub the classroom floor at least once weekly with soap and hot water.
 - To clean the blackboard at least once daily.
 - To start the fire at 7 a.m. so that the room will be warm at 8:00 a.m. when the children arrive.
14. Not to wear face powder, mascara or to paint the lips.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

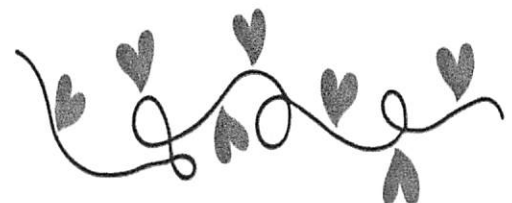
- 1 Jennifer Martin
Brenda Staub
- 2 Vicki Jones
- 4 Bob Edwards
- 6 Karen Nicholson
Sherry Ridder
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Jaci Sump
Jarin Brenner
- 8 Irene Johnson
Mindy Kersey
- 9 Hunter Gibson
Hayden Gibson
Koe Hammeke
- 11 Christopher Hubbard
Courtney Gibson
Connie Taylor
- 13 Brian Johnson
Beau Williams
Josh Williams
Oliver Sump
- 15 Ida Kasselmann
- 16 Haylee Williams
- 19 Madison Johns
Sierra Johns
Jaycey Shippy
- 20 Jennifer Knigery
Chad Wilson
- 21 Sheila Wright
- 22 Adelyn Buchanan
Rawley Sump
- 25 Reid Schreiber
- 28 Kevin Burklund
Kirby Burklund
Jacob Nelson
- 29 Taylor Bryant
- 30 Marsha Dehart

APRIL



Happy Anniversary

- 1 – Terry & Jeannie Johnson
- 3 – Brad & Patty Seabourn
- 9 – John & Rebecca Rogers
- 13 – Leo & Janel Finan
- 13 - Dallas & Jami Woltenmath
- 20 – Gypsy & Buffy Snyder
- 26 – Steve & Peggy Johnson
- 27 – Jim & Angie Henson



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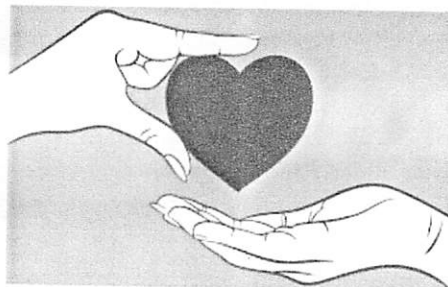


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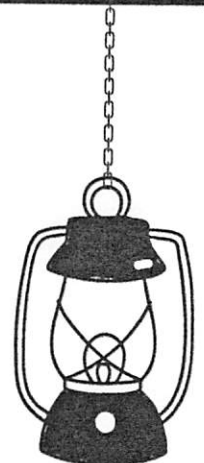
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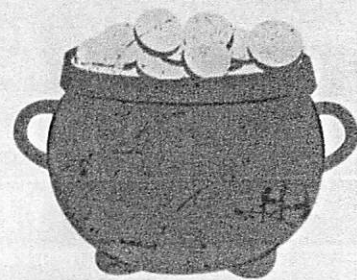
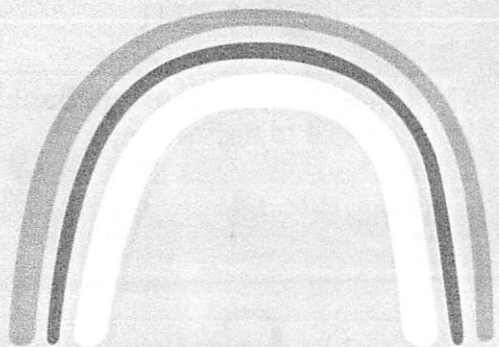
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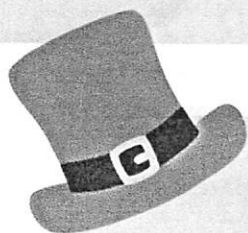
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Olsburg Boosters 4-H Club



4-H NEWS

Our last meeting was on March 3, 2024 at the Olsburg American Legion.

2 members gave project talks

Thank you for everyone who brought and dropped off the Gatorade at the bank.

REMINDERS

- ✓ Our next meeting will be on April 7, 2024 and will start at 6:00 P.M. at the Olsburg American Legion.

EVENTS

March 25

4-H Council meeting

April 20

Pott. County Spring fling

April 26

Horticultural meeting

April 28

Rabbit meeting

TO DO

- ✓ Sign up for Rock springs camp
- ✓ Start thinking about the projects you want to take to fair



Local Heroes Receive a Refreshing Boost

In the heart of our Olsburg community, there are heroes who stand ready at a moment's notice to keep us safe. These are the dedicated individuals of our local volunteer fire department, who selflessly give their time and energy to protect our homes, families, and businesses.



The Olsburg Boosters 4-H Club held a Gatorade drive to support our volunteer firefighters and help them stay refreshed and energized during the upcoming fire season. The 4-H Club would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to the Olsburg Community, Walmart, and Hy-Vee for the donations toward the purchase of Gatorade and for recognizing the importance of supporting our local heroes.

Thank you!



Pagan Origins Of April Fools' Day

Throughout history Spring was seen as the new year by many Pagan civilizations. It is a time when life is blossoming and the earth was coming back to life after a long Winter. In ancient Rome Pagans celebrated a new year festival called Hilaria it was a 7 day festival which ran from March 25th until April 1st. They would honor the Goddess Cybele. There would be great feasts and parties and lots of fun.

In 1582 Pope Gregory XIII ordered a new calendar (The Gregorian calendar) to replace the Julian calendar. The new calendar called for new year's day to be celebrated on January 1st. Those who still celebrated new year on April 1st were seen as fools and uncivilized they were made fun of. Court jesters would mock them and because the Pagan festival of Hilaria was full of frolicking and merriment made it easy for the Christians to make fools of the Pagans. They would send them joke gifts, play pranks on them and send them invitations to parties that did not exist and other unkind things. Anyone who became a victim of one of these pranks would be called an 'April Fish'. The symbol of Christianity was the fish, so they would sneak images or pictures of fish on the backs of unsuspecting Pagans or put rotten fish through their doors or throw fish at them in the streets.

In France, Belgium, Switzerland and in some parts of Canada, April 1st is called 'Poissons D'Avril' and in Italy 'Pesce D'Aprile' meaning April Fish, where children tape pictures of fish on the backs of their schoolmates crying April Fish when the prank is discovered.



Name: _____

Date: _____



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Word Search Puzzle



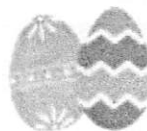
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Find these Easter words

lily	find	family	yellow	dye
tradition	bunny	green	hunt	hide
chicks	blooms	ears	dinner	decorate
pastel	spring	rabbits	Friday	pink
candy	eggs	purple	basket	gathering
Sunday	flowers	chocolate		
	hop	carrot		

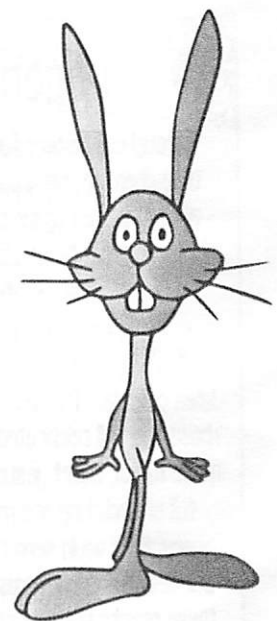


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TOENAIL CLINIC

Are you having a difficult time reaching your toes to trim them?

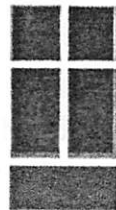
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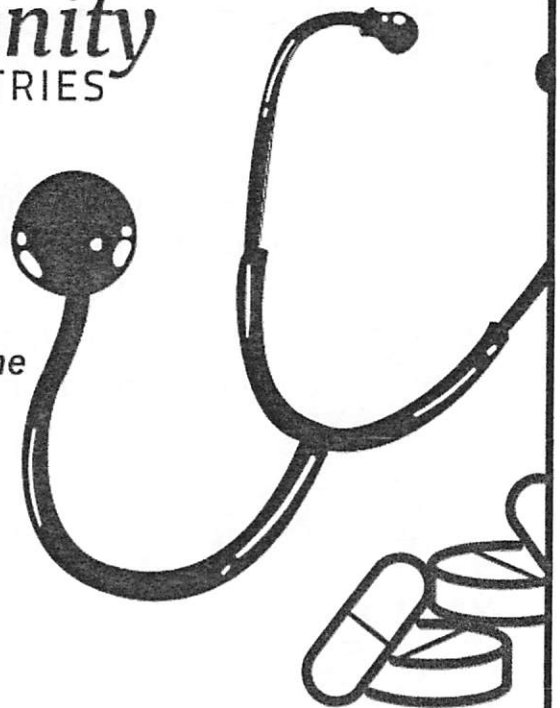
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Greetings,

As we find ourselves swiftly moving through the school year, it's hard to believe how quickly time flies. With winter activities and basketball season gradually winding down, we're eagerly anticipating the arrival of spring and all the exciting opportunities it brings.

Spring isn't just a change in weather; it's a time of renewal and growth, especially here at Blue Valley USD 384. As the grass begins to green and flowers begin to bloom, our focus shifts to the upcoming spring activity season. FCCLA, FBLA, FFA competitions and our sports of track, softball, and baseball are just around the corner, promising exhilarating moments of teamwork, competition, and camaraderie. We invite all patrons to join us and cheer on our RAMS to victory! At Blue Valley USD 384, we take great pride in our roots firmly planted in rural Kansas values. It's these values that shape our district and make us who we are. Our strength lies in our people – our dedicated students, hardworking staff, supportive parents, and loyal patrons. Together, we form the tight-knit community that is the USD 384 Blue Valley Family.

As we navigate the remainder of the school year and embrace the changes that come with the season, let's continue to support and uplift one another. Whether it's cheering on our athletes on the field, celebrating academic achievements in the classroom, or simply lending a helping hand to a fellow member of our Blue Valley Family, let's show the world the true spirit of our community.

Thank you for your ongoing dedication and commitment to making Blue Valley USD 384 a place where every individual thrives. Here's to a successful conclusion to the school year and the exciting adventures that lie ahead.

GO RAMS!!!

Warm regards,

Rex Boley

Superintendent USD 384



City of Olsburg
Regular Meeting Minutes Summary, March 6, 2024, 7:00 PM

Call to Order

Seeing there was a quorum present to conduct business, the regular meeting of the Olsburg City Council was called to order by Mayor Aric Cassel at 7:00 pm.

Present were Mayor Aric Cassel, Council Members Mike Mayer, Cindy Pfaff, and Kyle Rootring. Also, present were City Treasurer Gregg Gibson and City Clerk Jeannie Johnson. Absent were Council Members Karl Kasselmann and David Gibson.

Guests: Laura Knisley, Jeff Rootring, Kathy Rootring

Approve Minutes: The February 7, 2024, minutes were approved.

Public Comment: Laura Knisley is concerned about the trees growing in the ditch on the west side of her property. The Council will arrange a time to get the ditch cleaned up.

Jeff and Kathy Rootring are wanting to extend a waterline from their barn on the east side of the Holt Addition to cattle waterers the Council sees no problem in extending the waterline on their property.

Treasurer Report City Treasurer Gibson gave the Treasurer's Report was approved.

Clerk Report

Council member Reports:

- a. Street – Mike Mayer – The intersection of Shari Drive and Swede/Ash has a dip on the west side of Shari Drive that needs repair. Mayor will see what materials are needed and get a repair made.
- b. Water- Kyle Rootring – No Report
- c. Sewer – Karl Kasselmann – Absent - No Report
- d. Parks – David Gibson – Absent - No Report
- e. President- Cindy Pfaff – No Report

Old Business:

- a. Brush barrier at City Dump – City Maintenance pushes brush into a pile regularly which moves brush to the rear of the dump and into a ravine. Mayor Cassel and Council Member Mayer will go look at what options are available. Options include using bunker blocks as a barrier.

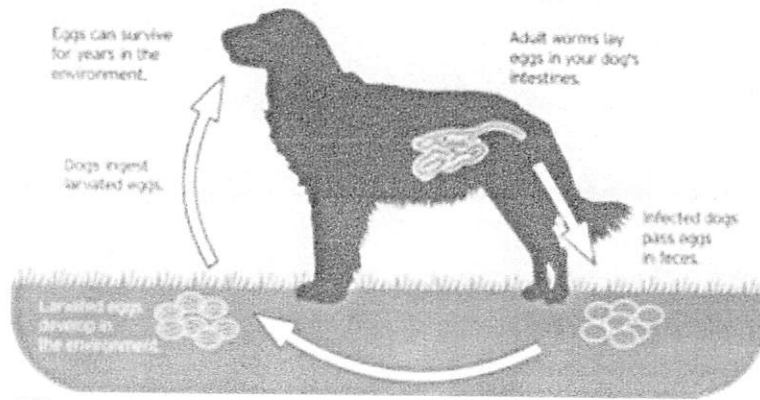
New Business:

- a. Appointment of Members to the Planning Commission - Current Commission Chair, Harlan Ross, current Member Richard Pavlisko and three persons to fill vacancies on the Planning Commission: Kristi Fronce, Marcelino "Mars" Albuerne, and Abby Lundblade were approved for appointment.
- b. Review of existing Procurement and Conflict of Interest Policies for STWSIA (Small Town Water System Infrastructure Assistance) Grant.
- c. Review Water Conservation Plan – The Council reviewed the WCP which will be sent to the Kansas Water Office for their review.
- d. Review Ordinance NO. 385 – Water Drought/Emergency Ordinance – Ordinance NO. 385 is tied to the Water Conservation Plan and will be reviewed by the Kansas Water Office.
- e. Community Service – The Council has been approached regarding a young man needing to complete 40 hours of community service to be completed by the end of summer. Council agreed by consensus to have him serve his hours with the City.
- f. Office Upgrade – Storage space has become a concern in the City Office. There is space to extend storage by converting one of the restrooms into a storage room and make better use of the space in the office. The Clerk will gather estimates and a time frame for work to be done.

Bills were approved for payment.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:31 pm.

THE LIFE CYCLE OF INTESTINAL PARASITES



There have been several reports to City Hall of people allowing their dogs to defecate in other people's yards and along the streets. The dog owners are not picking up after their dog(s).

We can't stress enough the importance of picking up your dog's poop. Not only is it disrespectful to leave dog waste lying around in your neighbor's yard, the list of diseases human can catch from Fido's waste is very long.

The article **All the Different Diseases in Dog Poop** is taken from [https://www.superscoopers.com/all-the-](https://www.superscoopers.com/all-the-different-diseases-in-dog-poop/)

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- Many parasite eggs found in feces do not reach the infectious stage until days or weeks after the animal defecated. Allowing feces to dry out and disintegrate contaminates the soil and creates an elevated risk for exposure to parasites. Most parasite eggs can remain viable in soil for months or years.
- Dog poop doesn't fertilize your yard – it contaminates it!
- Infection happens when tiny amounts of animal stool containing the germs reach the mouth. People may also become accidentally infected when they touch their mouth with soiled hands. **Children often have their hands in their mouths and are at higher risk of infection.**

Humans are susceptible to different diseases in dog poop. To give you a better understanding of the "crap" you're dealing with, here's a list of the different diseases in dog poop. Many diseases found in dog poop are the result of bacteria.

- **Campylobacteriosis:** Caused by a bacterium called Campylobacter, this bacterial infection is found in dog feces that can be transmitted to humans.
- **Salmonella:** This bacterium can be found in dog feces and can affect humans.
- **Coli:** E. Coli is one of the diseases in dog poop found commonly. It causes diarrhea or worse in dogs and humans.
- **Tapeworms:** Dogs get tapeworms from eating fleas (or accidentally swallowing fleas) infected with tapeworm larvae.
- **Roundworms:** Roundworms appear in dog feces and can infect humans who walk or play in areas that have been contaminated by infected dog feces. Roundworm eggs can remain viable for years, creating long-term contamination of soil wherever infected feces are allowed to disintegrate.
- **Hookworms:** Puppies tend to be more likely to have hookworms. They pass hookworm eggs in their dog poop, leaving eggs and larvae behind in the soil. Then, people can be infected when they walk barefoot.
- **Whipworms:** Whipworms are intestinal parasites that dogs get by being exposed to soil or other substances with dog poop. Humans can suffer from whipworms if they ingest water or soil contaminated by dog stool that has whipworms.
- **Cryptosporidiosis:** Cryptosporidiosis is caused by infection with a tiny parasite called Cryptosporidium parvum. The parasite produces cysts (eggs), which are passed in the stool of infected people or animals. The cysts can survive for 2 – 6 months in moist environments and are commonly found in lakes and streams. The parasite is spread by the fecal-oral route. People and animals can get infected when drinking contaminated water or eating contaminated food, or by direct contact with infected persons or animals."
- **Coccidia:** These parasites live in a dog's intestine after a dog eats soil containing coccidia. It is a serious disease for puppies.
- **Giardia:** This disease in dog poop is spread through dog poop, which means if you don't clear it from your yard, your dog will keep being reinfected.
- **Parvovirus:** One of the most dangerous diseases in dog poop is parvovirus, which is spread through ingesting contaminated dog poop. It causes severe diarrhea and vomiting and is life-threatening for puppies.

The most effective way to prevent diseases in dog poop is to scoop the poop regularly. Dog poop is full of bacteria and parasites that are dangerous for dogs and humans. And the longer the dog poop sits in your yard, the more opportunities for bacteria and parasites can grow and spread.



Post Office News

To ensure your mail goes out from Olsburg Post Office in a timely manner please keep the following in mind:

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Thinking of Building a Fence?

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If your spring projects include building or replacing a fence around your yard there are some steps you will need to take before getting too involved in the project.

❖ The Olsburg City Council passed a Fence Ordinance (NO. 382), August 8, 2023.

- ❖ Please download a copy of the Ordinance before you start making plans for your fence project. The Ordinance gives you detailed information regarding the types of fences allowed, setbacks required (distance between a building/fence and any lot line), etc. within the City limits.
- ❖ Ordinance NO. 382 can be found on the City website at <https://cityofolsburg.com/News-Information/Ordinances-Resolutions>. Scroll down on the left side of the Ordinances page and look for Ordinance NO. 382 – Regulating Fences.
- ❖ An application for building a fence is now required and can be found at <https://cityofolsburg.com/News-Information/Documents-Forms>. Scroll down to the Olsburg Fence Permit. Click on the PDF and print a copy. Complete the application and submit it to City Hall.
- ❖ ***Please note: Your application must be submitted at least 3-4 weeks prior to your planned project start date. The approval process can take up to 3 weeks to complete. So please, plan ahead!***
- ❖ There is a \$5.00 application fee payable by cash, check or through our KanPay portal, also available on the City Website.
- ❖ Once your application is approved, you will be notified so you can continue with your project.

As always, if you have any questions, please contact City Hall. 785-468-3209 or email olsburgcity@twinvalley.net.

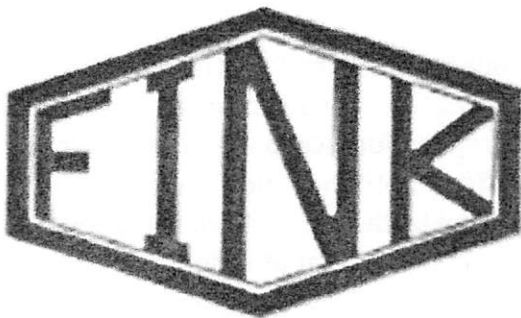


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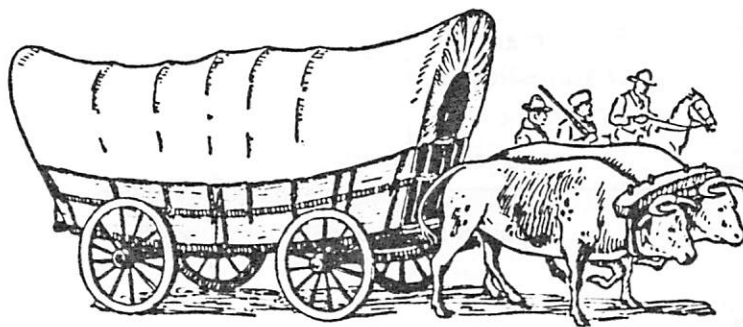
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