

Quin-Cities Shopping Guide

Your Guide to Area Shopping, Dining, Entertainment, Ag, Automotive, Greenhouses, Community Events & More

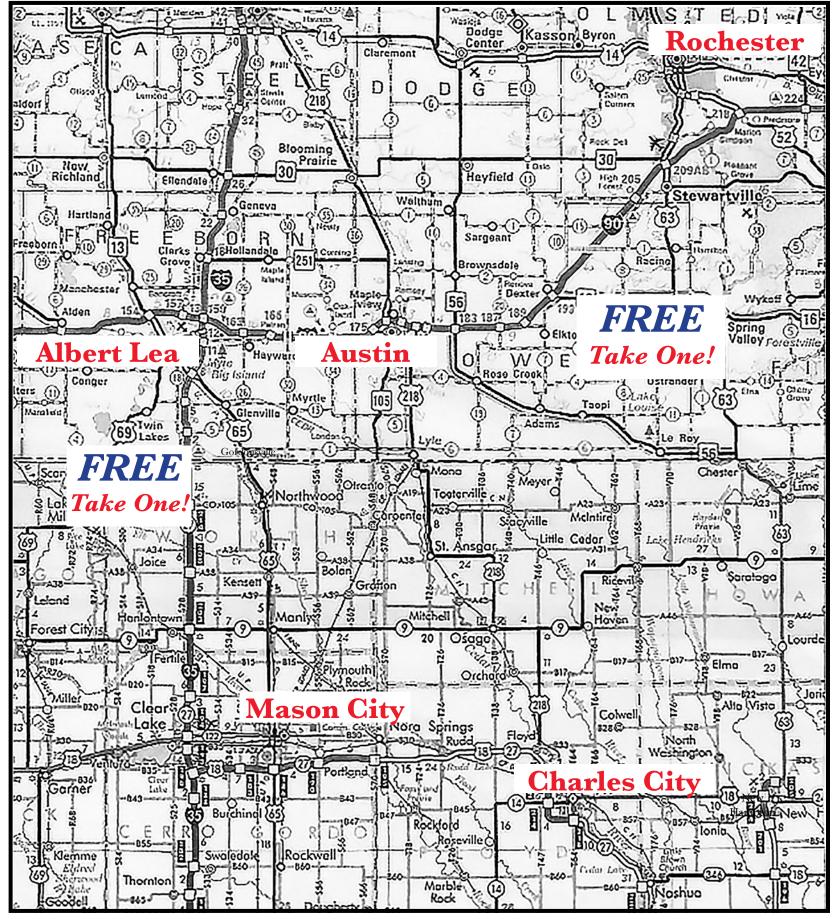
Trade Market Area The Quin-Cities® Area reaches over 15 counties in North Iowa & Southern Minnesota and has a potential Trade Market population of over 430,000. Iowa counties: Cerro Gordo, Floyd, Worth, Howard, Mitchell, Chickasaw, Hancock, Winnebago. Minnesota counties: Freeborn, Mower, Dodge, Olmsted, Steele, Waseca, Fillmore. This includes the Iowa small towns of; St. Ansgar, Northwood, Carpenter, Osage, Clear Lake, Stacyville, Grafton, Nashua, Hawkeye, Riceville, Lake Mills, Mitchell. In Minnesota, the small towns of; Blooming Prairie, Lyle, Gordonsville, Clarks Grove, Rose Creek, Stewartville, Dodge Center, Hayfield, and all the great small towns in the Quin-Cities® Area.



Lynne's Column
by Lynne Mouw
Co-Publisher of The Q

As we go into 2023, big changes are happening at The Q. We have new owners! Angie & Derrick Huffman, Osage, are taking over the production & publication. They are also owners of Big Horn Advertising, which produces online business directories. An online presence is what was needed for The Q. All ads will now have a QR code that will take readers to an online business directory. A great up-to-date addition! The Q will continue to be distributed throughout 15 counties in north Iowa & southern Minnesota. Gene & I will also continue to be involved on a limited basis for the near future. We thank everyone for allowing us to pread the word about your business & wish Angie & Derrick the best in their new business venture.













You're Always Welcome in St. Ansgar, Iowa The Best Little Hometown in Iowa! Offering great shopping, dining, entertainment, hair salons, event center, museums, antiques, florist, agri businesses, spas, orchard and so much more!









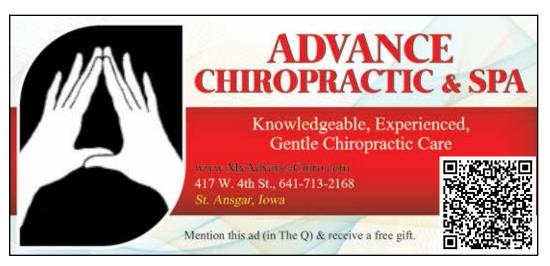




Milkhouse Candles are made in St. Ansgar, IA. We use all-natural wax that uses pure beeswax and soy wax from soybeans grown in America's Midwest. Our blend of waxes provides a safe and clean-burning alternative to paraffin candles.

Visit milkhousecandles.com/stores to find a store near you, and give our candles a sniff!









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Simply Beautiful EVENTS AND RENTALS



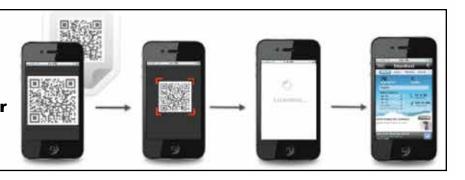
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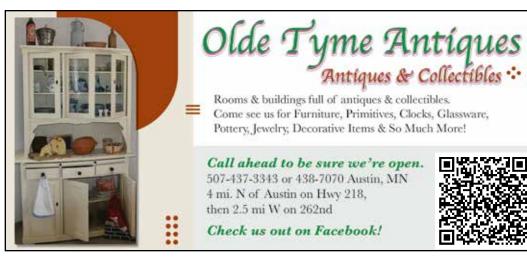
HOW TO USE A QR CODE

A special feature in the Q this year are QR codes.

When you hover the camera on your phone over the icon, a pop-up will appear to open a website. Click on that and a website will appear with details, pictures and information about that business or group of businesses













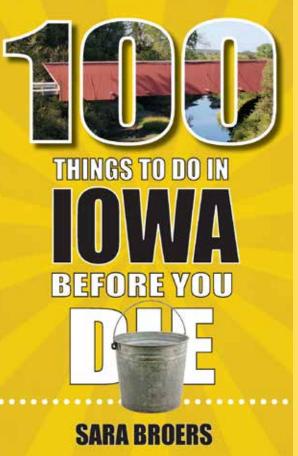
"Modern Rosie"

City of Colors Mural Series on the back of our building



413 N MAIN ST - CHARLES CITY IA HOURS: TUES - FRI 10-6, SAT 10-1

Your one stop shop for Home Décor & Gifts Cards - Wine - Snacks and so much more



Read about us!

That's right - we're in this great travel guide for IA

Fireside & Ackerman

Wines made in Iowa!



One of a kind gifts

over 500 items to personalize on the spot!



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GREENHOUSE INFORMATION

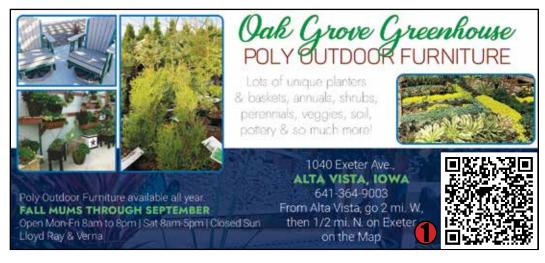
SPRING TIME HOURS OF OPERATION

#	Greenhouse	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
7	Acme Greenhouse	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	CLOSED
5	Countryside Greenhouse	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-5pm	CLOSED
9	Fruit & Flower Farm	8am-6pm	8am-8pm	8am-6pm	8am-8pm	8am-6pm	8am-6pm	CLOSED
9	Fruit & Flower Market	9am-6pm	9am-6pm	9am-6pm	9am-6pm	9am-6pm	9am-6pm	CLOSED
4	Hilltop Seeds	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	CLOSED
8	KR Greenhouse	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-5pm	CLOSED
1	Oak Grove Greenhouse	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-5pm	CLOSED
2	Sunny Brook Flowers	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	CLOSED
3	Underwood Greenhouse	8am-7pm	8am-7pm	8am-7pm	8am-7pm	8am-7pm	8am-6pm	CLOSED
10	Windy Hill Perennials	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	CLOSED
11	Windy Ridge Greenhouse	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-5pm	CLOSED
6	Zimmerman's Greenhouse	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	8am-8pm	CLOSED

MONTHS OF OPERATION

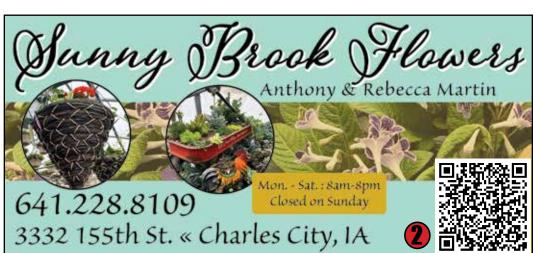
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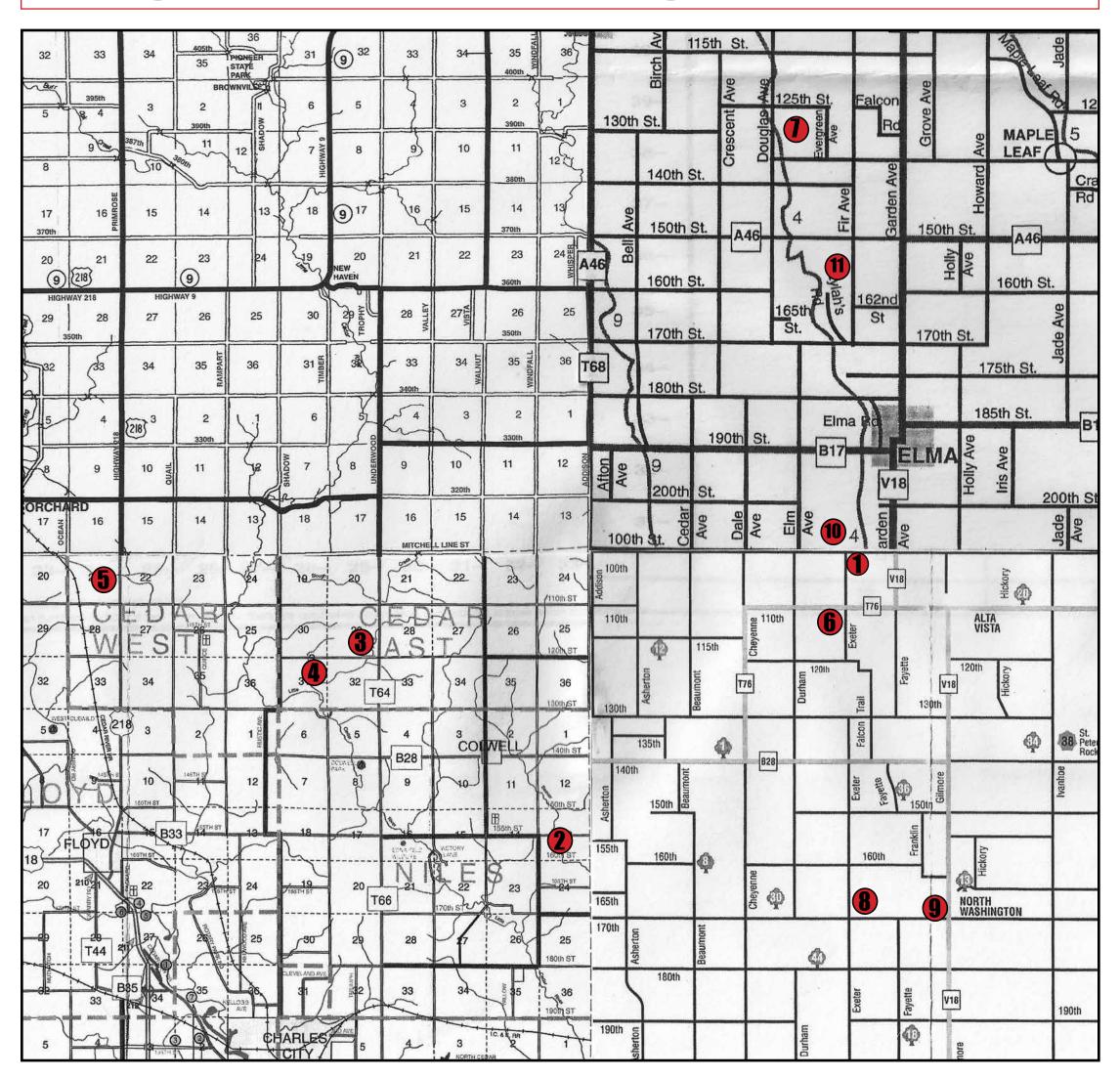








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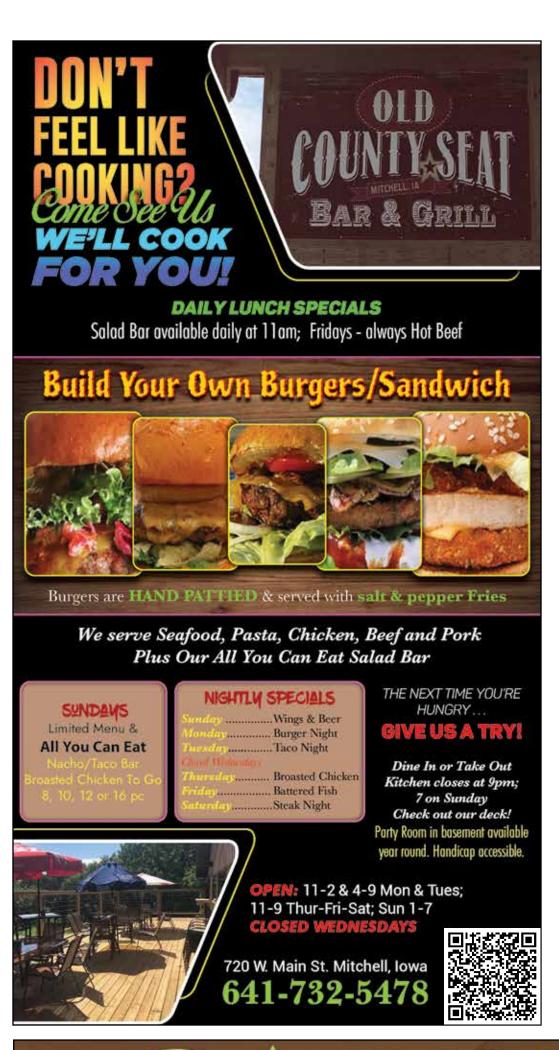














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CARPENTER COMMUNITY CENTER

A MULTI-USE FACILITY AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR YOUR EVENTS



• PLANNING A WEDDING, REUNION, OR AUCTION?

• LET'S NOT FORGET THE DANCES HOSTED HERE THROUGHOUT THE YEAR!

• THE FACILITY HAS A GYM, STAGE, KITCHEN, BAR, AND SMALLER MEETING AREA AS WELL AS OUTDOOR OPPORTUNITIES FOR RECREATION/MORE ACTIVE EVENTS.

• PARKING IS AVAILABLE ONSITE.

1PM - 4:30PM

\$12 ADMISSION

BRING YOUR OWN FOOD/CATERER, OR WE CAN PREPARE A MEAL FOR YOU.



UPCOMING DANCES

APRIL 23RD - BAREFOOT BECKY & IVANHOE DUTCHMEN

MAY 7TH - LEON OLSEN SHOW

AUGUST 27TH - RHYTHM PLAYBOYS

SEPTEMBER 4TH - BAREFOOT BECKY & IVANHOE DUTCHMEN

SEPTEMBER 24TH - LEON OLSEN SHOW

OCTOBER 8TH - ZWEIFEL BROS.

OCTOBER 29TH - MALEK'S FISHERMEN

**IN CASE OF BAD WEATHER CALL 641-425-4602 OR 641-736-4436 & LISTEN TO ANSWERING MACHINE OR GO TO OUR FACEBOOK PAGE.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

APRIL 29TH - FEED THE FARMER

Sandwich, salad, chips and dessert meal Eat - in or carry out 11am - 1pm

AUGUST 25-26TH - CARPENTER DAYS

Friday night band - Half Shebang, Bar & Food available Saturday afternoon - Horse Pull, Pony rides, kid games Saturday night - DJ, bar and Cattleman's Food Truck

SEPTEMBER 9TH - ALL SCHOOL REUNION

For all grads of Carpenter and Otranto Schools

FOR UP-TO-DATE INFO ABOUT EVENTS!

508 WILLIAMS ST. | CARPENTER, IA 641-425-4602 (GENERAL INFO) | 641-512-3450 (RENTAL INFO)







23,24 @ 7:00 pm Sunday *new time! June 18 & 25 @ 1:00 pm

*Bring a can of Spam for local food shelves to enter your name in a drawing for CST gifts!



Th-Sat. June 29,30, July 1,15, 20,21 @ 7:00 pm Sunday, July 2 & 16 @ 1 pm

*SPECIAL reserved seating for church groups of 10 or more!

*Dress as a Church Basement Lady to enter your name in a drawing for CST gifts!



FOREVER

IN REP WITH CHURCH BASEMENT LADIES)

Th-Sat. July 6,7,8, 13,14, 22 @ 7:00 pm Sunday July 9 & 23 @ 1 pm

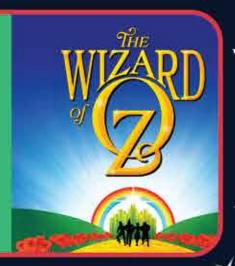
*Dress in plaid to enter your name in a drawing for CST gifts!



THE WIZARD OF OZ

Th-Sat. July 27,28,29, August 3,4,5 @ 7:00 pm Sunday *new time! June 18 & 25 @ 1:00 pm

*Dress as your favorite Oz character to enter your name in a drawing for CST gifts!



Group Rates for any group of 10 or more!

TO RESERVE GROUP TICKETS

CALL OUR BOX OFFICE: 641-390-3155 OR EMAIL: carrieb.cst@gmail.com.

SEASON TICKETS & SINGLE TICKETS AVAILABLE ONLINE AT:

tix.com/ticket-sales/cedarsummerstock/5499

ALSO AVAILABLE AT THESE TWO LOCATIONS ST. ANSGAR STATE BANK and CEDAR RIVER COMPLEX, Osage, IA.