

A City of Waupun publication



"End of the Trail"

City Meetings & Events

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

11/12, 4:30pm – Board of Public Works, Council Chambers

11/12, 6:00pm – Common Council, Council Chambers



View meeting agendas and minutes on the city website:

www.cityofwaupun.org

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

DRUG DROP BOX

On October 26th the Drug Enforcement Administration held a National Prescription Drug "Take Back" Day, offering individuals the opportunity to safely dispose of unwanted, expired or unused prescription drugs. 73 pounds of drugs (excluding containers) were collected at the Waupun collection

site.

To give citizens the opportunity to dispose of prescription drugs throughout the year, the Waupun Police Department has recently installed a metal drug drop box in the lobby of the Police Department. The drop box is

available during open business hours of 7:00AM to 4:00PM Monday - Friday. All prescription type controlled drugs can be deposited in the drop box. For more information please contact Detective Brian O Donovan at 324-7903 during business hours.

MISSOULA CHILDREN'S THEATRE

Below, Waupun's young talent is captured in action during a performance of *Treasure Island* on Saturday, October

26th.

Audiences will be entertained again when Missoula Children's Theatre

staff return to town to produce *Beauty Lou & the Country Beast* in April 2014.



WAUPUN AREA EVENTS

10/31, 4:30-6:30pm – **Trick or Treating**

11/1, 7:00pm – **Celebrate CWC**, Central Wisconsin Christian School

11/2, noon-1:00pm – **Try Hockey For Free Day!**, Community Center

11/2, 2:00pm – **VFW Magic Show**, City Hall Auditorium

Sundays in November, 4:30-6:45pm – **Open Skating**, Community Center

11/11, 11:00am – **Veteran's Day Ceremony**, City Hall Grounds

11/12, 10:30am – **Veteran's Day Program**, Central Wisconsin Christian School

11/12, 6:30-8:45pm – **Comedy Café Fundraiser**, The Union Youth Center

Visit the Waupun Festivals website for a full list of Waupun Area Events!
www.waupunfestivals.com



Daylight Saving Time ends Sunday, November 3rd. Remember to turn your clocks back 1 hour!

FIRE DEPARTMENT EVENTS

"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. Non-perishable 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.

DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION



The "finishing touches" were applied to Finishing Touches by Rich at 432 E. Main Street in Downtown Waupun. Check out the before and after pictures!

THANK YOU!

A big Thank You goes to out Steger Trucking for donating a shade tree to the Waupun Dog Park!

Tomorrow Rens Nursery plans to plant

the donated Royal Red Norway Maple in the park, located at 901 N. Madison Street.

Bring your dog to run and play at the dog

park sunrise to sunset 7 days/week, year round.





"Who Sows Believes In God"



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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School District Dialogue

WASD News

It is that time of the year again - state testing! During the month of November, our students in grades 3-8 and 10 will be taking the Wisconsin Knowledge and Concepts Exam (WKCE.) Our new state school report cards are based on how well our students perform academically. This will be the last fall our students take this exam.

Beginning next year, students in grades 3-8 will take the new state test called the Smarter Balanced Assessment. This exam will be taken in the spring and will be done electronically. (Students in grades 4, 8, and 10 will continue to take the science and social studies portion of the WKCE in fall.) Because high school students won't be part of the Smarter Balanced Assessment, they will take a portion of the

ACT Suite each year - ACT Explore in grade 9, ACT Plan in grade 10, and ACT/WorkKeys in grade 11.

How can you help as a parent? Be sure your child gets plenty of rest and a good breakfast before coming to school. Emphasizing that "doing your best" is important as well. Together, we will do great things for the children in Waupun!



- 10/31 - End of 1st Quarter
- 10/31 - Early Release
- 11/1 - No School
- 11/11, 6:00pm - Board of Education Workshop Mtg, ESC
- 11/13 - Late Start
- 11/14, 5:30pm - SAGES Marketing Foundation Meeting
- 11/14, 6:30pm - SAGES Governance Meeting

Community Events

FIGHTIN FOR FIX'S

The community is invited to attend "Fightin For Fix's" to benefit Patty Fix, who is battling breast cancer. The

fundraiser includes a spaghetti supper, bake sale and silent auction and will be held Friday, November 15th from

4:00-8:00pm at Edgewood Community Church. More information is provided following the newsletter.

SOUP SUPPER

The Youth Group of Grace United Reformed Church invites the community to a soup supper fundraiser on Saturday, November

23, from 5pm-7pm. Delicious chili, cheeseburger soup, and squash soup will be served! The church building is located at the

corner of Highway 26 and Buwalda Drive, Waupun. Proceeds go toward funding travel to an annual summer convention.



“Wild Goose Center of Wisconsin”



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CITY OF WAUPUN

Yard Waste Pickup

The City of Waupun Department of Public Works will begin the Fall yard waste pickup service on October 7, 2013 and will continue through November 15, 2013 (weather permitting). This service is for the disposal of leaves, grass, garden waste, and branches that are generated from routine yard maintenance.

Please note the following guidelines:

- Leaves and brush shall **not** be deposited on the street
- Leave grass clippings and leaves at the curbside loose. **Please Do Not Bag.**
- Separate leaf piles and brush piles.
- Branches shall not exceed 3 inches in diameter
- No tree stumps or tree root systems will be collected.
- **The service is not intended for tree removal or lot cleaning.**

The City will not collect any items not in compliance with the above guidelines. Thank you for your cooperation.

Cc: Mayor's Column
Daily Citizen
Reporter

Fightin For Fix's

Friday, Nov. 15
4-8 pm-Edgewood
Community Church
Waupun

**Spaghetti
Supper
\$5**

**Silent
Auction
&
Bake Sale**



Please join us in supporting the Fix family as they help Mom-Patty Fix continue her fight with cancer. Patty was diagnosed with stage IV breast cancer in Oct. 2011. She went into remission in Dec. 2012 and was re-diagnosed with breast cancer of the bone in May 2013. Patty's positive attitude, amazing laugh and love for God, life and family (12 children and 8 grandchildren) still remain just as strong as ever and we would like to help support them during this time.

Anyone interested in making a donation for the silent auction, bake sale or food donation please contact Missy Derksen-920-210-5356, Erica Loomans- 920-979-3910, and Missy Daane-920-210-2367. Any monetary donations may be made at any of the National Bank of Waupun's branches, under the Pamela Fix Benefit.