

# NEWSLETTER

## November 2025

### Bill Paying:

Utility bills are due on the 10th of the month. If the 10th falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or City observed holiday, the due date becomes the next business day. If not paid on or before the due date, the bill will incur a penalty charge of 10%. If an account is delinquent, service will be disconnected after 10:00 am on the last Tuesday of the month.

### Disconnect Fees:

If you have been disconnected for non-payment, the following are the applicable fees:

- \$100.00 for Disconnection
- \$100.00 for Reconnection outside regular business hours (in addition to the Disconnect Fee)

### Online Utility Payments:

- Online payments can be made on our City Website for Utility Bills ONLY.
- Please visit [mindennebraska.org](http://mindennebraska.org) and click "Utility Payments" for instructions or by scanning the QR Code.
- Card payments will have an additional fee added, shown on summary page, Bank payments do not have a fee.

### Disconnect Day

Last Tuesday of the month at 10:00am  
November 25, 2025



### Library Events:

- Nov. 11- Closed
- Nov. 27 & 28-Closed
- Dec. 6-Breakfast & Books with Santa

### Courthouse Survey:

- The Kearney County Courthouse is conducting a survey for Kearney County residents regarding repairs of the courthouse dome.

- Please complete the survey by:

- Scanning the QR Code
- Visiting

<https://tinyurl.com/SaveChristmasCity>

- Completing a paper survey found at:
  - Kearney County Courthouse
  - Minden City Hall
  - Wilcox Town Hall
  - Axtell Village Office



### Building Permits:

- The City would like to remind residents that building permits need to be approved before any projects are started. Please allow a minimum of 2 weeks for permit processing. For a complete list of projects that require building permits, please review the building permit application at City Hall (325 N Colorado) or on the City website.

### Christmas Traditions:

The schedule is subject to change. Check with the Chamber of Commerce for updates at [www.mindenne.org/signature-events](http://www.mindenne.org/signature-events), by phone at (308) 832-1811, or the Minden, Nebraska Chamber of Commerce Facebook Page.

#### Letters to Santa:

Santa's mailbox will be setup between the Exchange Bank & the Post Office starting Thursday, November 27. Letters will be available for children to fill out for Santa on the City's Facebook page, City Hall, Library, and the City's Website. All letters will receive a reply from Santa if a legible mailing address is provided.

#### Fri, Nov 14th:

- 5pm-8pm (Downtown Square)
- Ladies Night Out

#### Sat, Nov 15th:

- 5pm (Opera House)
- Christmas City Mystery Murder Dinner (Minden FFA)

#### Sat, Nov 22nd:

- (Kearney Co. Fairgrounds)
- Vintage Christmas Market

#### Sat, Nov 29th:

- Small Business Saturday
- Christmas City Festival
  - 8:30am (Presbyterian Church)
  - Christmas City 5K
- 8am - 12pm (Presbyterian Church)
  - Rotary Club Pancake Feed
  - Meet Santa
- 2pm - 4pm (Opera House)
  - Miss Christmas City Pageant
- 5:15pm (Downtown Square)
  - Christmas Parade
- 6:30pm (Downtown Square)
  - Light of the World Pageant
  - Hot Chocolate & Candy Canes

#### Sun, Nov 30th:

- 11am-1pm (Windmill Studios)
- Knights of Columbus Pancake Feed

#### Fri, Dec 5th:

- 9am-4pm (Minden Exchange Bank)
  - Kearney Co. Historical Society Garage & Bake Sale

#### Sat, Dec 6th:

- 9am-4pm (Minden Exchange Bank)
  - Kearney Co. Historical Society Garage & Bake Sale
- 10am (Jensen Memorial Library)
  - Breakfast with Santa
- 10am - 4pm (Pioneer Village)
  - Harold Warp Pioneer Village Christmas
  - Pictures with Santa
- 5:30pm (Pioneer Village)
  - Hayrides from Pioneer Village to Downtown

#### Sun, Dec 7th:

- 10am - 4pm (Pioneer Village)
  - Harold Warp Pioneer Village Christmas
- 5:30pm (Pioneer Village)
  - Hayrides from Pioneer Village to Downtown
- 6:30pm (Downtown Square)
  - Light of the World Pageant
  - Hot Chocolate & Candy Canes

#### Sat, Dec 13th:

- 9am - 12pm (Community Center)
  - Holy Family Catholic Church Gift Wrapping & Bake Sale

#### Sun, Dec 14th:

- 10am - 2pm (Windmill Studios)
  - Boy Scouts Soup Supper
- 5pm - 6:30pm (Windmill Studios)
  - Paws Up "Pug-tato" Bar Fundraiser
- 5:30pm (Pioneer Village)
  - Hayrides from Pioneer Village to Downtown
- 6:30pm (Downtown Square)
  - Light of the World Pageant
  - Hot Chocolate & Candy Canes

#### Fri, Dec 19th:

- 7:30pm (Opera House)
  - Lucas Hoge Concert

#### Sun, Dec 21st:

- (Opera House)
  - Polar Express

## Upcoming Events:

### Halloween Parade-Oct. 31

### Veterans Day-Nov. 11th:

- Jensen Memorial Library Closed
- City Hall Closed
  - Tue. Trash-picked up Wed, Nov. 12th
  - Tue. Recycle-picked up following week

### Thanksgiving-Nov. 27th & 28th:

- Jensen Memorial Library Closed
- City Hall Closed
  - Thur. & Fri. Trash-picked up Mon., Dec. 1st
  - Thur. & Fri. Recycle-picked up following

### Christmas City Festival-Nov. 29th:

- List of events and locations can be found on the Minden Chamber website or Facebook page

