Community News

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"End of the Trail"

City Meetings & Events

10/7-11/15 – Yard Waste Pick Up, see flyer following newsletter for more information

10/21, 4:15pm – Library Board, Library

10/29, 5:30pm – Committee of the Whole, Council Chambers



Trick or Treating

Thursday, October 31, 4:30-6:30pm. Please turn on your porch light to show your participation!



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 Hall Happenings

FAMILY VARIETY SHOW - THIS SATURDAY!

Round up the kids and take a short trip to City Hall Auditorium this Saturday for an evening of fun and laughs! The very talented line-up includes Armenrah the

Mime, The Juggler with the Yellow Shoes, and magician and illusionist Rondini.

The fun begins at 7:00pm, doors open at 6:00. Pizza.



Armenrah is a selftaught pantomimist who has performed alongside the world famous Marcel Marceaul cupcakes, and refreshments will be available. Purchase tickets at Waupun City Hall. Visit www.waupunfestival s.com for more information.



During his unique shows, professional magician and illusionist, Rondini, has been known to cut a girl in half, levitate himself and escape from a straight jacket!



The Juggler With the Yellow Shoes provides comic juggling at its best. In 2008 he was on the TV show, America's Got Talent!



Fire Prevention Week Highlights

At right, a little girl tests out the fire hose during the Fire Department's Open House on Oct. 7th.

At left, BJ DeMaa talks to the children at Meadow View Primary School.



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WAUPUN AREA EVENTS

Thursdays thru Oct. 24, 4:00-7:00pm – **Farmers Market**, Tanner Park

10/19, 11:00am-3:00pm – Animal Shelter 5 Year Anniversary Open House

Saturdays in Oct, 1:00pm – Wild Birds of Prey Presentation, Marsh Haven

10/19, 7:00pm – **Family Variety Show**, City Hall Auditorium

10/20 & 10/27, 5:00-6:45pm – **Open Skating**, Waupun Community Center

10/21, 4:00pm – Missoula Children's Theatre Treasure Island Auditions, City Hall Auditorium

10/26, 2:00pm & 7:00pm - Missoula Children's Theatre Treasure Island, City Hall Auditorium

10/26, 9:00am-5:00pm - Monsters on the Marsh Family Fun Day, Marsh Haven Nature Center

Waupun Area School District Calendar

- 10/18 Mr. C's Game Night, 3-10pm, Jr/Sr High
- 10/21 Choir Concert, 7pm, Jr/Sr High
- 10/23 Late Start

"FILL OUR TANKS WITH FOOD" FOOD DRIVE

Join Waupun's volunteer firefighters on November 2nd as they help fight hunger during their annual food drive. Fill the tanks with food from 9:00am-

1:00pm on the 2nd in support of the Waupun Food Pantry. Nonperishable foods and donations will be collected at Market Fresh Foods, Waupun Piggly Wiggy, and Waupun Fire Department. Visit Sparky the Fire Dog at the Fire Station from 10:00am-noon.

CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS, CHANGE YOUR BATTERIES PIZZA DELIVERY EVENT

For the 4th year in a row the Waupun Fire Department will remind the community to Change Your Clock, Change Your Batteries as they deliver pizzas on November 2nd from 5:00-8:00pm.

Firefighters will be delivering pizzas for Pizza Ranch and



checking Smoke
Detectors. They will
also be giving out
batteries and smoke
detectors as
needed.
Batteries have been
provided by a grant
from Energizer
Batteries.

POOL PROGRESS

A lot of activity has been taking place near Waupun County Park, where work on the new pool is well underway. The diving well has been dug, the foundations for the bathhouse and mechanical building have been poured, and gravel for the parking lot is in place.



Service Organization On-Goings

FOODSHARE PROGRAM

Winter is approaching and many struggle with higher heating bills and the holidays, sometimes leaving little money for food purchases. If you or someone you care about is looking for assistance the FoodShare program may be available. FoodShare gives eligible individuals monthly deposits toward food purchases. Additional information on FoodShare is provided at the end of the newsletter.



"Who Sows Believes In God"

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NIGHTMARE IN WARPED WOODS

Waupun Area Recreation Project (WARP) and the Waupun Disc Golf Association host "Nightmare in WARPed Woods" on Saturday, October 26th. The Glow Ace Race will feature 36 holes, 18 in the daylight, and 18 in

the dark, spooky, and probably haunted WARPed Woods of Waupun County Park. Revenue from the event will go towards WARP and future course improvements. The event is \$20 if you come in costume,

and \$25 if you come without a costume. A player pack is included with the first 30 registrations. A flyer with registration and additional information is provided at the end of the newsletter.

Stop by the Waupun Historical Society's website!

http://waupun.pastperf ect-online.com



Early Picture of Waupun City Hall

Community Events

SIA OFFERS HEALTH INSURANCE SEMINARS

SIA Insurance
Services is offering
educational
seminars on health
care reform at the
Waupun Public
Library. To get more
information on the
Marketplace, and
how Health Care

Reform affects you, you are invited to attend.

Health Insurance Seminar Dates:

- Tuesday 10/22, 10:00am
- Thursday 11/14, 7:00pm

- Saturday 11/23,1:00pm
- Tuesday 12/10, 2:00pm

All Health Insurance Seminars will be held at Waupun Public Library, 123 S. Forest Street.

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Taking the one-mile CROP Hunger Walk for Bethel Christian Reformed Church on Saturday, Oct. 12, is Gina Homan and her children, Julian, at left, and Henri. CROP raises money to feed hungry people around the world, and returns 25% to the local community for the Waupun Food Pantry.

Photo by Larry Duer



OPEN SKATING

Open skating will be held at the Waupun Community Center on Sunday evenings, beginning October 20th. Open skating runs through March 23, 2014. The

schedule is attached at the end of the newsletter.