

Chamber's First Saturday in Eureka on June 8

A Swap Meet will be the first activity sponsored by the Eureka Chamber of Commerce's First Saturday in Eureka promotion. Once-a-month events will be held, at least through the warm weather months.

The Swap Meet will be held on June 8 in the downtown area. Anyone with anything for sale is invited to have a table. Items can be crafts, commercial, rummage sale, antiques – basically anything that someone wants to sell. There will be a small charge to help cover advertising costs. Judy Dohn is chairperson for the event.

Reports were given during the meeting on May 20 at Prime Time. The City reported on the construction of Highway 10. The Fire Dept. stated that there were 2 small fires. The fireworks display on July 4th will be done electronically. Eureka Development is updating written materials, oilfield ads have generated some interest, Welcome Wagon baskets will be assembled soon, and highway construction updates can be heard on The Eureka Show. Schmeckfest will sponsor a Tractor Drive on June 22. Registration is 7-8 AM and the group will leave at 8:00 AM, travel east to the Newtown corner and turn north to their destination of Ashley. Lions will be starting on the Community Calendar soon. Valley reported that the Dish Farm in Sioux Falls is being replaced. They are moving the existing network to a new system now and it is a \$600,000 project. The fiber optic contracts have been awarded; work will begin in June or July and completed by the end of the year. Modems will no longer be needed by the end of the year. Those who have pixeling issues can often fix the problem by unplugging the unit then plugging back in.

Chamber will put \$10 of Bonus Bucks in each Welcome Wagon basket along with a letter so recipients know where they can be used. Businesses and individuals can still pay their dues for the year if they have not yet done so. Discussion topics that will be discussed again at the next meeting were having honorary Chamber members and a radical new Appreciation Day celebration.

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