

# The Chadwick Chatter

August 2016

Please send comments, opinions, suggestions to [chadyak@yahoo.com](mailto:chadyak@yahoo.com) by the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month.

## **Chadwick Public Library News**

Congratulations to all the participants who finished this year's summer reading program, Read for the Win. We're proud to say that we had a 75% completion rate - a record for the library and our young patrons.

## **Hope Methodist Church**

*From Hope Church:* Thank you to all who participated in the Fun Thursday event this summer! Hope had a wonderful time with the kids and we can't wait to share more with you in the future!

*From Fairhaven Church:* Young in Spirit will be Saturday, August 13 at 7:00 p.m. This is a contemporary service for any and all. Saturday August 20th and Sunday August 21st, Fairhaven will have a fall kickoff. Join Saturday evening beginning at 7:00 p.m. for a bonfire, hayride, and other fun fellowship. Sunday morning, bring your pets, tractors, and if you like, a member of your livestock for our annual harvest blessing at 10:45 a.m. We are

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[www.chadwickil.com](http://www.chadwickil.com)

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located at 1031 Demmon Rd just outside of Chadwick.

## **First Lutheran**

Sunday, August 14th at 9:00 am, we will have the Blessing of the Backpacks. Students of all ages and teachers are asked to bring their backpacks to church for a special blessing as they begin another school year. At this time, we will also be presenting a personalized, fleece blanket to each of our 2016 Seniors to take with them to college as a reminder of their church family back home.

## **Chadwick Lions Club**

The Chadwick Lions Club is sponsoring a Blood Drive on Friday, August 26 from 1:00-6:00 PM at the Chadwick Legion Building.

## **Save the Date :**

Chadwick's Fall Festival is September 10th! Activities will include, a tractor ride, craft/vendor booths, Lion's club pork chop BBQ with bake sale by First Lutheran church, activities for the kids,

live music and much more. Plan to attend. If you or your organization would like to participate in some way, please contact Kim at M&K Restaurant, 815-684-5700 or 815-541-4404 (cell)

### **Looking for Vendors/Crafters**

We're looking for vendors and/or crafters for the Chadwick Fall Festival on September 10th. There is no set up fee. Contact Kim 815-541-4404 if you are interested. Have approximately 20 already signed up. We will also be having a tractor drive. Interested parties should contact Dick @815-499-2218 or Mark @ 815-541-0052. If you have any ideas or would like to help out please let us know on M&K's Facebook page or by giving me a call . We have had a couple meetings and will have more if you would like to come. The dates and times are posted on M & K's Facebook page.

There also will be another painting party at the restaurant on Tuesday August 23@ 6. The last one was a huge success with 16 people attending. Sign up on inspired painting parties.com or at the restaurant.

I will try to do the next movie in the Park possibly on Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup>. That will be before school starts but just watch our Facebook page for a definite date.

### **Original Cards by U**

Original Cards by U. will meet on August 17, at 6:30 at 317 Snow Street. We will be making 6 cards this evening. Call 815-684-5616 for more info.

Anyone interested in making cookies for Chadwick Days tractor drive, please call 684-5616 or contact Kim at M & K in Chadwick.