**Waverly PD’s 2022 National Night Out a success**

BY BRAYDEN CARLSON

Waverly’s National Night Out took place on Tuesday, August 9, from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Above: Police officers served community members of all ages. They offered hot dogs, snow cones, water, popcorn, and cotton candy.

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National Night Out in Waverly is a unique crime and drug prevention event sponsored by the citizens of Town Watch and the Waverly Police Department.

Waverly’s National Night Out was on Monday, Aug. 8, at the Kohlmann Park. According to the City of Waverly, National Night Out is meant to heighten crime and drug prevention awareness, generate support for, and participation in, local anti-crime programs and strengthens neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships.

Waverly Police Officer James Johnson, of the audience, addresses the audience during a W-SR Orchestra concert in 2019.

Shell Rock landscape plan to reflect community vision

BY BARBARA DILLY

Approaching seventy-five older adults, parents, active recreation users, youth and small children attended the 2022 Community Visioning Program feedback open house meeting on Shell Rock on July 14 at the Emergency Services Building. Residents responded to the issues identified by a comparable number of residents.

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Eliza Jenkins, a concerned community member, was one of the first who expressed her interest in the walking trails around McCague and Buchanan Parks.

“I like to see people involved in this project,” Haines said. “Shell Rock has a lot to offer, and people care more about their community here than in other towns.”

The Visioning Program is a collaboration involving the low-income community of the existing Transportation, the Living Roadway Board, the Iowa State University and Trestle Fever to provide design services to small town communities.

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