

Your Government Boone

ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF CITIZENS WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF BOONE.

The city of Boone has made a dedication to its citizens: Provide a greater level of information and education while maintaining financial stability. We hope this newsletter will help our citizens become more aware of city government activity.

TECH FOR BEGINNERS

◆ **FREE** tech classes are being offered for adults October, 2022 - March, 2023

◆ The **SAME** class will be offered **TWICE** each month

- INTERNET BASICS (NOV)
- COMPUTER BASICS (DEC)
- TABLET BASICS (JAN)
- ZOOM BASICS (FEB)



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OCTOBER 2022
TO MARCH 2023
FREE!
GIVEAWAYS!
FOOD!
FUN LEARNING!
IN PERSON!**

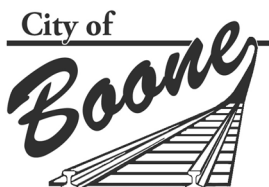
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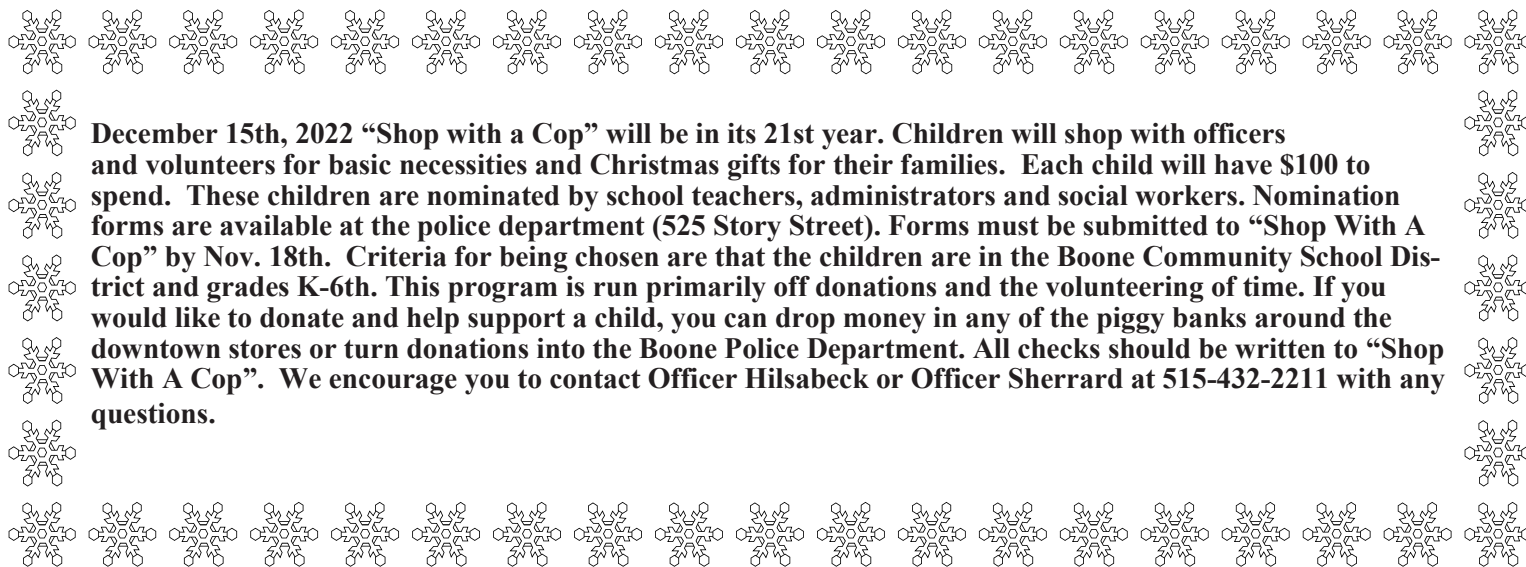


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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Santa Express November 25, 26, 27 & December 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18 www.bsvrr.com
- December 1st Downtown Holiday Lighted Parade 6pm
- December 15th "Shop With A Cop"



December 15th, 2022 “Shop with a Cop” will be in its 21st year. Children will shop with officers and volunteers for basic necessities and Christmas gifts for their families. Each child will have \$100 to spend. These children are nominated by school teachers, administrators and social workers. Nomination forms are available at the police department (525 Story Street). Forms must be submitted to “Shop With A Cop” by Nov. 18th. Criteria for being chosen are that the children are in the Boone Community School District and grades K-6th. This program is run primarily off donations and the volunteering of time. If you would like to donate and help support a child, you can drop money in any of the piggy banks around the downtown stores or turn donations into the Boone Police Department. All checks should be written to “Shop With A Cop”. We encourage you to contact Officer Hilsabeck or Officer Sherrard at 515-432-2211 with any questions.

Miles of Lights

Help keep our Holiday Decorations lighting our streets each holiday season! Holiday decorations are rated for 10 to 15 year lifespan and think how bare our community would look during the holiday season with no decorations. These decorations are made possible by generous citizens such as you.

Send your tax deductible donation to:

City of Boone PO Box 550, Boone, IA 50036 with “Miles of Lights” in the memo

Pass on a “thank you” to our Public Works Department Staff for maintaining these decorations.



Winter Tree Care

To avoid spreading disease and excessive stress, please trim oak trees during the winter months.



Protect the trunk of your trees with tree wraps. Animals and squirrels will eat the bark and damage the tree.

Reminder:



If you need Snow Ordinance Information

Text **BOONESNOW** to 888777

Residents are encouraged to review the side walk snow removal procedures.

The Boone City ordinance requires that property owners remove snow and ice accumulations from sidewalks within 24 hours in commercial districts and 48 hours in residential districts following a snow event. Owners are also required to maintain sidewalks clear of snow and ice.

The City will be performing work for properties that fail to comply. The City will cause the work to be completed and the charges will be assessed to the property taxes as a special assessment. The penalties for failure to comply with these requirements for the 2022-2023 winter season are (amount to be determined after bidding) for an interior lot, (amount to be determined after bidding) for a corner lot for snow removal, also a fifty dollar (\$50) civil penalty 1st offense and two-hundred dollars (\$200) 2nd offense and subsequent offenses with a five (\$5) dollar administrative fee.

Property owners are encouraged to keep their sidewalks clear of snow and ice accumulation for the safety of the users of our sidewalks. Questions may be directed to Community Service Officer David Ades at City Hall at 515-432-4211 x 1104 during normal business hours Monday through Friday from 8 am to 4 pm.

**Please help your fire fighters by keeping the fire hydrants clear of snow and debris.
Boone Fire Dept.**