

# Jasper Co. Cares Coalition- Post packet September 2024

Mission: To enhance the awareness of health & human service resources & promote collaboration to better serve Jasper County.

Vision: Safe, healthy, and connected Jasper County.

Where to find or get information?

- Website: [https://www.jasperia.org/health/jasper\\_county\\_cares/](https://www.jasperia.org/health/jasper_county_cares/)
- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/JasperCountyCaresCoalition>
- Events/calendar: <https://www.jasperia.org/calendar/>
- Resource Guide: <https://www.jasperia.org/resources/>
- Contact: Becky Pryor [jaspercocares@jasperia.org](mailto:jaspercocares@jasperia.org) To add or change information on the distribution list.

New to the distribution list:

- Lauren Asman, EFR, Problem Gambling, [lasman@EFR.ORG](mailto:lasman@EFR.ORG)
- Kristina Burma, MICA, I-smile (schools), [kristina.burma@micaonline.org](mailto:kristina.burma@micaonline.org)
- Kylee Steenhoek, Capstone, [kyleem@capstonebh.com](mailto:kyleem@capstonebh.com)
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- Ace Stonehocker, [ace.stonehocker@agingresources.com](mailto:ace.stonehocker@agingresources.com)

Upcoming Organization Spotlights: (10-minute limit)

- October: Discover Hope 517, Katie and Kelsey
- November: IMPACT Community Action Partnership, Jessi Balk
- December: Jasper County Habitat for Humanity, Becca Decker
- January 2025: No meeting
- February 2025: MICA
- March: St. Croix Hospice, Maddie France
- April: Crisis Intervention Services, Jodi Blackford
- May: The Well, Mary Romberg
- June: American Lung, Iowa Emma Krapfl
- July 2025: No meeting

Additions to the Resource Guide:

- Child Support Recovery: can assist with paternity testing
- Labor and Delivery Hospitals/Birthing Centers: Newton Clinic is referring to mostly Pella and Grinnell Hospitals

**The next Jasper County Cares Meeting is Wednesday, October 9, 2024.**

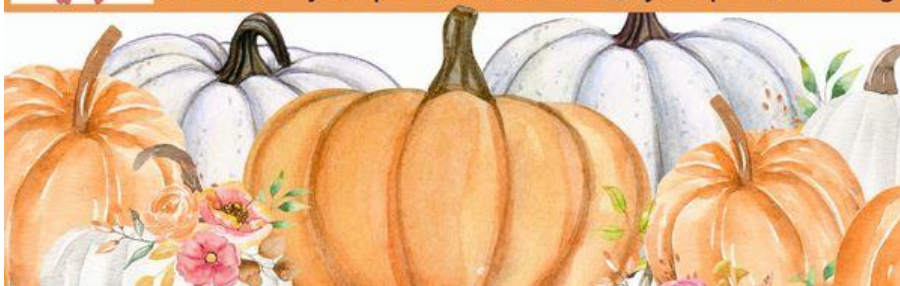
## Jasper County Cares Coalition

Health and Human Services Meeting

**October 9, 2024 10:30 AM**



Jasper County Office Building  
Large Conference Room  
315 W. 3rd St N. in Newton  
Email: [jaspercocares@jasperia.org](mailto:jaspercocares@jasperia.org)



**October Subgroup Meetings:**



Topics: OB/prenatal care leaving Newton. Where to refer people? Resources?

**Senior Focus Group:** At this time, the meetings are **canceled**. If members would like to continue having this meeting, let us know if you are willing to facilitate the meeting.



# Jasper County Cares Coalition

## Jasper Co. Schools Subgroup

Meeting 11:30 AM to noon

After JCC meeting

Location: Jasper County Office Building, Large Conference Room  
315 W 3rd St N, Suite 006, Newton, IA 50208



### Subgroup: School Topics for the October 9<sup>th</sup> meeting after the regular Cares meeting

- Welcome new leaders and staff
- Follow up on stop-the-bleed kits and training.
- Mental health in schools: Capstone (Julie Smith, [julies@capstonebh.com](mailto:julies@capstonebh.com)) and NAMI (see below)
- Substance prevention in schools: EFR, American Lung (see contacts below), DARE, and Opioid funds can be applied for.
- Red Ribbon Week: October 23-31, 2024. Drug and bully-free. [www.redribbon.org](http://www.redribbon.org)
- **We will distribute free red ribbons and bracelets to the 5 school districts at this meeting!**
- Funding: Walmart application, First Book, Delta Dental, Opioid funds on [jasperia.org](http://jasperia.org)
- Link website to online resource guide. Resources needed:
- Topics: Homelessness, Food programs, Health programs, Dental (MICA-I-smile), etc.
- RAYS scholarship from IMPACT for eligible low-income students for sports, band, dance, etc.
- Immunization school audits begin this month with the school nurses.

### FREE TRAININGS or PROGRAMS (Please share with staff including counselors.)

- **American Lung, Iowa:** Free presentation on Quitline Iowa, school curriculum, Contact Emma [Emmaline.Krapfl@lung.org](mailto:Emmaline.Krapfl@lung.org)
- **EFR:** Drug and opioid misuse education for schools. Contact Joe at [jmcquerry@efr.org](mailto:jmcquerry@efr.org)
- **Stop the Bleed training:** Contact Jasper County EMA. Contact Jamey or Steve: [jrobinson@jasperema-hls.org](mailto:jrobinson@jasperema-hls.org)
- **NAMI of Central Iowa:** End the Silence, Suicide prevention. Contact: Erik at [egustafson@namicentraliowa.org](mailto:egustafson@namicentraliowa.org)
- **I-smile School Dental,** MICA, Contact [kristina.burma@micaonline.org](mailto:kristina.burma@micaonline.org)
- **Homelessness Program:** Rolling Hills, contact Lindsey Sinn, [lsinn@centraliowashelter.org](mailto:lsinn@centraliowashelter.org)
- **Food Bank of Iowa:** to learn more about food programs for your school. Contact [ty.harris@foodbankiowa.org](mailto:ty.harris@foodbankiowa.org)

# OCTOBER SPOTLIGHT ORGANIZATION

**ORGANIZATION  
SPOTLIGHT**  
**Discover Hope 517**  
**Service: Community Center**

Discover Hope 517 is a faith-based 501(c)(3) non-profit Recovery Community Organization (RCO) dedicated to providing recovery and restoration for those struggling with addiction.

**COMMUNITY CENTER HOURS**  
Monday-Friday, 9 am to 4 pm  
FREE Lunch, 11:30 am to 1 pm  
Men's Restoration House  
Many groups!

**MORE INFORMATION**

 (641) 841-0598  
 [discoverhope517.org](http://discoverhope517.org)  
 733 1st Ave West, Newton, Iowa



Katie and Kelsey will be speaking for 10 minutes at the beginning of the meeting. They will be providing information about Discover Hope 517, resources they provide and any needs they may have.

# Announcements:

## Volunteers Needed:

- **Discover Hope:** Volunteers are needed for different programs. Contact Katie, [Katie@discoverhope517.com](mailto:Katie@discoverhope517.com)
  - DH517 needs organizations to sign up to work lunch or provide a lunch.
- **Jasper County Elderly Nutrition:** Needs drivers for the home delivered meals program.
  - Contact Kelli at [kvanmanen@jasperia.org](mailto:kvanmanen@jasperia.org)
- **Kid Assist:** They are looking for someone to draw a blueprint for constructing ramps.
  - Contact Linda at [wilsand96@yahoo.com](mailto:wilsand96@yahoo.com)
- **Pregnancy Center of Central Iowa** needs counselors to help families or prenatal mothers.
  - Counselor training is provided. Contact Rita Baker at [director@pcciowa.com](mailto:director@pcciowa.com)
- **Progress Industries** is looking for different ways their volunteers can help.
  - Contact Chelsie at [chelsie.slack@progressindustries.org](mailto:chelsie.slack@progressindustries.org)
- **RSVP:** Seniors that can use drivers and other programs they provide.
  - Contact Jasmine at [jnbailey@iastate.edu](mailto:jnbailey@iastate.edu) or Sarah at [patter@iastate.edu](mailto:patter@iastate.edu)

## Job Openings:

- **Capstone Behavioral Healthcare:** Needs Mental Health Therapist. Contact Julie at [julies@capstonebh.com](mailto:julies@capstonebh.com)
- **Parent Partners:** Looking for parents to mentor at least 2 families for a year. Info: <http://www.dhs.state.ia.us>

## Events and Other: See calendar link at top of page.

- **Project Recovery Iowa:** Help individuals and families recovering from natural and human-caused disasters. <https://hhs.iowa.gov/programs/programs-and-services/disaster-recovery-resources/project-recovery-iowa>
- **RSVP:** Looking for vendors to give information or honor veterans in Jasper County at their Stars and Stripes Breakfast on 11/14/2024. Deadline to register is 10/25/2024. Contact Sarah at [patter@iastate.edu](mailto:patter@iastate.edu) or Jasmine at [jnbailey@iastate.edu](mailto:jnbailey@iastate.edu) See flyer.
- **House of Mercy:** Substance misuse and prevention training. They also have a substance peer support counselor for free. Contact Kendi at [kendi.mccollum@mercyoneiowa.org](mailto:kendi.mccollum@mercyoneiowa.org)
- **Open Arms:** Buy a box of 12 cookies at Hy-Vee & \$1 will be donated to Open Arms until 9/30/2024
- **Jasper County Elderly Nutrition:** Iowa Legal Aid will be available to the public on 9/24/2024 11:00 AM-2:30 PM.
- **Wolfe Ranch:**
  - Looking for vendors for their 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Garage Sale on 9/28/2024. Info: 641-752-3912. See flyer.
  - Cowboy Camp, 10/5/2024, from 9AM – 12 PM. Ages 5-10 welcome, \$35 per child. Email: [syork@wolferanchquakerdale.org](mailto:syork@wolferanchquakerdale.org) See flyer.
  - Harmony on the Hooves Fundraiser, Live Music by Chris Heaton. Saturday, 10/12/2024, at 6 PM. Advance donation is \$10 at the door is \$15. Info: 641-752-3912 See flyer.
- **Iowa State Extension:** A Journey through Parkinson's Disease. 10/14,10/21,10/28/24 at the Monroe Gathering Place.
- **NHCC:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month, NHCC hosts a Dementia support group with Home Instead.
- **NHCC:** Toe Clinics are offered for free. Contact Whitney at [Admissions@newtonnursing.com](mailto:Admissions@newtonnursing.com)
- **Newton YMCA:** Family Fun Night, Friday, 10/25/2024 for 6 PM – 8 PM. See Facebook page.

Please email us flyers for any upcoming events in your communities: Halloween, Fall, Christmas, etc.

**Jasper Co. Community Health Town Hall 9.11.2024 Attendance 82**

	<b>Name:</b>
1	Alyssa A. Wilson, Jasper County Veterans Affairs
2	Amanda Wobken, MercyOne Central/Western Iowa, Community
3	Andi Borsch, IHSS, Newton Office
4	Angela Busick, Probation
5	Angie Wells, Progress Industries
6	Becky Pryor, Jasper County Health Department
7	Beth A. Andrew, Quakerdale Family Services/Wolfe Ranch
8	Bill Peters, DMACC Newton
9	Brenda O'halloran, CCR&R
10	Cathy Drost, ISU Extension
11	Chelsie Slack, Progress Industries
12	Chris Clark, Optima Life Services
13	Christopher Pierson, Heartland Area Education Agency
14	Cody Daugherty, Newton Church of The Way
15	Connie McQuiston, Jasper County General Assistance Director
16	Darcy Baughman, Drake HeadStart
17	Dave Woodcock, The Well-Pella/Oskaloosa
18	Deana Van Brocklin, Juv Court
19	Debbie Tupper, Main Street Rural Health
20	Donna Akins, Jasper Co. Board of Health and Hospital Volunteer
21	Drew Zwack, Clive Behavioral Health
22	Elizabeth Reibsamen, Parent Partners
23	Emma Krapfl, American Lung Association, Iowa
24	Heather Wolf, Mercy One
25	Jamie Elam, Jasper County Community Development
26	Jana Larsen, Mid-Iowa Community Action, Inc., Maternal Child & Adol. Health
27	Jasmine Bailey, RSVP Coordinator and ECE Director
28	Jeff King, Keystone Labs, Mercy One Newton Board
29	Jennifer O'Halloran, Lynnville-Sully Schools
30	Jill Robinson, Capstone Behavioral Health
31	Jodi Blackford, Crisis Intervention Services
32	Joe McQuerry, Employee & Family Resources
33	Julie Smith, Capstone Behavioral Healthcare
34	Karin Mills, Nightingale
35	Kathy Ellis, Jasper County Emergency Management Agency
36	Katie Finch, Discover Hope 517
37	Katlyn Lemaster, Army Victim Advocate
38	Kelli Van Manen, Jasper County Elderly Nutrition
39	Kelly Sorenson, Newton Community School District
40	Kendi McCollum, House of Mercy Peer Support Newton
41	Kendra Perry, Colfax-Mingo School Board member
42	Keri Lyn Powers, Hickory Recovery Network
43	Keri Schippers, MercyOne Newton, Director of Patient Care Services
44	Kim Thomas, City Clerk Monroe



45	Kris Reicks, Optima Life Services
46	Kristina Burma, MICA, I-smile
47	Kristina Winfield, Jasper County Health Department
48	Kyle Fueston, The Well-Newton
49	Kylee Steenhoek, Capstone Behavioral Health
50	Larry Anderson
51	Lauren Asman, EFR
52	Lauren Figland, MercyOne Newton Radiology Manager
53	Lauren Pendroy, MercyOne Newton
54	Linda Anderson, Kid Assist
55	Lindsay Porter, Colfax-Mingo Community School District
56	Lindsey M. Sinn, Central Iowa Shelter & Services
57	Maria Morales Villagomez, MercyOne Newton
58	Martha Brightman Gasca, UCS Healthcare
59	Mary E. Romberg, The Well-Newton
60	Megan Thompson, CCAP, Mid-Iowa Community Action, Inc. (MICA)
61	Megan Van Beek, Mid-Iowa Community Action, Inc.
62	Melissa Adams, Crisis Intervention Services
63	Melissa Gary, Jasper County Health Department, Assistant
64	Meredith Hershner, Linn County Community Services, CPPC Jasper
65	Michaela Gunsaulus, Lynnville-Sully Schools
66	Mollie Michelfelder, MercyOne House of Mercy
67	Nicole Modlin, Progress Industries
68	Nicole Terry, Newton Public Library
69	Nika Schneider, DMU Student Intern
70	Rebecca Peterson, MercyOne House of Mercy
71	Rex Heisdorffer, Assistant Chief, Newton Fire Department
72	Rita Baker, Pregnancy Center of Central Iowa, Director
73	Rob Burdess, Newton Police Department, Chief
74	Robyn Friedman, MercyOne Newton, PM&R Manager
75	Sara Clark MercyOne Newton, Surgery Manager
76	Sarah Patterson, RSVP Director/Grant Manager
77	Sarah Urias, Capstone Behavioral Healthcare
78	Shawna Forst, MercyOne Newton, Quality
79	Stacy Simbro, Newton City Council
80	Steven Mullan, Newton City Council
81	Sue Nation, Jasper County Attorney Office
82	Terra Cleveland, Aging Resources

# **Jasper County Town Hall 9.11.2024 Feedback**

**What went well?**

**What could be improved?**

**What did you learn about Jasper County?**

## **Top 5. Health Needs**

**(Based on meeting, data, table activities, and individual responses)**

- 1.**
- 2.**
- 3.**
- 4.**
- 5.**

**Anything else?**

**Return to [bpryor@jasperia.org](mailto:bpryor@jasperia.org)**



# Stars and Stripes

## VETERANS BREAKFAST

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The Jasper County Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) is hosting a breakfast to honor the veterans of Jasper County. We would like to cordially invite all veterans and their families to join us!

WHEN: Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup>

TIME: 9:00 – 10:00 am

WHERE: The 2<sup>nd</sup> floor conference room at DMACC

600 N 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave W, Newton, IA 50208

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There is an elevator to get to the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor!

Please RSVP by November 1 to the Iowa State Extension Office and let us know how many guests are coming:

**ISU Extension Number: 641-792-6433**

Come for breakfast, socialize with our RSVP Volunteers, and stop by the resource booths if you wish.

*Many thanks to The Doerring Family for sponsoring the event!*

# Stars and Stripes

## VETERANS BREAKFAST

### HONOR AND OUTREACH

Do you have information that could benefit veterans in Jasper County? Are you looking for a way to honor our veterans? If so, we have an opportunity for you!

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WHEN: 9:00 – 10:00 am on Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup> (set up at 8:30 am)

WHERE: The 2<sup>nd</sup> floor conference room at DMACC/600 N 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave W, Newton, IA 50208

At this breakfast, we would like to have resource/information tables set up that veterans and their families could browse. It will be an open-house type format. Below is the information we need from you:

1. Name of your group or business: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Describe your group's or business's potential impact on veterans:

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3. How many tables do you need: ONE TABLE TWO TABLES (we will not have outlets available)

4. Circle all that you plan to provide:

Printed information      give-a-ways      other: \_\_\_\_\_

Breakfast will be included for up to two people in your group/organization. With your help, we can make this a special event for our veterans and their families. Please fill out this form and drop it off at the ISU Extension Office in the DMACC Building: 550 N 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave W, Newton, IA 50208 (or mail it)

OR call us and we will take down your information. 641-792-6433

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS Friday, October 25, 2024.** Questions? Call Sarah or Jasmine at ISU Extension or email. Sarah: [patter@iastate.edu](mailto:patter@iastate.edu) Jasmine: [jnbailey@iastate.edu](mailto:jnbailey@iastate.edu)



# COWBOY CAMP AT WOLFE RANCH

OCTOBER 5TH  
FROM 9-12

AGES 5-10  
\$35 PER CHILD  
Limit of 15 Campers



**CRAFTS**



**BRUSHING**



**RIDING**



**AND MORE!**



FOR MORE INFO OR TO REGISTER EMAIL  
[SYORK@WOLFERANCHQUAKERDALE.ORG](mailto:SYORK@WOLFERANCHQUAKERDALE.ORG)

2932 240TH STREET MARSHALLTOWN, IA, 50158



# 3RD ANNUAL GARAGE SALE AT WOLFE RANCH

2932 240th Street, Marshalltown, Iowa, 50158

September  
28th

8 am - 2 pm

Open to the public!

Rain or Shine!

No sales before 8 am!

Collectibles!

Horse Tack!

Office Supplies!

Home Items!

Furniture!

And More!!

Donations welcome!!

Schedule drop off

time by calling

641-752-3912

## Vendors:

- \$10 for the day
- Bring your own tables with a limit of 20 feet
- Set up Friday 3-7 (must be off premises by 8pm)
  - Or set up Saturday morning (Gates open 6:30am)
- Set up a table or donate items to the ranch to sell to provide care for the animals!
- For more information call 641-752-3912



# LIVE MUSIC

WOLFE RANCH OF  
QUAKERDALE  
2932 240TH ST  
MARSHALLTOWN

HARMONY ON THE HOOVES FUNDRAISER



*Chris Heaton*

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OCTOBER  
6PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

641-752-3912

Advanced Donation: \$10/person  
Donation at the Gate: \$15/person



Hamburgers/Hotdogs, chips and water for sale.  
Feel free to bring your own beverages and lawn chairs.

