

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

- 9/17, 4:15pm** – Library Board, Library
- 9/17, 4:45pm** – Zoning Board, Council Chambers
- 9/17, 5:30pm** – Aquatic Facility Sub-Committee, Council Chambers
- 9/17, 6:00** – Recreation Board, Council Chambers
- 9/18, 5:30pm** – Board of Public Works, Council Chambers
- 9/19, 7:00am** – Business Improvement District, Council Chambers
- 9/19, 4:00pm** – Community Development Authority, Council Chambers
- 9/25, 5:30pm** – Committee of the Whole, Council Chambers

City Hall Happenings

ARBOR DAY OBSERVANCE

On Wednesday, September 12 the City's annual Arbor Day observance was held at McCune Park, in front a tree planted in memory of Bob Wallendal. Bob was instrumental in founding McCune Beach and Park, and this summer his family donated a tree to be planted at the park in his memory. We kindly thank the Wallendal family for their donation.

Pictured in front of the tree are City Administrator Kyle Clark, Alderman Mike Johnson, Mayor Jodi Steger, Public

Works Director Dick Flynn and Administrative Assistant Michelle Kast.



Service Organization On-Goings

WARP TIP NIGHT THIS THURSDAY

Take a night off of cooking this Thursday, September 20th. Waupun Area Recreation Project (WARP) is holding a tip night and

bake sale at Tony's Pizza from 4:00-9:00pm. Stop in to benefit the group dedicated to

supporting recreation and quality of life assets in the Waupun community.



View meeting agendas and minutes on the city website:

www.cityofwaupun.org

WAUPUN AREA EVENTS

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

9/19, 10:30am – “Color & Changing Seasons” Story Time, Library

9/26, 10:30am – “Fall Foods are Best!” Story Time, Library

10/3, 10:30am – Story Time: Stories About Staying Healthy, Library

10/6, 9:00-3:00 – Model Railroad Show & Sale, Wesley Center

10/8, 10:00am-6:00pm- Friends of Waupun Library Book Sale, Library

10/10, 10:30am – Story Time, Library

10/17, 10:30am – Story Time: “Let’s Talk About Sweets”, Library

10/19, 7:00pm – VFW Magic Show, City Hall Auditorium

10/24, 10:30am – Story Time, Library

10/27, 3:00-5:00pm – Trick or Treating

10/27 – Johnny Cash Tribute Band

11/12, 10:00am-6:00pm – Friends of Waupun Library Book Sale



School District Dialogue

THE WARRIOR WAY

If you walk into any of our four schools, you will most likely see posters in different locations explaining what the expectations are for the building. These expectations include volume of voice, what side of the hallway to walk, and even how many squirts of soap to use in the restroom.

Why is it so important to focus on teaching positive social behaviors?

Frequently, the question is asked, “Why should I have to teach kids to be good? They already know what they are supposed to do. Why can I not just expect good behavior?” In the infamous words of a TV personality, “How is that working

out for you?”

In the past, school-wide discipline has focused mainly on reacting to specific student misbehavior by implementing punishment-based strategies including reprimands, loss of privileges, office referrals, suspensions, and expulsions.

Research has shown that the implementation of punishment, especially when it is used inconsistently and in the absence of other positive strategies, is ineffective. Introducing, modeling, and reinforcing positive social behavior is an important step of a student's

educational experience. Teaching behavioral expectations and rewarding students for following them is a much more positive approach than waiting for misbehavior to occur before responding. The purpose of school-wide PBIS is to establish a climate in which appropriate behavior is the norm.

The schools will focus on three behavioral expectations that are positively stated and easy to remember: Be Safe, Be Responsible, Be Respectful. In other words, rather than telling students what not to do, the school will focus on the preferred behaviors. Here are some examples:

	Bus	Cafeteria	Restroom	Playground
Respect Property	Keep feet and hands where they belong. Throw unwanted items in wastebasket. Keep food and drinks in backpack.	Place tray on kitchen window shelf after scraping leftovers into wastebasket. Wipe table with sponge provided. Clean food spills off floor.	Flush toilet after use. Use two squirts of soap to wash hands. Throw paper towels in wastebasket.	Report any graffiti or broken equipment to adult on duty. Return playground equipment to proper area.



"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.

THE WARRIOR WAY (Continued)

We anticipate that by incorporating these positive expectations, our

students will be more engaged, responsive, and productive! If you

have any questions, please ask any of the building principals.



- September 26: Late Start
- September 28: Homecoming Parade at 4:00pm
- October 10: Late Start
- October 26: No School
- October 31: Late Start

Community Events & Info

DODGE COUNTY CLEAN SWEEP

The 2012 Dodge County Clean Sweep will be held September 21 & 22. The Clean Sweep Program provides the community with an

avenue to safely and legally dispose of unwanted pesticides, household products and chemicals. For more information on the program visit

<http://www.co.dodge.wi.us/landresources/leansweep/index.html> or look through the Clean Sweep documents following the newsletter.

WAUPUN CRAFT CENTER

Back to school means back to crafting! Waupun Craft Center offers morning and evening classes in knitting, embroidery and more. Classes

meet in the lower level of Emmanuel Reformed Church, 410 W. Brown Street. Browse through the Waupun Craft Center's newsletter add the end of

Community News to learn more about their beginning class lineup, or find Waupun Craft Center on Facebook.

WAUPUN AREA BASED BOOK

Author Robert "Bob" Daniels grew up in Waupun in the 1960's and 1970's, graduating from Waupun Senior High with the class of '76.

Over the past several years he has been working on his latest book, *World War II in Mid-America: Experiences of rural*

mid-America during the Second World War, which uses the Waupun area and several of its citizens as the backdrop. The book is now



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

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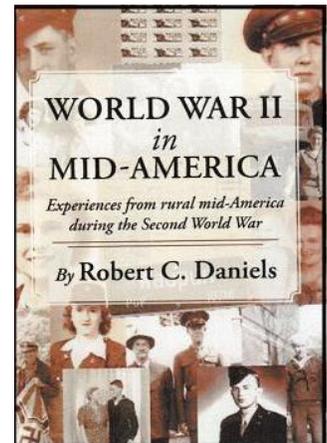
WAUPUN AREA BASED BOOK (Continued)

complete and in print.

World War II in Mid-America: Experiences of rural mid-America during the Second World War is the true account of World War II as seen through the eyes of thirty-four Waupun area citizens. Covering the war on a year by year basis, it is the story of how the war affected these individuals, their families, and the area, many times in their own words. Covered is not only the military who went off to war, but also the wives, sweethearts, and the children of the military, as well as those who stayed behind to hold down the home front – the factory worker, the German POW guard, the farmer. It is the

story of how they willingly struggled with rationing, how they willingly assisted each other when the need arose, how they willingly collected recyclables and other goods for the war effort, without any expectation of compensation. It is also the story of the military members, why and when they entered the service as well as how they served their country in the time of need – the B-17 ball turret gunner, the Higgins boat pilot, the Marine landing on Okinawa and Guam, the Japanese held POW, the WAC and the WAAC. In summary, it is the story of their war! A war that “nobody, nobody shirked their duty.”

It is available from the publisher (Authorhouse) at www.authorhouse.com, or at www.barnesandnoble.com, and www.amazon.com in hard cover, soft cover, or eBook form. If eBook, the author would suggest the Barnes and Noble route, since it seems to work best on a Nook type of device. For more info, visit the author’s web page at www.robertcdaniels.com.



Waupun Craft Center 2012-2013

Classes are held in the lower level of the Emmanuel Reformed Church, 410 W. Brown Street, Waupun
Please enter through back (north) door, down the steps

MORNING CLASSES – 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

September 6 & 13 - Hodge Podge meets every Thursday morning

September 20- General Meeting -Class Schedule Discussion & Hodge Podge

September 27, Oct 4 & 11 – Hats for Charity – (see next page for details)

Knitting will be taught by Lynda Lagodney - Crochet will be taught by Shirley VerHage – The first week will be geared to beginners. In both of these classes you will be (re)learning how to make a hat – a beginner pattern will be provided or feel free to join in with a pattern of your choice.

October 18, 25 & Nov 1 – Embroidery – Pat Smith will be teaching – project to be determined.

EVENING CLASSES – 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

September 13 – Introduction to classes & registration

September 20, 27, Oct 4 & 11

Deb Schrank (960-4951) will be teaching a 3 to 4 week class on knitting the Wisteria Arbor Shawl from the book Sock Yarn One Skein Wonders which is available from the Public Library.

<http://www.ravelry.com/patterns/library/wisteria-arbor-shawl> - to see the shawl and supply list

Hodge Podge will meet every week

FUTURE CLASSES

Other classes will be scheduled for both mornings and evenings as soon as we find out what members are interested in. Suggestions are: Hardanger, quilting, quilted table runner, jewelry making, basket weaving, scrapbooking, card making. Watch your e-mail, the Facebook page or newspaper for class additions.

If you have suggestions, please call or e-mail either Deb 960-4951 (pm) - Winnie 960-5789 (am) or Shirley 324-4868 (am or pm) or email waupuncraftcenter@yahoo.com.

Membership:

Dues are \$25 per year for the morning classes and \$25 per year for the evening classes. Dual (am/pm) membership = \$35. Family Rate = \$10 per child with a paid adult membership (immediate family members only) - The only other expenses you will have throughout the year will be your supplies for classes. You may take as many classes as you wish during the year. If you were a member last year and are over the age of 80, you are an HONORARY MEMBER and will not have to pay dues.

Classes: Some classes may have a limited enrollment. We need at least five students to hold a class unless approved by the teacher. Please notify your teacher if you must cancel out. You must sign up to take a class.

Scheduling & Cancellation Policy: If school is canceled because of bad weather we cancel classes also. Call if you have a question. We do not schedule classes during Thanksgiving, Christmas or Easter week.

Beverage at AM Break Time: Coffee, tea or hot chocolate, \$.25 each. This money goes in our coffee fund to provide cups, napkins and beverage mix. Members are asked to take turns setting up each week. Treats may be brought if you wish. A schedule will be passed around at the first meeting and available every week. Mary Bestul & Judy Lyon are Hospitality Gals.

Library: The Craft Center has many good books on all types of crafts available for members to use. There is also some craft equipment stored there. The library is located in the metal storage cabinet in the SW corner of the basement. Please feel free to look and borrow from the library.

Courtesy Reminders - We ask that **cell phones** be turned off or silenced during classes. If you must use your phone, please leave the classroom to do so. We ask that everyone stay in the basement room only – no roaming the rest of the building.

Please have your membership cards handy on the first day of new classes. --- **Bring a Friend!**

Hodge Podge

Hodge Podge is a “non-class” – just a bunch of gals working on projects, chatting, and helping each other with crafting problems

Join Craft Center’s Yahoo Group

Go to www.yahoo.com – Find the box on the left hand side and click on “groups”.

Under “find a Yahoo! group” type in “Waupun Craft Center” and click “search”

Click on Craft Center’s group – Click “join this group”. You will be asked to create a profile unless you are already a member.

To read all the messages, scroll down and read what’s there (only most recent) or click “view all messages” to pick and choose messages you would like to read.

Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Waupun-Craft-Center/219373911410607>

Yes, you can “like” us this way and we’ll try to keep you informed. When you see a note from Craft Center, please “share” it you’re your friends so they see what we’re doing also. If you receive correspondence via e-mail, links may be provided to view pictures posted on the Facebook page. You do not have to have a Facebook page to view these pictures.

Sunshine Lady

We always mention our Sunshine Gal (the one who sends out cards on behalf of Craft Center, sharing joys and sorrows with other members). Kim Quade is this gal. Let her know if one of our past or current members is in need of a card. You can reach her at 346-2369 or wquade@centurytel.net, or you can e-mail waupuncraftcenter@yahoo.com and it will be forwarded to Kim.

Charity Project

Along with our ongoing charity baby quilt class in January, we decided to knit or crochet hats for the Waupun Food Pantry this fall. Yarn, fabric & batting donations for these projects are welcome.

Freecycle Thursdays

On the first Thursday of the month bring along craft supplies you no longer want and would like to give away. Leftover items will be put in the closet for another day or donated to Bargains Galore if no one takes them.

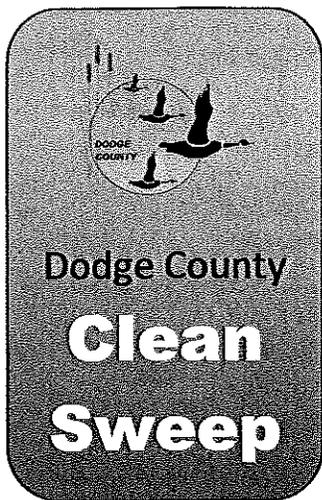
JoAnn’s 10% Discount

Yes, 10% off your **total** purchase! Go to http://www.joann.com/vipdiscounts/?_requestid=8459847 and sign up or ask in the store for a form to fill out and send in.

Lots of important information is posted in this newsletter. Keep it for reference throughout the year

Please feel free to share a copy of this letter with anyone interested.

If you have any questions please call
Lynda (324-9251), Winnie (960-5789) for AM classes
Deb (960-4951) for PM classes
Shirley (324-4868) for any kind of questions!
waupuncraftcenter@yahoo.com



2012 Clean Sweep Fact Sheet

Friday, September 21

- 10 am to 12 pm City of Juneau, Dodge County Hwy bldg., Juneau
- 3 pm to 6 pm Theiler Park, Co Hwy TW, Mayville
(Prescription Drug Drop Off)
- 3 pm to 6 pm Hustisford Town Hall, N3906 County Rd EE, Hustisford

Saturday, September 22

- 8 am to 12 pm Town of Trenton Highway Shop, N8856 Co Rd A, Fox Lake
(Prescription Drug Drop Off)

<http://dodge.uwex.edu/>

Clean Sweep is a program designed to lower the environmental risks associated with improper disposal of hazardous materials and pharmaceuticals by providing the public with an opportunity to dispose of unwanted pesticides, household products, pharmaceuticals and chemicals for safe and legal disposal before they cause problems. Household materials accepted include OIL-BASED PAINTS AND PAINT-RELATED PRODUCTS, PESTICIDES & POISONS, HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS CONTAINING ORGANIC SOLVENTS, IGNITABLES, AND AEROSOLS, and RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES. Please see the table below for disposal methods of common materials.

Material	Disposal Method
Aerosol Cans	
Partially full or full	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Empty	Put in with your recyclables. Remove and trash tops and nozzles. (Full or partially full ones can be brought to Clean Sweep)
Antifreeze	CHECK WEBSITE: http://www.uwsa.edu/oslp/em/compliance/antifreeze.htm
Ballasts (Electrical)	BRING TO:
If they are electronic or say "No PCBs"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Private lamp recyclers [fee charged] (see Fluorescent light Bulbs section), or • Throw in your trash
If they contain oil and DO NOT say "No PCBs"	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Batteries	
Lead and acid rechargeable batteries	BRING TO: Clean Sweep, Batteries Plus, and other places that sell them*
Button batteries	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Alkaline, single use & other disposables (AA, AAA, C, D, 9-Volt)	BRING TO: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Batteries Plus (free) • Throw in your trash
Cell Phones	BRING TO: Radio Shack, Best Buy, US Cellular
Cleaners, Laundry Additives, and Other <u>WATER-BASED</u> Household Products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flush liquids down your sanitary sewer • Throw solids in your trash

Material	Disposal Method
Cleaners and Products that Contain Strong Acids and Bases Including Photographic Fixer, Muriatic Acid, Drain Clog Removers	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Cooking Oil Animal fat, solid vegetable-based oils, greases and lard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solidify by freezing or mixing with Oil Dry® or shredded paper, and place in a plastic bag for disposal in your trash
Driveway Sealer / Roofing Tar Hardened, hardened with water on top, water-based semi-solid Empty Container / Lids Solvent-based (tar, asphalt)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See page 4, "Disposal of Latex Paint & Water-Based Driveway Sealer" • Throw in your trash BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Empty Hazardous Material Containers	Recycle as appropriate or throw in your trash (no drums >5 gallons)
Fertilizer Fertilizer that does not contain pesticides or herbicides	Throw in your trash
Fertilizer that contains pesticides or herbicides (weed-n-feed, insect control)	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Fire Extinguishers	BRING TO: Hammes Fire & Safety LLC 1105 DeClark St. #2 West . Beaver Dam . WI . 53916 . 920-885-9333 http://www.hammesfire.com/home.php
Fluorescent Lamps (Bulbs) Including Fluorescent CFLS, Tubes and Other Lamps (bulbs)	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Incandescent Lamps(Bulbs)	Can be thrown in your trash or brought to a private lamp recycler.
Fuels and Other Ignitables Including Gasoline, Kerosene, Fuel, Oil, and Solvent-Based Driveway Sealer	All other bulbs should be brought to a private lamp recycler BRING TO: Clean Sweep Also see " Recycling Hazardous Materials " on page 4 Clean Sweep DOES NOT ACCEPT propane cylinders
Infectious / Medical Wastes / Sharps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check with your local pharmacy
Mercury and Mercury Containing Products Including Non-Electronic Thermostats and Non-Alcohol Thermometers	BRING TO: Clean Sweep <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean Sweep does not accept fluorescent bulbs (See "Fluorescent Lamps" above)
Oil or Solvent-Based Paints	BRING TO: Clean Sweep
Pesticides and Poisons Including Cyanide, Stump Remover, Pool Chemicals, Herbicides, Insecticides, Pet Pesticides, Weed-N-Feed or Pest Control Fertilizers	BRING TO: Clean Sweep Clean Sweep DOES NOT ACCEPT non-weed-n-feed and non-pest control fertilizer (see "Fertilizer" above)

Material

Pharmaceuticals, Unwanted Medication

Radioactive Materials

Including Smoke Detectors

Solvents

Including Finish Removers, Furniture Strippers, Paint Thinners, Mineral Spirits, Pastes, Polishes, Caulks That are Combustible or Flammable, Petroleum Distillates, Acetone, Toluene, Xylene

Solid / Semi-Solid Latex Materials, Caulk, Joint Compound, Glue

Used Motor Oil & Other Automotive Fluids (not antifreeze or gasoline)*

Used Motor Oil

Disposal Method

- Wait for the next Clean Sweep event to bring in for disposal. Medicines should be kept in their original containers with personal information removed / defaced.
- Pharmacies **DO NOT** accept these products

- Return them to the manufacturer (Smoke detectors that do not contain americium or radioactive materials can be thrown in your trash)

BRING TO: Clean Sweep

- Also see "**Recycling Hazardous Products**" on page 4

- Throw in your trash

BRING TO: - Your Local Service Garage (USED MOTOR OIL ONLY)

OTHER MATERIALS CLEAN SWEEP DOES NOT ACCEPT

Tires, paper or cardboard products, yard waste, construction debris, asbestos, rubbish, glass, solid metals, solid waste, etc. Contact your local government or trash hauler for details on proper disposal.

If you are unsure about any of your household items, please call Jeff Hoffman at (920) 386-3790 or email him at jhoffman@co.dodge.wi.us.

Disposing of Hazardous Wastes from the Home Waste Oil and Other Automotive Products – a University of Wisconsin publication G3456

DISPOSAL OF LATEX PAINT & WATER-BASED DRIVEWAY SEALER

Latex Paint and Water-Based Driveway Sealer are NOT Hazardous.

Dry them thoroughly with latex paint dryer, kitty litter, Oil Dry® or newspapers and trash them. However, make sure the lids are off when you set them at your curb, or place them in your **trash cart** if you have automated trash pick-up.

SMALL BUSINESSES (VSQGS)

Businesses should contact Veolia ES Tech Solutions for information on how to dispose of hazardous materials. See also our website (dodge.uwex.edu) for the Small Businesses (VQGS) area for more informatio.

HOW TO TRANSPORT MATERIALS

Products and materials should be packaged to keep them from spilling or breaking while being transported to Clean Sweep. Leave materials in their original containers. **DO NOT MIX ANY MATERIALS.** Leaking containers may be placed, as is, in another container. Label the outside container.

RECYCLING HAZARDOUS PRODUCTS

Dirty Thinners

Reuse thinner and other solvents for rinsing brushes and guns. Let solids from dirty thinner, turpentine, etc. settle in the bottom of a clear container. Filter the remaining liquid through cheesecloth or an old nylon until the solvent is clear. Dry and dispose of the particles and paint chips in your regular trash.

Gasoline

Gasoline drained from a snow blower, lawn mower, chainsaw, etc. that is mixed with oil may be used up in your vehicle. Check the gasoline to see if it is clear except for the color of the oil used. If clear, pour into your gas tank on a 10:1 ratio (ten gallons of new gas to one gallon of old gas). The small amount of oil in the old gas will not affect the performance of your vehicle. If your gas cannot be used in this way, bring into Clean Sweep in a container you can leave.

[Clean Sweep Home Page](#)