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*Things to See & Do:*

- Improved City Website
- Backbone State Park
- Wilder Museum
- The Big Strawberry

## Newsletter Needs A Name!!

No one submitted suggestions so we are still looking for a name for the monthly newsletter. Please submit suggestions by email or at City Hall. The newsletter's name will change and the winner will be announced in October!

The monthly newsletter will be available on the City website at [www.strawberrypoint.com](http://www.strawberrypoint.com). Our goal is to inform the community on events or issues going on in or around Strawberry Point. We are interested in your comments or suggestions, please feel free to bring them to City Hall or email them to us!!!



Winner gets a free ice cream cone!!!

**Mayor &  
City Council**

*Doug Schmidt*

*Dean Courtnage*

*Dale Fox*

*Dave Gould*

*Bill Green*

*Norm Rizer*

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

- Liz Jaster—September 8th

Email us your birthday's and anniversaries to be included! If we missed your date let us know and we will include it on the next newsletter!!

# City Hall News

Hello from City Hall,

The big news again this month is anyone interested in running for Mayor or City Council should pick up nomination papers at City Hall. The nomination papers must be completed and returned to City Hall by **5:00 p.m. on September 20, 2007.**

The employees of the City of Strawberry Point would also like to welcome Elizabeth Bottelman to Strawberry Point as Head Librarian.

The Deputy City Clerk and City Clerk will be attending the League of Cities Annual Conference in Dubuque on September 27. The Office will still be open from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm on that day.

Just a reminder to all property owners: Every

house in town is to have a number placed on the front of the building. It should be at least 2.5 inches high, plain, legible and be a contrasting color with the background.

The staff at City Hall also welcomes any comments and suggestions from you the citizens. Please feel free to stop in or call us at 563-933-4482.



City Clerk Deanna Dement

Come and see how City policies are made, attend a City Council meeting. They are the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of every month at 7 p.m. at City Hall.

Deanna Dement

City Clerk/Administrator

## Fire Department

The Fire Department had a successful steak fry on August 18th. Over 300 people were served at this event. Thank you for making it a success!!

Fire convention will be held the week of September 10th in Forrest City, Iowa.



Fire Chief Jeff Robinson

Approximately 10 of our Firemen will be in attendance.

## Police

As taken from the 06-07 Fiscal Year End Report:

During the 06-07 fiscal year, the Strawberry Police Department responded to 411 documented calls for service that required a case file. Officers spent countless hours doing foot patrol in the business district late at night checking the security of the stores, shops, and locking the Post Office.

The total case load for the police department was up



Police Chief Bob Pope

from the previous year. Officers responded to fire and ambulance calls providing assistance as needed in those situations. Officers continued checking homes of residents that were vacationing as part of our community policing efforts.

# Public Works

The Highway 3/13 Project is progressing nicely. The crew is currently working up to Spring Street.

REMINDER: Please do not blow grass clippings in street or please clean these off street after mowing.

REMINDER: All households in Strawberry Point need a visible house number. Please contact City Hall if you need



City Superintendent Jeff Robinson

the specifications for these house numbers.

# Ambulance

The Ambulance Service would like to remind everyone, now that school is back in session, to slow down, buckle up and be aware of the other vehicles on the road.

Local EMT classes will be starting next month. If anyone is interested in taking the class and joining our team, please contact me or one of the EMTs and we will give you all of the infor-

mation that you need. We are always in need of good people to help serve the community.

*Look for the ambulance at the home football games!*  
*Stop by and say hello!*  
**GO STARS!!!**

Thank you again to all of the people that have contributed to our fundraising efforts. We are continuing our efforts to raise money to help finance the purchase of a new ambulance. The response from the community has been overwhelming. Thank you.

Roland Evans  
Ambulance Service Director

# Library

I would like to encourage everyone to stop by and visit their Public Library. We have so many resources available for your convenience, over 20,000 items for checking out!!

Our next book is ready for group reading. The title is Tortilla Curtain by T.C. Boyle.



563-933-4340  
Elizabeth Bottelman

The next Book Discussion is set for September 27th at 7:00 p.m. I am looking forward to seeing you there!

Elizabeth Bottelman  
Library Director

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Letter from the Mayor:

Coming Next Month

*Deanna Dement—City Clerk/  
Administrator*

*Liz Jaster—Deputy City Clerk*

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[WWW.STRAWBERRYPT.COM](http://WWW.STRAWBERRYPT.COM)

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## Other Area Information

- Starmont Board of Directors Election—September 11th
- Volga Gazebo Concert featuring Guttenberg German Band—September 2nd
- Flag Football Registration—September 4th @ 6 p.m.
- Farmers Market in Inger Park—Wednesdays from 4-6 pm
- St Mary Fun Day @ St Mary's Catholic Church—September 9th



Chamber Secretary Gene Rima 933-4400