



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:

- 9/7—Labor Day, City Hall CLOSED
- 9/8, 4:30pm—Board of Public Works, City Hall Council Chambers
- 9/8, 6:00pm—Common Council, City Hall Council Chambers
- 9/9, 7:00am—Business Improvement District, City Hall Council Chambers
- 9/15, 4:00pm—Community Development Authority, City Hall Council Chambers

Chat with Mayor Kyle



12:00pm Tuesday, Sept 8
The Senior Center

City Hall Happenings

NEW ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLANNER

I wanted to take a moment to introduce myself. My name is Kathy Schlieve and I am excited to join the City of Waupun staff as the new Economic Development Planner for our community. Some of you may recognize me as a member of the Waupun Area School District Board of Education and through my affiliations with REACH Waupun, a non-profit focused on community development. I am a Waupun native and hold degrees from both Milwaukee Area Technical College and Marian University. I have been married to Chuck Schlieve for 28 years and we have one daughter, Samantha, who is in her junior year at Waupun High School. Early in my career, I worked for Grande Cheese

Company as a senior business manager focused on brand development. Prior to joining the City, I was employed by Moraine Park Technical College in economic and workforce development. In my free time, you will find me watching Warrior athletics, in my kitchen cooking, outdoors exploring our great walking trails with my dog, or volunteering and serving in the community. Many of you may be wondering what an Economic Development Planner does. I'll be submitting brief articles periodically to talk about the work that is happening here, but for today I'll leave you with this thought: economic development is focused on improving the local economy through a combination of



activities that generate wealth and promote opportunity for the citizens who live here. It's a collective process and I value your input. If you have ideas for new development, are interested in starting a business or have thoughts about ways to enhance the community, I'd love to hear from you. My office is located in the City Hall. Feel free to stop in or call me at 324-7912.

STORYTIME RETURNS TO WAUPUN PUBLIC LIBRARY

As kids return to school, Family Storytime returns to the Library! Children of all ages, along with their parent or caregiver, are invited to attend this fun, educational event on Wednesday morn-

ings at 11:00am. Storytime includes short stories, interactive activities and crafts.

Storytime Schedule:

September 9, 16, 23, 30

October 7, 14, 21, 28

November 4, 11, 18

December 2, 9, 16



SEPTEMBER 10TH CELEBRATE WAUPUN CAR SHOW MEETING

There is a new event planned for the 5th Annual Celebrate Waupun - a Classic Car Show on Sun-



day, July 3rd, 2016! An informational meeting will be held on Thursday, September 10 at 7pm at the Waupun Community Center for those interested in serving

on the Car Show Committee. If you are interested in the Car Show but are not able to attend the meeting please contact Pete at pkaczmar-ski@cityofwaupun.org.



"Who Sows Believes In God"

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.

Stop by the Waupun Historical Society's website!

<http://waupun.pastperfect-online.com>



Early picture of City Hall

OUT & ABOUT WITH MAYOR KYLE



Mayor Kyle was pleased to take home a (coupon for a) 1/4 steer for being the highest bidder at the Golf Outing & Auction in support of High School Hockey.



Supporting the Waupun Area Chamber of Commerce during their annual Golf Outing fundraiser. Pictured above is the foursome of Kent VandeKolk, Mayor Kyle, Alderman Mike Johnson and Larry Sullivan.



(Above) Attending a fundraiser for Authentic Voices of America, which provides individuals with severe speech impairments the opportunity to enhance their community participation by developing communication skills using augmentative devices. Volunteers Janet & Al Feucht are pictured above.



(At right) Donating to Have a Blast for FAST, which raises funds for the Foundation for Angelman Syndrome Therapeutics. Pictured with Mayor Kyle are Joe, Cameron, Naomi and Piper Beahm. Cameron, now 5 years old, was diagnosed with Angelman Syndrome at age 3.





"Recording Angel"

Have a Family Reunion or Gathering Coming up?



Rent a Park Shelter!

- \$30 resident, \$35 non-resident
- 6 parks available for rent
- For info: Call 324-7930 or visit www.WaupunFestivals.com (Click on Attractions, Parks)

Waupun Family Aquatic Center 324-7924



Open through September 7th!

September hours attached.

DROP-IN SUMMER PARK PROGRAM CONCLUDES WITH PIZZA IN THE PARK

Enjoying pizza to celebrate the last day of the 2015 Drop-in Summer Park Program were, from left, Shelby Lienhard, 12, Kaya Vander Bush, 10, and Kourtney Schulz, 10. Besides having a picnic in Dodge Park, included were fun games and crafts. This year's park program leaders were Bri Tjepkema (McCune Park), Katie Tjepkema (Wilcox Park), Kenzie Mulder (Pine Street Park), Sam Schlieve (Dodge Park), Halle Bradley (West End Park), and Austin Taylor (Zoellner Park). Rachel Kaminski is the Director for the Park programs.

Photo by Larry Duer



Chamber of Commerce Chit-Chat

CHAMBER MEMBER BDCH HOSTS "RACE THE PARKS"

The Beaver Dam Community Hospitals Foundation, Inc. invites you to the 9th Annual Don Reilly "Race the Parks" Cardiac Run/Walk. The event will be held at Swan Park on Saturday, Septem-

ber 26th. Registration begins at 6:30am, Race at 8:00am, Kids Fun Run at 10:00am. Register prior to race day for \$35, \$40 on the 26th. Kids Fun Run is \$15. Registration includes

a 2015 race day t-shirt. See the flyer after the newsletter for more information.

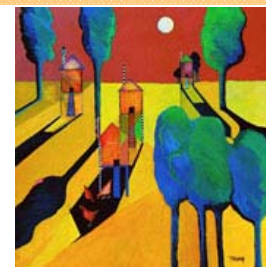


Non-Profit Press

SEPTEMBER 9TH ARTIST RECEPTION

Waupun Fine Arts and Waupun Public Library invite you to attend an Artist Reception for the wellknown and talented artist Leslie Trewyn at the Waupun Fine Arts Gallery inside the Waupun

Public Library from 5:00-7:00pm on Wednesday, September 9th. Refreshments will be served. Leslie's work will be on display in the gallery through October 24th.



22ND ANNUAL VOLKSFEST GERMAN ETHNIC FESTIVAL

Residents and visitors alike will enjoy the tastes and sounds of Munich during the 22nd Annual German Ethnic Festival on Friday, September 11th and Saturday, September 12th!



Head to the Big Tent in Tanner Park as the music and fun kicks off Friday at 10:30am with Carol & the Keynotes, followed by Tuba Dan. The Tapping of the Keg will be at 4:30 and the popular Friday Night Fish Fry runs from 5:00-8:00pm. Saturday begins with the

Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast from 7:00-10:00am, the annual Wild Goose Chase 5K, 10K and Kids Fun Run at 8:30am, Volkswalk sculpture walk beginning at 9:30, and the Stumpf Fiddle Contest at 4pm. Check out the full schedule of events after the newsletter.



Photo by LaMont Page

Waupun Family Aquatic Center

Homan AUTO GROUP

Fall Entertainment Series

Sep. 19, 7:30pm
Tribute to C.C.R.



Oct. 9, 7:00pm
Riders in the Sky,
Western Music
and Comedy



Oct. 24, 7:30pm
Rock, Roll &
Remember, with
the Avalons



www.WaupunFestivals.com

WMH AUXILIARY HOSTS FUNDRAISERS

Waupun Memorial Hospital Auxiliary has several fundraising events coming up!

Fall Mum Sale
Tuesday, September 15 & Wednesday, September 16
8:00am—4:00pm

This year will offer the high-quality mums and hardy asters that are specially grown to blossom and last well into the fall season. New this year! will be "EZ carry" hanging mum baskets. Larger pots of



grass & mums and 3-color pots will again be available.

Bake Sale
Tuesday, September 15
beginning at 8:00am

A variety of bake goods will be available at the hospital's front entrance. Sales will be by donation.

Gifts Galore
Tuesday, October 27
8:00am—4:00pm

Check out the Auxiliary's new fundraiser featuring a silent auction and craft sale! A variety of gift baskets of wine, sports items, and more will be ready for your bidding. Handmade items

will be offered to purchase for yourself or to gift.



About the Auxiliary...

The Auxiliary has been a part of the hospital since they opened in 1951. The Auxiliary raises funds to donate to the local hospital items that benefit patients during their stay. The Auxiliary heads up the WMH Gift Shop, profits from which go toward scholarships to local students in medical education.

FALL ENTERTAINMENT SERIES KICKS OFF SEPTEMBER 19TH

Homan Auto Group's 2015 Fall Entertainment Series kicks off **Saturday, September 19th** with a **Tribute to Creedence Clearwater Revival**.

The Fortunate Sons use original vintage gear and instruments, accurate costumes, and spot-on musical ability to conjure up the full experience of C.C.R.'s music!

Special guests Those Weasels will bring you a lot of well known oldies mixed in with Stones, Dylan,

Creedence, a little trop rock and more.

Doors open at 6:30pm, show starts at 7:30. Tickets are \$20 and \$25. Purchase at Waupun American, Ticket Star Online, or by calling 1-800-895-0071.

Second in the 3-show Entertainment Series line-up is America's Favorite Cowboys—**Riders in the Sky**—

offering cowboy music and comedy on **Friday, October 9th**. Riders are the ONLY exclusively Western artist to have won a Grammy, and they have won two! Riders performed "Woody's



The Fortunate Sons

Round Up" in the movie Toy Story 2, with the album earning them their first Grammy Award in 2001. Two years later, Riders roped their second, for "Monsters Inc. - Scream Factory Favorites," the companion CD to the Pixar movie.

Rounding out the Series on **Saturday, October 24th** take a memorable journey through the 50's, 60's and early 70's as we Rock, Roll & Remember with **The Avalons**.



Those Weasels

ers performed "Woody's



"Dawn of Day"

Waupun Area Animal Shelter's "A Day Gone to the Dogs"



Sat., Sept 19
11:00am

Start getting your Pooch Parade pledges now!
Info attached.

Waupun Craft Center
Announces their Fall Class Schedule
(Flyer Attached)



Meeting Times:
Thursdays 9-11am
September - April
Emmanuel Reformed Church

PERRE FAMILY SERVES AT COMMUNITY TABLE

The Perre Family of Waupun provided and served a free hot meal on Friday, August 21, at the Waupun Community Table. Shown at the kitchen serving window, from left, is Sue and Ken Perre and his sister Diane Hendricks. Additional sisters who helped in preparing the meal included, Julie Brooks, Rita Perre/Davis and Kathy Starbird, along with Diane's husband Mark. The Community Table is open every Friday at 16 S. Mill Street in Waupun from 11:00am-1:30pm to anyone in need of a hot meal.

Photo by Larry Duer



CHRISTIAN HOME PIE SOCIAL



The Waupun Christian Home & Rehabilitation Center held their annual old-fashioned Pie & Ice Cream Social on Wednesday evening, August 26. Also available were Sloppy Jo sandwiches and beverages for a free-will donation, proceeds to be used to help in rebuilding the bird aviary for residents to enjoy. In the parking lot outside the home, a number of classic cars were available for visitors to view. Enjoying a delicious homemade pie is 5-year old Addie Smits with her grandmother Marilyn Smits.

Photo by Larry Duer.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Thursdays—Pick up fresh flowers, produce, honey, maple syrup, crafts, and much more from 3:30-6:30pm at the **Farmers Market** at Tanner Park!
Please note—the September 10th Farmer's Market will be relocated to the Community Center grounds, due to Volksfest.

Sat 9/5 & Sun 9/6—It's **Grandparent's Weekend** at Marsh Haven Nature Center! All grandparents and grandchildren receive **FREE** admission to the nature center.



Giggle with the guinea pigs, read with

the rabbits, take a hike together, create some crafts and learn more about nature...together. Hours are 9am to 4pm.

Sat 9/5—Experience local tractor pulling at its finest at the Waupun Community Center during the **Waupun Super Pull!** Two shows (11am & 7pm), many classes, one admission for all day. Flyer attached.



Mondays & Thursdays—Get your whole body moving during **Yoga Stretch** from 10:30-11:15am at the

Senior Center* *Please Note: Yoga Stretch moves to West End Park on Thursday, September 10th & Monday, September 21st. Enjoy the beauty of nature while practicing yoga!*

Mondays thru September—Learn to Play Pickleball! Stop by the West End Park tennis courts at 5:30pm. Instructors on hand, equipment provided. Free!

Wednesdays – Children of any age, along with a parent/caregiver, are invited to the Library for **Family Story-time** at 11am. There will be short stories, interactive activities, crafts and fun!

WASD Calendar

Mon 9/7—No School, Labor Day

Fri 9/11, 5:30-7:30pm—Back to School Dance, Meadow View Primary

Fri 9/25, Early Release



CWC Calendar

Sat. 9/19—Harvest Auction 2015
Mark your calendars for the Italian-themed CWC Auction *Bella Notte*. Find out more details, register to attend, and watch the list grow at cwcauction.com.



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UPCOMING EVENTS! (Continued)

Wed 9/9—An **Opening Reception for Leslie Trewyn**, whose art is on display at the Waupun Fine Arts Gallery inside the Library, will be held from 5:00-7:00pm. Refreshments served.

Fri 9/11 & Sat 9/12—The tastes and sounds of Germany come to Waupun during the 22nd annual **Volkswalk German Ethnic Festival** at Tanner Park. In conjunction with Volksfest, is the annual **Wild Goose Chase** 5K / 10K / Kids Fun Run, and **Volkswalk** sculpture walk. Schedule of Events attached.

Fri 9/11—Have fun and win prizes during **Free Bingo** at the Senior Center at 1:00pm. *

Mon 9/14—Friends of the Waupun Library hold their monthly **Book Sale** from 10am-6pm. This month there will be a special price on all mysteries!



Tues 9/22 & Thurs 9/24—



Waupun Community Players theatre group is holding **Auditions for "It's a Wonder-**

ful Life" live radio play at City Hall Auditorium from 6:30-8:00pm.

**Events offered at the Senior Center are open to anyone 50 or over and their spouse!*



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

CWC Corner

CENTRAL WI CHRISTIAN ACT SCORES REACH RECORD HIGH

The Class of 2015 at Central Wisconsin Christian recorded the highest composite score in school history on the ACT test this past year, according to scores released last month by the College Board.

Nineteen of 22 members of the class (86%) took the exam, utilized by most colleges and universities as a college entrance exam.

The class composite score for 2015 was 26.3, more than four points above the state average of 22.2 and the national average of 21.1.

This year's class also established the highest score benchmarks for Central Wisconsin Christian by scoring a 26.6 in English, 25.3 in Mathematics, and 28.1 in Reading. In Sci-

ence Reasoning, the class of 2015 scored a 24.8, just off the standard set in 2009 of 25.3.

Additional information on ACT scores and the Central Wisconsin Christian School is provided in a press release following the newsletter.



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.