

A City of Waupun publication



"End of the Trail"

City Meetings

4/1, 7:00am-8:00pm
– Spring Election

Week of 4/7 –
Spring Bulk Pick-Up
(details attached)

4/8, 4:30pm – Board
of Public Works,
Council Chambers

4/8, 6:00pm –
Common Council,
Council Chambers

4/9, 7:00am –
Business
Improvement
District, Council
Chambers

4/15 – Special
Council Meeting,
Council Chambers

4/15, 4:00pm –
Community
Development
Authority, Council
Chambers



Community News is an E-newsletter capturing key events of the City of Waupun, and the various departments within the City. You can also find helpful information from the local schools, the Booster Club, Waupun Area Chamber of Commerce, and local service organizations and non-profits in special sections of *Community News*.

City Hall Happenings

SPRING ELECTION

Next Tuesday, April 1st is Election Day. The local races for the City of Waupun include seats for Mayor and Aldermanic Districts 2, 4 and 6. Kyle Clark is running for Mayor, and incumbents

Pete Kaczmarek, Steve Bastian and Nancy Vanderkin are running for Aldermanic Districts 2, 4 and 6, respectively. All candidates are running unopposed. Polling hours at

Waupun City Hall are 7:00am – 8:00pm. Ballots may be viewed on the City's website www.cityofwaupun.org.



BULK ITEM PICK-UP

The spring bulk item pick-up with Advanced Disposal Services will be held the week of April 7th. Bulk items will be picked up on resident's normal trash pick-up dates,

depending on the amount of items that are at the curb. Please place items curbside no more than 24 hours prior to your scheduled pick-up date. Additional information on pick-

up guidelines, including items that will be collected and those that are excluded, is provided after the newsletter.

175th ANNIVERSARY ACTIVITIES

Elvis is in the building – on April 12th! Elvis tribute artist Dan Sanchez and the Del Ray's come to City Hall Auditorium to perform an Elvis Presley Tribute Show. Do your best impression of the King during a Sound-A-Like Contest put on by CrossRoads Promotions Karaoke

Service. \$250 in cash prizes will be awarded! Contest information is available at www.CityHallStage.com. Doors open at 6:30pm, concert starts at 7:30. Tickets are \$7.50 in advance or \$10 at the door. Tickets may be purchased at City Hall or by calling

Mike at 920-268-8005.



WAUPUN AREA EVENTS

Thursdays through 4/3, 6:30pm – **Cultivating Wellness Series**, Library (see attached flyer)

Apr. 1, 6:00-7:00pm – **Lego at Your Library**

Apr. 2, 10:30am – **Family Storytime**, Library

Apr. 4, 5:00 & 7:00pm – **Crist Bros. Circus & Variety Show**, City Hall Auditorium

Apr. 9, 10:30am – **Family Storytime**, Library

Apr. 12-13, 9:00am-4:00pm – **Spring Work Weekend**, Marsh Haven Nature Center

Apr. 12, 7:30pm – **Elvis Tribute Show**, City Hall Auditorium

Apr. 14, 6:30pm – **Book Presentation: Images of America: Waupun**, Library

Apr. 14, 6:30pm – **Relay for Life Team Meeting**, Pizza Ranch

Apr. 15, 6:00-7:00pm – **Lego at Your Library**



Visit the Waupun Festivals website for a full list of Waupun Area Events!

www.waupunfestivals.com

175th ANNIVERSARY ACTIVITIES (Continued)

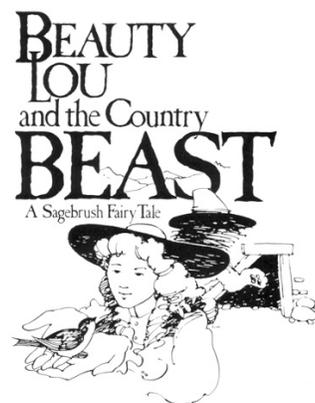
Adopt-An-Actor

The little red Missoula Children's Theatre bus makes a return trip to Waupun next month to prepare our young singers and actors for a production of *Beauty Lou & the Country Beast*. The children's theatre directors come to town with costumes, staging, scripts and everything needed for the production – except the actors! Waupun area children have the

opportunity to be coached by directors and cast in the Beauty Lou musical. Auditions are Monday, April 21st, with performances on Saturday, April 26th at 2:00 and 7:00pm.

Waupun Festivals is looking for individuals and businesses to "adopt-an-actor" to help cover the cost of bringing this production to Waupun. Sponsor names will be recognized in the

event program. More information regarding sponsorship is provided in a flyer after the newsletter.



Non-Profit Press

CALL FOR ARTISTS

Calling all artists, crafters, and quilters! Showcase your talent at the "Art Around Waupun" Art, Craft, and Quilt Show sponsored by Waupun Fine Arts. If you have a vintage quilt, let us show it in

a special 175th Anniversary display at the Quilt Show.

"Art Around Waupun" will be held Saturday, August 2nd from 10:00am-4:00pm in Dodge Park, 518 S. Madison

Street. To learn more about taking part in this event visit www.waupunfinearts.org, email waupunfinearts@gmail.com, or call Sue at 324-4026; please leave message.



MARSH HAVEN YOUTH PROGRAMS

Marsh Haven Nature Center is offering a number of exciting educational

opportunities for children through their 2014 Youth Programs. Weekend

programs include BIRDcamp and EARTHcamp, day programs include "A



"Who Sows Believes In God"

MARSH HAVEN YOUTH PROGRAMS (Continued)

Day on the Prairie", "A Day with the Critters", and "A Day of Nature Art". Or take part in the Family Nature Club and enjoy nature as a family. Meetings are held monthly; come to 1 meeting

or all of them! Marsh Haven Nature Center is open mid-April through late-November, noon to 4:00 weekdays and 9:00-5:00 weekends. More information on Marsh Haven's 2014

programs is provided after the newsletter.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY

The Knights of Columbus invite the community to attend their All-You-Can-Eat Friday Night Fish Fries. Fish will be served from 5:00-7:00pm every Friday evening from March 28



through April 18th. Fish Fries are held at St. Joseph's Parish Center, 26 N. Division Street in Waupun. Carry-outs are available. Senior discounts and children's pricing is offered.

 Like the Waupun Athletic Booster Club on Facebook!

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www.waupunchamber.com
www.waupun.k12.wi.us

School District Dialogue

Mark Your Calendar!

- Mar. 27, 7:00pm – McCready Memorial Basketball Game, HS Gym
- Mar. 31, 7:00 & 8:00pm – Senior High Choir & Band Concerts, HS LGI Room
- Apr. 4 – Early Release
- Apr. 7 – Friends of SAGES Dinner
- Apr. 7, 3:30pm – MVP PTO Meeting, MVP Library
- Apr. 7, 4:30-6:00pm – Young Child Festival, MVP





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"Wild Goose Center of Wisconsin"

Bulk Item Pick-up

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The following items are identified as bulk waste that will be collected:

- Furniture
- Rolled carpeting (4ft maximum length)
- Cabinets
- Countertops
- Mattresses/bed springs
- Non-metal doors
- Wood windows
- Wooden playground equipment.

Excluded items:

- Uncontainerized or piles of construction material,
- Large appliances (stoves, washers, dryers, etc)
- Freon-containing items (refrigerators, AC units, freezers)
- Tires
- Batteries
- Fluorescent lights/bulbs
- TVs/DVD players/VCR
- Computer equipment
- Electronic Items banned from landfills.



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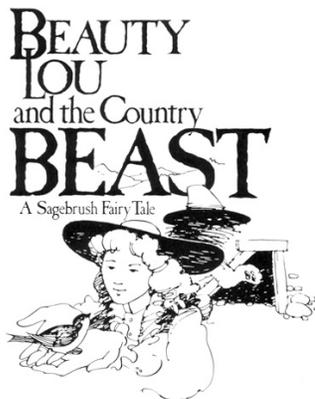
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APRIL 21-26

**WAUPUN FESTIVALS WELCOMES MISSOULA
CHILDREN'S THEATER TO THE WAUPUN COMMUNITY!**

Missoula Children's Theater is coming to Waupun to put on a musical version of "Beauty Lou and the Country Beast" with Waupun area children in grades K-12.

Two directors pull into town with a truck full of costumes, staging and scripts. Auditions begin at our historic City Hall auditorium on Monday, April 21st. 50-60 area children then get the opportunity to be coached and cast by the Missoula directors with two performances at 2p.m. and 7p.m. for the community on Saturday, April . This is a positive and wonderful experience that is free for participating children. Waupun Festivals is looking for sponsorship of the event to help cover the costs of the residency.



FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL: 920-324-7900

**Calling All
Sponsors!!!**

**Would you be
willing to
sponsor an
actor or cast
member?**

In return for your donation we will advertise your name or business as a sponsor in the program. Additionally your contribution is tax deductible.

Waupun Festivals, Inc. is a non-profit organization committed to promoting the City of Waupun by highlighting our quality of life through a variety of cultural events and fun-filled experiences.

Willing to Help?

**See Reverse
Side**

Cast of Characters

Younger Beauty Lou Sponsor this child actor for \$125
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Older Beauty Lou Sponsor this child actor for \$125
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Slim Sponsor this child actor for \$75
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Dusty Sponsor this child actor for \$75
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Fleabite Clyde Sponsor this child actor for \$75
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Imaginary Friend Sponsor this child actor for \$75
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Beast Sponsor this child actor for \$75
Sponsored by Kyle and Anne Clark

Younger Daughters Sponsor these child actors for \$50
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Older Daughters Sponsor these child actors for \$50
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Country Folk Sponsor these child actors for \$50
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Barnyard Critters Sponsor these child actors for \$50
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Assistant Directors Sponsor these child actors for \$50
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Accompanist Sponsor the Accompanist for \$100
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Buckaroo Bob/Bonnie – Tour Actor/Director Sponsor the Tour Actor/Director for \$100
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Tour Actor/Director Sponsor the Tour Actor/Director for \$100
Sponsored by (your name would appear here)

Thanks to the following who have committed to providing a meal to the cast of characters during rehearsal: Piggly Wiggly, Sue Haefemeyer, & Brandon Meats.

Thanks to the Inn Town Motel who have sponsored a room for the Director's to stay.

Thanks to the following who have contributed to sponsoring a character thus far: Kyle and Anne Clark, & an anonymous donor.

If you would like to become a sponsor or contribute in some way please contact the Waupun City Hall at 920-324-7900.

Marsh Haven Nature Center Youth Programs 2014

W10145 Highway 49, Waupun - www.marshhaven.com



BIRDcamp—Ages 6-12

Youth are invited to join us for one or both days of our third annual BIRDcamp. 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. Sign up for one day or both, different activities will be held each day.

Saturday, May 10 & Sunday, May 11 -10 am to 3 pm

Registration fee: \$20 for one day or \$35 for both days—fee includes "Birds For Kids" book. Registration deadline: 5/1/14



EARTHcamp—Ages 6-12

EARTHcamp is a unique environmental weekend daycamp program with hands-on activities designed to foster respect and love for the Earth through art, games, drama, music and fun.

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.

Session 1: Saturday, July 12 & Sunday, July 13—9 am to 3 pm

Session 2: Saturday, July 26 & Sunday, July 27—9 am to 3 pm

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.

Session 1: Saturday, Aug. 9 & Sunday, Aug. 10—9 am to 3 pm

Session 2: Saturday, Aug. 23 & Sunday, Aug. 24—9 am to 3pm

Registration fee: \$25 for one day or \$40 for both days. Sign up for one day or both, different activities will be held each day. Sessions 1 and 2 will be the same activities, sign up for the best date for your family.



Day Programs at Marsh Haven Nature Center

Programs run 10 am to 3 pm

A Day on the Prairie

Spend a day living life on the prairie—learn to make bread the old fashioned way, make jam, collect eggs from the chickens, identify prairie plants and learn their uses. Play old time games, explore Marsh Haven and have fun outside.

Session 1: Monday, June 16

Session 2: Thurs., July 17

Session 3: Tuesday, Aug. 5

A Day with the Critters

Spend a day with the Marsh Haven animals in the Critter Corner. Learn all about birds, guinea pigs, rabbits, insects, amphibians, snakes and more. Discover how to care for these animals and participate in animal-related projects and crafts.

Session 1: Wed., June 18

Session 2: Monday, July 14

Session 3: Thursday, Aug. 7

A Day of Nature Art

Spend a day creating works of art from natural materials. Draw inspiration from nature and write, paint, glue, bead, color, rhyme, and create. We will spend time exploring Marsh Haven, playing games and creating masterpieces to take home.

Session 1: Tues., June 17

Session 2: Wed., July 16

Session 3: Wed., Aug. 6



Day Programs are very hands-on experiences that will teach children new skills and nature awareness through experiential learning. Program registration fee: \$25 for each program date. Sessions 1-3 will be the same activities, sign up for the date that works best for your family. Day programs recommended for ages 7-12

Family Nature Club—All Ages

The Marsh Haven Family Nature Club meets once a month from April through September from 1 - 3 p.m. We encourage families to pack a lunch and come early for a picnic at Marsh Haven. Each month has a theme with a nature based group project, a smaller family project to be worked on together, and take home ideas for books and activities. The Family Nature Club offers an opportunity for families to spend time in nature and learn more about the natural world together. Attend one or all of the meetings. Free to Marsh Haven members or regular admission fees for non-members.

Family Nature Club kick-off—nature crafts—family-fun activities
***Earth, Music...Magic!* Presented by Bill Kehl—Sunday, April 27 @ 1 pm**

Meeting Dates/Themes: May 18—Seeds & Soil; June 15—For the Birds; July 20—Monarchs & Milkweed; August 17—Sun & Moon; and September 21—Harvest Party

Visit www.marshhaven.com for mail-in registration forms or
Call 920-318-9518 to register by phone



Cultivating Wellness Series

at Waupun Public Library

123 S. Forest St., Waupun

FEBRUARY 22nd - 2:00pm *FREE* - Warren Porter, PHD
Public Talk, GMO-What Do We Know?
-A presentation of research on genetically modified organisms



Warren Porter, PhD
Dept. of Zoology,
University of Wisconsin,
Madison

Thursday Night Wellness Classes

FEBRUARY 27th - 6:30pm - Melissa Greer, DO
Overview of Holistic Medicine: Ways of Looking

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MARCH 6th - 6:30pm - Erika Jensen
Introduction to Local Foods: Ways of Knowing

MARCH 13th - 6:30pm - Melissa Greer, DO
Wellness Supporting Approaches to Illness: Ways of Healing

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MARCH 20th - 6:30pm - Erika Jensen
Organic Vegetable Gardening: Ways of Growing

MARCH 27th - 6:30pm - Melissa Greer, DO
Meditative Practices and Inner Development: Ways of Strengthening

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6

APRIL 3rd - 6:30pm - Erika Jensen
Cooking through the Seasons with Master Recipes: Ways of Enjoying

CONTACT: To sign up for the Thursday night classes please contact the Waupun BDCH Medical Clinic at (920) 345-1306.

COST: Just \$25 total for series 1-6. Proceeds go to support The Good Earth Farm CSA Food-For-Others-Share: FFOS is GEF's cost sharing program that provides financial assistance to limited income households for purchasing CSA produce shares.



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