

A City of Waupun publication



"End of the Trail"

Community News is an E-newsletter capturing key events of the City of Waupun, and the various departments within the City. The newsletter will largely focus on 10 goals identified during the June 2010 strategic planning session: 1) To Create Pool Facility in Fond du Lac County Park/McCune Beach; 2) Bike Trail – Connect Wild Goose Trail to the City (East & West Sides); 3) Consolidate Recreational Area (Sports Complex); 4) Facilitate Construction of Banquet Hall; 5) Fill the Pamida Building; 6) Streamline Process for Recruiting New Businesses; 7) Bring in Large Business/Industry; 8) 400 Block of East Main Street; 9) Promote Waupun as Excellent Community for Business & Family; 10) Work on Main Street (Empty Buildings).

You can also find helpful information from the Waupun Area School District, Waupun Area Chamber of Commerce, and local service organizations in special sections of *Community News*.

City Meetings & Events

6/12, 6:30pm – Common Council, Council Chambers

6/13, 7:00am – Business Improvement District, Council Chambers

6/18, 4:15pm – Library Board, Library

6/19, 5:30pm – Board of Public Works, Council Chambers

6/20, 4:45pm – Plan Commission, Council Chambers

6/25, 5:00pm – Recreation Board, Council Chambers

6/26, 5:30pm – Committee of the Whole, Council Chambers

7/4 – CITY HALL CLOSED



View meeting agendas and minutes on the city website:

www.cityofwaupun.org

City Hall Happenings

RECALL ELECTION

The Recall Election was held on June 5th. City of Waupun voters cast votes in favor of Scott Walker (R) for Governor and Rebecca Kleefisch (R) for Lieutenant Governor. Voter

turnout was high, at 72%. Visit the city website at www.cityofwaupun.org and click on "June 5, 2012 Election" for additional details on the election results.

A Fall Primary Election

will be held at Waupun City Hall on August 14th, followed by the General Election on November 6th.

JULY 3RD CAJUN DANCE PARTY, FIREWORKS & SALE-A-BRATION

Waupun's Tanner Park will be the scene of the new "bang-up and toe tappin" 3rd of July Celebration this year. Waupun Festivals, Inc. is launching this free family fun festival with a lively Cajun Dance Party, expanded Fireworks Show and a Waupun Area Chamber of Commerce sponsored SALE-A-BRATION where you will find the best bargains in great

crafts, rummage and flea market finds and more. The Festivities begin at Noon when the Tanner Park grounds and SALE-A-BRATION doors open. Food and more festivities begin at 1pm and along with traditional summer fair food, Cajun style food booths will offer everyone a taste of Louisiana. The Dance Party gets rolling at 1pm with bands direct from Cajun Country.

Dusk brings the huge Fireworks Show, the traditional ending for a fun-filled day during our U.S. Independence Celebration.

Kicking off the Cajun Dance Party are bands **Dennis Stroughmatt and Creole Stomp** at 1 and again at 2:30 pm followed by **Jolie Blonde et Les Bassettes** taking the stage at 4:00 and

WAUPUN AREA EVENTS

Thursdays, 4:00-7:00pm
– Farmer’s Market,
Tanner Park

6/11 – Summer
Reading Program Sign
Up Begins, Library

6/13, 1:00pm – The
Magic of LaBak,
Library

6/14, 6:00pm – Family
Movie Night, Library

6/15-6/16 – Relay for
Life, Track by
Veteran’s Memorial
Field

6/19, 10:30am – Story
Time, Library

6/20, 1:00pm –
Nature’s Niche
Program, Library

6/22, noon – Rotary
Club Golf Outing,
RRCC

6/27, 1:00 – Library
Program
“Imagireadination
Fantabookasy”, Library

7/3, 1:00pm-dusk –
Fireworks & Cajun
Dance Party, Tanner
Park

7/3, noon-dusk – SALE-
A-BRATION, Waupun
Community Center

Thursdays in July,
7:00pm – Concerts in
the Park, Dodge Park

7/6-7/7 – Prison City
Pull Off, Community
Center

7/10, 10:30 – Story Time
& Puppet Show,
Library

JULY 3RD CAJUN DANCE PARTY, FIREWORKS & SALE-A-BRATION (Continued)

7pm. **Horace Trahan
and the Ossun Express**
keep the Cajun party
alive at 5:30 &
8:30pm. Please visit
www.waupunfestivals.com
or call 324-7900 for
information on
Waupun Festival’s
Cajun Dance Party
and Fireworks Show.

The Waupun Area
Chamber of
Commerce sponsored

SALE-A-BRATION will
be held at the
Waupun Community
Center right across
from Tanner Park.
This first time unique
Waupun event is
billed as a an
opportunity for sellers
of arts & crafts,
farmer’s market type
products, and
rummage/garage
sale and flea market

items along with
home based and
local businesses to
get their wares and
information to the
public. To register
for a booth or for
more information
visit the WACC
website at
www.waupunchamber.com
or call 324-3491.

Service Organization On-Goings

RELAY FOR LIFE

This year’s American
Cancer Society Relay
for Life is right around
the corner! The event
is scheduled for June
15-16 at the track by
Veteran’s Field
located on Madison
Street in Waupun.

The schedule of
events includes:

- 5:00pm Cancer
Survivor Reception
- 6:00pm Opening
Ceremony
- 6:15pm Survivors Lap,
Caregiver Lap to

follow

- 7:00pm Kids Lap
- 7:30pm Waupun
Warriorettes
performance
- 8:00pm Fairest of the
Relay
- 9:00pm Luminaria
Ceremony
- 9:00am Saturday
Closing Ceremony

The Relay will also
feature many fun
activities including an
inflatable obstacle
course, face painting,

a raffle, silent auction,
and more! Food will
be available for
purchase and a DJ will
be there from 5:00-
midnight Friday and
7:00-9:00am Saturday.
Join in the fun and
support this wonderful
event, benefitting the
American Cancer
Society.

For additional details
please view the full
schedule of events at
the end of the
newsletter.

WAUPUN ROTARY GOLF OUTING JUNE 22

The Waupun Rotary
Club invites you to
participate in their
annual golf outing
Friday, June 22nd at
the Rock River
Country Club in

Waupun. The format
is a scramble with your
donations applied to
a wide variety of
beneficial charitable
efforts and
College/Technical

School scholarships
given to local students
in and around the
area.

The Waupun Rotary
Club will start
registration at 11am.



"Who Sows"

Waupun Senior Center

310 E. Main
324-7930

Anyone 50 or over and their spouse is welcome to participate in activities offered at the Senior Center!

Hours:

Monday – Friday,
9:00am – 4:00pm

Saturday –
Sunday, Private
Rentals

Activities:

Pool, cards,
bingo, meals &
more!
Transportation is
available.

WAUPUN ROTARY GOLF OUTING (Continued)

Lunch will be available. The outing tees off at noon. Dinner and drinks along with a silent auction will follow. If you wish, you can also just come for dinner. This is an excellent opportunity to join the area citizens in supporting the efforts of the Waupun Rotary. Rotary is a

great way to network with other business leaders in the community and participate in service projects locally and worldwide. The club meets at Tony's Pizza at 12:00pm every Thursday.

For more information or to sign up call Jerry O'connor at (920) 324-5551. For information on a

corporate sponsorship including a 4-some with cart, dinner, and hole sponsorship, contact Nick Rusch at (920) 324-4441. A registration form is attached at the end of this newsletter and forms are also available at the Rock River Country Club and National Bank of Waupun.

THANK YOU

The American Legion Post 210, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6709, Memorial Day Parade Committee and the City of Waupun would like to say Thank You to

everyone who attended, participated in, contributed to, or helped in any way toward the success of the 2012 Memorial Day Parade and the

following Ceremonies at Shaler Park. Each contribution of time, money, participation, or other effort was greatly appreciated.



Community Events

CRAFT SALE!

This week Bargain's Galore Thrift Store is having a craft sale. There will be a big clearance on sewing

patterns, crafting patterns, craft books, leaflets and magazines. This is a BAG SALE - fill a bag

for only \$1! There is also an excellent selection of beads, buttons, yarn, fabric, scrapbooking stickers



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CRAFT SALE (Continued)

and much more. Spread the word and help make room for more items next week.

A big **thank you** goes out to all who come to Bargains and support the store and for the donations brought in each week to all departments.

You may not be aware, Bargains also offers a new recycling program – drop off your electronics for recycling (there is a charge for air conditioners, dehumidifiers, etc). In addition, shoes, clothing & textiles not suitable for the store

get recycled.

Waupun Area crafters may want to visit the Waupun Craft Center Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/#!/pages/Waupun-Craft-Center/219373911410607>.



Many of the photos and articles in *Community News* are submitted by service organizations, sports groups, or other individuals. Thank you for sharing your events and achievements with us! To submit information to be considered for a future newsletter, please email michelle@cityofwaupun.org.