

Calendar of Events

- December 7, 2023 **TruBank Holiday Open House**
TruBank
2351 Sunset Drive
Norwalk, IA 50211
09:00 AM - 03:30 PM CST
Tim Klinkner, 515-285-4900
tklinkner@trubank.bank
Visit TruBank's Norwalk branch during normal lobby hours to celebrate the upcoming holidays and the conclusion of our 140th Anniversary in 2023! Light food and drink will be provided. Don't forget to grab your 2024 calendar as we have 3 different styles available!
- December 7, 2023 **Holiday Terrariums**
Indianola Activity Center
2204 West 2nd Ave.
Indianola, Io 50125
06:00 PM - 07:00 PM CST
Kelsey Longnecker, 515-961-6169
KelseyL@warrencountyia.org
- December 8, 2023 **Norwalk Area Women's Collective | Breakfast Club**
Middlebrook Mercantile
4125 Cumming Ave
Cumming, IA 50061
07:45 AM - 09:00 AM CST
info@norwalkchamber.org
- December 9, 2023
- December 10, 2023 **Synchronized Lights & Live Nativity**
Fellowship Community Church
225 North Ave
Norwalk, IA 50211
05:30 PM - 08:30 PM CST
Beth McLaughlin, 5159810699
bmclaughlin@fellowshipnorwalk.org
A Norwalk Tradition Loved By Thousands! Free drive-through event featuring 80,000 Christmas lights synchronized to music, live nativity with animals, and free hot cocoa and fresh cookies brought to your vehicle!
- December 9, 2023 **Fall Nature Market**
The Middleswart Lodge
15875 118th Ave.
Indianola, IA 50125
09:00 AM - 12:00 PM CST
Kelsey Longnecker, 515-961-6169
KelseyL@warrencountyia.org

December 9, 2023

Candy Cane Hike
The Middleswart Lodge
15875 118th Ave.
Indianola, IA 50125

09:00 AM - 12:00 PM CST

Kelsey Longnecker, 515-961-6169

KelseyI@warrencountyia.org

Tis the season to bust out your favorite ugly sweater and candy cane stripes! So grab your family, friends, or neighbors and lace up your favorite hiking boots to hike the trails, at the Middleswart Lodge, where candy canes are waiting to be discovered! As you explore the trail make sure to keep your eyes peeled for candy canes hidden among the prairie. Once you've completed the trail and counted what you believe to be all the hidden candy canes, it's time to warm up inside the Middleswart Lodge with a cup of hot cocoa or cider. Locate the candy cane box and submit your guess for a chance to win a candy cane themed gift basket. Then take some time to visit the vendors at the Fall Nature Market.

This event is free to all, but we do ask that you please RSVP by December 8th. We look forward to seeing you at the Middleswart Lodge.

December 14, 2023

Membership Meeting & Lunch
Fellowship Community Church
225 North Ave
Norwalk, IA 50211

11:30 AM - 01:00 PM CST

Lauren Ebensteiner, 515-981-0619

info@norwalkchamber.org

Join the chamber for a luncheon to celebrate 2023! Share your successes with the membership and hear about the great things that happened in our community this year.

Thursday, December 14

11:30 a.m.

Fellowship Community Church
225 North Avenue

Sponsored by City State Bank
Catering by Winn's Pizza & Steakhouse

Register by December 12

December 14, 2023

TruBank 140th Anniversary Facebook Trivia Contest

<https://www.facebook.com/trubank1883>

1401 N Jefferson Way

Indianola, IA 50125

12:00 AM - 11:45 PM CST

Ben Currie, 515-961-5880

bcurrie@trubank.bank

Like and follow TruBank on Facebook for your chance to win the TruBank 140th Anniversary Facebook Trivia Contest! Visit the TruBank Facebook Page and post a comment on the 140th Anniversary Contest post on December 14th with what you believe the correct answer is. If more than one correct answer posted, the winner will be randomly selected. The winner will be announced December 15th. The winning prize for the December trivia question is a TruBank fleece blanket, stocking cap, 20 oz tumbler mug, and a special TruBank 140th Anniversary ornament. For official rules, visit our website.

December 16, 2023

GriefShare: Surviving the Holidays

Fellowship Community Church

225 North Ave

Norwalk, IA 50211

09:30 AM - 11:30 AM CST

Pastor Matt Hayton, 5159810699

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GriefShare: Surviving the Holidays is a helpful, encouraging seminar for people facing the holidays after a loved one's death. Please join us on Saturday, December 16th from 9:30 – 11:30am at Fellowship Community Church, 225 North Avenue in Norwalk. There is no cost to attend this event.

The seminar features video interviews with counselors, grief experts, and other people who have experienced the holidays after their loved one's death and who offer practical suggestions and reassurance. These people share honestly about:

Being prepared for surprising emotions that may hit over the holidays

What to do about traditions and other coming changes

How to handle holiday parties and invitations

How to survive potentially awkward moments with other people

Where to find comfort, strength, and hope in a seemingly hopeless time

Those who attend will receive a Survival Guide filled with practical tips, encouraging words, journaling ideas, and exercises for daily help through the holiday season.

For more information, visit www.fellowshipnorwalk.org or contact Pastor Matt Hayton at 515-981-0699 or email

contact@fellowshipnorwalk.org<https://www.griefshare.org/holidays/events/50562>

January 17, 2024

Norwalk Area Young Professionals 2024 Kickoff Event

Luana Savings Bank - Community Room

9321 Market Pl Dr

Norwalk, IA 50211

07:30 AM - 09:00 AM CST

Lauren Ebensteiner, 515-981-0619

info@norwalkchamber.org

Norwalk Area Young Professionals

2024 Kickoff Event

January 17, 2024

7:30 - 9 a.m.

Luana Savings Bank

9321 Market Place Drive

Norwalk, IA

Join us for coffee and networking with the Norwalk Area Young Professionals! This casual event is a great opportunity to find out about the young professionals group and the YP events planned for 2024.

Drop-in style event, no registration necessary.