

New Ulm Public Utilities
310 First North Street
New Ulm, Minnesota 56073

NEW ULM
PUBLIC
UTILITIES
REBATE &
CONSERVATION
CALENDAR
2022



- Courtesy of New Ulm Public Utilities with the cooperation of the City of New Ulm and the New Ulm Chamber of Commerce
- Developed for the purpose of sharing rebate programs and conservation information, plus meetings and local events*
- Programs and meetings are subject to change and not meant to be all-inclusive

* Due to the uncertainty of community events taking place (at the time of printing), they are not included in this year's calendar. But you can visit newulm.com each month for updated information or call the New Ulm Chamber of Commerce at 507-233-4303.



NEW ULM PUBLIC UTILITIES REBATE & CONSERVATION CALENDAR

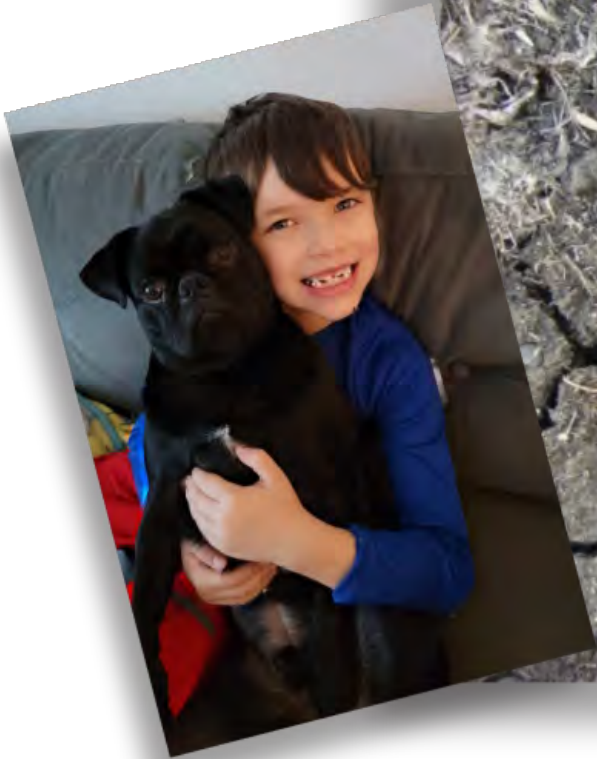
THE NATURE OF NEW ULM 2022



Includes City of New Ulm and Public Utilities Meetings and Chamber of Commerce Events



The Rebate & Conservation Calendar has been developed for the purpose of sharing rebate programs and conservation information with New Ulm Public Utilities (NUPU) customers. Minnesota State Statute 216B.241 requires NUPU to spend 1.5% of its gross operational revenue to maintain a Conservation Improvement Program to promote energy efficiency. Conservation Improvement Programs may include energy conservation measures that target consumer behavior. Conservation Improvement Plan funds are used to cover calendar development and material costs. The calendar serves to promote NUPU rebate programs, distribute conservation tips, and list City and local events. We hope you enjoy this calendar and find it informative.



Rebate & Conservation Calendar 2023

The 2023 Conservation & Rebate Calendar will feature those animals, past and present, who share, or have shared, our lives, our beds, our homes and our hearts. Be it cats, dogs, hamsters, horses, parrots or ferrets, send us your favorite photos of your furry, scaly, or feathered friends. Pets shown in a variety of seasons would be appreciated. Please identify the pet(s) names as well as your name on photos submitted **by October 15, 2022.**

Submit photos to:
New Ulm Public Utilities
Attn: 2023 Calendar
310 1st North St.
New Ulm, MN 56073

Email high resolution digital photos or scans to:
DerekN@newulmmn.gov

Original photos will be returned

THANK YOU!

New Ulm Public Utilities would like to thank everyone who submitted photographs for the 2022 Rebate & Conservation Calendar. Cover photos submitted by Autumn Krenz (leaves), Vicki Sieve (flowers), and Lori Wengert (beaver)

VOLUNTEER AND SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY!

CONTACT US!

NEW ULM PUBLIC UTILITIES 310 1st North Street

MAIN NUMBER	233-2110
Billings & Connections 100 N Broadway	359-8259
Administration	359-8264
Electric Distribution Dept	359-8295
Gas Dept	359-8289
Material Distribution Center 2010 N. Broadway	233-2134
Power Plant Chief Engineer	233-2128
Power Plant Operator	233-2129
Utilities Director	359-8264
Wastewater Treatment Plant 3 Tower Rd	359-8360
Water/Steam Dept 306 N. German St	359-8279
AFTER HOURS ALL CALLS	359-8204

Chamber of Commerce

1 North Minnesota St. • PO Box 384
New Ulm, MN 56073
507-233-4300 • Fax: 507-354-1504
chamber@newulm.com

Convention & Visitors Bureau

1 North Minnesota St. • PO Box 862
New Ulm, MN 56073
888-463-9856
info@newulm.com

CITY OF NEW ULM 100 North Broadway

MAIN NUMBER	233-2121
Administration	359-8233
Attorney 11 N Minnesota St	359-2991
Building Inspections/Community Development	359-8245
Cashier (Utility Bills)	359-8259
Cemetery	359-8328
Community Access Television 17 N Broadway	359-8290
EDA Housing	359-8227
Economic Development	233-2113
Elections	359-8226
Engineering	359-8380
Finance	359-8259
Fire Department	
Emergency	911
Engine House No. 1 526 8th N St	359-8225
Human Resources	359-8235
Library 17 N Broadway	359-8331
Park & Recreation Department 122 S Garden St	
Main Office	359-8344
Facility Reservations	359-8340
Recreation Center (Vogel Fieldhouse/Indoor Pool)	359-8347
Cancellation/Closure Hotline	354-9041
Community Center 600 N German St	
Senior Meals Program	359-2243
Senior Center Programs/ CASTLE Lifelong Learning	354-3212
Police Department	
Emergency	911
Law Enforcement Center 15 S Washington St	233-6750
Street Department 2020 N Broadway	359-8296

Citizens of New Ulm volunteer their time to serve on various boards and commissions. The volunteers are appointed by the Mayor and approved by the City Council at the annual meeting in January of each year.

If you are interested in serving on one of our boards or commissions, please download and complete the application found on the website below and submit to:

City of New Ulm
City Administration
Mayor Appointments
100 North Broadway
New Ulm, Minnesota 56073

Fax:
507.359.9752
Email:
comments@newulmmn.gov

Applications available at City Hall or visit www.newulmmn.gov Select Government, then Boards and Commissions.



Hazy Shade of Winter
Flandrau State Park
AUTUMN KRENZ

JANUARY
January

JANUARY
January



Flocked
New Ulm Public Library
JOHN PFEIFFER

GOOD
TO KNOW



Now's the time to purchase Energy Star appliances. Prices can be lower PLUS you may receive REBATES from New Ulm Public Utilities on the following appliances:

■ REFRIGERATOR/FREEZER

■ DISHWASHER

■ COMPACT REFRIGERATOR

■ DECOMMISSION OF OLD REFRIGERATOR/FREEZER

■ CLOTHES WASHER

■ CLOTHES DRYER

NOTE: NUPU rebates may be paired with others. Additional rebates and discounts may be available at state and federal level, or from the manufacturer.

Contact:
New Ulm Public Utilities
310 1st North Street
Call 233-2110 Ext. 401 or
visit newulmmn.gov for details and forms.



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★ MEETING TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE! CALL TO CONFIRM EXACT TIMES FOR CITY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES MEETINGS.					31 CITY OFFICES CLOSED NEW YEAR'S DAY OBSERVED	1
2	3 • 5:15 pm - Sister Cities Commission	4 • 4:30pm - City Council	5	6 • 4pm - Tree Advisory Commission • 5pm- Safety Commission	7	8
9	10 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission	11 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm - Airport Commission • 5pm - Energy Awareness Commission	12	13 • 4pm - Library Board	14	15
16	17 • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission CITY OFFICES CLOSED MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY	18 • 4:30pm - City Council	19	20 • 5pm - Cable Communication Advisory Board	21	22
23/30	24/31 • 5:15 pm - Human Rights Commission (24th)	25 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	26	27 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	28	29

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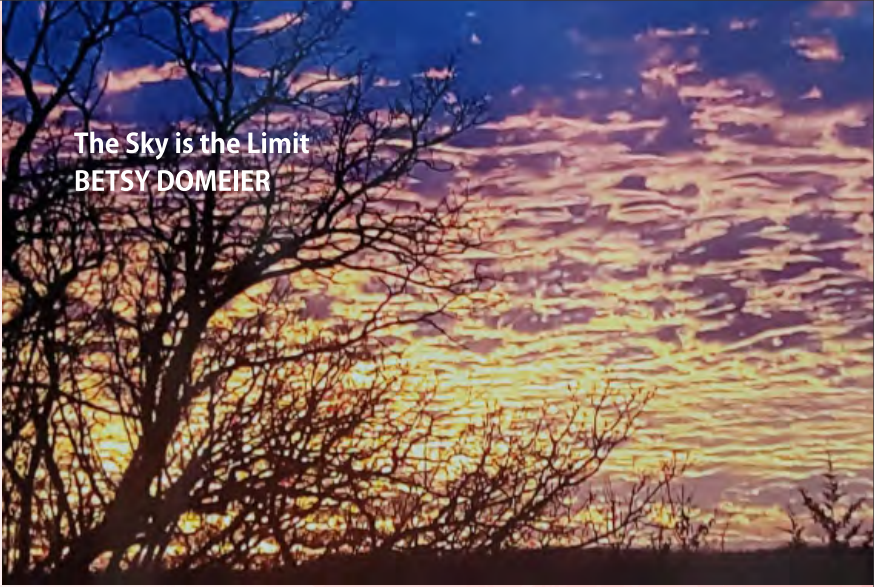
ENVIRONMENT
Energy
CONSERVATION
EFFICIENCY
RENEWABLE
REBATES
SAVE MONEY
Awareness
Commission

The Conservation Improvement Program (CIP) helps Minnesota households and businesses use electricity and natural gas more efficiently—conserving energy, reducing carbon dioxide emissions, and lessening the need for new utility infrastructure. CIP is administered by electric and natural gas utilities.

Benefits of CIP include:

- Improved awareness and adoption of energy-efficient technologies
- Reduced energy costs for Minnesota households and businesses
- Increased profitability for Minnesota companies and industries
- Deferred costly utility infrastructure investments
- Decreased carbon dioxide emissions
- Conserved resources

FEBRUARYfebruary



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LOOKING FOR FUN THINGS TO DO IN NEW ULM?  Visit newulm.com each month for updated information or call the New Ulm Chamber of Commerce at 507-233-4303.		1 • 4:30pm City Council	2	3 • 5pm - Safety Commission	4	5
6	7 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	8 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission	9	10 • 4pm - Library Board	11	12
13	14 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission VALENTINE'S DAY	15 • 4:30pm - City Council	16	17 • WOMEN'S NETWORKING EVENT	18	19
20	21 • 5:15 pm Heritage Preservation Commission CITY OFFICES CLOSED PRESIDENTS DAY	22 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	23	24 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	25	26
27	28 • 5:15 pm - Human Rights Commission	* NATIONAL LIBRARY LOVERS MONTH Visit today and discover fun and educational programs!		 newulmmn.gov/513/library		

GOOD TO KNOW



SAVING WATER AT HOME

By turning the faucet off while you are not using it, you could **save as much as 200 gallons of water per month!**

Turn off the faucet when brushing your teeth and washing hands.

Encourage kids to **skip the bath and take a shower instead.** A quick shower uses less water than taking a bath.

Play “leak detective” with your kids—**finding and fixing drips in your home**—or chase down leaks yourself. Place a few drops of food coloring into the tank at the back of your toilet and wait a few minutes. If the color shows up in the toilet bowl, you have a leak! Most commonly, toilet leaks are caused by a worn flapper. Toilet flappers are inexpensive and simple to replace.

Wait for a full load of laundry before running the washing machine.

Same goes for the dishwasher: let it do the work for you—**running a full dishwasher uses less water than washing by hand.**

To save even more water, **try scraping leftover food into the trash rather than rinsing before loading dishes into the dishwasher.**

MARCH march

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Sticks & Bricks
New Ulm Country Club
EUNICE OLSON



Free Ride
EILEEN MADSEN

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
* WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH * NATIONAL MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH		1 • 4:30pm - City Council	2	3 • 4pm - Tree Advisory Commission • 5pm - Safety Commission	4	5 • BOCKFEST
6	7 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	8 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm - Airport Commission • 5pm - Energy Awareness Commission	9	10 • 4pm - Library Board	11 • FARM SHOW	12 • FARM SHOW
13 DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS	14 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission	15 • 4:30pm - City Council	16	17 ST. PATRICK'S DAY	18 * NATURAL GAS UTILITY WORKERS' DAY	19
20 FIRST DAY OF SPRING	21 • 4pm - Monuments & Cemetery Commission	22 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission * WORLD WATER DAY	23	24 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	25	26
27	28 • 5:15pm - Human Rights Commission	29	30	31	Reflections of Spring AUTUMN KRENZ	



Spring Has Sprung
LINDA WELDY

APRILapril



Seeing Red
JANICE WALLNER

APRILapril



Hippity Hoppity
LORI WENGERT

GOOD TO KNOW

Before you start your spring garden and landscape projects, know where your underground utilities are located. The color code is as follows:

- PINK FLAGS: TEMPORARY SURVEY MARKS.
- RED FLAGS: ELECTRIC LINES.
- YELLOW FLAGS: NATURAL GAS, OIL, STEAM, OR PROPANE.
- ORANGE FLAGS: COMMUNICATION CABLES.
- BLUE FLAGS: WATER.
- PURPLE FLAGS: RECLAIMED WATER, IRRIGATION.
- GREEN FLAGS: SEWER.
- WHITE FLAGS: AREA OF PROPOSED EXCAVATION

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
 * LAWN & GARDEN MONTH * NATIONAL SAFE DIGGING MONTH Before digging, call Gopher State One Call, 811... and local underground utility locators will mark location of underground utilities so that accidental contact, damage and injuries can be avoided.				* NATIONAL VOLUNTEER MONTH	1 APRIL FOOLS' DAY	2
3	4 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	5 • 4:30pm - City Council	6	7 • 5pm - Safety Commission	8	9
10	11 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission	12 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission	13	14 • 4pm Library Board	15	16
17 EASTER	18 • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission * LINEMAN APPRECIATION DAY	19 • 4:30pm - City Council	20	21 • 5pm - Cable Communication Advisory Board	22 EARTH DAY	23
24	25 • 5:15 pm - Human Rights Commission	26 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	27 * ADMINISTRATIVE PROFFESIONALS DAY	28 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	29 Big Tree Contest winner announced in German Park Visit newulmmn.gov for contest details ARBOR DAY	30

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Use Caution Around Electric
Meters, Poles and Equipment

- **Never try to prune trees that appear to be growing into power lines.** Contact New Ulm Public Utilities as we have skilled professionals trained to safely prune and trim trees for electric line clearances.
- **Don't post fliers or posters on electric poles.** It is illegal to do so. Damage to the poles can create a dangerous situation and can cause outages. Posters, nails, and staples can make it dangerous or impossible for linemen to climb the poles if needed, and protruding nails are a danger for anyone who needs to remove the poles.
- **When landscaping, plant tall-growing trees safely away from power lines.** Seek help in choosing and planting trees and bushes that will not grow to interfere with electrical equipment.
- **Do not plant near underground utility services.** Tree roots can grow and interfere with underground wire, pipes, and cables. Future repairs to these facilities also could damage the health and beauty of nearby plants and trees.
- **Clean up.** Keep areas around electric meters, transformers, or other electrical equipment free of any vegetation that could limit utility service access.

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	3 • 4:30 pm - City Council	4	5 • 4pm - Tree Advisory Commission • 5pm - Safety Commission CINCO DE MAYO	6	7
* DRINKING WATER WEEK MAY 1-7						
8MOTHER'S DAY	9 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission	10 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm - Airport Commission • 5pm - Energy Awareness Commission	11	12 • 4pm - Library Board	13	14
15	16 • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission	17 • 4:30pm - City Council	18	19	20	21
22	23 • 5:15 pm - Human Rights Commission	24 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	25	26 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	27	28
29	30CITY OFFICES CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY	31		Reflections of New Ulm JANICE DOMRES	Turn off the oven a few minutes before cooking time runs out. Your food will continue to cook without using the extra electricity.	





GOOD TO KNOW

A/C Check and Clean Rebate

Receive a rebate of \$40 as a utility bill credit when you get an air conditioner check and clean from a participating vendor. Submit an application (found on newulmmn.gov) along with your invoice.

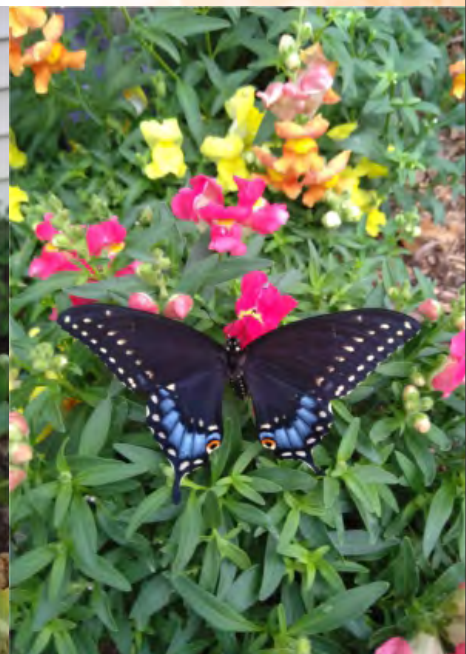
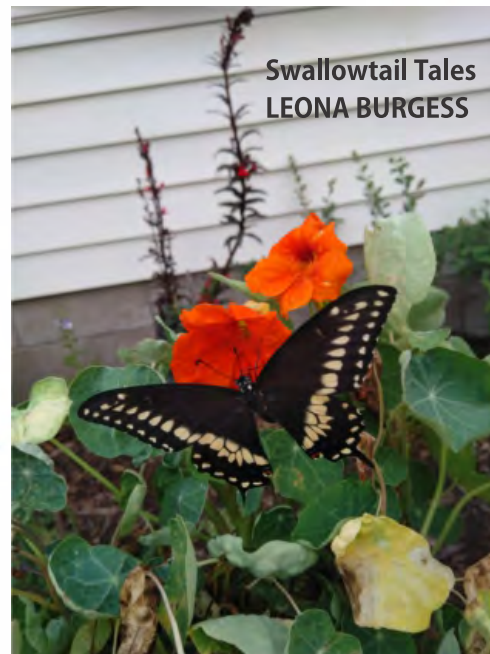
Air Conditioner Rebates

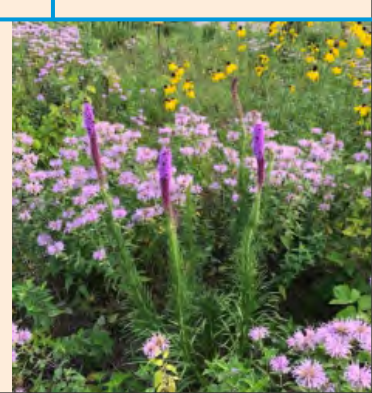
Receive between \$100 to \$320 electrical rebate for central air conditioner /mini-split AC systems, depending on SEER (Seasonal Efficiency Energy Rating). Efficiency Requirement is a minimum SEER of 14.5 and must be AHRI Certified.



JuneJUNE

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
* NATIONAL SAFETY MONTH  * Never pull a plug out by its cord. * Never put fingers or other objects in an outlet. * Don't climb on power poles.			1	2 • 5pm - Safety Commission	3	4
5	6 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	7 • 4:30pm - City Council	8	9 • 4pm - Library Board	10	11
12	13 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission FLAG DAY	14 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission	15	16	17	18
19 FATHER'S DAY	20 • 4pm - Monuments & Cemetery Commission	21 • 4:30pm - City Council FIRST DAY OF SUMMER	22	23 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	24	25
26	27 • 5:15 pm - Human Rights Commission	28 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	29	30	* NATIONAL POLLINATORS MONTH What's the Buzz? New Ulm Pollinator Garden JOAN RUBISCHKO 	

Daily water application is unnecessary for healthy established turf. Before watering, verify that the grass needs watering:

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SAVE WATER

Step on the grass.

- **Do not water** if the grass springs back.
- **Water** if the grass stays flattened.

Efficient lawn watering:

- Water landscapes and lawns during the early morning when it is still cool.
- Lawns need about 1 inch of rain or water per week. Deep soaking is better for roots than frequent shallow watering.
- Water your lawn infrequently, one time or less per week, assuming no rainfall has occurred.



Morning has Broken
KEN VARLAND

julyjuly



Nature’s Fireworks
DAVID SCHMIDT

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LOOKING FOR THINGS TO DO IN NEW ULM? Events on this calendar are not all-inclusive. Visit newulm.com each month for updated information or call the New Ulm Chamber of Commerce at 507-233-4303.			Grow Where You're Planted VICKI SIEVE		1	2
3	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY CITY OFFICES CLOSED	5 • 4:30pm - City Council	6	7 • 4pm - Tree Advisory Commission • 5pm - Safety Commission	8	9
10	11 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	12 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission • 5pm Energy Awareness Commission	13	14 • 4pm - Library Board • BAVARIAN BLAST	15 • BAVARIAN BLAST	16 • BAVARIAN BLAST
17 • BAVARIAN BLAST	18 • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission	19 • 4:30pm - City Council	20	21 • 5pm - Cable Communication Advisory Board	22	23 • CRAZY DAYS
24/31	25 • 5:15pm - Human Rights Commission	26 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	27	28 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	29	30

✓ **Computers, Laptops, Tablets and More:** Look for a model that has earned the ENERGY STAR rating, as this can help your student use 60% less energy.

✓ **Imaging Equipment:** ENERGY STAR certified imaging products like printers and scanners are 30% more efficient than conventional models.

✓ **Small Network Equipment (SNE):** SNE products like modems and routers that earn the ENERGY STAR rating use 20% less energy than conventional models, on average.

✓ **Mini-Refrigerators:** Late nights spent studying make a mini-fridge one of the most important items in a college dorm room. Look for the ENERGY STAR label to find a model that is about 9% more energy efficient than standard models.

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THE ENERGY STAR
BACK-TO-SCHOOL
SHOPPING LIST



Leave it Bee
JOHN PFEIFFER

august
AUGUST



Hawkeye
LORI WENGERT



Got Milkweed?
MATTHEW EDENS



Dog Days
KRISTINA DITTRICH

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
* NATIONAL WATER QUALITY MONTH	1 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	2 • 4:30pm - City Council	3	4 • 5pm - Safety Commission	5	6
7	8 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission	9 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission	10	11 • 4pm - Library Board	12	13
14	15 • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission	16 • 4:30pm - City Council	17	18	19	20
21	22 • 5:15pm - Human Rights Commission	23 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	24	25 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	26	27
28	29	30	31		Fish Story with Ross and Oliver Nelson BARB NELSON	
						 FOLLOW NUPU AND CITY OF NEW ULM ON FACEBOOK!



Blaze of Glory
SHELLI ZIMMERMAN



Valley So Low
MATTHEW EDENS



Hermanfest
DEB STEINBACH

september SEPTEMBER

The Public Utilities Commission does not allow any permanent structure to be built over an electric or natural gas service. If a utility is found under an existing structure, it is the customer’s responsibility to pay for the re-location of the services. If you are planning to build a structure on your property, it is your responsibility as the homeowner to contact the Public Utilities at 507-233-2110 to have your service location checked. It may be necessary to relocate your service, or a new service may need to be installed.

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	MEETING TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE! CALL TO CONFIRM EXACT TIMES FOR CITY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES MEETINGS.					
4	5	6 • 4:30pm - City Council	7	8 • 4pm - Tree Advisory Commission • 5pm - Safety Commission	9	10 • HERMANFEST
11	12 • 4pm-Park & Recreation Commission • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	13 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission • 5pm - Energy Awareness Commission	14	15	16	17
18	19 • 4pm - Monuments & Cemetery Commission • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission	20 • 4:30pm - City Council	21	22 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	23	24
25	26 • 5:15 pm - Human Rights Commission	27 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	28	29	30	* NATIONAL LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH



Wandering Gander
EILEEN MADSEN

october OCTOBER



Seasons Come and Seasons Go
JAMES HEIL

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COMMUNITY
powered
PUBLIC POWER
WEEK 2022

With NUPU’s Conservation Improvement Program to encourage energy efficiency in homes and businesses, we give back roughly \$330,000 to customers in the form of energy efficiency rebates. Rebates on energy efficient appliances, furnaces, lighting, and AC units not only save you money, they allow your utility to offer more reasonable rates. Working together we have the “Power of Community.”



Color Guard
BETSY DOMEIER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
 Fall Follies THOMAS NIEHOFF	* GERMAN AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH * NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION MONTH * NATIONAL ARTS & HUMANITIES MONTH * NATIONAL BOOK MONTH					1
2	3 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	4 • 4:30pm - City Council	5	6 • 5pm - Safety Commission	7 • OKTOBERFEST	8 • OKTOBERFEST
* PUBLIC POWER WEEK * PUBLIC NATURAL GAS WEEK! CELEBRATE WITH NEW ULM PUBLIC UTILITIES * FIRE PREVENTION WEEK						
9	10 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission COLUMBUS DAY	11 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission	12	13 • 4pm - Library Board	14 • OKTOBERFEST	15 • OKTOBERFEST
16	17 • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission	18 • 4:30pm - City Council	19	20 • 5pm - Cable Communication Advisory Board	21	22
23/30	24/31 • 5:15pm - Human Rights Commission (24th) HALLOWEEN	25 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	26	27 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	28	29



Leave Me Alone
AUTUMN KRENZ



Turkey Day
THOMAS NIEHOFF

novemberNOVEMBER

GOOD TO KNOW

Light up your holidays!

Let the holiday season shine with strings of energy saving LED lights! AND get some extra jingle in your pocket with a rebate from New Ulm Public Utilities.

Receive \$5 in New Ulm Chamber Dollars per string, up to five strings, with a minimum of 25 lights purchased between October 1 and December 11.

Attach the portion of each package that shows the number of lights per string.

Call 233-2110 for more information or visit newulmmn.gov for forms.



Over the River and
Through the Woods
KRISTY ANDREE

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
* NATIONAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT MONTH Interested in working for the City of New Ulm or New Ulm Public Utilities? Visit newulmmn.gov and click on the Employment link.		1 • 4:30pm - City Council	2	3 • 4pm - Tree Advisory Commission • 5pm - Safety Commission	4 • GNOMEMADE MARKET • SHOPPING OPENER	5 • GNOMEMADE MARKET • SHOPPING OPENER • WOMEN’S EXPO & CRAFT FAIR
6 • GNOMEMADE MARKET • SHOPPING OPENER CENTRAL STANDARD TIME BEGINS	7 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	8 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission • 5pm - Energy Awareness Commission	9	10 • 4pm - Library Board	11 CITY OFFICES CLOSED VETERANS DAY	12
13	14 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission	15 • 4:30pm - City Council	16	17	18	19
20	21 • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission	22 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	23	24 CITY OFFICES CLOSED THANKSGIVING DAY	25 • PARADE OF LIGHTS DOWNTOWN CITY OFFICES CLOSED	26 • SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY
27	28 • 5:15 pm - Human Rights Commission	29	30	Midas Touch MATTHEW EDENS		



Naughty or Nice?
VICKI SIEVE



Waiting for Santa
JOAN RUBISCHKO

december DECEMBER

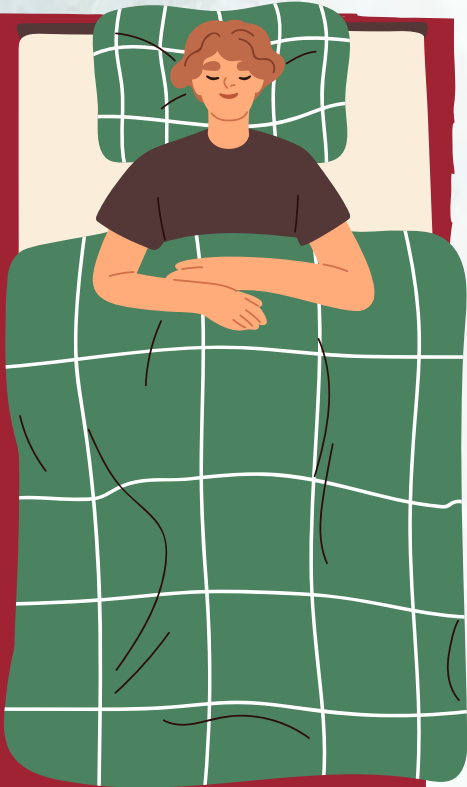


Not a Creature Was Stirring
KRISTY NELSON

GOOD!
TO KNOW

Many people use electric blankets to keep warm during cold winter nights.

- Before plugging in electric blankets, check for any damage and inspect the cord for frays, cracks, or cuts.
- Do not tuck electric blankets under the mattress and place nothing on top of the blanket while it's in use, including comforters and bedspreads.
- Do not allow pets to sleep on the electric blanket.



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
 Sailor's Delight DANA O'BRIEN	* NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS MONTH  MEETING TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE! CALL TO CONFIRM EXACT TIMES FOR CITY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES MEETINGS.			1 • 5 pm - Safety Commission	2	3
4	5 • 5:15pm - Sister Cities Commission	6 • 4:30pm - City Council	7	8 • 4pm - Library Board • SHOP NEW ULM FOR THE HOLIDAYS	9	10
11	12 • 4pm - Park & Recreation Commission	13 • 8am - Economic Development Authority • 4pm Airport Commission	14	15	16	17
18	19 • 4pm - Monuments & Cemetery Commission • 5:15pm - Heritage Preservation Commission	20 • 4:30pm - City Council	21 FIRST DAY OF WINTER	22 • 4:30pm - Planning Commission	23	24 • CHRISTMAS LUMINARIES SCHELLS BREWERY CHRISTMAS EVE
25 • CHRISTMAS LUMINARIES SCHELLS BREWERY CHRISTMAS DAY	26 • 5:15 pm - Human Rights Commission CITY OFFICES CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY OBSERVANCE	27 • 4:30pm - Public Utilities Commission	28	29	30	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE