

A City of Waupun publication



"End of the Trail"

### City Meetings & Events

**6/10, 8:00am** – Chat with Mayor Kyle, McDonalds

**6/10, 4:30pm** – Board of Public Works, City Hall Council Chambers

**6/10, 6:00pm** – Common Council, City Hall Council Chambers

**6/11, 7:00am** – Business Improvement District, City Hall Council Chambers

**6/17, 4:00pm** – Community Development Authority, City Hall Council Chambers

**6/18, 4:45pm** – Plan Commission, City Hall Council Chambers



**Saturday, June 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**8:00am - 1:00pm**

*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

### SUMMER READING PROGRAM

The science themed Summer Reading Program "Fizz, Boom, Read!" begins Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at Waupun Public Library.

Kids of all ages can take part in the program by signing up at the library, completing a reading/activity log each week (to get a prize!), and taking in fun programs and entertainment.

You will have the chance to make flubber, direct a movie, view the stars,

and have all sorts of explosive fun!

Check out some of this year's featured activities:

- 6/18 - Magician & Comedian
- 6/24 – Hands-on Science Experiments & Activities
- 7/2 – Animation Workshop
- 7/8 – Bubble



Wonders

- 7/15 – Musician/Storyteller
- 7/16 – Seeing Stars Portable Planetarium
- 7/23 – Getting Excited About Science
- 7/30 – Discover the Science of the Circus

All programs are free to the public.

See the Summer Reading Program Flyer at the end of the newsletter for more details.

Waupun's annual Memorial Day parade was held on Monday, May 26<sup>th</sup>. Following the parade, a large crowd gathered for a ceremony honoring veterans at Shaler Memorial Park.

At right, Mayor Kyle Clark is photographed on the parade route.

Photo by Larry Duer



## Non-Profit Press

### TOUR DE MARSH

Get your friends and family together and

join bicyclists, hikers, motorcyclists and

autos touring around and through the

**WAUPUN AREA EVENTS**

Thursdays through Oct. 23, 3:30-6:30pm – **Farmers Markets**, Tanner Park

Jun 7, 8am-1pm – **Tour de Marsh Bike & Auto Tour**, Horicon Marsh National Wildlife Refuge Parking Area/Hwy 49

Jun 7, 9:30am-3:30pm – **Volunteer Stream Monitor Training**, Marsh Haven Nature Center (Pre-registration required)

Jun 7, 2:00-6:00pm – **Wee Care 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House**

Jun 9, 10:00am-6:00pm – **Book Sale**, Waupun Public Library

Jun 10 (4-7pm), Jun 11 (8am-7pm), Jun 12 (8am-2pm) – **Rummage & Bake Sale**, St. Joseph Church Parish Center

Jun 10, 6:00pm – **Lego At Your Library**

Jun 13, 6:00pm-midnight – **Relay For Life**, Veterans Memorial Field



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

[www.waupunfestivals.com](http://www.waupunfestivals.com)

*TOUR DE MARSH (Continued)*

Horicon Marsh during the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual "Tour De Marsh" this Saturday, June 7<sup>th</sup> from 8:00am – 1:00pm. There is no entry fee and Tour De Marsh is open to everyone. Choose from 8, 18 or 36-mile routes. There are 6 points along the tour route where visitors can begin their trip

or take a rest. Refreshments, maps and restrooms are available at each stop. One of the nearby stops is the Horicon National Wildlife Refuge hiking trail parking lot, located east of Waupun on Hwy 49. A guided 8-mile bicycle tour on flat terrain will be held at

9:00 and 10:00am at this location. Visit [www.horiconmarsh.org](http://www.horiconmarsh.org) or call Horicon Marsh Education & Visitor Center at 920.387.7890 for more details. A flyer with the 6 rest stops listed is attached following the newsletter.

*BOOK SALE*

On Monday, June 9, the Friends of the Waupun Public Library will hold their

monthly book sale. Many new books have been donated, come on in to check

out the selection! Sale hours are 10:00am – 6:00pm.

*RUMMAGE SALE*

St. Joseph's Church is having their annual Rummage & Bake Sale Tuesday, June 10 – Thursday, June 12 at the Parish Center, 4 N. Division Street. Most clothes and miscellaneous items are \$5/bag, some items are

priced as marked. Sale dates and times are:  
 • Tues, June 10: 4:00pm – 7:00pm (No Bake Sale)  
 • Wed, June 11: 8:00am – 7:00pm  
 • Thurs, June 12: 8:00am – 2:00pm

Proceeds of the Rummage Sale go to the St. Joseph Human Concerns Committee. Proceeds of the Bake Sale go to the St. Joseph Mission Outreach Program. Thank you for your support!

*RELAY FOR LIFE*

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Waupun will be held Friday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at Veterans Field. Participants in this event walk around the clock to help battle cancer.

Activities including a DJ, games, bounce house, silent auction

and raffle begin at 5:00pm. Opening ceremonies are at 6:00pm. Other things going on during the night include



performances by the Waupun Warriorettes and Masters of Movement dancers at 7:30 and 7:45pm, the Luminaria Ceremony at 9:00pm, and Zumba class at 9:45pm. Closing ceremonies are at midnight. Many other activities will take place during the Relay and



"Recording Angel"

### WASD Calendar

- Jun 7, 9am-4pm – Brat Fry & Car Show, Jr/Sr High West Parking Lot
- Jun 9, 6:00, 7:00 & 8:00pm – Board of Education Meetings, ESC
- Jun 11 – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
- Jun 12, 5:30, 6:15 & 7:00pm – SAGES Marketing, Fundraising & Governance Meetings
- Jun 12, 6:30-8:30pm – Heroin Summit, Jr/Sr High LGI Room



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### RELAY FOR LIFE (Continued)

great food will be available for purchase, including a Pig Roast sponsored by

Agnesian HealthCare. Check out the schedule of events following the newsletter.

Come join in the fun and help in the fight against cancer!

### 4-H Float

Riding the 4-H barn on the float in the Memorial Day Parade in Waupun were Weeping Willow 4-H Club members, front from left, Mason Ludtke, Michael Newberry, Dawson Shaw and Kaidon Shaw. In back from left, Mitchell Ludtke and Matthew Ludtke.

Photo by Larry Duer



### Quilts of Valor

Members of Waupun Craft Center recently completed several "Quilts of Valor" and presented the quilts to local veterans. See more of the quilts and read about the veteran's stories in a press release following the newsletter.



## School District Dialogue

### Graduation

One hundred and forty-eight seniors graduated from Waupun Area High School on Saturday, May 24 in a ceremony at Veteran's Memorial Field. The class speaker was Kelsey Thompson who spoke on the "Attitude of gratitude."

Photo by Hank Snyder, Daily Citizen



## Booster Club Buzz...



Check out the "Booster Shout Outs" following the newsletter for Track, Softball, and Booster Scholarship news!



*"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](mailto:michelle@cityofwaupun.org)

**Chat over coffee  
with Mayor Kyle on  
Tuesday, June 10  
from 8:00-9:00am  
at McDonalds**



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## CWC Corner

### Pancake Breakfast

The Booster Club of Central Wisconsin Christian School hosted a pancake and egg breakfast at the school on Memorial Day, May 26. Donated funds will go to support CWC athletics. Helping in the beverage line were, from left, Michaela Esveld, Lexy Buteyn, Josie Venhuizen, Olivia Theune, Faith Vander Galien and Hannah Bresser.



Photo by Larry Duer

### Graduation

Thirty-one seniors at Central Wisconsin Christian School graduated Friday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> in a packed auditorium. The class verse was Proverbs 4:23, "Above all else, guard your heart, for everything you do flows from it." Lucas Vander Berg gave the senior farewell.

Photo by Hank Snyder, Daily Citizen



## Community Events

### Pre-Memorial Day Program

Prairie Ridge Assisted Living held a Pre-Memorial Day Program for residents on Friday, May 23. The program was put together by Linda Krueger, Life Enrichment Co-ordinator, and included members of American Legion Post 210, Bentley-Hull VFW Post 6709, and many guests. Following a demonstration of folding the American Flag, Sgt-at-Arms Officer Carl Neuman presented the folded flag to Prairie Ridge resident Bill Schneider, a WWII veteran. Looking on at left is WWII veteran Walter Riel Sr.



Photo by Larry Duer

### New Owners of Helen's Kitchen

Mayor Kyle Clark, at left, welcomes new owners of Helen's Kitchen Chad Ford and Melanie Gerritson on their first day of business on May 21<sup>st</sup>. Chad and his sister Melanie are the third generation owners of the family owned and operated restaurant which was started 37 years ago by their grandparents, Helen and John Aalpoel. For the past 28 years, the restaurant was owned and operated by Chad and Melanie's parents, Marilyn and Mike Ford.



Photo by Larry Duer