

WAUPUN 2016 REC GUIDE

**Waupun Park and Recreation Department
& Waupun Senior Center**



301 East Main Street
Monday – Friday
8:00am – 4:00pm
(920) 324-7930
parks@cityofwaupun.org



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Round Dancing	Ray & Marilyn Steinck	608-429-3049
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Trap Shooting	Roger Shaw	382-8937
Waupun Area Recreation Project		324-3491
Waupun Family Aquatic Center		324-7924
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Youth Dancing	Holly Kent	904-6591
Youth Football	Jeff Tavs	979-8287
Youth Golf	Dave Busse	324-2621
Youth Gymnastics	Jane Neevel	346-2693
Youth Soccer	Josh Fitch	410-6476
Youth Softball	Jason Westphal	210-5140

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City Attorney	Daniel Vande Zande	324-2951
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Director of Public Works	Richard Flynn	324-7918
Public Utility Manager	Randy Posthuma	324-7920
Program Director	Rachel Kaminski	324-7930
Fire Chief/Emergency Gov. Director	Bj Demaa	324-7910
Chief of Police	Dale Heeringa	324-7911
Library Director	Bret Jaeger	324-7925
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COMMUNITY CENTER CONTACTS		
Community Center		324-7900
Men's Hockey	Warren Baley	324-2213
Youth Hockey	Erick Gerritson	
Youth Skating	Matt Babiash	

FACILITY RENTAL CONTACTS		
Park Shelter	Rachel Kaminski	324-7930
Senior Center	Rachel Kaminski	324-7930
City Hall Auditorium		324-7900
Community Center		324-5096

PARK AND RECREATION BOARD		
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WAUPUN DOG PARK

LOCATION

Near the Waupun Area Animal Shelter. Please use driveway entrance to the Waupun Area Animal Shelter at 901 N Madison Street.



HOURS

Sunrise to Sunset, 7 days a week, year round.

IDENTIFICATION

An I.D. tag must be worn by your dog at all times, as well as a rabies tag and city tag.

CLEAN UP

You are responsible for picking up all fecal matter from your dog. Bags and a waste receptacle will be provided (at no charge) in the park.

FOOD & DRINK

Human food is prohibited in the park. Dog training treats as well as drinking water are permitted.

DOG LICENSES

An annual city licensing tag (valid January 1-December 31) is required. Dog tags can be purchased in the City Clerk's Office at City Hall, 201 E. Main St. during regular business hours, Monday thru Friday from 7:30am-4:30pm.

License fees are as follows

- \$3.00 Spayed/Neutered
- \$8.00 Unaltered Female/Male
- \$5.00 late fee if purchased after March 31

INJURY/LIABILITY

The City of Waupun, Fond du Lac County Humane Society, and Waupun Area Animal Shelter, are not responsible for any injury to the pet or the owner while using the park.

LEASH POLICY

Waupun Dog Park is an off-leash facility. Dogs however must be kept on a leash until inside the park area. All dogs must be under complete voice control and within eyesight of the owner. If you cannot control your pet off-leash you will need to keep your pet leashed at all times for the safety and enjoyment of all users. You are not allowed to leave your dog in the park unattended. The dog park is for dogs and their handlers. Children under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult. No other use and/or animals are permitted.

VACCINATIONS

Waupun Dog Park does not require but strongly recommends current (within past 12 months) vaccinations for the following diseases:

- Distemper, Hepatitis, Parainfluenza, Lepto (4 serotypes), Parvo
- Corona Virus
- Bordetella (kennel cough)

A current rabies certificate and tag is required, therefore dogs must be over 4 months of age to enjoy the park.

DOG CONFLICTS

Aggressive dogs are not allowed. All dogs must be removed from the park at the first sign of aggression. Handlers are responsible for any injuries caused by the dog (s) under their control. Any altercations between dogs must be reported to the City of Waupun during regular business hours or in writing to: City of Waupun, 201 E. Main St., Waupun, WI 53963.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please do not allow your dog to dig. Holes can be a hazard for dogs and people. The City of Waupun and the Waupun Area Animal Shelter do not provide drinking water for dogs. Users are encouraged to bring their own water. Dog owners are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs. Please use the provided collection bags and deposit them into the garbage can at the entrance of the park. All visitors have a stake in keeping the park clean. These rules are in place to make the park a pleasant experience for all.

PARK GUIDE

	Backstop	Baseball Field	Basketball Court	Batting Cage	Benches	Bike Racks	Bike/walk Trail	Bleachers	Concessions	Cooking Grills	Drinking Water	Horseshoe Pits	Parking Spaces	Pier	Picnic Tables	Play System	Portable Toilet	Restrooms	Sandbox	Shelter	Shore Fishing	Soda Machine	Soccer Field	Street Parking	Tennis Court	Volleyball Court
Buwalda Park 716 Buwalda Dr.			X								X				X	X	X							X		
Dodge Park 518 S. Madison St.	X		X		X					X	X				X	X		X	X	X		X		X	X	
Harris Mill Park 300 N. Mill St.					X	X					X		X	X	X			X		X	X	X				
Heritage Park 220 Brandon St.					X										X									X		
Johnson's West End Park 200 Beaver Dam St.	X	X	X		X	X				X	X	X			X	X		X	X	X		X		X	X	
McCune Park & Ball Diamond Complex 313 N. Grove St.	X	X	X		X			X	X		X		X		X	X		X		X		X				X
Meadow View Park 79 Meadowview Cir.							X																	X		
Medema Fields 728 W. Lincoln St.	X	X		X	X			X	X		X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X		
Pine Street Park 404 Pine St.					X		X								X	X	X				X			X		
Rock River Trail							X							X												
Schlieve Field	X	X		X				X	X		X		X		X			X		X						
Shaler Memorial Park 400 N. Madison St.					X								X		X						X					
Tanner Park 503 W. Spring St.					X											X					X					
Wilcox Park 404 S Watertown St.	X		X		X						X	X				X		X	X			X		X		
Waupun Family Aquatic Center 701 County Park							X		X		X		X					X								
Zoellner Park 910 Newton Ave.					X						X					X		X						X		

PARK RENTALS

West End Park Shelter

200 Beaver Dam Street

12 picnic tables, grill, drinking water, restrooms, playground, baseball field, basketball court, tennis court, horseshoe pits, soda machine



McCune Park Shelter

313 N. Grove Street

12 picnic tables, grill, drinking water, restrooms, playground, baseball field, basketball court, volleyball court, soda machine



Wilcox Park Shelter

404 S. Watertown Street

4 picnic tables, grill, drinking water, restrooms, playground, baseball field, basketball court, horseshoe pits, soda machine

Dodge Park Shelter

518 S. Madison Street

6 picnic tables, grill, drinking water, restrooms, playground, baseball field, basketball court, tennis court, soda machine



Harris Mill Park Shelter

N. Forest St.

17 picnic tables, drinking water, restrooms, shore fishing, soda machine

Buwalda Park Shelter

716 Buwalda Dr.

2 picnic tables, drinking water, restrooms, playground, basketball court

RENTAL FEES

\$30.00 Resident

\$35.00 Non-resident

RENTAL PROCESS

Call (920) 324-7930 for availability! Visit the Waupun Senior Center located at 301 E Main Street to complete a permit and pay for the rental fee. There will be no holds placed on shelters. A rental permit with payment must be received to complete your rental.

PARK SHELTER PERMIT⁷

1. All reservations must be made by calling Waupun Senior Center at (920) 324-7930 during regular business hours, 8:00am to 4:00pm. If no one answers, please leave a message.
2. No glass bottles are allowed in the parks at any time.
3. If bathrooms are locked/dirty or if electrical problems occur, call (920) 324-7918 during business hours or (920) 324-7911 after business hours and weekends. Please remember that most parks have a standard 110 electrical system so watch what you plug in.
4. Rental fees for the park shelter are \$30.00 for City residents and \$35.00 for Non-City residents, payable to the City of Waupun. After payment has been turned in, you will receive your park reservation slip.
5. Patrons are asked to please not park cars on the grass by shelters. If you are required to drive up to the shelter to unload supplies, please move your vehicle to a proper parking spot as soon as possible.
6. A restroom key will have to be checked out for all Harris Mill Park shelter rentals. You will receive a phone call the week of your event to schedule a time to come pick up the key.
6. **Park shelter rentals are nonrefundable.**

**Please fill out this form and return this portion with payment to: 301 East Main Street, Waupun, WI 53963.
Make checks payable to: City of Waupun**

Park Fee: \$30.00 City Residents

Park Fee: \$35.00 for Non-residents

Parks available for rent and the approximate number of picnic tables available:

McCune Park—12
Buwalda Park—2

West End Park—12
Harris Mill Park—17

Dodge Park—6

Wilcox Park—4

Park User Name: _____

Address: _____ City _____

State _____ Zip: _____ Phone Number: _____

Park: _____ Date reserved for: _____

Hours of Use: _____ Number of people expected at event: _____

***Recreation Board/ City of Waupun reserves the right to require a security officer for large events.

Do you plan on selling alcohol? _____ Do you plan on consuming alcohol? _____

***A liquor license is not required unless you are selling. For a Liquor License contact the Clerk's office at (920) 324-7900.

Are there any additional activities planned for your event? Ex: Bands, DJ's, Tents, Bouncy Houses

Park User Signature & Date

Program Director Signature & Date

***Park shelter rentals are nonrefundable.

PARK PROGRAM

JOIN US!

Free fun! The Waupun Summer Drop-in Park Program has been around for over 50 years! This year's Registration will be at your park of choice on Monday, June 13 during Park Program operating hours.

STAFFED PARKS

- Dodge Park
518 S. Madison Street
- Harris Mill Park
300 N. Mill St.
- Pine Street Park
404 Pine Street
- West End Park
200 Beaver Dam Street
- Wilcox Park
404 S. Watertown Street

Who: Kids ages 7+
Days:
 June 13-August 19
 Monday-Friday
Times:
 9:00am-Noon &
 1:00-4:00pm
FREE!

FIELD TRIPS

We will once again be going on some fun in town and out of town field trips. A bike and helmet is required for all in town field trips. We will take a bus to all out of town field trips. There is a fee for all out of town field trips and swimming trips. Parents must also pay the fee associated with field trips. Registration forms will be available at each of the Park Program parks during Park Program operating hours. Participants will not go on any field trips without a completed registration

WEATHER

Rainy Days: All parks will remain open except Pine Street. Shelter activities will take place at all other parks.

Severe Weather: All parks CLOSED!! If a tornado warning/watch is in effect at your drop-off time, we ask that you wait until it expires before bringing your child. If a severe warning/watch is issued during Park Program operating hours, children will be sent home immediately. If children are too far from home to walk or ride bike, please pick up your child immediately.

NEED:

- Sunscreen
- Water
- Swimsuit and towel when indicated on schedule
- Bike and bike helmet when indicated on schedule
- Fishing pole, bait and tackle for fishing at Harris Mill Park
- A sack lunch and field trip money when indicated on schedule

SCHEDULE

Activity and field trip schedules will be available on June 13 at registration at your park of choice.

Activities will include:

- Bike Rodeo
- Fish with Me, Stay Drug Free Fishing Tournament
- Swimming at Waupun Family Aquatic Center
- Marsh Haven EARTHCamps
- Water Days
- End of the Summer Picnic
- And more!



Left: 2015 Fish with Me, Stay Drug Free Fishing Tournament largest fish in ages 8-14 bracket. 26 inch northern caught by Eli Heeringa.

Right: 2015 Fish with Me, Stay Drug Free Fishing Tournament category winners: Brayden Lerum (Smallest Fish), Jacob & Tucker Hopp (Cutest Fish), Efrain Guardioli (Ugliest Fish)



REGISTRATION

DROP IN SUMMER PARK PROGRAM

Child's Name: _____

Birthdate: _____ Allergies: _____

Child's Name: _____

Birthdate: _____ Allergies: _____

Park Program Primary Location (Circle One):

- Dodge Park
- Harris Mill Park
- Pine Street Park
- West End Park
- Wilcox Park

Mother's Name: _____ Employer: _____

Day Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Father's Name: _____ Employer: _____

Day Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

If you cannot be reached and your child is ill or there is a medical emergency, give the name, address and phone number of the person who we may contact or who will care for your child until you return.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____

Give completed form to your Park Leader on June 13th or on the first day that your child will participate in Park Program activities. Your child will not go on any field trips without this form completed, signed and turned in prior to the field trip. If you have any questions about the Park Program, please contact Rachel Kaminski (920) 324-7930.



YOUTH SPORTS

YOUTH BASEBALL

Youth baseball provides a great opportunity for children to learn the basic skills of baseball. The 4-8 year olds use a softer safety ball and the coaches do the pitching. The 9-14 year olds use a regular hardball and have kids pitching. Each child is asked to bring their own glove. A team t-shirt is provided.

Who: Ages 4-14

When: May-July

Where: Location varies with age

Fee: Varies with age

Registrations accepted after February 20, 2016 will have a \$25.00 late fee. Absolutely no registrations will be accepted after March 15, 2016.

Contact: Brent Ferris at (920) 392-1056



Forms and information can be found on the Waupun Little League website at www.eteamz.com/waupunlittleleaguebaseball

LEGION BASEBALL

Legion baseball plays 25-30 games per season. Other teams in the conference include Oconomowoc, Watertown, Mayville, Jackson, Beaver Dam, Hartford, Horicon, Hustisford, Lomira/Theresa, and Ripon. Kids from surrounding communities such as Brandon, Randolph, Fox Lake and Markesan are welcome.

Who: Ages 14-18

When: June/July

Where: Waupun Baseball Complex

Contact: Derrick Standke at (920) 979-7579

2016 National Tournament

August 4-7

Teams from Wisconsin, North Dakota, Kansas, Nebraska, Nevada, and Minnesota.

Live band August 6th from 8:00pm—12:00am.

SOFTBALL

Girl's Softball teaches the fundamentals of softball through practices and game situations. Registration includes a team t-shirt, but players must provide their own glove.

Who: Girls entering 4K-12 grades

When: Sign Up February. Games April-July

Where: Medema Fields

Fee: \$35.00/child for 4K-3 grades

\$45.00/child for 4-12 grades

\$90 Maximum per family

Contact: Jason Westphal at (920) 210-514

www.waupunsoftball.com

2016 Waupun

Tournament Dates:

June 3-5 ages 10U and 12U

July 8-10 ages 14U and 16U



WRESTLING

The Waupun Wrestling Club teaches young wrestlers the fundamentals of wrestling while making it fun at the same time. Registration includes a t-shirt.

Who: Grades K-8

When: January-March

Where: Waupun Area Jr/Sr High School

Time: 6:00-8:00 pm

Fee: \$150.00 (includes 10-12 tournaments)

Contact: Nate Mertz at (920) 960-6680

BASKETBALL

Waupun Hoopsters program is designed to teach boys and girls the fundamentals of basketball and then apply those fundamentals to a game situation. Each team will be involved in tournaments that will include traveling. A t-shirt is included in the registration fee.

Who: Boys and girls in grades K-8

When: November-March, Practice on weeknights and Tournaments on weekends

Where: Varies with age

Fee: Varies with age

Contact: Kevin Homan at (920) 210-9215

YOUTH SPORTS

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SKATING

The **Waupun Figure Skating Club** is a nonprofit organization operated by volunteers from the community. Classes include snowplow, basic skills, freestyle, moves in the field, dance, power stroking, and synchronized skating. Private instruction is available for an additional fee. The annual ice show is held the last weekend in March.

Registration is in September

Who: Ages 3-18

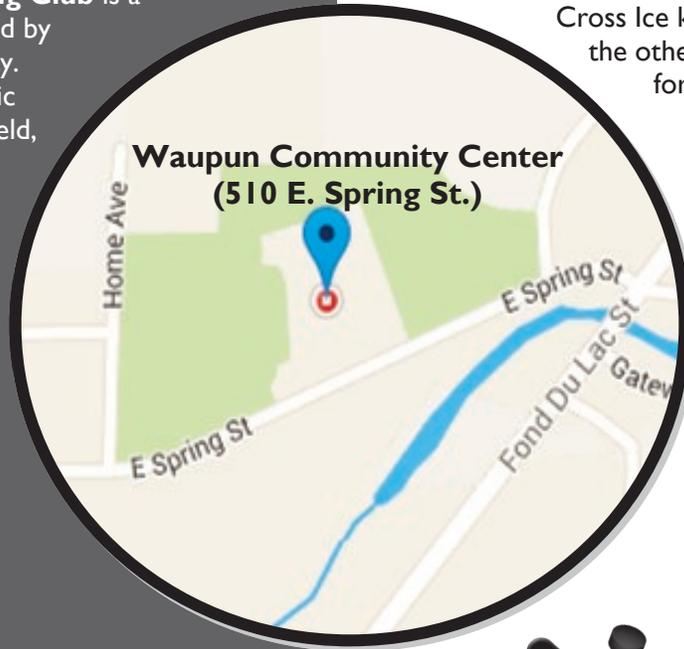
When: Wednesdays,
Saturdays, Sundays

Time: Varies

Where: Waupun Community Center

Contact: Matt Babiash at
(920) 948-1621

www.waupunfigureskating.com



HOCKEY

Youth hockey is split into 5 different age groups. Cross Ice kids have an in-house league, while the other age groups travel to other cities for their games. Most teams practice twice a week and play 18-30 games per season.

Registration starts in August.

Who: Learn to skate:
Ages 4 and up

Cross-Ice: Ages 6-8

Squirts: Ages 9-10

PeeWee: Ages 11-12

Bantam: Ages 13-14

When: October-March

Where: Waupun Community Center

Fee: Varies with age

Contact: Erick Gerritson
at (920) 539-7071

www.waupunhockey.org



GYMNASTICS

Waupun GymStars Gymnastics is a club member of the USA Gymnastics and the AAU. We believe that fitness and fun come together in the gym to develop the total child! We offer classes for kids ages 3 through advanced, and also several levels of competitive teams.

When: Weekly basis

Where: Rock River Intermediate School

Time: Varies with age and ability

Contact: Jane Neevel at (920) 346-2693 or email: gymstars_gymnastics@hotmail.com

www.waupungymstars.com

SOCCER

Youth soccer introduces children to soccer and lets them continue gaining experience and confidence right up to high school. Practices are held once per week, with games being played once or twice per week. A tournament is held on the last Saturday in September and the first weekend in October.

Who: 4K-8th graders

When: August- October (practice starts end of July)

Time: 5:00 and 6:00 pm (games)

Where: Medema Fields (U6-U14)

Christian High & Waupun Junior Senior High School (U14)
to the "where" line for U14.

Fee: \$30.00 Ages 4-6

\$85.00 Two Family Members (U8 and up)

\$55.00 One Family Member (U8 and up)

\$100.00 (maximum) Three or more Family Members (U8 and up)

Contact: Josh Fitch at (920) 410-6476



YOUTH SPORTS

FLAG FOOTBALL

Flag Football is an informal football league which stresses having fun while teaching the fundamentals of football. Registration includes a team t-shirt. The league runs for 6-8 weeks depending on the number of teams. Parents are encouraged to come and watch. Players are coached by High School players to provide a community bond.

Who: 1- 4 grade (Co-ed)

Grades 1 & 2 are on teams,

Grades 3 & 4 are on teams

When: September-October

(Starts the first Saturday after Labor Day)

Where: Waupun Area Jr/Sr High School Practice Field – located on the south side of the building

Time:

Grades 1 & 2:

9:00am—10:00am

Grades 3 & 4:

9:00am—10:30am

Fee: \$25.00/child and \$100.00/maximum family

Contact:

Jeff Tavs at (920) 979-8287

www.footballinwaupun.com



TACKLE FOOTBALL

Waupun Tackle Football Local Traveling League, in affiliation with Heads Up Football/USA Football, utilizes a full uniform and helmet which are provided by the program. Fundamentals of the game are taught during practices and then used in a game setting.

Tackle Football (Grades 5 & 6) – In affiliation with “Heads Up Football/USA Football”

There will be ONE 5th grade team, and ONE 6th grade team.

Other teams include Mayville, Laconia, North Fond du Lac, Springs, Lomira, Campbellsport, and Horicon Games:

- We will host 4 games, and have 3 or 4 away games (on Saturdays)
- Games will start around 10:00am
- There will be certified officials
- There will be league specific rules (specified at registration)
- Practice and season starts in August

More information at registration in May. All dates will be available at registration and on our website.

Fee: \$75.00/child and \$100.00/maximum family

Contact: Jeff Tavs at (920) 979-8287

www.footballinwaupun.com

GOLF

Youth memberships are available at Rock River Country Club. Youth lessons are also given at RRCC. Lessons include instructions in all areas of golf and nine holes of golf following each lesson.

Ages 9-15 Fee: Child of RRCC member \$150 Child of non- member \$200.00

Ages 16-18 Fee: Child of RRCC member \$200.00 Child of non- member \$400.00

When: Mondays, 9:00am

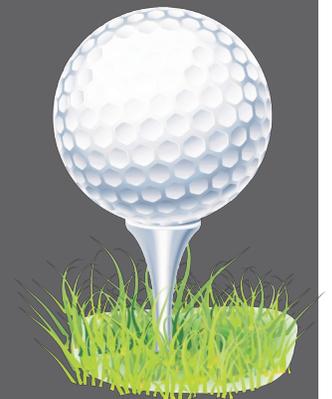
Dates: June -August

Fees: Junior members (all ages) \$50.00 (2+/family \$35.00 each),

Non-junior members, ages 9-18 \$100.00

Contact: Dave Busse (920) 324-2621

www.golfrcc.com



MARTIAL ARTS

Check out our newly remodeled Link's Martial Arts Waupun location. We are proud and excited to share our hard work and dedication with you. Our Master Instructors, family programs and 5-step self defense principles are locally known and trusted as well as nationally recognized and respected. Begin your journey in the Martial Arts today.

Link's Martial Arts programs for the entire family include:

Flying Dragon - Ages 4-7

Youth - Ages 8-12

Contact: Master Link at (262) 224-3245 or send us an e-mail at: linksmartialarts@charter.net.

ADULT SPORTS

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HORSESHOES

Waupun Horseshoe League consists of 2-man teams each playing 4 games per night with 30 horseshoes being thrown each game. Singles tournament is held in August.

Who: Over 18 years old (Co-Ed)

When: May-August

Time: 6:30pm, Wednesday nights

Where: West End Park

Fee: \$20.00/person (includes a t-shirt)

Contact: Dave Steger at (920) 324-4372

VOLLEYBALL

Adult volleyball is co-ed and played on an outside sand court for anyone who wants to have fun and have a night out. Come enjoy the fun!!

Who: Anyone over 18

Minimum 6 people per team

When: Tuesdays 6:30pm and 7:30pm

May-August

Where: McCune Park

Fee: \$90.00/team

Contact:

Ryan VandeZande at (920) 948-0338



SHOOTING SPORTS

HUNTER SAFETY

Hunter Safety is a course designed for first time hunters and persons handling firearms for the first time. The course is sponsored by the Department of Natural Resources and is required for anyone purchasing a hunting license in Wisconsin. The class revolves around the safe handling of firearms and archery equipment. Nature and wildlife topics are also discussed. Space is limited to 50 students.

Who: Anyone over age 10 can participate in the class.

When: Winter Class February; Summer Class August (two Tuesdays, two Thursdays, one Saturday)

Time: 6:30pm-8:30pm for 2 weeks (total 12 hour class)

Where: Waupun Safety Building (16 E Main Street)

Fee: \$10.00

Contact: Jerry Krueger at (920) 210-6294

TRAP SHOOTING

Trap shooting registration is held in April and league starts in May and runs for 16 weeks. There is always someone around to help with first time shooters.

Who: Anyone over age 12, with Hunter's Safety certificate

When: May-August

Junior League: Tuesday 6:00pm-9:00pm

Adult League: Wednesday 7:00pm-10:00pm

Open Shoot: Sunday 10:30am-2:00pm

Where: J Howard Memorial Gun Club

Fee: \$27.00 adult membership / \$2.50 Jr. membership

\$2.00 league

\$3.00/25 birds for members

\$4.00/25 birds for nonmembers

Contact: Roger Shaw at (920) 382-8937

HOCKEY

Men's No-Check hockey league

Who: Over 18/out of high school

When: Saturday nights at 8:00pm from October-March

Where: Waupun Community Center

Fee: \$5.00/night

Contact: Warren Baley at (920) 763-2477

WOMENS SOFTBALL

Women's Softball league is designed with fun in mind and is designed to allow the love for softball to continue after high

school. Moderate pitch.

Come out and enjoy! If you would like join a team or start a new team please call!

Who: High school graduates and older

When: Thursday nights

Where: Medema Fields

Fee: Sponsor Fee

Contact: Abby Buwalda at (920) 763-7834



MENS SOFTBALL

Men's Softball is a moderate pitch league which is competitive, but fun.

The B league plays on Thursday nights.

Who: Age 16 and older

When: Thursday night May-August

Time: 6:30pm, 7:30pm and 8:30 pm

Where: McCune Park

Contact: Nate Rens at (920) 382-4575

DANCE PROGRAMS

ROUND DANCING

Round dancing gets together to enjoy the company of others and stay current on their round dancing techniques.

Who: Anyone over age 18

When: Wednesdays all year (call first)

Time: 7:00pm-9:00pm

Where: Waupun City Hall Auditorium

Fee: Approximately \$3.00/couple

Lessons are also offered occasionally

Contact: Ray & Marilyn Steinick at (608) 429-3049

SQUARE DANCING

Square dancing emphasizes the techniques of modern western square dancing.

Who: All ages

When: 1st and 3rd Saturdays April-December

Time: 7:30pm-9:30pm

Where: Waupun City Hall Auditorium

Back Up Locations: Waupun Senior Center and Prairie Ridge Assisted Living

Fee: \$6.00/person; \$10.00/family

(No charge for spectators)

Contact: Doug Kindschuh at (920) 602-1798

CONCERTS IN THE PARK

When: Thursday Nights: July 9, 16, 23, and 30

Where: Dodge Park (518 S. Madison Street)

Time: 5:30pm Food Available

6:30pm Concert

Fee: Free Will Offering

Rain Location: Waupun City Hall (201 E Main Street)

Contact: waupunfinearts@gmail.com

DANCING

Dance education from beginner to pre-professional. Dance recitals are offered with each session, dance in parades and other performances for the Community, and a chance to compete at competitions throughout the area and even in other states.

Who: Ages 2 to Adult

What: Ballet, jazz, tap, lyrical, modern, pointe, musical theater, creative movement, baby ballet, hip hop

When: September-May and July-August

Where: 24 E Main Street, Waupun

Fee: Varies with age and class enrollment

Contact: Holly Kent at (920) 904-6591

www.mastersofmovement.info

STROLLEROBICS

“NOT JUST A STROLL IN THE PARK”

Started in September 2012. Check out the Waupun Strollerobics Facebook Page to stay updated!

When: Tuesday's and Thursday's 9:00-10:00am, year round

Free!

Varied Meeting Locations:

Outside (above 40°) - Harris Mill Park (by the mill pond), Auto Tour at the Horicon Marsh, County Park Campground, Pine Street Park Walking Trail, and The Boardwalk.

Inside (under 40°) - Immanuel Lutheran Church and Alto Community Center. No Stroller needed, just hand weights and a mat. Pre and post-natal fitness session for every stage of motherhood

60 min. total fitness program which includes:

Outdoor - power walking with intervals of strength and toning exercises while kids are in strollers

Indoor - intervals of strength and toning with hand weights or baby and body weight and use of mats.

No strollers needed.

Benefits: Have FUN!, set positive examples for your kids, make new friends, create a support system, get out of the house, donate to a family at holiday time, exchange healthy recipes, many organized play dates.

HOBBYISTS

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WAUPUN CRAFT CENTER

The Waupun Craft Center is a community craft group that offers different types of classes throughout the year. Knitting and crocheting, quilting and sewing, card making, are just a few examples. Each year several "Quilts of Valor" are made by the group and awarded to local veterans; hats and mittens are knit/crocheted and donated to the Food Pantry; lap quilts and baby quilts are made and donated to PAVE and nursing homes. If you are not interested in organized classes, an area is set aside for those working on projects of their own."

When: Thursday at 11:00am

Who: Anyone

Where: Lower Level of the Emmanuel Reformed Church, 400 West Brown Street

Fee: \$25 membership fee. Supplies are extra

Contact: Shirley VerHage at (920) 324-4868

Check us out on Facebook: Waupun Craft Center

GARDEN CLUB

The purpose of the Garden Club is to share ideas with each other about many topics of gardening. Anyone interested in learning more about plants and gardening is welcome to attend.

When: September-May, Second Monday of the month

Time: 6:30pm

Where: Various locations

Contact: Darlene Drews at (920) 324-2385

MODEL YACHT CLUB

Model Yacht Club has members from Waupun, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Appleton and Neenah. Each member will build a 36" long sailboat from a kit, which usually costs around \$350.00. Members will learn basic sailing physics and rules and then apply them in competition.

Who: Any age

When: May-September

Races every other Saturday @ 1:00pm

Where: Harris Mill Park (by Forest Mound Cemetery)

Fee: \$10.00/person or \$15.00/family plus supplies

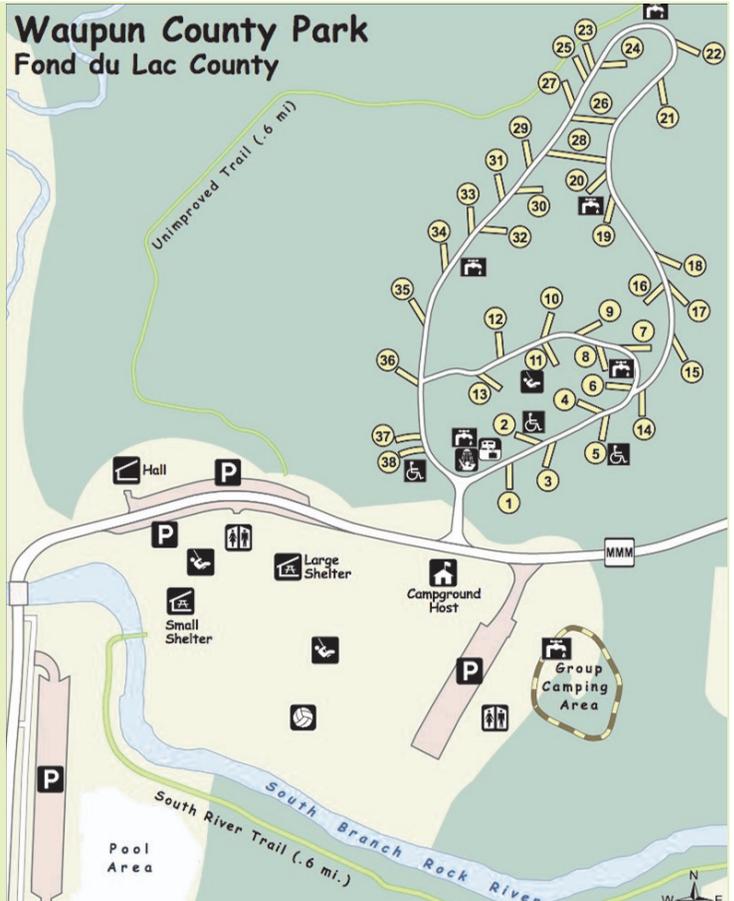
Contact: Keith Jansma at (920) 324-9419

CAMPING

Waupun County Park is the second largest county park at 103 acres. It is located at 825 County Park Road (also known as County Highway MMM), on the northwest edge of the City of Waupun. The northeastern 40 acres of the park is State Natural Area #51, Waupun Park Maple Forest, with hiking and skiing trails. It is an excellent example of a southern mesic hardwood forest, with red and white oak, maple, and white ash.

The park contains a wooded 42 unit public campground, with electrical hookups, restrooms, and showers. Other facilities include playground equipment, two open-air picnic shelters, one enclosed shelter, disc golf and a baseball field. There is also a swimming facility operated by the City of Waupun on property adjacent to the county park. Waupun County Park is watched over by part-time campground hosts. The campground hosts assist campers in making online reservations for campsites and park shelters.

Reservations are available to make January 1 thru September 13. Make reservations online at www.fdlcountyparks.com. You may call the Planning & Parks Department at (920) 929-3135 or the campground host at (920) 960-4263 May 11-September 13 for assistance.



SENIOR CENTER

HELLO!

The Waupun Senior Center is a great place for people age 50 and over or married to someone age 50 and over to meet new people, try new things, and stay active. Volunteers are also welcome, whether it is for a one-time event or on a weekly basis. The center is open to all seniors, whether you live in Waupun or surrounding communities. Each month a newsletter will be available with a detailed activity calendar. Please join us for some fun and conversations. Great coffee provided 8:00am-11:00am and from 1:00pm-4:00pm.

Like us on Facebook!

Who: Age 50 or married to someone over age 50

When: Monday-Friday (year around)

Hours: 8:00am-4:00pm

Where: 301 E. Main Street, Waupun WI, 53963

Contact: Rachel Kaminski at (920) 324-7930



VAN TRANSPORTATION

Transportation for ages 60+ within the city limits of Waupun to medical appointments, hair appointments, restaurants, Waupun Senior Center, and many more places that are closer than you think! \$1.00 each trip.

Must be able to navigate two steps safely to board the vehicle. Rides must be scheduled the day before by noon by calling (920) 324-7930. Rides can be scheduled as early as 9:00am. The last non-medical ride is at 2:00pm and the last medical ride appointment is at 3:00pm. On the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month, rides to the Forrest Mall in Fond du Lac are offered. Cost is \$4.00. Must have a minimum of 3 riders to make the trip.

Visit the Senior Center front desk or call (920) 324-7930 to reserve your spot or to be placed on the interest list.

FOOT CARE CLINIC

Foot assessment and toenail trimming by Fond du Lac County Health Department. All appointments are with a registered nurse.

When: Wednesday, March 2 and March 16.

Appointments start at 8:20am and each appointment is 20 minutes long. Last appointment starts at 10:40am.

Cost: \$25.00/appointment.

Must register one day prior at the Waupun Senior Center or call (920) 324-7930. Space is limited. Appointments can be made several months in advance.

SENIOR CENTER LUNCH

Catered by Feil's in Randolph. Entrée, fruit, vegetable, bread, dessert and milk included with all meals. Brought to you by Fond du Lac County Senior Dining Program.

Who: 60 years or older, or married to someone age 60 or older

When: Monday-Friday at 12:00pm

Suggested Donation: \$3.00

Registration: Required one day in advance by noon by calling (920) 324-7930 or registering at the Senior Center front desk. Great food, great company, great place!

MOBILE MEALS

The purpose of the mobile meal program is to provide one nutritionally balanced hot meal for five days per week on a temporary or permanent basis to home bound individuals. To be eligible to receive delivered mobile meals, individuals must be 60 years of age or older or married to someone 60 years of age or over, be frail or homebound, unable to cook for themselves or have someone in home to assist them in cooking. For eligibility and assessment each individual will receive a home visit by Fond du Lac County Department of Senior Services. To see if you or someone you know is eligible please call (920) 929-3113. This service is brought to us by Fond du Lac County Department of Senior Services. Residents of Dodge County are also eligible within the city limits of Waupun.

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ACTIVITIES/SERVICES:

Activity	Description	When	Cost
Arizona Pool	Different style of pool play	Wednesdays at 1:00pm	FREE
Bingo	Prizes include lunch vouchers and gift cards	2 nd Friday of the month at 1:00pm	FREE
Blood Pressure Check	By Agnesion HealthCare professional	2 nd Tuesday of the month at 12:30pm	FREE
Board Games	Many classic and new favorite board games will be open to use. Bring your own to share!	During open hours	FREE
Book Club	Each month will highlight a special book. Books provided by the Waupun Public Library	2 nd Friday of the month at 1:00pm	FREE
Craft Workshop	A new workshop each month. Free take home craft.	4 th Tuesday of the month at 10:00am	FREE
Euchre	Come play or learn to play! Cards provided	Mondays at 1:00pm	25¢/day
Foot Care Clinic	Foot care and nail trimming by Fond du Lac County Health Department	1 st and 3 rd Wednesday morning of the month	\$25.00/appt
Gadget Classes	Computer, tablet, and cellphone classes	Varies	FREE
Genealogy Club	Family history tips and tricks. Online resources available.	1 st Wednesday of the month at 10:00am	FREE
Hand & Foot Cards	Similar to Canasta. Senior center rules provided	Tuesdays at 9:00am	FREE
Jam Session	Sing or bring your own instrument. Song lyrics provided.	2 nd and 4 th Wednesday of the month at 10:30am	FREE
Marbles	Marble game with cards.	Thursdays at 9:00am	FREE
Open Pool	Shoot pool on two 8 foot billiards tables. Pool equipment provided.	During open hours	FREE
Pickleball	Combination sport of badminton, tennis, and ping pong. Equipment and instructors provided.	Tuesdays at 5:30pm October-May at The Union June-September at West End Park	FREE
Pool League	Competitive play. Must preregister	Tuesdays, December-May	\$10.00/season
Presentations	Presentation will be held periodically by community organizations	Varies	FREE
Sequence	Card game of strategy	Tuesdays at 1:00pm	FREE
Sheepshead	Jack of Diamonds	Wednesdays at 1:00pm	25¢/day
	Black Queens	Thursdays at 1:00pm	\$1.00/day
YMCA of Dodge County Trips	Pool walking, Fitness Center, and group fitness class. Bus transportation included. Preregistrations required. Space is limited.	One Friday a month from 9:15-11:45am	\$6.00/day
Yoga Stretch	Yoga Stretch will move your whole body. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of seated and standing postures.	Mondays and Thursdays at 10:00am	FREE

*****SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGES*** Please call 324-7930 for up to date activity schedules.**

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KITCHEN

Large counter space with serving window. Tableware to serve up to 80 people including silverware, salad plates, dinner plates, coffee cups, and water glasses.

Appliances available:

Refrigerator
Microwave
30 cup coffee maker

Items provided:

Garbage bags
Water pitchers
Table and serveware



GREAT ROOM

Large space with 17 tables and seating for 80 people. Free Wi-Fi.

A great place for:

- Holiday parties
- Family reunions
- Baby showers
- Birthday parties
- Anniversary parties
- Wedding receptions

RENTAL FEES

Weekdays: 5:00pm-9:00pm, \$50.00

Weekends and Holidays:

\$50.00 (4 Hours) or \$75.00 (8 Hours)

DEPOSIT

All rentals require a separate \$50.00 Key/Cleaning Security Deposit. If the rental key is not returned and/or any portion of the building or equipment is left in an unacceptable condition and/or damaged, the City of Waupun is authorized to withhold all or part of the security deposit.

To reserve call or stop by to check availability and pick up an application.

RENTER RESPONSIBILITIES

- Complete City of Waupun Senior Center Rental Application.
- Write two checks. One check is for the rental fee and the second check is for the key/cleaning security deposit.
- Submit rental application with payment to Waupun Program Director, Rachel Kaminski, at the Senior Center.
- Return key to the drop box on the west side of City Hall on the Forest Street entrance immediately after your event.
- Wait for your deposit check in the mail, IF building is left in acceptable condition.
- Other responsibilities listed in rental brochure and application.

Waupun Senior Center
301 E. Main Street
Phone: (920) 324-7930
E-mail: parks@cityofwaupun.com

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“Wild Goose Center of Wisconsin”



Waupun Senior Center
301 E. Main Street
Waupun, Wisconsin 53963
Phone: (920) 324-7930
parks@cityofwaupun.org

SENIOR CENTER RENTAL APPLICATION

Name of Applicant (Print): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Type of Event: _____ (ex: wedding, reunion, shower, etc.)

Number of people in attendance: _____

Date(s)/Time(s) you will be occupying the Senior Center. **Please circle a rental time.**

4 Hour Rental Fee \$50.00;

8 Hour Rental Fee \$75.00

Event date: _____ From: _____ am/pm to _____ am/pm

Facility Key

Key is to be picked up on the business day, prior to your event from the Waupun Senior Center. Key is to be placed under the Waupun Senior Center office door immediately following your event.

Payment

Make two separate checks payable to: City of Waupun. First check will be for you rental fee and Second Check will be a \$50.00 security deposit fee. Your security deposit check will be returned after key has been dropped off after your event AND after the building has been inspected for cleanliness and damages.

Supervision

An adult at all times while using this building must supervise children under the age of 18 years. Children must be supervised at all times. The pool room will serve as an entrance and exit only. Use of the pool table is strictly prohibited.

Office Use Only

Issued: _____ Key	Date: _____	Returned: _____ Key	Date: _____	By: _____
_____ \$50.00 (4 Hour Rental Fee)			Date: _____	By: _____
_____ \$75.00 (8 Hour Rental Fee)			Date: _____	By: _____
_____ \$50.00 Key/Cleaning Security Deposit			Date: _____	By: _____

SENIOR CENTER

Details of Arrangement

<p><u>Items available for use:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kitchen oven • Refrigerator • Microwave • Garbage bags • Kitchen tableware • Snow shovel <p><u>Restrictions of the Senior Center:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No alcohol • No smoking • No firearms or weapons • No pets (other than service animals) • No propping of doors or opening of windows • No tampering with thermostat/temperature control or fuse box <p><u>Off Limit Areas:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reception desk • Billiards Room • The piano is not to be moved or used • TV • Main office <p><u>Decorations:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only freestanding decorations, nothing fixed to the walls, ceiling, windows, doors, etc. • Balloons must be tethered • Use of open flame candles is strictly prohibited 	<p><u>Clean up required</u> (Cleaning equipment is found in utility closet):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Put tables and chairs back in their original order • Wipe kitchen counters and tables • Sweep kitchen and dining room floors • Vacuum carpet • Place garbage in cans outside back door, please secure the lids of the cans <p><u>You must supply your own:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paper/Plastic tableware • Napkins • Dish towels • Dish soap • Coffee and coffee filters <p><u>Closing:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lock all doors • Turn off all lights (Fans stay on) • Return key to the drop box on the west side of City Hall on the Forest Street entrance immediately after your event
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Understanding & Acceptance of Responsibility

I hereby accept the responsibility to maintain the area during the event, and prior to leaving the building, to restore all areas and facilities to the condition they were in prior to the event. I understand I am responsible for removal of all equipment brought into the building prior to the end of the rental period.

If any portion of the building, facilities, or equipment is left in an unacceptable condition and/or damaged, the City of Waupun is authorized to withhold all or part of the security deposit. The security deposit will be held until such time the condition is rectified and/or the repairs have been made and then apply such portion of the security deposit towards that expense. I shall, within five days after the corrections are made, pay the City of Waupun the remainder of these incurred costs.

I understand that the control and management of the group is my responsibility and that I must adhere to the laws of the State of Wisconsin, the Waupun Municipal Code, and the Senior Center Policies.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

MARSH HAVEN

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MARSH HAVEN NATURE CENTER

Marsh Haven Nature Center is located at the north end of the famous Horicon Marsh, just 3 miles east of Waupun, Wisconsin on Highway 49. Our non-profit, volunteer-supported center features displays and exhibits that depict the history and wildlife of Horicon Marsh.

Address: W10145 HWY 49, Waupun

Website: www.marshhaven.com

Email: director@marshhaven.com

Phone: (920) 318-9518

HOURS

CLOSED FOR WINTER

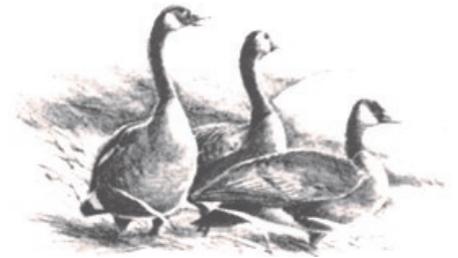
MARSH HAVEN OPENS ON MONDAY, APRIL 11 FOR THE 2016 SEASON

Marsh Haven is open:

Weekdays from 12:00pm-4:00pm

Weekends from 9:00am-5:00pm

Open April through early December. Extended hours upon request.



FAMILY FIRENDLY PROGRAMS 2016

Spring Work Day & Volunteer Appreciation Cookout

Saturday, April 16

Lend a hand anytime between 9:00am to 4:00pm as we work to open the nature center for the season. Join us for a free volunteer appreciation cookout, picnic, and membership meeting at the nature center starting at 4:00pm. Please RSVP (920) 318-9518 with the number of people coming for the picnic. Learn more about seasonal volunteer opportunities.

Earth Day Celebration

Sunday, April 24 - 9:00am to 5:00pm

Plant milkweed, make a recycled craft, hike, and visit with the critters. Family friendly Monarchs and Milkweed program at 11:00am. Climate Change and You program by Ruth Johnson at 1:00pm. Movie 3:00pm.

Admission \$3/adults, \$2/children – Members are always free.

Birds, Butterflies, and Your Backyard

Sunday, May 8 – 11:00am to 12:00pm

As the Monarch Butterfly faces declining numbers, we will discover more about these beautiful winged creatures, and discuss the monarch population at Marsh Haven Nature Center. We will look at what makes a bird and butterfly friendly backyard, and send you home with resources and seed to create your own backyard bird, butterfly, and pollinator-friendly garden. Also as part of this family-friendly program, create a flowering gift for that special mom on Mother's Day. This program is part of the Horicon Marsh Bird Festival weekend events.

Admission \$3/adults, \$2/children – Members are always free.

Night in the Museum Sleepover

Friday, May 13, 6:00 pm to Saturday, May 14, 9:00am

Spend a "Night in the Museum" and discover the displays in darkness, learn by lamplight, and campout by the critters. Moonlight hike, campfire, movie, and animal ambassador program. Marsh Haven welcomes families and groups to this unique overnight opportunity. Registration required.

Scouting Weekend

Saturday, June 11 and Sunday, June 12 - 9:00am to 5:00pm

All Scouts in uniform receive free admission to Marsh Haven during this special weekend to honor scouting. Tour the Domisse Lodge and schedule your next overnight scouting trip, learn about badge programs, hike the trails, learn more about service projects or possible Eagle Scout projects at Marsh Haven, meet the critters in the Critter Corner, and create some make and take crafts in the classroom.

MARSH HAVEN



ADMISSION

Admission is \$2/adult and \$1/child
 Special event admission is \$3/adult and \$2/child
 Members are always free!

MEMBERSHIPS

Individual: \$10
 Family: \$20
 Associate: \$100
 Donor: \$250
 Sponsor: \$500
 Patron/Corporate: \$1,000

MARSH HAVEN NATURE CENTER

- Marsh Haven Nature Center is also a great location for a summer school, homeschool, 4-H club, or scouting troop visit. We have numerous nature-themed programs to present to your group
- Girl Scout and Boy Scout Badge Programs available
- Traveling Animal Ambassador Program
- Visit www.marshhaven.com for mail-in registration forms or call (920) 318-9518 to register by phone

YOUTH PROGRAMS 2016

BIRDcamp (Ages 6-12)

Saturday, May 7 - 10 am to 3 pm

This unique environmental, bird-themed day camp strives to foster a love and respect for the earth that lasts a lifetime. In conjunction with the Horicon Marsh Bird Festival, BIRDcamp offers science, games, art, drama and music all with a bird-themed focus. This curriculum is designed to inspire care and concern for the earth, in addition to helping campers learn more about our feathered friends. BIRDcamp is presented in an atmosphere of fun and camaraderie. \$25 Registration fee includes "Birds For Kids" book. Registration deadline May 1, 2016.

EARTHcamps (Ages 6-12)

Registration fee: Marsh Haven members- \$25 for one day or \$45 for both days. Non-members- \$30 for one day or \$50 for both days. Sign up for one day or both, different activities will be held each day. Registration fee includes EARTHcamp t-shirt, all supplies, and healthy snacks. Pre-registration required.

Saturday, July 16 and Sunday, July 17 - 9:00am to 3:00pm

Theme: Diggin' in the Dirt. The activities for this day camp focus on seed collection and selection, container gardening, the growing process, where our food comes from, what lives in the soil, and preserving food.

Saturday, July 30 - Sunday, July 31 - 9:00am to 3:00pm

Theme: Living Lightly on the Land. The activities for this weekend program includes a focus on Native American traditions. Campers will learn how to weave cattail mats, make cordage, outdoor shelters, Native games and art.

Saturday, August 27 and Sunday, August 28 - 9:00am to 3:00pm

Theme: Big Blue Planet. With this theme, campers will learn about recycling, water quality and conservation, wetland restoration, what lives in the water, and how to take care of our natural resources.

CHECK US OUT!

The Waupun Public Library has many services that can be used year-round, including Internet access, wireless Internet, meeting room use, genealogy search assistance, and, of course, access to many materials to borrow for use at home (and within the library—come visit us!)

The library has several free opportunities for kids and adults throughout the year!

PROGRAMS

The Waupun Public Library holds Preschool Storytime most Wednesday mornings from 11:00am-11:30am. Storytime is held September through May. The schedule through May 2016 is as follows: March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; April 6, 13, 20, 27; May 4, 11, 18. Of note, May 18 will be a special Storytime featuring Duke Otherwise. Storytime will resume in September; check with the library in August for a fall schedule.

Lego Club is held certain Tuesday evenings at the library for kids of any age (parental discretion; children 5 and under must be accompanied by an adult). Kids build creations and can choose to display them at the library in a locked case designated for their Lego masterpieces. The library owns some Legos, but we encourage kids to bring their own. Lego Club is usually held September through March. Remaining dates until fall are March 15 and 29. Check with the library in August for a fall schedule.

The Summer Reading program is designed to encourage reading by keeping logs of books that are read by or to kids of any age. Kids who complete reading and other activities get weekly prizes and also will be entered for larger prizes at the end of the program. Additionally, the library hosts weekly performers and/or other events, such as craft sessions and movie nights. This year's theme is Ready, Set, Read and is all about fitness and sports. Performers this year include Mr. Steve, Zoozort, Bubble Wonders, the Bouncin' Bus, and more. Sign up begins June 6; a planned carnival finale will be July 29. Check with the library for specific program dates and times; more information will be available in May.

Contact Tami Lont at (920) 324-7925 with any questions on our youth events.

For adults, the Waupun library will be hosting a speaker during National Library Week, April 11-16. The library is hosting "Wisconsin Supper Clubs: An Old Fashioned Experience" with author and filmmaker Ron Faiola on Tuesday, April 12 at 6:30pm. Ron will speak about his book of the same topic, as well as answer questions. Books will be available for sale and refreshments served. Programs such as these are also held periodically throughout the year.

The Friends of Waupun Library is a non-profit group that assists the Waupun Public Library in several ways. Over the years, they have purchased materials for the library. Recent examples include large print books and audiobooks. They have sponsored speakers during National Library Week and throughout the year. They have also monetarily supported our Summer Reading Program as well as Books for Babies, which supplies new babies born at Waupun Memorial Hospital with a book. The group earns funds primarily from book sales held on the second Monday of every month. Book sales scheduled for the remainder of 2016 are as follows: March 14, April 11, May 9, June 13, July 11, August 8, September 12, October 10, November 14 and December 12.

Contact Pam Garcia at (920) 324-7925 with any questions regarding adult programming.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Write or Visit:

Waupun Public Library
123 S. Forest St.
PO Box 391
Waupun, WI 53963

Phone: (920) 324-7925

Email: wpl@mwfls.org

Facebook: Waupun Public Library

Hours:

- Monday – Thursday from 9:00am to 8:00pm
- Friday from 9:00am to 5:30pm
- Saturday from 10:00am to 4:30pm

WARP

WHO ARE WE?

Waupun Area Recreation Project is a grassroots not-for-profit group founded by Waupun area businesses, individuals and the Chamber of Commerce. WARP members work to develop, promote and maintain the recreational, environmental, historic, economic and quality-of-life assets offered by the Rock River, Horicon Marsh, City of Waupun and surrounding townships.

We're concerned with:

- Rock River to include the heritage, wildlife, habitat restoration, and enhanced river access
- Tourism; which will lead to the growth of new and existing businesses
- Improved health and well-being of Waupun Area residents
- Opportunities for individual and group year-round recreational activities to foster a sense of community

WARP EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

WARP President: Ryan Mulder

WARP Vice-President: Keith Wojahn

WARP Secretary: Tara Rhodes

WARP Treasurer: Nate Daane

WARP PLAN

- Connect the trails in the Fond du Lac County Park with the Wild Goose State Trail
- Canoe and kayak access to the Rock River
- Outdoor aquatic center
- Disc golf course
- Community building at the County Park—arcade, kayak rentals, concessions and ice skating

CONTACT INFORMATION

- **Mailing address:** Waupun Area Chamber of Commerce ATTN: WARP 324 East Main Street Suite 200 Waupun, WI 53963
- **Phone:** (920) 324-3491
- **E-mail:** waupunchamber@sbcglobal.net
- **Website:** www.waupunchamber.com
- Visit us on Facebook



GET INVOLVED!

Your financial donations and volunteer efforts are vital to the success of WARP. You can also contact your Waupun alderperson to let them know you support the WARP initiatives.

MEMBERSHIPS

- Individual - \$25.00 (students and seniors Free)
- Family - \$35.00
- Affiliate - \$50.00
- Guide - \$200.00
- Trailblazer - \$500.00
- Pathfinder - \$1000.00+
- Affiliate membership includes: businesses with two or fewer employees, organizations, lake districts, and municipal departments.
- Trailblazer and Pathfinder memberships are renewed at \$100/year to maintain their benefits. Dues paid after October 1 will be credited to the next year.

MEMBERS WILL RECEIVE

- Invitation to Annual Meeting held in June
- Quarterly WARP e-newsletter
- Ability to serve on committees to further the work of WARP
- Tour de Marsh map
- Guide, Trailblazer and Pathfinder members will have their name on the WARP web page.
- Trailblazer and Pathfinder businesses will get their logo and link to their business added to the website.

DRIFT JUMPERS

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WELCOME!

The Waupun Drift Jumpers Snowmobile Club is a family based club with approximately 100 members. Club members volunteer their time to maintain and groom over 60 miles of snowmobile trail throughout Dodge and Fond du Lac Counties, surrounding the Waupun area.

- During the season we hold a family Christmas Party and Winter Raffle. We plan an annual club ride each year. When conditions permit we have club rides in the local area. We plan club rides to other area clubs functions.
- During the summer, we have a brat fry as a fund raiser for the club, sell food at the Prison City Pull Off, and Waupun Super Pull, we also sell sweet corn at the Alto Fair.

MEETINGS

Meetings are held the third Monday of the month from September to April at the Chester Town Hall located at W6498 Oakwood Rd, Waupun, WI 53963.

CONTACT

For more information or questions about the club, PLEASE contact club president, **Kelvin Greenfield** by calling (920) 210-6167.

Website: www.waupundriftjumpers.org

MEMBERSHIP

SINGLE MEMBERSHIP-- \$20.00*

This is for all the single people and for those who have turned 18 that are no longer eligible under their parents family membership. You are expected to help the club function as a progressive, worthwhile unit, striving for better snowmobiling in our community. You are entitled to attend all club functions and to be present at club meetings if at all possible.

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP--\$25.00*

This is for parents with children 17 years old and younger. Family memberships are expected to help the Club function as a progressive, worthwhile unit striving for better snowmobiling in our community. These memberships entitle you to attend the functions and be present at the club meetings if at all possible.

SOCIAL MEMBERSHIPS--\$35.00*

This membership entitles you and your family to attend all the functions, and you will not be called upon to help in any way, in carrying out its functions.

*With each membership you will receive "Wisconsin Snowmobile News" magazine and you will be an AWSC member. This also entitles you to an insurance policy at no cost to you.

WINGS OVER WI

Wings over Wisconsin is a non-profit organization dedicated to Natural Resource Conservation and Education through youth and community involvement. The Waupun Chapter was founded in 1979 by the original founders of Wings over Wisconsin. The first banquet was held in 1980.

The chapter purchased a 100+ acre farm on Brown Road, north east of Waupun and has restored the parcel to natural wildlife habitat. The chapters number one goal is habitat restoration for upland game, but all wildlife benefits from the restoration. Waupun also provides wood duck houses, small bird houses, pheasants for stocking private land and food plot seed. The chapter will provide prairie grass seed on a cost share basis and offers a rebate. In addition, the Waupun Chapter sponsors the local hunters safety class and makes donations of time and money to local charities like: Authentic Voices, Waupun Parks, Youth Outdoor Expo, Waupun Food Bank and Markesan High School woods program.

For more information about attending a meeting, please contact Butch Westhuis at (920) 346-2226 or Al Vinz at (920) 767-1037.

Website: www.wingsoverwisconsin.org

WAUPUN FAMILY AQUATIC CENTER

Summer 2016

June 4 - August 28

September 3 - 5



LOCATED IN FOND DU LAC COUNTY PARK

The Waupun Family Aquatic Center features zero depth entry, two water slides, a kiddie slide, water spouts and fountains; a lap pool area, two diving boards, a bathhouse with private changing and showering areas; tables, lounges, large shade umbrellas and concession stand with snacks and refreshments; as well as a separate shelter area that can be rented for private use.

PURCHASE A SUMMER PASS BEFORE APRIL 15 AND SAVE \$5!

Passes can be purchased at the Waupun Family Aquatic Center during operating hours. Passes may be purchased prior to pool opening at the Waupun Senior Center. Please make all checks payable to the City of Waupun.

CITY OF WAUPUN

General Swimming Pool Information



YMCA OF DODGE COUNTY

The YMCA of Dodge County in collaboration with the City of Waupun, will be providing lifeguard management of the Waupun Family Aquatic Center. Any questions regarding operational hours or activities can be directed to the YMCA of Dodge County Youth & Adult Development Director at (920) 887-8811.

HOURS OF OPERATION

June 4 – July 31

OPEN SWIM

Monday – Friday 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm
 Night Swim (No Night Swim 6/20-7/1) 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
 Saturday & Sunday 1:00 pm – 8:00 pm

LAP SWIM – ADULT SWIM

Monday – Friday 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

August 1 – August 28

Monday – Sunday 1:00 pm – 7:00 pm

September 3 – 5

Saturday – Monday 11:00 am – 7:00 pm

Pool hours subject to change based on weather/attendance.

Note: 3:30 pm – 3:45 pm all pool break; weekends only.

FEES – NO RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

SEASON PASSES

Individual Pass \$50
 Family Pass \$100

Our Family Season Pass is intended for immediate family only; all family members must reside at the same address. A maximum of four family members per Family Season Pass. Any additional family members can be added for \$10 each.

DAILY PASSES

Ages 3 years and under **FREE**
 Ages 4 years and older \$4
 Night Swim: June and July Only \$2
 (Monday-Friday, 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm)

Please note that all patrons are required to pay to enter the Waupun Family Aquatic Center; whether swimming or not.

SPECIAL EVENTS

FATHER'S DAY JUNE 19
 Dads get in for \$1 all day long!

RECIPROCAL DAYS JUNE 18, JULY 16 & AUGUST 13
 Waupun Pass holders will be able to use the Horicon Aquatic Center, Fox Lake Aquatic Center & Lomira Pool for FREE.

FAMILY SUNDAES JULY 10
 Ice cream sundaes for the family from 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

TEEN NIGHTS
 Youth ages 12-17 come and enjoy organized activities.
 June 24 & July 22 from 8:00 pm – 9:00 pm
 August 19 & September 2 from 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm

WATER AEROBICS (AGES 16+)

Get a great aerobic workout while exercising to your favorite dance tunes. **FREE** with a daily or season pass
 Mondays & Wednesdays, 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm
 June 13 – July 27

SWIM LESSON SESSIONS

Session 1 June 20 – July 1 (Evening) Registration Deadline: June 13
Session 2 July 11 – July 22 Registration Deadline: July 5
Session 3 July 25 – August 5 Registration Deadline: July 18
Session 4 August 8 – August 19 Registration Deadline: August 1
 For more information on swim lessons visit the YMCA of Dodge County online at www.theYdc.org or call (920) 887-8811.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Waupun Family Aquatic Center (920) 324-7924
 Waupun Senior Center (920) 324-7930
 YMCA of Dodge County (920) 887-8811

PRIVATE SHELTER RENTAL

New Pricing! Rent the shelter for all occasions. For more information, contact the Pool Manager at (920) 324-7924.

Complete form below and return with payment to purchase passes. Make checks payable to the City of Waupun.

Family Last Name _____

First Name (1) _____ First Name (2) _____

First Name (3) _____ First Name (4) _____

First Name (5) _____ First Name (6) _____

* \$10 Additional Family Pass Fee

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Address _____

Phone (Home) _____ Phone (Other) _____

I/We the Parent(s) or Guardian(s) of the above individual(s) hereby release, absolve and agree to hold harmless the organizers, supervisors, city employees and participants from any claims arising out of injury to me/us or my/our child(ren). I/We accept full responsibility for liability and cost of treatment from injury for the above registered person(s). I/We agree to treat with respect any and all staff involved and any equipment that is utilized throughout the summer season.

Signature _____ Date _____



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WAUPUN 2016 Swim Lessons

The YMCA swim lessons program is based on swimming skills that will allow participants to enjoy aquatic activities throughout their lives. These include personal safety, survival and rescue skills, stroke development, water sports and games. Below, we have listed each level. We will be testing all of the students on their first day of each session to determine appropriate class placement. Please indicate the level that most appropriately fits your child's skill level.

All swim lessons will be held at the Waupun Family Aquatic Center. Lessons may be cancelled in the event that the air temperature drops below 65 degrees, the water temperature drops below 72 degrees, or if it is lightening or thundering. We reserve the right to combine or cancel classes. All swim classes may be combined or cancelled after the first day of class if a minimum enrollment of 4 children is not met. Each class time holds a maximum number of participants. We will be accepting limited registrations for each time frame to try to stay within YMCA guidelines of 1 instructor-to-8 students maximum. Registration is on a first come, first serve basis. **Register early!**

PRESCHOOL LEVELS

Perch (Pr) Ages 2 - 3

Children start moving independently through the water without a parent, as well as learn how to adjust to a class situation.

Pike (Pk) Ages 3 - 5

This level helps children develop safe pool behavior, adjust to the water and develop independent movement in the water. It is designed for new swimmers, teaching basic paddle stroke and kicking skills, pool safety, proper use of instructional flotation devices and comfort holding their face in the water while blowing bubbles and swimming.

Eel (El) Ages 3 - 5

This advanced beginner level that reinforces Pike skills, for children who are comfortable in the water. Children are taught to kick, float and perform basic paddle strokes. Children can swim 10 yards with the flotation device and 5 feet without by the end of this level.

Ray (Ry) Ages 3 - 5

At this level children review previous skills, learn more personal safety and rescue skills, build endurance by swimming on their front and back and learn to tread water. Children can swim across the pool on their front and back without assistance by the end of this level.

Starfish (Sf) Ages 3 - 5

Children at this level review previously learned skills and refine their strokes, as well as their personal safety, rescue and floating skills. Children can swim one length of the pool on both front and back.

YOUTH LEVELS

Polliwog (Pl) Ages 6+

This is the beginner level for school age children. It gets children acquainted with the pool, the use of flotation devices, floating and basic swim strokes. By the end of this level they will know front, side and back stroke and will swim one length of the pool without assistance.

Guppy (Gp) Ages 6+

Children continue to practice and build upon basic skills, now performing skills without a flotation device. They are introduced to lead-up strokes to the front crawl and back crawl.

Minnow (Mn) Ages 6+

This is the initial intermediate level. Children further refine the lead-up strokes they have learned as their strokes become more like those normally used in swimming. They will continue to learn personal safety skills.

Fish (F) Ages 6+

At this point, children work to perform the crawl stroke, elementary backstroke, back crawl and breaststroke with turns. They will continue to learn additional swimming movements and personal safety.

Flying Fish (Ff) Ages 6+

At this advanced level, children work to perform the sidestroke and butterfly, refining previously learned strokes and increasing endurance.

Shark (Shk) Ages 6+

The children at this level continue to improve their strokes with starts and turns and are introduced to the inverted breaststroke, the trudgeon crawl and the over arm sidestroke. Opportunities are provided for the work on synchronized swimming, rescue skills and competitive swimming.

Porpoise (Porp) Ages 6+

At this final level children are exposed to a wide range of aquatic experiences. In class these advanced swimmers learn new strokes and rescue skills as well as develop leadership skills.

Parents Name _____ Emergency Contact _____

Address _____ Phone _____ (Circle One: Home Work Cell)

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Relationship _____

Phone _____ (Circle One: Home Work Cell)

Name	Date of Birth	Session	Level	Time
1 _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2 _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3 _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Liability Waiver: I hereby certify that my child(ren) is/are in normal health and capable of safe participation in the YMCA/Waupun Swimming Lesson Program. I assume all risk and hazards incidental to the conduct of this program. I hereby authorize medical treatment for my child(ren) in the event that parents cannot be reached.

Signature _____ Date _____



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PRESCHOOL AND YOUTH SWIMMING LESSONS

Fees: \$25

Preschool & Youth classes are 30 minutes in length. All classes are 4 days per week, Monday - Thursday. All children will be tested on the first day of class to ensure that they are at the right level. Please sign up for the time frame that works best for you.

REGISTER EARLY... Space is limited to a maximum of 25 participants per time slot.

REGISTRATION

Registration and fees are currently being accepted at the Waupun Senior Center or at the Waupun Family Aquatic Center beginning June 4th during normal operating hours. **Registration form on reverse side.** Checks or money orders will only be accepted.

Make Checks/Money Orders payable to the YMCA of Dodge County.

Session 1: June 20 - July 1

6:00 pm - 6:30 pm (ages 2-5)

6:40 pm - 7:10 pm (ages 2-5)

7:20 pm - 7:50 pm (ages 6+)

Make up day: June 24 & July 1

Registration Deadline: June 13

Session 2: July 11 - July 22

10:45 am - 11:15 am (ages 2-5)

11:25 am - 11:55 am (ages 6+)

12:05 pm - 12:35 pm (ages 6+)

Make up days: July 15 & 22

Registration Deadline: July 5

Session 3: July 25 - August 5

10:45 am - 11:15 am (ages 6+)

11:25 am - 11:55 am (ages 2-5)

12:05 pm - 12:35 pm (ages 2-5)

Make up days: July 29 & August 5

Registration Deadline: July 18

Session 4: August 8 - August 19

10:45 am - 11:15 am (ages 6+)

11:25 am - 11:55 am (ages 6+)

12:05 pm - 12:35 pm (ages 2-5)

Make up days: August 12 & 19

Registration Deadline: August 1

SUMMER SWIM TEAM

Fees: \$25

The Waupun Summer Swim Team is an opportunity for boys and girls ages 18 and younger to swim competitively.

Practices are by age group: ages 8 and under & ages 9+

Swim meets, both home and away, will be scheduled throughout the summer. Minimum of 8 participants.

Tuesdays & Thursdays

June 21 - August 6

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

WAUPUN SENIOR CENTER
301 E. Main Street, Waupun WI 53916
P (920) 324-7930

YMCA OF DODGE COUNTY
220 Corporate Drive, Beaver Dam WI 53916
P (920) 887-8811 W theYdc.org O facebook.com/theYdc

WPRA TICKETS

DISCOUNTED TICKETS

The City of Waupun sells discount tickets to many amusement parks and attractions. These tickets, once sold, cannot be refunded. Buy your tickets at City Hall (201 E. Main St.) Monday through Friday, 7:30am–4:30 pm. Great deals on family fun! Cash or check only. Make checks payable to: City of Waupun.

MILWAUKEE ZOO

Recognized as one of the finest zoological parks in the country, the Milwaukee County Zoo serves to educate, entertain and inspire. Under the care of trained animal staff, our animal collection is presented with enrichment opportunities to keep their minds active and healthy. Flying, Crawling and Jumping into the Zoo next summer is our special robotic bug exhibit. The lush outdoor garden will be filled with giant animatronic bugs that move, spread their wings and spray you with water!

Season: Open 365 days a year.

Adult Ticket Gate Price: \$14.25

WPRA Sells At: \$10.50

Customer Saves: \$3.75

Child (Ages 3-12) Ticket Gate Price: \$11.25

WPRA Sells At: \$8.50

Customer Saves: \$2.75

Ages 2 and under are free

Chaperone Policy: One chaperone per 10 students

MT. OLYMPUS

Mt. Olympus Theme & Water Park The ultimate Dells adventure offering indoor and outdoor theme parks and waterparks. With Hades 360, the worlds first upside-down wooden rollercoaster. The park also features 7 go karts, 5 rollercoasters, 44 waterslides, Poseidon's Rage – with waves up to 9 feet tall, 3 lazy rivers, amusement rides and much more.

Season: May 28, 2016 - September 5, 2016

Ticket Gate Price: \$42.68

WPRA Sells At: \$15.00

Customer Saves: \$27.68

Age 2 and under free

Chaperone Policy: One free adult per 20 youth and bus driver is always FREE for pre registered groups that arrive together .

NOAH'S ARK

Noah's Ark is America's Largest Waterpark! We take great pride in our ability to offer safe, clean fun for the entire family. Whether it's a ride down our award-winning, one-of-a-kind water roller coaster, Black Anaconda, a splash at our award-winning Tadpole Bay kids area, or an afternoon spent floating down Adventure and Endless lazy rivers, Noah's Ark Waterpark truly offers something for all ages!

Season: May 28, 2016 – September 5, 2016

Ticket Gate Price: \$41.62

WPRA Sells At: \$26.94

Customer Saves: \$14.68

Child (Under 48" tall) Ticket Gate Price: \$30.95

WPRA Sells At: \$26.94

Customer Saves: \$4.01

Individuals Under 36" tall are free

Chaperone Policy: Chaperones are highly encouraged.

All guests are required to purchase admission in order to access the waterpark.

SIX FLAGS GREAT AMERICA

Any-Day Ticket

Valid any day the park is open to the general public

April 23, 2016 – October 31, 2016

Ticket Gate Price: \$70.03

WPRA Sells At: \$46.25

Customer Saves: \$23.78

Ages 2 and under are free

Six Flags Great America - WPRA Week

Valid during WPRA Week July 2 – 10, 2016

Ticket valid one day only.

Ticket Gate Price: \$70.03

WPRA Sells At: \$35.24

Customer Saves: \$34.78



FRONT PAGE COVER DESIGN CONTEST

Design a cover for the front page of the 2017 Recreation Guide! Photographs, drawings, and digital artwork are all accepted. Show your creativity by expressing what recreation means to you. Capture your favorite recreation activity or combine several features of how Waupun celebrates recreation. All contestants will be recognized and the winner will be featured in the 2017 Rec Guide.

Submissions due by Monday, February 6, 2017.

Submit cover design to:

Rachel Kaminski
Waupun Senior Center
301 E .Main Street
Waupun, WI 53963
E-mail: parks@cityofwaupun.org.



BE INCLUDED!!!

Don't miss out on this opportunity. This guide includes all things related to recreation in Waupun. This is the perfect place to advertise your organization, group, club, league, event, or activity. As some things change from year to year and activity information needs to be updated please contact me by Monday, February 6, 2017.

Please include the following details:

- Activity description
- Age of participants
- Activity locations
- Activity date(s)
- Activity start time
- Activity fee
- Activity contact information
- Logo/picture

Submit information to:

Rachel Kaminski
301 E. Main Street
Waupun, WI 53932
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