### **ACTIVE VOLUNTEERS**

The Civic Club has run "TUG- FEST BINGO" for many, many Years!





Always great food and good times at our Club's Pot Luck meetings

We were very involved during the 2008 "RAGBRAF" End Town Celebration





We are one of the main sponsors of the annual "Christmas in LeClaire"

Everyone loves our Springtime SWISS STEAK DINNER Fund Raiser!



## WHEN YOU JOIN US, YOU WON'T JUST BE PART OF THE CIVIC CLUB...YOU'LL BE PART OF THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY THROUGH THAT MEMBERSHIP.

Some of our members have served, or are presently serving our community and/or the surrounding area, as a County Supervisor, LeClaire Mayors & City Council Members, Police Chief, Fire Chief, or members of the Park Board, Recreation Board, City Planning & Zoning Committee, the city Board of Adjustment, Chamber of Commerce, the Downtown Marketing Alliance, the 911 County Service Board, Scott County Condemnation Review Board, Buffalo Bill Museum Board, local & County American Legion Officers, local, regional, and state Jaycee Officers, as well as leaders of many other organizations. The point is ...our members are not only involved in our organization, but the entire community as well. We love LeClaire and are very proud of our many, many years of volunteer service!

#### **INTERESTED?**

Our club meets at the Civic Center every fourth
Tuesday. Pot Luck Dinner at
6:30 P.M. and Regular Business Mtg. at
7:00 P.M. You can also call 289-5259
or 289-4205 for more information, or go to

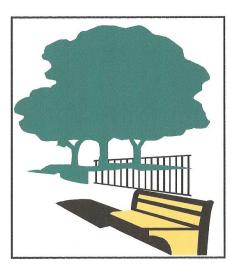
www.leclairecivicclub.org

### **MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

NAME/s 1)		
2)		
ADDRESS		
 FEL#	E-MAIL	

SEND \$ 7.50 (Annual Dues) FOR EACH PERSON TO "LeCLAIRE CIVIC CLUB", PO BOX # 562, LeCLAIRE, IA 52753

# JOIN THE LeCLAIRE



BECOME A
MEMBER OF OUR
COMMUNITY
ASSOCIATION OF
VOLUNTEERS

ACTIVE SINCE 1938

### LeCLAIRE CIVIC CLUB BACKGROUND

The LeClaire Civic Club, which is a 501C-4 Non Profit Corporation, organized under the laws of the state of Iowa, began operations in 1938. Since its conception, the club has been extremely active within the city of LeClaire and the surrounding area. Many things the citizens of LeClaire take for granted were originally built or organized by our club, and were either donated to the city, or were the for-runners for other major events that followed in later years. Through the efforts of our members, thousands of dollars have been donated to, or raised for worthy projects, for almost three quarters of a century.

The Civic Club purchased the old "Kitchen's Corner" building in about 1958, and in about 1962, it was renovated into what is now the **LeClaire Civic Center**. In keeping with our non-profit status, we strive to always keep the building rent at a very low cost.

The club was reorganized in 1998 with a huge membership drive which increased the number of members by about 100. Major renovations have been made to the building, such as a new furnace and air conditioning, new kitchen floors, new roof and major wall repairs, new windows, doors, ceiling fans, major electrical work, and a new commercial stove.

Presently, with our membership over 100, and most of our active members over the age of 50, we are in the process of recruiting more members, especially younger members to carry on the good works of our club far into the future.



The LeClaire Civic Center, owned and operated by the LeClaire Civic Club, is located at 127 South Cody Road, the first building on the right coming into town from the South. This Community facility has been the main meeting hall in LeClaire since about 1962. Although equipped with a full kitchen facility and a main hall with enough tables and chairs for up to 100 + people, it is one of the lowest cost rental halls in this entire area. The building is well used by LeClaire and the surrounding area for numerous events of all kinds; including fund raisers, birthday and retirement parties, wedding receptions, baby showers, flea markets, auctions, blood drives, Trivia Game Nights, other non-profit organization's events, and many more.



WELCOME SIGN PLACED BY OUR CLUB ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF LeCLAIRE

### A PROUD TRADITION OF VOLUNTEER SERVICE FOR 75 YEARS

1938 - 2013

WHETHER IT'S RAISING FUNDS FOR LeCLAIRE'S HISTORIC LONE STAR STEAMER, OR DOWN TOWN SOUND SYSTEM,

HOSTING BENEFITS TO AID LOCAL FAMILIES IN TIME OF NEED, OR

SUPPORTING LOCAL YOUTH SUCH AS BOY'S & GIRL'S SCOUT GROUPS OR BASEBALL TEAMS,

OUR MEMBERS HAVE ALWAYS BEEN WILLING TO HELP OUT WHENEVER THE NEED ARISES.

### A Community Association of Volunteers

Although about 25% of our members volunteer to help on all of our projects, and many others work on only a few of those projects, it is not a requirement that our members work on any projects. We do encourage members to get involved, whether it be in a leadership position on the Board of Directors, working on our internal or community projects, or assisting in the upkeep and maintenance of our building. Some choose to donate funds in lieu of volunteer hours, or even to be patron members. Everything contributes to the overall success of the club. Even though we appreciate anything each member can help on ... after joining, you choose your level of involvement, based upon what you can give.