



Community News

A City of Waupun publication

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 non-profit organizations in special sections of Community News.

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"End of the Trail"

City Meetings:

- 3/10, 11:30am— Waupun Festivals Steering Committee, Tony's Pizza
- 3/10, 4:30pm— Board of Public Works, City Hall Council Chambers
- 3/17, 4:00pm— Community Development Authority, City Hall Council Chambers
- 3/17, 6:00pm— Common Council, City Hall Council Chambers



Summer Passes available for purchase now! (At the Senior Center)

Find Swim Lesson forms and information on the 2015 season after the newsletter.

Chat with Mayor Kyle on Tuesday, March 10th at Tony's Pizza at Noon.



City Hall Happenings

COMPUTER CLASSES OFFERED AT THE LIBRARY

Waupun Public Library will be hosting four computer workshops this week:

On **March 10** attendees will learn the basics from **9:00-10:30am** during **Basic Computer Workshop**. Later that day, from **12:30-2:00pm** you will have the opportunity to learn the functions of email during **"Making a**

Gmail Account" Workshop.

On **March 12**, two more classes will be held. From **9:00-10:30am**, **iPad Workshop** teaches beginners the basic functions of the iPad. **Google Docs & Calendar Workshop** is from **12:30-2:00pm**.

Seats are limited. Please call the Library at 324-7925

to sign up.

More details on the workshops is provided in a flyer following the newsletter.



OUT & ABOUT WITH MAYOR KYLE



(Above) Helping support Bowlin' for Colons with a portion of his Mayor's salary. From left, Janell Deming, Dusty Deming and Mayor Kyle.



(Below) Judging the Chili Cookoff at the Other Bar. Pictured L-R are owner Steve Daute, 3rd place winners Erv & Gail Van Buren, 2nd place Mike Vande Slunt, 1st place Cindy Yelk, and Mayor Kyle. Proceeds from the Cookoff go to the Waupun Food Pantry.

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(At left) Enjoying an Evening of Chocolate & Wine in support of WMH's women's health &



breast care services are (from left) Dr. Brett Pasiuk, Dr. JoAnn Pasiuk, Diane & Randy Posthuma, Linda Johnson, Anne Clark, Mike Johnson and Mayor Kyle.

Pictured with Joel Sterk of SIA Insurance Services, at their February 23rd Chamber of Commerce "Networking After Five" event.



"Who Sows
Believes In God"

**Looking
for a
Summer
Job?**



Apply to be a park
leader!

See the flyer follow-
ing the newsletter
for details!

BOOK SALE!

F.O.W.L. is holding a
book sale TODAY
from 10:00-6:00 at
Waupun Public
Library

**Stop by the Waupun
Historical Society's
website!**

[http://
waupun.pastperfect-
online.com](http://waupun.pastperfect-online.com)



Early picture of City Hall

Chamber of Commerce Chit-Chat

CHAMBER MEMBER BCDH HOSTS TRINITY IRISH DANCERS

The Beaver Dam Community Hospitals Foundation, Inc. invites you to see the world-renowned Trinity Irish Dancers at Beaver Dam High School Auditorium on Saturday, March 21st. Traditional show begins at 1:30pm and

the Trinity Show at 4:00pm. Adults \$15, Children (12 & under) \$5. Ticket sites and other information is available following the newsletter.



Non-Profit Press

WAUPUN STROLLEROBICS

Did you know Waupun offers a Strollerobics program? It began in September 2012, and is held on Tuesday's and Thursday from 9:00-10:00am, year round. The locations vary, depending on the weather. Days above 40 degrees, the group meets outside at places such as the Pine Street Park Walking Trail or County Park Campground. On cooler days, the group meets at Immanuel

Lutheran Church or Alto Community Center. The program includes power walking, strength and toning exercises. Strollerobics was organized by Tiffany Arndt. Tiffany says "I truly enjoy meeting with these

moms every week and helping them stay active. I love to see the kids interact with one another. I do the best I can to make this a comfortable activity for all. Even if you don't have children, or they are grown, we would love to have you!"

Please see the flyer following the newsletter for additional information on Strollerobics.



WAUPUN FINE ARTS GALLERY FEATURES THE WORK OF CODY VANDE ZANDE

The Waupun Fine Arts Gallery inside the Waupun Public Library will feature the work of Cody Vande Zande March 12th-April 28th. An artist reception will be held April 22nd from 5-7 PM.

Cody VandeZande was born and raised in Waupun but moved to Chicago, Illinois to attend The Illinois Institute of Art where he received his BFA in Illustration and Design and the title of *Best in*

Show at the Senior Portfolio exhibition.

Cody is currently working on setting up his own business for illustrated greetings, logo

design, and invitation packages such as customized wedding stationary or personalized holiday cards. He has recently illustrated a logo for *Vanderpump Pets*, a pet collar line by *The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills* star Lisa Vanderpump.

Cody also will be starting a Kickstarter campaign where he hopes to raise enough to self publish his children's book, *A Great White*





"Recording Angel"

WAUPUN FINE ARTS GALLERY FEATURES THE WORK OF CODY VANDE ZANDE (Continued)

Christmas, an illustrated book about a Great White Shark who saves Christmas when Santa encounters

troubles delivering gifts over Australia. Cody hopes to continue to write, illustrate and publish more.

To learn more about Cody's work visit: www.codyvandezande.com

NEWS FROM WAUPUN LIONS CLUB

Scholarship Opportunity

The Waupun Lions Club invites all eligible and interested high school Seniors to apply for a 2015 scholarship.

The Lions are offering a two or four year renewable scholarship in the amount of \$750 per year. The applicant must currently attend a school within the Waupun School District attendance area and have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better through the seventh semester of their high school career. The scholarship is also open to students who have been home schooled who reside in the Waupun School Dis-

trict and meet all the requirements as noted. The completed application, an official transcript of grades, and two references must be turned in to either of the Waupun area high schools or to Lion Richard Steinbach, 731 Fern Street, Waupun no later than Monday, April 13th. Application forms may be obtained at the Guidance Office at either the Waupun Area Jr/Sr High School or the Central Wisconsin Christian High School.

Additional scholarship information is provided in a press release following the newsletter.

Arts Alive in Waupun

(Below) Waupun Fine Arts, Inc member Sue Haefemeyer spoke to members of the Waupun Lions Club at their February meeting. Learn how the fine arts are alive and growing in Waupun in a press release after the newsletter.



WAUPUN TAXI

Need a Ride?

Waupun Taxi Hours:

- Mon-Thu 6am-6pm
- Fri 6am-6pm & 9:30pm-2:30am
- Sat 9am-2pm & 9:30pm-2:30am
- Closed Sundays & Holidays

Package delivery is also available!

324-2426

The City of Waupun contracts with Waupun Taxi to provide shared-ride taxi services within the city.

SUBMISSION INFO:

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

VIETNAM WAR 50TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION

A kick-off event commemorating the 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War will be held on Thursday, April 30th from 5:00-8:00pm at the Waupun Public Library. More details are provided in a press release after newsletter. Pictured below displaying the 50th Anniversary Vietnam War Commemoration Banner are members of Waupun's Bentley-Hull V.F.W. Post 6709, from left: Fred Zurbuchen, John Bille, Larry Klosterman, Garret Yunto, Cliff Teletzke, George Baumann, Post Commander Frank Mesa, Dave Edwards, Merle Schouten, John Williamson, & Larry Duer.





Photo by LaMont Page
Waupun Family Aquatic Center

4-H SUMMER CAMP

Youth ages 9-15 are invited to Have Fun at Summer Camp!, June 10-13.

Camp includes swimming, canoeing, games, crafts, science experiments, nature activities and more.

Camp Sinawa is located



near Valders, WI.

Early bird registration is \$90 (due by May 1), or \$100 after May 1.

See the flyer following the newsletter for more details on Summer Camp.

MOMS & MORE Night Out

Tuesday, March 24
6:00-8:00pm

Central Wisconsin Christian School

Local Vendors, Door Prizes, Fellowship, Fun!!



UPCOMING EVENTS!

Mon 3/9—Friends of the Waupun Library hold their monthly **Book Sale** from 10am—6pm

Tues 3/10—A **Basic Computer Workshop** is held at the Library from 9-10:30am. **“Making a Gmail Account” Workshop** is from 12:30-2:00pm.

Tues 3/10—Make Lego creations at the Library from 6-7pm during **Legos at Your Library**

Wed 3/11—Children are invited to the Library for short stories, interactive activities and crafts during **Family Storytime** at 10:30am

Wed 3/11—Head to Waupun High at 7pm for **Donkey Basketball!** Tickets \$6 in advance (at the HS), \$8 door



Thurs 3/12—**iPad Workshop** (9:00-10:30am) and **Google Docs & Calendar Workshop** (12:30-2:00) will be held at the Library

Fri 3/13—Win prizes during **Free Bingo** at the Senior Center at 1pm!

Check out more events at www.WaupunFestivals.com and “Like” Waupun Festivals – Wisconsin Events on Facebook!

WASD Calendar

Mar 9 – Board of Education Communications (6pm), Personnel (7pm), Long Range Planning (8pm) Committee Meetings

Mar 10, 7:00pm—Band-O-Rama at Rock River Intermediate School

Mar 11, 7:00pm—Donkey Basketball, High School Gym



School District Dialogue

SHOWCASE OF DANCE MARCH 13

Waupun Warriorettes Dance Team invites you to their 6th Annual Showcase of Dance “High School Musical” on Friday, March 13 from 6:30-8:30pm at the Waupun High School. Concessions will be available for purchase. Dances featured include Jr High and Varsity Warriorette

Teams, the Youth Pomz program, Masters of Movement Program and Parent Dance,



and the popular Black Light Routine!

Tickets are \$5 for Adults (pre-order for \$3 - contact Missy at m_derksen@hotmail.com), \$1 for students, ages 5 and under are free.

WASD CELEBRATES WORLD DOWN SYNDROME DAY ON MARCH 20

On Friday, March 20th Waupun Area School District celebrates World Down Syndrome Day. Learn about Down Syndrome, the most

common chromosome abnormality in humans, and meet Evan, a 5th grader at RRIS, after the newsletter!

Students can show their support by wearing crazy, silly socks to school on March 20 or BY participating in a coloring contest!



Harris Mill Park

“Retire Wisely”

**March 11
6:00-7:00pm
Waupun Pizza
Ranch**

Thrivent Financial is hosting this free event which offers answers to key retirement questions.

Presented by
Jonathan Leonard

*More details in a
press release
following the
newsletter!*

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Community Events & News

LOCAL THRIVENT FINANCIAL REPRESENTATIVE RECEIVES LTC DESIGNATION

Jonathan Leonard, Financial Representative with Thrivent Financial has been awarded a professional designation in the field of long-term care, Certified in Long-Term

Care (CLTC). The program is independent of the insurance industry and focuses on providing financial service professionals the tools needed to meet their cli-

ent's long-term care needs.

Additional information is provided in a press release after the newsletter.

VER HAGE FURNITURE AWARDS NEW SOFA TO “UGLY SOFA CONTEST” WINNER

Recently Ver Hage Furniture Mart awarded Penny Hull of Waupun (on left) the Grand Prize Winner of the Ugly Sofa Contest. Penny receives a brand new sofa from Ver-Hage Furniture Mart. The store ran a contest on Facebook where individuals could submit pictures of their ugly sofas.



A WORD FROM RADIO SHACK JACK

Q-Tronics, is an independently owned RadioShack Dealer in Downtown Waupun and is not effected by the RadioShack Corporations bankruptcy protection/reorganization that is occurring. The store has been proudly serving the Waupun area since 1998

and Jack is ready and will continue to serve the community well into the future. It is the one place to go for all your personal electronic, cellular and computer needs.

At right are Mayor Kyle and Q-Tronics owner Jack Qualman.



NATIONAL BANK OF WAUPUN REMODELS ITS MAIN OFFICE

A few weeks ago NBW began the process of remodeling and upgrading their main office on Main Street. Photos and additional details on this exciting project are provided after the news-

letter.

At right, Mayor Kyle is pictured with NBW President Jerry O'Connor (on left).



COMPUTER WORKSHOPS HOSTED BY WAUPUN PUBLIC LIBRARY



Basic Computer Workshop

March 10 from 9:00 - 10:30 am - This class will teach the basics of using the computer and is for all beginners. Computer terms, mouse, keyboard, left click, right click, drag and drop, highlighting, icons on desktops, copy and paste, make folders on desktop, several other computer functions will be covered.



"Making a Gmail Account" Workshop

March 10 from 12:30 - 2:00 pm - This class will teach the basic functions of email and is for all beginners. Each person will create a gmail (email) account and learn hands on. We will go over the various functions of email; compose, receive, reply, forward and insert attachments. We will learn how to add contacts and how to print.

BRING 2 TO 4 EMAIL ADDRESSES OF FAMILY OR FRIENDS



iPad Workshop

March 12 from 9:00 – 10:30 am - This class will teach the basic functions of the iPad and is for all beginners. Students will learn the iPad buttons, how to create an iTunes account, how to add apps, how to make folders and where to find free apps. **STUDENTS WILL NEED TO BRING THEIR OWN IPAD.**



Google Docs and Calendar Workshop

March 12 from 12:30 – 2:00 pm - This class will teach the basics of Google Docs and Calendar, geared towards all beginners. We will learn how to use google docs for word processing. We will learn how to add events in the calendar and get notifications of special events.

Seats are limited! Sign up required. Call the Waupun Public Library to sign up, 324-7925

WAUPUN FAMILY AQUATIC CENTER

Summer 2015
June 6 – September 7



LOCATED IN FOND DU LAC COUNTY PARK

The Waupun Family Aquatic Center features zero depth entry, two water slides, a kiddie slide, water spouts and fountains; a lap pool area, two diving boards, a bathhouse with private changing and showering areas; tables, lounges, large shade umbrellas and concession stand with snacks and refreshments; as well as a separate shelter area that can be rented for private use.

PURCHASE A SUMMER PASS BEFORE APRIL 15 AND SAVE \$5!

Passes can be purchased at the Waupun Family Aquatic Center during operating hours. Passes may be purchased prior to pool opening at the Waupun Senior Center. Please make all checks payable to the City of Waupun.

CITY OF WAUPUN

General Swimming Pool Information



YMCA OF DODGE COUNTY

The YMCA of Dodge County in collaboration with the City of Waupun, will be providing lifeguard management of the Waupun Family Aquatic Center. Any questions regarding operational hours or activities can be directed to the YMCA of Dodge County Aquatics Director at (920) 887-8811 ext.111.

HOURS OF OPERATION

JUNE 6 - JULY 31

Open Swim

Monday - Friday 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 Night Swim 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
 Saturday & Sunday 11:00 am - 8:00 pm

Lap Swim - Adult Swim

Monday - Friday 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

AUGUST 1 - SEPTEMBER 7

Open Swim

Monday - Friday 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm
 Saturday & Sunday 11:00 am - 7:00 pm

Pool hours subject to change based on weather/attendance.

NOTE: 3:00 pm - 3:15 pm all pool break; weekends only.

FEES - NO RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

SEASON PASSES

Individual Pass \$50
 Family Pass \$100

Our Family Season Pass is intended for immediate family only; all family members must reside at the same address. A maximum of five family members per Family Season Pass. Any additional family members can be added for \$10 each.

DAILY PASSES

Ages 3 years and under **FREE**
 Ages 4 years and older \$4
 Night Swim: June and July Only \$2
 (Monday-Friday, 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm)

Please note that all patrons are required to pay to enter the Waupun Family Aquatic Center; whether swimming or not.

SPECIAL EVENTS

FATHER'S DAY JUNE 21

Dads get in for \$1 all day long!

RECIPROCAL DAYS JUNE 20, JULY 18 & AUGUST 8

Horicon Pass holders will be able to use the Horicon Aquatic Center or Fox Lake Aquatic Center for FREE.

FAMILY SUNDAES JULY 12

Ice cream sundaes for the family from 3 pm - 5 pm

TEEN NIGHTS

Youth ages 12-17 come and enjoy organized activities.

June 19 & July 17 from 8 pm - 9 pm

August 7 from 7 pm - 8 pm

WATER AEROBICS (AGES 16+)

Get a great aerobic workout while exercising to your favorite dance tunes.

FREE with a daily or season pass

Mondays & Wednesdays, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

June 8 - July 29

SWIM LESSON SESSIONS

Session 1	June 29 - July 9	Registration Deadline: June 24
Session 2	July 13 - July 23	Registration Deadline: July 8
Session 3	July 27 - August 6	Registration Deadline: July 22
Session 4	August 10 - August 20	Registration Deadline: August 5

For more information on swim lessons visit the YMCA of Dodge County online at www.theYdc.org or call (920) 887-8811 ext. 111

CONTACT INFORMATION

Waupun Family Aquatic Center (920) 324-7924

Waupun Senior Center (920) 324-7930

YMCA of Dodge County (920) 887-8811

PRIVATE SHELTER RENTAL

New Pricing! Rent the shelter for all occasions. For more information, contact the Pool Manager at (920) 324-7924.

Complete form below and return with payment to purchase passes. Make checks payable to the City of Waupun.

Family Last Name _____

First Name (1) _____ First Name (2) _____

First Name (3) _____ First Name (4) _____

First Name (5) _____ First Name (6) _____

** \$10 Additional Family Pass Fee*

Address _____

Phone (Home) _____ Phone (Other) _____

I/We the Parent(s) or Guardian(s) of the above individual(s) hereby release, absolve and agree to hold harmless the organizers, supervisors, city employees and participants from any claims arising out of injury to me/us or my/our child(ren). I/We accept full responsibility for liability and cost of treatment from injury for the above registered person(s). I/We agree to treat with respect any and all staff involved and any equipment that is utilized throughout the summer season.

Signature _____ Date _____



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WAUPUN 2015 Swim Lessons

The YMCA swim lessons program is based on swimming skills that will allow participants to enjoy aquatic activities throughout their lives. These include personal safety, survival and rescue skills, stroke development, water sports and games. Below, we have listed each level and the corresponding Red Cross level for easy identification. We will be testing all of the students on their first day of each session to determine appropriate class placement. Please indicate the level that most appropriately fits your child's skill level.

All swim lessons will be held at the Waupun Family Aquatic Center. Lessons may be cancelled in the event that the air temperature drops below 65 degrees, the water temperature drops below 72 degrees, or if it is lightening or thundering. We reserve the right to combine or cancel classes. All swim classes may be combined or cancelled after the first day of class if a minimum enrollment of 4 children is not met. Each class time holds a maximum number of participants. We will be accepting limited registrations for each time frame to try to stay within YMCA guidelines of 1 instructor-to-8 students maximum. Registration is on a first come, first serve basis. **Register early!**

PRESCHOOL LEVELS

Perch (Pr) Ages 2 - 3

Children start moving independently through the water without a parent, as well as learn how to adjust to a class situation.

Pike (Pk) Ages 3 - 5

This level helps children develop safe pool behavior, adjust to the water and develop independent movement in the water. It is designed for new swimmers, teaching basic paddle stroke and kicking skills, pool safety, proper use of instructional flotation devices and comfort holding their face in the water while blowing bubbles and swimming.

Eel (Ei) Ages 3 - 5

This advanced beginner level that reinforces Pike skills, for children who are comfortable in the water. Children are taught to kick, float and perform basic paddle strokes. Children can swim 10 yards with the flotation device and 5 feet without by the end of this level.

Ray (Ry) Ages 3 - 5

At this level children review previous skills, learn more personal safety and rescue skills, build endurance by swimming on their front and back and learn to tread water. Children can swim across the pool on their front and back without assistance by the end of this level.

Starfish (Sf) Ages 3 - 5

Children at this level review previously learned skills and refine their strokes, as well as their personal safety, rescue and floating skills. Children can swim one length of the pool on both front and back.

YOUTH LEVELS

Poliwog (Pl) Ages 6+

This is the beginner level for school age children. It gets children acquainted with the pool, the use of flotation devices, floating and basic swim strokes. By the end of this level they will know front, side and back stroke and will swim one length of the pool without assistance.

Guppy (Gp) Ages 6+

Children continue to practice and build upon basic skills, now performing skills without a flotation device. They are introduced to lead-up strokes to the front crawl and back crawl.

Minnow (Mn) Ages 6+

This is the initial intermediate level. Children further refine the lead-up strokes they have learned as their strokes become more like those normally used in swimming. They will continue to learn personal safety skills.

Fish (F) Ages 6+

At this point, children work to perform the crawl stroke, elementary backstroke, back crawl and breaststroke with turns. They will continue to learn additional swimming movements and personal safety.

Flying Fish (Ff) Ages 6+

At this advanced level, children work to perform the sidestroke and butterfly, refining previously learned strokes and increasing endurance.

Shark (Shk) Ages 6+

The children at this level continue to improve their strokes with starts and turns and are introduced to the inverted breaststroke, the trudgeon crawl and the over arm sidestroke. Opportunities are provided for the work on synchronized swimming, rescue skills and competitive swimming.

Porpoise (Porp) Ages 6+

At this final level children are exposed to a wide range of aquatic experiences. In class these advanced swimmers learn new strokes and rescue skills as well as develop leadership skills.

Parents Name _____ Emergency Contact _____

Address _____ Phone _____ (Circle One: Home Work Cell)

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Relationship _____

Phone _____ (Circle One: Home Work Cell)

Name	Date of Birth	Session	Level	Time
1 _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2 _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3 _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Liability Waiver: I hereby certify that my child(ren) is/are in normal health and capable of safe participation in the YMCA/Waupun Swimming Lesson Program. I assume all risk and hazards incidental to the conduct of this program. I hereby authorize medical treatment for my child(ren) in the event that parents cannot be reached.

Signature _____ Date _____



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PRESCHOOL AND YOUTH SWIMMING LESSONS

Fees: \$20

Preschool & Youth classes are 30 minutes in length. All classes are 4 days per week, Monday - Thursday. All children will be tested on the first day of class to ensure that they are at the right level. Please sign up for the time frame that works best for you.

REGISTER EARLY... Space is limited!

REGISTRATION

Registration and fees are currently being accepted at the Waupun Senior Center or at the Waupun Family Aquatic Center beginning June 6th during normal operating hours. **Registration form on reverse side.** Checks or money orders will only be accepted.

Make Checks/Money Orders payable to the YMCA of Dodge County.

For questions regarding swimming lessons or the Waupun Family Aquatic Center, contact the Aquatics Director at 920 887 8811 ext. 111.

Session 1: June 29 - July 9

11:00 am - 11:30 am (ages 2-5)

11:35 am - 12:05 pm (ages 6+)

12:10 pm - 12:40 pm (ages 6+)

Make up day: July 3 & 10

Registration Deadline: June 24

Session 2: July 13 - July 23

11:00 am - 11:30 am (ages 2-5)

11:35 am - 12:05 pm (ages 6+)

12:10 pm - 12:40 pm (ages 6+)

Make up days: July 17 & July 24

Registration Deadline: July 8

Session 3: July 27 - August 6

11:00 am - 11:30 am (ages 6+)

11:35 am - 12:05 pm (ages 6+)

12:10 pm - 12:40 pm (ages 2-5)

Make up days: July 31 & August 7

Registration Deadline: July 22

Session 4: August 10 - August 20

11:00 am - 11:30 am (ages 6+)

11:35 am - 12:05 pm (ages 6+)

12:10 pm - 12:40 pm (ages 2-5)

Make up days: August 14 & August 21

Registration Deadline: August 5

SUMMER SWIM TEAM

Fees: \$25

The Waupun Summer Swim Team is an opportunity for boys and girls ages 18 and younger to swim competitively.

Practices are by age group: ages 8 and under & ages 9+

Swim meets, both home and away, will be scheduled throughout the summer. Minimum of 8 participants.

Tuesdays & Thursdays

June 23 - August 8

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

WAUPUN SENIOR CENTER

301 E. Main Street, Waupun WI 53916

P (920) 324-7930

YMCA OF DODGE COUNTY

220 Corporate Drive, Beaver Dam WI 53916

P (920) 887-8811 W theYdc.org O facebook.com/theYdc

BE A PARK LEADER!

Summer Job Opportunity

Looking for a summer job? Apply to be a Waupun Park Leader!

Job Duties:

- Supervising children age 7 and up
- Actively leading park activities
- Chaperoning field trips
- Communicating with parents and staff



When: Monday—Friday from June 15—August 21

Time: 9:00am—Noon & 1:00—4:00pm

Interested? Contact Rachel Kaminski at 324-7930.





Beaver Dam Community Hospitals Foundation, Inc. presents

The world-renowned Trinity Irish Dancers

Saturday, March 21, 2015

Beaver Dam High School Auditorium
500 Gould St.

Traditional Show
1:30 pm

Tickets:

\$15.00 Adults
\$5.00 Children (12 and under)

Trinity Show
4:00 pm

Tickets:

\$15.00 Adults
\$5.00 Children (12 and under)

Proceeds benefit the BDCH Foundation's Hillside Hospice and Breast Health programs

For more information go to www.bdch.com/foundation or call 920-887-5927

Gold and Silver Sponsors:



Tickets Available At:

Beaver Dam

- Piggly Wiggly
- Rehek's Food Pride

Columbus

- Julie's Java House

Horicon

- Marshland Pharmacy

Juneau

- Jensen's Piggly Wiggly

Mayville

- Mountin's Piggly Wiggly

Randolph

- Piggly Wiggly

Waupun

- Piggly Wiggly



Like us on Facebook!

Waupun Strollerobics



“Not Just a Stroll in the Park!”

- **Tuesday’s and Thursday’s 9:00-10:00am, year round**
- Free!
- Varied Meeting Locations:
 - Outside (above 40°) - Harris Mill Park (by the mill pond), Auto Tour at the Horicon Marsh, County Park Campground, Pine Street Park Walking Trail, and The Boardwalk.
 - Inside (under 40°) - Immanuel Lutheran Church & Alto Community Center. No Stroller needed, just hand weights and a mat.
- Started in September 2012
- pre and post-natal fitness session for every stage of motherhood
- 60 min. total fitness program which includes:
 - Outdoor - power walking with intervals of strength and toning exercises while kids are in strollers
 - Indoor - intervals of strength and toning with hand weights or baby and body weight and use of mats. No strollers needed.
- Benefits: Have FUN!!!, set positive examples for your kids, make new friends, create a support system, get out of the house, donate to a family at holiday time, exchange healthy recipes, many organized play dates
- Check out the **Waupun Strollerobics Facebook Page** to stay updated!

PRESS RELEASE
March 3, 2015
For Immediate Release
Waupun Lions Club

The Waupun Lions Club invites all eligible and interested high school Seniors to consider applying for its 2015 scholarship.

The Lions are offering a two or four year renewable scholarship in the amount of \$750 per year. The applicant must currently attend a school within the Waupun School District attendance area and must have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better through the seventh semester of their high school career. The scholarship is also open to students who have been home schooled who reside in the Waupun School District attendance area and meet all the requirements as noted. The completed application, an official transcript of grades, and two references must be turned in to either of the Waupun area high schools or to Lion Richard Steinbach, 731 Fern Street, Waupun no later than Monday, April 13, 2015. Application forms may be obtained at the Guidance Office at either the Waupun Area Junior/Senior High School or the Central Wisconsin Christian High School. To utilize the scholarship the recipient must become a full-time student at an accredited college or technical school and maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better. The purpose of the scholarship is to assist a student who has graduated from high school to pursue his/her education in any four year college degree program or two year associate degree vocational/technical program.

This scholarship is funded by proceeds from various fundraisers held by the Waupun Lions Club.

PRESS RELEASE
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For Immediate Release
Waupun Lions Club

The fine arts are alive and growing in Waupun.

Sue Haefmeyer, a member of Waupun Fine Arts, Inc. (WFA), spoke to the members of the Waupun Lions Club at their meeting in February. The group has a rich history in Waupun. Started in 1998, in an attempt to utilize the auditorium at City Hall, the WFA hosted open dance lessons for the community. Later the founders, Lori Page and Melanie Williams, began to host concerts in the auditorium.

As musicians came back year after year for the auditorium's excellent acoustics, the WFA began to repair and restore the stage and original architecture. Haefmeyer told the Lions that remodeling projects are planned for the future to continue restoring the 1928 building.

In addition to hosting concerts inside City Hall, WFA hosts "Concerts in the Park" – an outdoor musical event every Thursday night in July. "Concerts in the Park" is held in Dodge Park, an outdoor space maintained by the Waupun Lions. The event typically gets many local community groups involved. The Waupun VFW, the Waupun Animal Shelter and Cub Scouts have all helped to provide and serve refreshments to concert goers.

Haefmeyer also mentioned that WFA would be promoting the building of a new shelter in the next year to store concert equipment.

In addition to concerts, WFA organizes the Waupun Art and Craft Fair each August. The Fair is a one-day event featuring many of Wisconsin's talented artists, handcrafted jewelry, sculptures, and woodworking. In cooperation with the Waupun Public Library and two local art teachers, WFA also organizes the Waupun Fine Arts Gallery in the second floor of the library. The space features the work of local artists which rotates every six to eight weeks.

Along with the WFA, Haefmeyer and Page started Waupun Festivals, Inc. – an organization promoting the City of Waupun as a "great place to live." Waupun Festivals was the group behind "Celebrate Waupun," a free, three-day community festival highlighting the unique qualities of the City of Waupun to visitors and residents alike.

Waupun Fine Arts is dedicated to promoting and supporting local artists of yesterday, today and tomorrow. Meetings are held every second Wednesday of the month, at 7 p.m. at the Waupun Public Library. For more information go to www.waupunfinearts.org.



Have Fun at Summer Camp

June 10-13, 2015

What cool stuff you'll do:

Swimming, canoeing, playing games, creating crafts, science experiments, campfires and making s'mores, participating in a talent show, tie dying, nature activities, dancing, making new friends and great memories.



Who can attend:

Youth age 9-15 (as of June 11th)

Where is it:

Camp Sinawa, located near Valders, WI (about an hour away from Fond du Lac)

How much is it:

\$90 if registered by May 1st

\$100 if registered after May 1st

What's included:

Transportation to camp, nutritious meals, snacks, 3 nights of lodging, and all supplies.

Sponsored by:

Fond du Lac County UW Extension 4-H.

Camp staff consists of 4-H adult leaders, kitchen staff, life guards, health care staff, youth directors and counselors who are dedicated to making the camp fun, successful, and safe. Questions call-(920) 929-3174

Transportation:

Bus transportation is provided to camp from UW Fond du Lac. Drop off your camper at 1:15PM Kids have to be picked up **from camp** at noon on June 13 by a parent/guardian.

Family Lunch:

Parents and siblings are invited to have lunch with campers on Saturday, June 13 when you pick up your child. If you plan to have lunch indicate below, how many people will be eating.

Other Info:

You will receive a letter with details on what to bring, directions to the campgrounds, and health and expectation forms after the registration deadline.

Summer Camp Registration Form for Community Youth

(4-H members enroll through www.4honline.com)

Parent's name: _____

Camper's name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ ZIP: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ Gender: Male Female

Birthdate: ___/___/___ Grade(as of fall 2015): _____

Parents and siblings lunch on Saturday June 13th: (not including camper) #Adults ___ # of Children ___

Ages of Children: _____

T-shirt size: (Check 1) Youth Medium Youth Large Adult Medium

Adult Large Adult X-Large Adult XX-Large

Make Check Payable to: **4-H Adult Leaders Association** _____ Total Enclosed

Please return registration form and payment to:

UW-Extension Fond du Lac County
227 Admin/Extension Building
400 University Drive
Fond du Lac, WI 54935



Vietnam War 50th Anniversary Commemoration

In 2008, the National Defense Authorization Act authorized the Secretary of Defense to conduct a program to Commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War.

In partnership with the Defense Department, the Waupun Veterans of Foreign Wars, Bentley-Hull V.F.W. Post 6709, is proud to honor those veterans.

Our Mission is to assist a grateful Nation in thanking and honoring its Vietnam War veterans, their families, the fallen, the wounded, those who were held as Prisoners of War, those listed as missing or unaccounted for, those who supported or contributed on the home front, agencies and organizations that served or supported the Armed Forces, and to recognize contributions made by our Allies during the Vietnam War.

This Commemoration program had a series of events over several years which occurred on National, State, and Community levels.

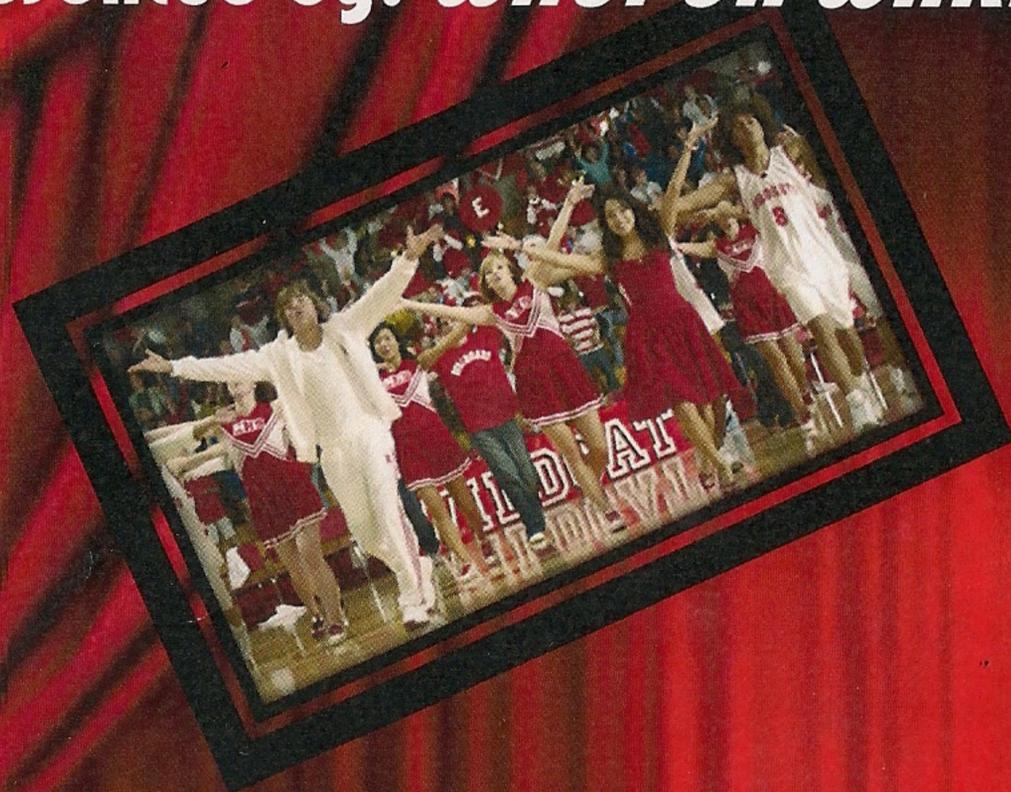
The local kick-off event will be held on Thursday, April 30, from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Community Room at the Waupun Public Library. Join us as we honor our veterans and other community citizens of that era.



Displaying the 50th Anniversary Vietnam War Commemoration Banner are members of Waupun's Bentley-Hull V.F.W. Post 6709, from left: Fred Zurbuchen, John Bille, Larry Klosterman, Garret Yunto, Cliff Teletzke, George Baumann, Post Commander Frank Mesa, Dave Edwards, Merle Schouten, John Williamson, and Larry Duer.

6th Annual Showcase of Dance

Presented by: **WAUPUN WARRIOMETTES DANCE TEAM**



Waupun High School

March 13th 2015

6:30-8:30 pm

HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL

Concessions:

~PIZZA~HOTDOGS~POPCORN~CANDY~BAKED GOODS~SODA~WATER

Admission Prices:

\$5.00 for Adults (Pre-order \$3.00)

\$1.00 for Students

Age 5 and under are FREE!

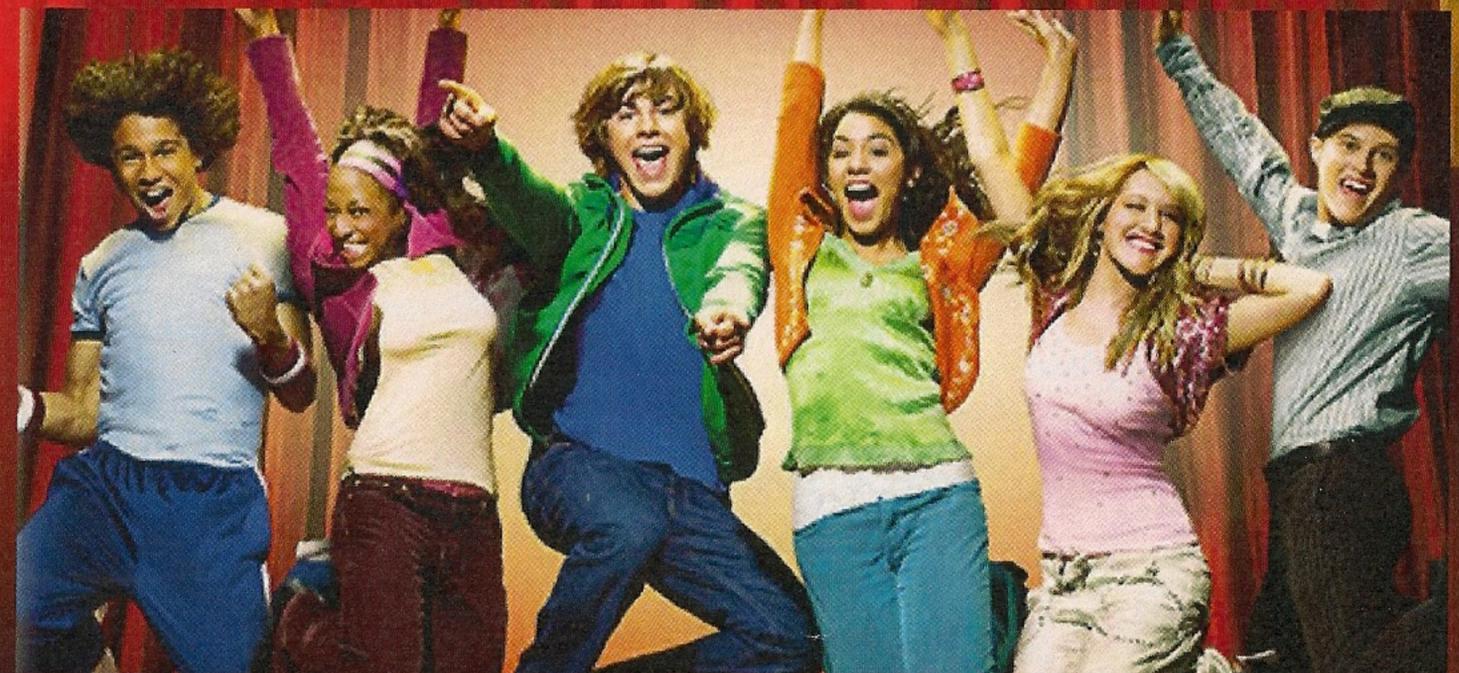
Dances Featured:

Jr. High and Varsity Warriorette Teams

Warriorettes Youth Pomz program

Masters of Movement Program and Parent Dance

And the ever popular BLACKLIGHT ROUTINE!!



ON FRIDAY, MARCH 20TH, WASD CELEBRATES

WORLD DOWN SYNDROME DAY

What is Down Syndrome?

- Down syndrome is the most common chromosome abnormality in humans, occurring in about one per 1000 babies born each year. It is named after John Langdon Down, the British doctor who fully described the syndrome in 1866.
- Down syndrome, also known as trisomy 21, is a genetic disorder caused by the presence of all or part of a third copy of chromosome 21. It is typically associated with physical growth delays, characteristic facial features, and mild to moderate intellectual disability. The average IQ of a young adult with Down syndrome is 50, equivalent to the mental age of an 8- or 9-year-old child, but this varies widely.
- Down syndrome can be identified during pregnancy by prenatal screening followed by diagnostic testing, or after birth by direct observation and genetic testing. Since the introduction of screening, pregnancies with the diagnosis are often terminated. Regular screening for health problems common in Down syndrome is recommended throughout the person's life.
- Education and proper care have been shown to improve quality of life. Some children with Down syndrome are educated in typical school classes, while others require more specialized education. Some individuals with Down syndrome graduate from high school and a few attend post-secondary education. In adulthood, about 20% in the United States do paid work in some capacity with many requiring a sheltered work environment. Support in financial and legal matters is often needed. Life expectancy is around 50 to 60 years in the developed world with proper health care.
- Those with Down syndrome nearly always have physical and intellectual disabilities. As adults, their mental abilities are typically similar to those of an 8- or 9-year-old. They also typically have poor immune function and generally reach developmental milestones at a later age. They have an increased risk of a number of other health problems, including congenital heart disease, leukemia, thyroid disorders, and mental illness, among others. People with Down syndrome may have some or all of these physical characteristics: a small chin, slanted eyes, poor muscle tone, a flat nasal bridge, a single crease of the palm, and a protruding tongue due to a small mouth and large tongue. These airway changes lead to obstructive sleep apnea in around half of those with Down syndrome. Other common features include: a flat and wide face, a short neck, excessive joint flexibility, extra space between big toe and second toe, abnormal patterns on the fingertips and short fingers. Instability of the atlantoaxial joint occurs in about 20% and may lead to spinal cord injury in 1–2%. Hip dislocations may occur without trauma in up to a third of people with Down syndrome.

Want to learn more?

- Visit www.worlddownsyndromeday.org
- Visit the National Down Syndrome Society at www.ndss.org

SEE THE ABILITY...NOT THE DISABILITY!

Get to know EVAN, 5th grader at RRIS!

- Evan was born April 7, 2003 prematurely weighing in less than 3 pounds following an emergency C-section at Meriter Hospital where he remained for the next eight weeks. Two weeks prior to coming home they diagnosed Evan with Down Syndrome. While at Meriter Hospital he experienced Bronchial Pulmonary Dysplasia which required continuous oxygen for the next 9 months of his life. Evan was fed thru an NG-tube starting at 2cc of a breast milk/neo-sure diet. He had a pic line inserted in his forehead for his meds. Evan couldn't maintain his body heat so he needed to spend most of his time in his incubator. During Evan's early years he was very susceptible to pneumonia due to his BPD spending sometimes up to a week in the hospital. Also during this span Evan had an umbilical hernia repair and hydro-seal repair. Evan developed asthma at the age of 3 which still requires a daily inhaler. Around the age of 7 he was diagnosed with Graves' disease which is a combination of hypo and hyper thyroid which requires daily medication. And, most recently Evan required surgery to patch a hole in his upper part of his ear drum and to explore the bones of hearing for further complications of a hearing loss.
- Evan enjoys giving hugs and introductions, music, technology, photography, reading, baseball, fishing & swimming. He enjoys playing with his pet's Pumpkin and Ruger at his dad's house. And, he was very attached to Bandit, his ferret and Grandma Kay and Papa Russ's 2 labs Rocky and Woody which are now in pet heaven. Of course, he loves to go somewhere to eat any chance he can get. His favorite spots include Culvers for their cheeseburgers, Kwik Trip for their milkshakes, Helen's Kitchen for their breakfast and Schaumburg's for their root beer and grilled cheese. Most of all, Evan loves visiting and playing with his cousins Jensen, Cameron, Brady, Kaiden, and Hadlie.
- Evans dislikes (and yes he has a few), include turning off tech time, some textured foods, new foods, loud noises, people touching his head or any type of physical contact without Evan initiating it.
- It is very difficult to get Evan to shut down for the night and go to bed or any down time for that fact. It is difficult for him to take on a new task without repeated instruction. However, once obtained he has a very good memory. Evan has a hard time being off routine and staying focused when there are too many distractions. And, he is hard to discipline when he turns on the "I love you" switch. He does enjoy doing his chores especially if there is an incentive.
- Evan shares his time with mom Julie in Fox Lake, father and stepmom Brett & Bonnie and stepsister Amber in Burnett. He currently attends fifth grade at Rock River Intermediate School where he spends the majority of his day in Mrs. Gilbert's special education class.



How can you show your support?

- Wear your craziest, silliest, mis-matchiest socks on 3/20 to school
- Coloring contest! (all grades) Give your colored picture to your teacher by Friday, 3/20
- Wear yellow & blue colors on Saturday 3/21 (which is the official World Down Syndrome Day), take a picture of yourself and put it on Facebook with the post: [I wear yellow & blue for #WORLDDOWNSYNDROMEDAY](#)

For more information related to the Waupun Area School District Special Education services, visit the district website at www.waupun.k12.wi.us, then click on District, then Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment.

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Thrivent Financial hosting free “Retire Wisely” event

Event will offer answers to key retirement questions.

Waupun, WI (Feb 11, 2015) – Thrivent Financial is hosting a free educational event to help attendees learn how to retire with confidence. The one hour event will be held at 6 p.m., Wednesday, March 11 at Pizza Ranch, 900 W. Main St. in Waupun. The event is presented by Jonathan Leonard, Financial Representative with Thrivent Financial in Waupun.

The event will offer important updates and answer questions many retirees face:

- Will I have enough to retire?
- Will my retirement income last?
- Are my assets protected?

“Many people have serious questions about their retirement strategies,” said Leonard. “This event is designed to help people understand what all of their options are and to offer guidance to keep their retirement strategy on course.”

The event is available to the public but space is limited. To register for this free event, individuals may call Jonathan Leonard at 920-392-6846 or email jonathan.leonard@thrivent.com.

Complimentary dinner will be served following the event.

Thrivent Financial is represented in the local area by Jonathan Leonard. He has offices at 9 Fond Du Lac St. in Waupun and can also be reached at 920-392-6846.

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Local Thrivent Financial representative receives long-term care designation

Leonard is now Certified in Long-Term Care (CLTC)

Waupun, WI (02/02/2015) Jonathan Leonard, Financial Representative with Thrivent Financial has been awarded a professional designation in the field of long-term care, Certified in Long-Term Care (CLTC). The program is independent of the insurance industry and focuses on providing financial service professionals the tools needed to meet their client's long-term care needs.

The Certified in Long-Term Care program is the long-term care insurance industry's only independent professional designation. Created in 1999, the course is focused on the field of long-term care planning and provides legal, accounting, insurance and financial service professionals the critical tools necessary to address the subject matter with their middle-age clients.

The goal of the designation is to teach financial professionals how to create a plan that preserves the emotional, physical, and financial well-being of a client's family should care be necessary. Once established, options to fund that plan, including, Medicare, Medicaid, the Veterans Administration, self-funding and long-term care insurance, are reviewed and recommended where appropriate.

"I strive to provide clients with a financial strategy that meets their needs," said Jonathan. "My ability to do that well depends on my understanding of their unique situation," Jonathan explained.

Participants are provided the information and training needed to offer guidance to families on a range of issues including home care, assisted living, nursing homes, social services, and most importantly, establishing a plan for what will pay for these resources. Ensuring that retirement assets are protected is a primary focus of long-term care conversations, and a long-term care plan of action should be a part of every retirement strategy.

"It is my responsibility to help people understand the emotional, physical and financial consequences associated with providing or paying for care over an extended period of time. It is essential they have this information so they can take action to protect those they love while they have options. I am committed to helping my clients create an appropriate plan to meet their specific needs," said FR Name.

Thrivent Financial is represented in the local area by Financial Representative Jonathan Leonard. He has offices at 9 Fond du Lac Street in Waupun and can also be reached at 920-392-6846.

For more information about CLTC please visit www.ltc-cltc.com.

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The National Bank of Waupun Remodels its Main Office

A few weeks ago NBW began the process of remodeling and upgrading their main office on Main Street. According to President Jerry O'Connor, "we are taking this opportunity to upgrade our facility to reflect the changes in the way banking is conducted. Today more and more of our customers access our bank through our technology branch. This includes automatic deposits and loan payments; use our ATM network for picking up cash; call Telebank or log on to natlbnk.com to access account information, transfer monies or pay your bills."

The last two times the bank was remodeled was in 1975 and 1990 with the bank hosting 10 Lobby Teller windows. "When we are finished we will have three Teller windows in the lobby. This will allow us to create three more offices and expand our customer waiting areas. We are adding a coffee bar and an IT bar. The IT bar will provide access to wi-fi, an i-Pad, a laptop and have plug-ins for re-charging cell phones while you are in the bank."

The bank's history goes back to 1885 when the bank was known as the First National Bank of Waupun and later re-organized as The National Bank of Waupun in 1905. The remodel will include a Founder's Room. "This may be my favorite part of the remodel" O'Connor said. "The Founder's Room is being created for loan closings. In this room we will display some amazing historical items that include an 1885 order for \$5.00 bills from the US Treasury and one of those actual \$5.00 bills. We have currency from 1885, 1905 and 1929 as they were issued with the Bank's name on the bills and they are individually signed by the President and Treasurer of the Bank in those years."

The project is scheduled for completion in mid-May. After that the bank will host an Open House and invite the public to come and see some of the history that covers its founders going back to 1885 all the way up to a 2015 IT bar.



Teller Line Prior to Remodel



Teller Line Under Construction



Rendering of Remodeled Teller Line