

CHAMBER TUESDAY NEWSDAY

The Greater Franklin County Chamber of Commerce Member E-Newsletter

JULY 8TH, 2025

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Mission Statement
Working together by supporting
and encouraging growth in the
downtown district and beyond.

FRANKLIN COUNTY FAIR 2025

Heuer Rodeo
Wednesday, July 9th



Ricky Skaggs
Thursday, July 10th



49 Winchester
Friday, July 11th



Sawyer Brown
Saturday, July 12th



Gunderson Racing
Sunday, July 13th



POP Pass - ALL SHOWS, One Ticket!
The best deal is to purchase a POP Pass for \$70.
The POP Pass is all it takes to watch every show with ONE TICKET!

You can purchase the POP Pass via franklincountyfair.com or
at the Fair and Convention Office 1008 Central Ave W in Hampton
or by calling 641-456-2049.

WINDSOR THEATRE

JURASSIC WORLD REBIRTH

July 2-19

Showtimes:
Fri, Sat, Thurs 7pm
Wed & Sun 1pm & 7pm

Ticket Prices:
Youth- \$4 Adults-\$6
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FRANKLIN COUNTY FAIR PARADE

July 8th, 2025 5pm

No entry fee or registration required.

Line-up begins 2:30pm You are lined up as you arrive.
EVERYONE riding on float/etc. must arrive at the same time as the float

GENERAL PARADE

Enter from Olive ave. onto 12th ave. NE
Limit of 2 entries per business/organization

DIGNITARIES/FAIR COURT

Enter from HWY 65 onto 12th ave. NE

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Enter from HWY 65 into Trinity Lutheran church parking lot

HORSES/HORSE TRAILERS

Turn west from HWY 65 onto 19th ave. NE.
Follow N Federal st. to High School parking lot.

Entries will be judged and awarded at 4:30pm for
Best Chamber Member, Best of Franklin County, & Best Overall

For questions or more information contact
the Chamber 641-456-5668



ONLY 2 GENERAL PARADE ENTRIES PER BUSINESS

*****NO LIMIT ON # OF EMERGENCY VEHICLES, SUCH AS FIRE TRUCKS*****



HORSES
GENERAL PARADE ENTRIES
FIRE DEPARTMENTS
OFFICIALS/FAIR COURT

FRANKLIN COUNTY
FAIR PARADE
HAMPTON, IA
TUESDAY, JULY 8

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THE HAMPTON LIONS CLUB FUNDRAISER



Hampton Lions will be serving a
grilled pork loin sandwich and water for \$5.00
or a grilled hot dog and water for \$4.00.

Serving on July 8th during the parade at the
Northeast corner of the Fareway parking lot
from 4:00 to 6:30 or until gone.

Proceeds go towards local community projects.
Come join us for our Lions fundraiser!

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**Visit us
at the
Fair!**

July 9th-13th




FH FRANKLIN HISTORICAL SOCIETY
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**Meet your
Caregivers**



Stacey Arthur
Women's Health
Nurse Practitioner-
Board Certified (WHNP-BC)
Seeing patients at FGH -
Hampton Clinic

Stacey says, "I love being a comforting, expert
resource for women and the distinct issues we face. I
strive to form a close bond with my patients and work
to find the best solutions for their needs."

Call **641-456-5062** or **5065** to schedule an
appointment with Stacey.

The Greater Franklin County Chamber of Commerce
and Franklin County Tourism will be in the
commercial building during the Franklin County Fair!

**Stop in, say Hi and register
for a chance to win \$100 in Chamber Bucks!**

WOODLEY
FUNERAL HOME
AND CREMATORY

**Reeve REA
Power Generating Plant**
IOWA'S 29TH NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK



Presentation of honor by
Iowa Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Award Ceremony: 11:00AM
Open House: 10:00AM - 12:30PM
1450 IIOth St., Hampton, IA

Franklin REA: Providing Shuttle Service.
Pick-up at Franklin Historical Society Building
10:00 AM - 12:30 PM



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**Franklin County Iowa Tourism
2025 PHOTO CONTEST**

FREE TO ENTER!!



Have fun this summer taking photos around
Franklin County and enter them in our
photo contest showing others what makes
Franklin County special!!

Each photographer can enter up to a total of 3 framed
8 x 10 photos for contest.

3 Categories: HISTORY, EVENTS, AND NATURE
Prizes given for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each category!!
One PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD in each category!!
Vote at Center One or on Facebook.

Winning Photos will be announced on December 5th during the
LIGHT UP THE NIGHT event at Bandshell Park in Hampton.

All entries will be on display at the Franklin County Center One office in Hampton
upon being received and throughout the year until next year's contest begins.

Participating Sponsors are:

First Bank-Hampton	HISTORY
Butch Gruelke Auto Body, Inc.	EVENT/ACTIVITY
Christensen Jewelry, Inc.	NATURE

Top 3 entries for each category will be on display at the participating
sponsoring business the month of December after announced.

Entries accepted July 1st - October 31st

To learn more about the photo contest and how to enter, scan
the QR code or visit Franklin County Iowa Tourism on Facebook.



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Christian Youth Event

JESUS @ MAYNE'S

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GROUNDING IN JESUS 2025

FRIDAY, JULY 25 5PM-9PM

REGISTER <https://www.hamptonia.org>

Entering 7th grade - 12th grade
 TRANSPORTATION FROM HAMPTON/LATHAM

There is no admission fee, but we want you to have a great time and make the most of this event. We'll have food, games, and more. But the best part is the love. Meet Jesus.

Trinity Lutheran Church VBS
 Hampton, IA

EPIC Australian Adventure
 An Unforgettable Journey with Jesus

Wednesday, July 16th – Friday, July 18th
 1:00 – 3:30 PM

To register:
 call (641) 456-4816 or email trinityhamptonoffice@gmail.com

Summer Vibes
 Let's party!

HAMPTON SUMMER MARKET
 HISTORIC FRANKLIN COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
 HAMPTON IOWA

FRIDAY JULY 18TH	SATURDAY JULY 19TH	SUNDAY JULY 20TH
7pm-9pm LIVE MUSIC & FAMILY GAMES	7pm-9pm LIVE MUSIC & FAMILY GAMES	10am-3pm BAND SHELL PARK
MUSIC FOOD FUN SHOPPING	ARTISTS CRAFTERS BOUTIQUES FLOWERS	POPCORN BAKED GOODS CAR SHOW SWAG BAGS

2 GREAT EVENTS 1 GREAT TOWN

JOIN US FOR THE ULTIMATE CAR SHOW & SHINE Extravaganza

Whether you're a car enthusiast, a collector, or just someone who appreciates the beauty of finely crafted automobiles, this event is for you. Our Extravaganza will feature a stunning array of classic cars, muscle cars, hot rods, and exotic vehicles from all eras. It's a celebration of automotive history and innovation that you won't want to miss. Oh yeah, bikes and tractors can come too!

LUNCH COOKED ON SITE BY HAMPTON AMERICAN LEGION POST #183

1008 Central Ave W, Hampton, IA 50441
 FRANKLIN COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

This is just a show and shine event.
 No trophies given. No fee!
 Huge vendor show is free!
 Car clubs are welcome!

20 JULY 10-2

641-590-8068 Chris

REGIONAL AREA RESOURCE FORUM

Partnering for safer, stronger communities.

ABOUT THE FORUM

This one-day forum will bring together local and statewide organizations to discuss preventative strategies, notification services, and statewide victim assistance resources and supports designed to assist those impacted by trauma.

July 21, 2025
 9:15 AM - 2:45 PM

Franklin County Sheriff's Office
 105 5th Street SW, Hampton, Iowa 50441

Registration Link

WHY ATTEND?

- Connect with local and statewide experts
- Learn effective prevention and victim response strategies
- Explore resources available for trauma-impacted individuals
- Strengthen collaboration to better serve communities

Marked by Crisis Intervention Services

FOR QUESTIONS OR MORE INFORMATION:
 Mary J. Ingham, Executive Director, Crisis Intervention Services
 641-425-6490 | Mary@CIShelps.org

LATIMER DAY 5K

Race For Community

JOIN US!

FREE PARKING

EXPERIENCE ALL THE BEAUTY OF LATIMER

SATURDAY | 26 JULY, 2025 | 11:30AM

REGISTRATION: 100 / PERSON (EVERY PARTICIPANT WILL RECEIVE A MEDAL, SNACK, & WATER)

ALL FUNDS RAISED WILL BE USED TO OPEN/SUPPORT A "LITTLE COMMUNITY PANTRY"

FOR MORE INFORMATION: FIRSTQUEVENTS@GMAIL.COM

REGISTER ONLINE: CASH DAY OF OR VENUE: BLESSED-PRALLFORSBORN

Hampton United Methodist Church St. Paul's Lutheran Church Vacation Bible School

True North

"Trusting Jesus In A Wild World"

Sing & Play Peak July 21st - July 24th
5:00 to 7:30 PM

Wild Bible Adventures

Glacier Games

Tundra Treats

Sticky Scripture

Imagination Station

Compass Closing

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

Extension and Outreach

Preserve the Taste of Summer

Salsa Making

Take home a jar of salsa you preserved using the hot water bath canning method after learning safe methods. Homemade deliciousness in a jar!

5:00 - 9:00 pm Cost: \$25
Thursday July 31, 2025

United Methodist Church,
100 Central Ave East Hampton, IA
50441

Register:
<https://go.iastate.edu/YY1L3D>
Deadline: July 24, 2025

Questions:
Lili Velasco
641-456-4811

Learn more or register online: <https://go.iastate.edu/YY1L3D>

LATIMER FUN DAY

JULY 26TH, 2025

11:00 AM Critique tournament registration - UCC Church

11:30 AM 5K Walk/Run - Race for Community

NOON- Car Show (Awards - 3:30)
Kids Games/Inflatables

4:00 PM Vendor Show
Kid's Waterball
Food Trucks & Beer Garden

4:30 PM Parade (Line up @ 4:00 pm)

5:00 PM Little Miss Latimer Contest

7:30 PM Red Dirt Renegade
**Fireworks to follow at 9:30

10:00 PM DJ Billards

Event made possible with the help of Franklin County Tourism

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Hole games/ prizes

Tournament payouts based on flight

SATURDAY AUGUST 2ND
AT HAMPTON COUNTRY CLUB

Tee Off at 9am

\$180 - Per Team
\$40 Per Cart if Rental Cart is Needed

To register: Scan QR code or contact Renee Christiansen at (641)430-1652 or call the Access, Inc office at (641)456-2532 ext 106

All proceeds to support services provided by Access, Inc

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St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Centennial Celebration

Sunday, August 3rd, 2025

Order of Events

9am - Divine Service
10:30am - Church Picture
11:00am-1:00pm - Lunch
1:00pm-2:00pm - Stroll Down Memory Lane/Cake served
11:00am-4:00pm - Activities

Activities include but are not limited to: Corn Hole, Ladder Ball, Frisbee, Bounce Houses, Tag of War Tournament, 3 Legged Races

SAVE THE DATE

AUGUST CRUISIN & BBQ IN HAMPTON, IA 2025

COMING AUGUST 2025 TO DOWNTOWN HAMPTON

AUGUST 22-23 - KCBS MASTERS SERIES BBQ EVENT
AUGUST 22 - FRIDAY NIGHT CAR CRUISE
AUGUST 23 - IOWA MILITARY VETERANS BAND PERFORMS
AUGUST 24 - HAMPTON CAR SHOW

FOR MORE INFO ON THIS BBQ EVENT, EMAIL: CHARLAINE.JANSEN@CPHALLJEANSEN@GMAIL.COM
FOR MORE INFO ON THE CAR EVENTS, CONTACT: JEFF SPEAR @ 641-425-4222
FOR MORE INFO ON THE VETERANS BAND, CONTACT: ADAM AXERS @ 641-456-9679.

HAMPTON CAR SHOW

August 24, 2025
Bandshell Park Hampton, Iowa

\$15 CAR SHOW REGISTRATION
9:00 - 11:00AM

SUNDAY CAR SHOW
11:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Top 60 & Specialty Awards @ 3:30 PM

FRIDAY NIGHT CAR CRUISE
AUGUST 22ND
Line up at Faith Baptist Church @ 6:30 PM
Leave at 6:00 PM

JEFF SPEAR: 641-425-4222

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Chamber Director

Jim Davies
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Main Street Director

Ally Spohr
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Office Hours:
Monday–Friday
8:00am–4:00pm



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IOWA MILITARY VETERANS BAND at Band Shell Park Hampton, Iowa



1:00 PM
SATURDAY,
AUGUST 23, 2025

HOSTED BY AMERICAN LEGION POST 183

Join us Monday, October 6, 2025
to Celebrate!
Activities begin @ 4:00 P.M.

Adult Tees: \$20.00
Adult Crews: \$25.00
Adult Hoodies: \$30.00
Children's \$15.00



Help Celebrate the Hampton Public Library
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SAVE THE DATE!

COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR

OCTOBER 29TH, 2025



Save the date for our Biennial College and
Career Fair to be hosted at H-D-CAL High
School Gym!
Join us for this opportunity to allow
students to explore and fill workforce
positions!

MORE INFORMATION TO COME!



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