

September 6, 2023



Shop the Fall Craft Fair This Weekend

WASHINGTON'S 34TH ANNUAL

FALL CRAFT FAIR

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Saturday, September 9th
Central Park, Downtown Washington
9 am - 3 pm

Presented by:

CBI Bank & Trust™ 

 Washington CHAMBER of Commerce

Food Truck Line-Up

JERRY & MARGIE'S CATERING
IOWA BRED
CHERYL'S ICE CREAM SHACK
DELOVELY'S DELICIOUS DONUTS
THE BOX LUNCH
LUGO'S GOURMET POPCORN
A TREAT FROM MEXICO
ZAPATA FOODS
JT SIPS

SEPT 9TH 9AM-3PM
LOCATED ON THE WEST
SIDE OF THE SQUARE

A graphic showing a yellow food truck on the left, a burger on the right, and a list of food vendors in the center. There are also images of popcorn and a drink.

Join us in Washington, Iowa this weekend as we celebrate our 34th Annual Fall Craft Fair on **Saturday, September 9th, 2023** in our beautiful downtown Central Park. With over 120 vendors and 9 food trucks (located on the West side of the square), you're sure to find something special. Even better, it's **FREE** to attend! Make it a weekend event and shop all weekend long for the Retailers Fall Open Houses starting Thursday, September 7th!

2023 Washington Fall Craft Fair
Saturday, September 9th
9am - 3pm
Downtown Central Park

We are looking for some volunteer help!

- (2) 9:30am – 12:30pm (general attendee questions)
- (2) 3:00 – 4:00pm (clean-up)

Interested in helping? Contact April at events@washingtونيowa.org or call 319-591-0859.

Thank you to our Presenting Sponsor:



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Washington Performing Arts Series: DIVAS 3



Come and enjoy a Divas 3 performance at the Washington Area Performing Arts & Events Center on Thursday, September 14th starting at 7pm.

Divas 3 is an amazing group with powerhouse voices who will sing the biggest hits of the greatest pop music divas in music history. This vibrant show spans four decades covering the 1960s through the 1990s with hits by Aretha Franklin, Carole King, Celine Dion, Whitney Houston, Cher, Dolly Parton, Donna Summer, ABBA, and many more! Individual members of the group have all starred in shows on the Las Vegas Strip. Since its inception in 2013, the group has gone on to perform at performing arts centers across the United States, and internationally as a headlining entertainer act aboard luxury cruise ships.

DIVAS 3

Thursday, September 14th
Performance Time: 7pm

**Washington Area Performing
Arts & Events Center**
1111 South Ave B
Washington, IA 52353
319-653-4673

General Admission Tickets:

Adults \$20
College \$10
Students K-12 FREE

Purchase tickets now or at the door!

[I want tickets!](#)



Wine & Dine for Washington Performing Arts Series at Cafe Dodici TODAY, September 6th!

A portion of the day's lunch and dinner sales will be donated to the Washington Performing Arts Series (WPAS), a collaboration between the WCA (Washington Concert Association) and WAPAEC (Washington Area Performing Arts and Events Center).

Register NOW for the Birdies, Beers, & Brats Oktoberfest Golf Tournament



The Washington Chamber is now accepting registrations for their next golf outing: Birdies, Beer, & Brats. Network, connect, and have a blast in your German costumes! Join us for this fun event, hosted at our local [Washington Golf & Country Club](#).

- Shotgun Starts at 10am
- 18 Hole, 4-Person Best Ball Tournament
- \$90 per person (Includes German-style meal)
- Craft beer tastings and games on holes
- Prizes for Best Score, "Wurst" Score, Most Fun, Best Costume!

Register Your Team [HERE!](#)

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Have any questions? Contact Event Director April Cuddeback: 319-591-0859 or events@washingtونيowa.org

Thank you to our Prize Sponsor:

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Halcyon House Alive After 5 One Week Away

Halcyon House
1015 S Iowa Ave

September 12th from 4-7pm

Halcyon House is inviting you to join them for their Alive After 5 event on September 12th! Bring your friends and family to enjoy an evening of pumpkin decorating, raffles, live music with Justin Horesowsky, and food + drinks from 4-7pm.



SAVE THE DATE: The Village 15-Year Anniversary Alive After 5

The Village
101 S Marion Ave
September 19th from 4-6pm

The Village is inviting you to join them for their Alive After 5 event to celebrate their 15-year anniversary!

The Village is a unique collection of individually owned boutique shops located on the square in Washington.



Submit your Event to the Oktober Madness Calendar

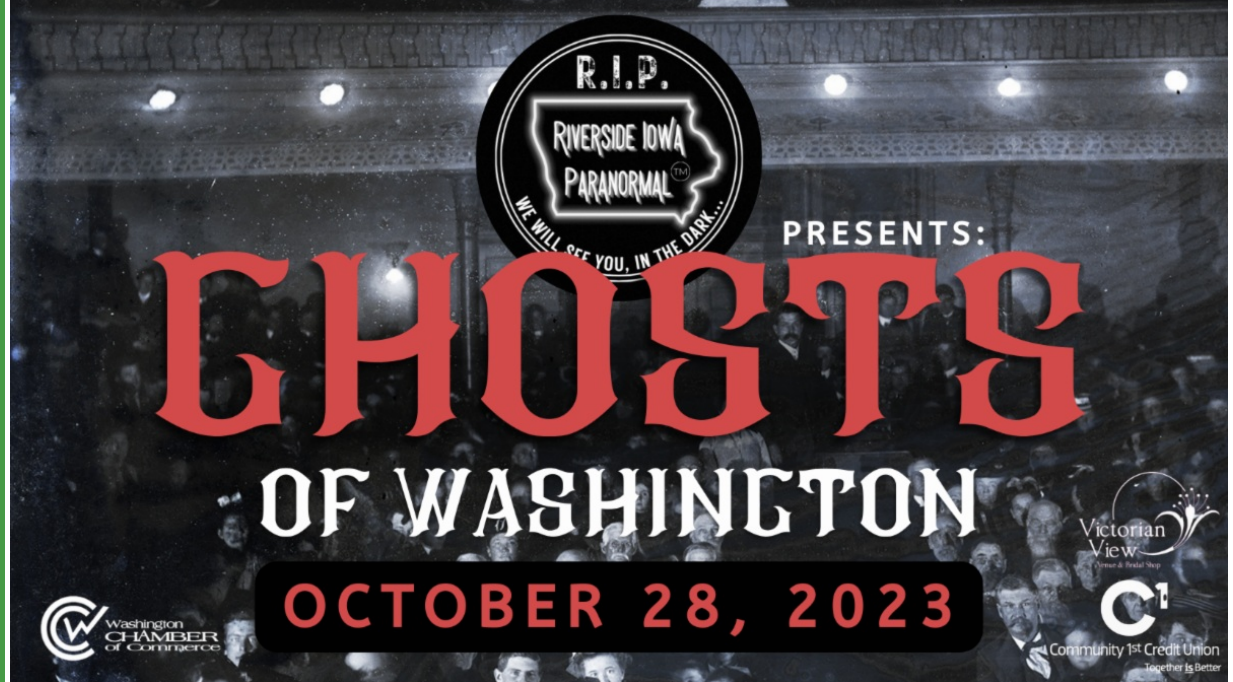


Washington is alive with events all month long in October. The Washington Chamber features a full calendar of family-fun activities in the community and want to invite you to celebrate with us!

Each year the Chamber sends this calendar out to all of the schools in Washington County. Last year, they printed over 1,000 copies that had over 20 events listed!

Have an event you would like listed on our calendar for just a small fee of \$50? Email our Event Director April Cuddeback at events@washingtoniowa.org with all of your event details. ***We must have your event information by September 19th to ensure your event is included in the calendar!***

New Chamber Event: Ghosts of Washington



Join us for our first annual Ghosts of Washington event featuring a Paranormal Investigation, Classic Horror Flick & more in the World's Oldest Operating Theatre!

The Riverside Iowa Paranormal group is gearing up for an evening filled with a sound bath, classic horror flick, and paranormal investigation! The State Theatre venue in Washington, Iowa, is not only the world's continually operating cinema theatre, but it is rumored to still be home to vaudeville performers who never left the building. Come find out for yourself and enjoy this incredible evening!



Victorian View
320 W 2nd St.

6pm: Doors open for VIP guests
8-8:30pm: Paranormal Investigation



State Theatre
123 E Washington St.
(Half Past Midnight - 2:30am Sunday October 29th)

Half past Midnight: 30-minute sound bath
1am: Classic Horror Flick
2:20am: Paranormal Investigation
3:20am: Event concludes



Blair House
205 E Washington St.

7:30pm doors open for...
Tarot Card Readings (free-will donations)
Reki sessions
Gypsy Sisters

Purchase Your Tickets Today!

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City of Washington City Council Election

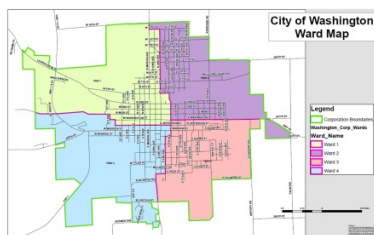


City of Washington City Council Election Information

Now is the time to submit paperwork to be on the ballot in November.

The City of Washington will have three city council seats on the ballot November 7, 2023.

Paperwork is available for pickup at City Hall - 215 E. Washington Street.
Deadline to file completed forms at City Hall is Thursday, September 21, 2023 at 5p.m.



The three seats on this ballot will be:

- Ward 1
Northwest
- Ward 3
Southeast
- At-Large
Citywide

For more information or to pick up your forms including affidavit of candidacy and nomination petition, please visit City Hall Monday-Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. or call 319-653-6584.



Are you interested in running for City Council? Now is the time to submit paperwork to be on the ballot in November.

Candidates are able to pick up nomination forms at City Hall and they should be returned to City Hall by 5 p.m. September 21st.

The Mayor and Council members are elected for staggered, four-year terms. Four of the Council members are elected from geographic wards, and two are elected at-large.

Washington Area Available Jobs

Latest employment opportunities available posted within the past 2 weeks:

- [\(Full-Time\) Washington County Secondary Roads Equipment Operator](#)
- [\(Part-Time\) YMCA Membership Assistant](#)
- [\(Full-Time\) YMCA Child Care Provider Position](#)
- [\(Part-Time\) YMCA The Cornelia Day Child Care Center Child Care Provider](#)
- [\(Part-Time\) YMCA Y KIDS Child Care Provider](#)

Visit our Job Postings Page to view all available jobs in our area.

See Full Job Postings

Check out our Monthly Community Events Calendar!

This is a FREE community calendar that the Chamber

provides for the community. To ensure your event makes it into the Monthly Community Event Calendar please send your event information 2 weeks prior to the first of the month with time, date, location, contact number, and a brief description to mikayla@washingtونيowa.org or you can submit your event to this link [here](#).

Stay up to date with the other community events going on and subscribe to our calendar! Click on this link: <https://washingtونيowa.gov/experience-our-town/community-calendar/> then scroll to the bottom of the page. Then just click whichever calendar platform you have!

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September Community Calendar

[Click Here for a Full Listing of the Washington Events Calendar & To Submit Events](#)

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