

Bremer County Extension

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Office Hours: M-F 8am to 4:30 pm

www.extension.iastate.edu/bremer

Our local office is available to work with all people, communities, businesses, & organization in Bremer County. We strive to shape Iowa State University Extension's resources to address local needs.

Extension staff members present information for everyday living through public programs & workshops, direct mail, radio, television, & newspapers. Staff members also provide one-on-one counseling, advise various organizations & businesses, organize conferences, workshops & educational courses.

WHAT CAN YOUR BREMER COUNTY EXTENSION DO FOR YOU?

ISU EXTENSION TRAINING COURSES

Educational and hands-on training on vital topics to producers and consumers by qualified professionals.



MEETING ROOM AVAILABLE

Free use by area civic and community groups.



24 HOUR WEBSITE

Find answers to your questions on a multitude of topics.



COUNSELING AND SPEAKERS

We can come to you for personal or group assistance and/or speak to your group.



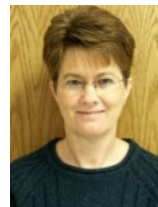
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Helping Iowans become their best.



Bremer County

Information for Everyday Living

Since 1903 Extension has been providing Iowa residents with information and tools for everyday living! With a rich heritage of service, Extension has impacted thousands of lives over the course of the last century.

But we're also looking ahead! While we continue to respond to current needs, we also anticipate a future where advances in science and technology demand fast and effective, research-based information and education.

We want to be your effective link to the vast resources of Iowa State University! Whether you access us in person, by phone, fax or through the internet, please continue to use your Extension office as your key to knowledge - every day!

Families

We offer education for families, professionals, and volunteers to build healthy family units in homes, schools, businesses and community organizations. Our family resources focus on

- Family Nutrition and Health
- Family Development
- Financial Resource Management

Communities

We help organizations and local governments develop and build their capacity to make Iowa communities better places to live and work. We offer leadership resources to a number of non-profit organizations in the bounty.

Business & Industry

We link Iowa businesses and manufacturers with ISU specialists and research, to develop increased productivity and competitiveness in the 21st century.

4-H & Youth Development

We empower youth to reach their full potential by working and learning in partnership with caring adults. Youth are reached through hands-on learning in

- Traditional 4-H Clubs
- Non-traditional afterschool & summer programs
- School enrichment programs
- Nearly 300 county 4-H members

Agriculture & Natural Resources

We provide information and education to the more than 900 farm families in Bremer County, as well as to ag producers, landowners, and agribusiness personnel. We seek to enhance the value of Iowa's agricultural industries, increase rural vitality, and protect our state's natural resources.

Horticulture



We utilize the volunteer resources of certified Master Gardeners who have been trained by Iowa State University Extension. These volunteers offer education to others by consulting with non-profit organizations, and offering volunteer service to their communities each year. They also maintain a beautiful garden at the Extension office in Tripoli.

Your Bremer County Extension

- County Extension Coordinator arranges programs in all areas and arranges for specialist assistance.
- Youth and Families Coordinator.
- Access to Extension Program Specialists who are available to Bremer County.
- Program support staff and office.
- Assisted by many dedicated volunteers.
- Access to staff and faculty on the Iowa State University campus

Extension is part of an educational network supported by Iowa State University, local county governments, and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Extension activities in Bremer County are governed by a nine-member Extension Council, elected by the citizens of Bremer County.

Radio

Listen to our regular radio broadcasts, featuring timely topics of general interest to our county's citizens on Waverly radio station KWAY 99.3 FM & 1470 AM.

Hotline Numbers

Bremer County Extension Office 319.882.4275

Your first line resource for Extension information
Hours: M-F 8 am to 4:30 pm
www.extension.iastate.edu/bremer

Answer Line 800.262.3804

Questions related to home and family
Hours: M-F 9 am-noon & 1 pm-4pm
TDD Telecommunications device for deaf persons:
800.854.1658
www.extension.iastate.edu/answerline

Bets Off 800.BETS.OFF or 800.238.7633

Bets Off is the hotline of the Iowa Gambling Treatment program. Gambling concerns for yourself or others 24 hours a day
www.1800betsoff.org

Continuing Education 800.262.0015

Off-campus credit courses, non-credit conferences
Hours: M-F 7:30 am-5 pm
www.lifelearner.iastate.edu

Farm-On 800.232.1999

Program to match beginning and retiring farmers
Hours: M-F 8 am-5 pm
www.extension.iastate.edu/bfc

Iowa Concern 800.447.1985

Financial question, legal issues, family transitions
24 hours a day
TT Relay Iowa 800.735.2942

Iowa Healthy Families 800.369.2229

Prenatal health care questions and information
24 hours a day
TT Relay Iowa: 800.735.2942

Pork Line 800.808.7675 Iowa Only

Swine production, management, marketing
Hours: M-F 8 am-5 pm
www.ipic.iastate.edu

Teen Line 800.443.8336

Personal and health-related information and referral
24 hours a day.

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