



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.

March 3, 2016
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"End of the Trail"

City Hall Calendar:

- 3/8, 6:00pm—Common Council Meeting, City Hall
- 3/9, 7:00am—BID Board Meeting, City Hall
- 3/15, 4:00pm—CDA Meeting, City Hall
- 3/16, 4:45pm—Plan Commission, City Hall
- 3/17, 4:30pm—Fire & Police Commission

Waupun Senior Center

310 E. Main
324-7930

Anyone 50 or over and their spouse is welcome to participate in activities offered at the Senior Center!

Hours:

Monday thru Friday, 9:00am – 4:00pm

Saturday & Sunday – Private Rentals

City Hall Happenings

OUT & ABOUT WITH MAYOR KYLE



Left: Supporting Waupun Festivals, here is Mayor Kyle with Cavern Beat, the Beatles tribute band.



Right: Supporting the Knights of Columbus Fish Fry. Hard working kitchen crew.



Left: Attending the WARP meeting @ Tony's with Dick Flynn, Renee Whalen-Tillema, Ryan Mulder, Gail Sullivan, & Tara Rhodes



Harris Mill Park

OUT & ABOUT WITH MAYOR KYLE



Left: Attending DOT West Main Street project meeting with local businesses . Reviewing the timetable, detour routes, & signage.

Waupun Area Memorial Day

May 30, 2016

Parade
9:00 AM—Main Street

Ceremonies
10:00 AM at Shaler Park



Left: Supporting Waupun High School boys basketball versus Randolph.



Left: Supporting Waupun High School boys hockey versus Homestead. Waupun was victorious in an awesome 3rd period comeback.




Left: Supporting Waupun High School girls basketball versus Lomira. Waupun victorious & Regional champs.





"Who Sows
Believes In God"



Our Facebook Page has a new name!

Waupun Festivals –
Wisconsin Events is
now *Waupun WI
Info & Events!*

Check out the page
to keep current on
upcoming events -
from craft shows to
annual festivals to
youth sports sign
ups - and other
things happening in
our fine city! Invite
your friends to like
our page!



WHAT'S NEW AT THE SENIOR CENTER!

JAM SESSION

Do you like to sing or play an instrument? The Brandon Music Makers will be at the Waupun Senior Center to lead songs. Song lyrics will be provided and song requests are welcome. Sing, play and instrument or just listen. We have bells, a ukulele, piano, keyboard, tambourine, and more! Bring your instrument if you have one. Come jam with us! FREE and FUN entertainment!

When: Wednesday, March 9th & 23rd from 10:30 to 11:30 AM



March Euchre Tournament

When: Saturday, March 5th

Where: Waupun Senior Center, 301 E. Main Street

Registration at 12:30 PM and tournament begins at 1:00 PM

Multiple Cash Prizes!

*Harvey Lewis Insurance Agency is the sponsor of the March Euchre
Tournament.*

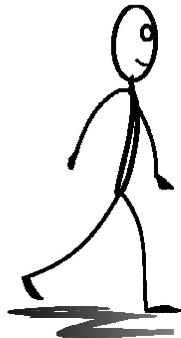


Afternoon Indoor Walking Opportunity

Are you looking for a safe, clean, well-lit location to stretch your legs? March 1–May 31, the Waupun Junior/Senior High School will have its hallways open for walkers of all ages.

When: Monday–Thursday from 4 PM to 7:30 PM

Please enter the front of the building through door A and sign in. Spring is around the corner. Get your walking shoes on and bring a friend!





"Recording Angel"

**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.

Share Community News with your friends!

Sign up at www.cityofwaupun.org
Click on "Sign Me Up" on the lower left side.



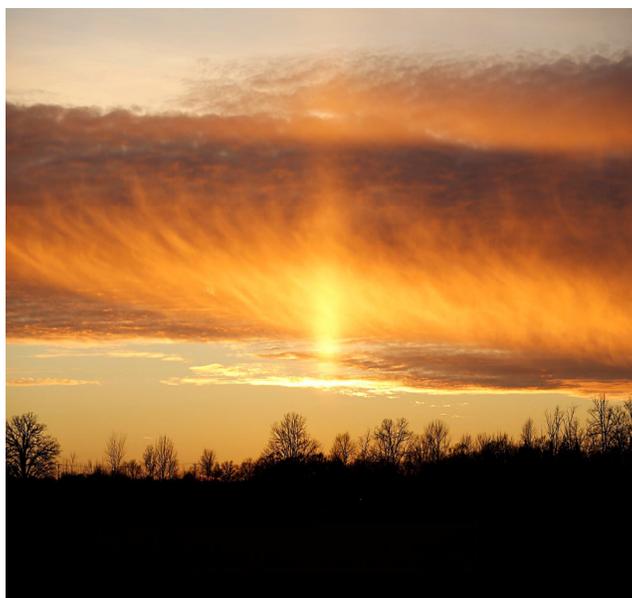
Non-Profit Press

WAUPUN FINE ARTS OFFERS PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP



Waupun Fine Arts is excited to offer its first photography workshop on Monday, March 7th at 6:30pm in the large meeting room at the Waupun Public Library.

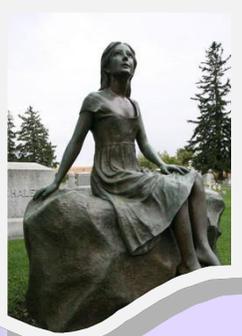
Local photographer, Jeff Raflik will be conducting the workshop. Jeff is well known for his photography of local landscapes, nature, and events in the Waupun area and is well equipped with the latest digital photography cameras and accessories. He looks forward to sharing some of his best photography tips in this great workshop. This is a free event.



Waupun Fine Art is also proud to represent Jeff's professional work in the Waupun Fine Art Gallery in the library from March 4-April 27. As part of the workshop Jeff will be also giving an instructional tour of his professional work on display. To preview some of Jeff's work, visit his website www.jeffraflik.com

For more updates on the workshop or other WFA events, visit www.waupunfinearts.com and be sure to "like" Waupun Fine Arts on Facebook!





"Morning of Life"

Marian University /
Sunny 97.7

Veteran of the Month

Each veteran chosen wins a free prize package AND a 3 credit undergrad course (transferable)

[Nominate a veteran today!](#)



Stop by the Waupun Historical Society's website!

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



Early picture of City Hall

WAUPUN LIONS CLUB OFFERS SCHOLARSHIP

The Waupun Lions Club invites all eligible and interested high school Seniors to consider applying for its 2016 scholarship.

The Lions are offering a two or four year renewable scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 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 11, 2016. 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.

WAUPUN FINE ARTS SUPPORTS LOCAL SCHOOL FINE ART PROGRAMS



On Tuesday, February 16th, Waupun Fine Arts presented each of four Fine Art departments at Central Wisconsin Christian School a check for \$100 to support and encourage Waupun's Fine Art Foundations at the student level. Pictured from left to right are Joe Venhuizen, CWC Drama, John Hull, CWC Band, Gerri Buteyn, CWC Art, Laura TenPass, CWC Choral, & Debra Vande Zande, Waupun Fine Arts Secretary/Treasurer



Photo by LaMont Page

Historic Waupun City Hall

FAMILY LEARNING DAY AT UW-FOND DU LAC



Family Learning Day was held at the UW-Fond du Lac on Saturday, Feb. 20th for 4-H members to learn skills and gain fresh ideas. Four members attended from the Weeping Willow 4-H Club. From left, Alyia VanLoo displays her Oriole feeder, Blue Bird house & decoupage glass jar she made. Ellie Beuscher proudly shows a framed paper cutting she created. Camron VanLoo also made a Blue Bird house and Oriole feeder. At right is Kasey Beuscher showing his wooden turtle he made with his favorite "Packer" logo added. Photo by Larry Duer.

Waupun Dog Park
903 N. Madison St.
Bring your dogs to run and play! The dog park is open from sunrise to sunset, 7 days a week, year round. Please use the driveway entrance to the Waupun Area Animal Shelter. Information guides containing park rules are available at City Hall or at www.cityofwaupun.org.



School District Dialogue

4K REGISTRATION



4-year kindergarten registration

4K registration for the 2016-17 school year is underway at the Waupun Area School District. To attend 4-year old kindergarten, students must be 4 years old by September 1st. If you have a child whose birth date is on or before September 1, 2012 you may pick up a registration packet at the following locations: Education Service Center, Meadow View Primary School, Rock River Intermediate School, SAGES, Alto Reformed Church, Waupun Preschool, and Wee Care. Packets are also be available on the district website. www.waupun.k12.wi.us



Scan to view our website.

If you are unable to pick up a packet please contact Linda Meagher at the Education Service Center to have one mailed to you. The phone number is 324-9341, extension 2117.

Please return your registration as soon as possible. Early registrations will help determine class placement, class size and allow ample time to order class material for students.



Doe & Fawn

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION



Kindergarten Registration for students not in 4K

The Waupun Area School District is in the process of compiling the kindergarten list for the 2016-17 school year. If you are a parent with a child whose birthdate is on or before September 1, 2011 and **does not** attend 4-year old kindergarten in the Waupun Area School District, please contact the Education Service Center to register your child for kindergarten for the 2016-17 school year. Students attending 4K will be moved up to kindergarten and do not need to register.

It is imperative that parents respond at this time. Planning is under way and this information is needed. The number of students registered will determine class size and allow ample time to order class material for students.

Please call Linda Meagher at the Education Service Center between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The phone number is 324-9341, extension 2117.

Keep current on Waupun happenings on our website

www.WaupunFestivals.com and Facebook page
Waupun WI Info & Events

Tell your friends!



Booster Club Buzz...

BOOSTER SHOUT-OUTS!



Booster Shout Out! Warrior Girls Basketball Regional Champs!



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Websites
www.cityofwaupun.org
www.waupunfestivals.com
www.waupunutilities.com
www.waupunchamber.com
www.waupun.k12.wi.us

Next up: Sectional Semi-Final Game Thursday Night
at Beaver Dam High School - 7:00



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Booster Club Buzz...

BOOSTER SHOUT-OUTS!



Booster Shout Out! Warrior Hockey



Thanks for a Great Season Warrior Hockey!
Impressive 20-7 record.



Booster Shout Out!

Brady Beekman recipient of the Brandon Burlsworth Award



The Brandon Burlsworth Award is a National Award for character and sportsmanship in high school football. This award represents the ideals and values that Brandon Burlsworth had: to give 100 percent on the field and to stand as a moral example to his team. Brady will also be in the credits of the movie "Greater" with all the other Burlsworth award winners. The movie comes to theaters this summer. Here is more on the award. <http://www.burlsworthcharacteraward.com/>
What a great honor!
Congratulations!



Booster Club Buzz...

BOOSTER SHOUT-OUTS!



Booster Shout Out!

Warrior Gymnastics - State Bound

This is the 1st time in Waupun history for the gymnastics team to qualify as a TEAM for the WIAA State Gymnastics Meet!



The Warrior Gymnastics Team took the Sectional Runner-up Title Friday at Whitefish Bay & will compete in Wisconsin Rapids on Friday at the WIAA State Gymnastics Meet Team Competition



Booster Shout Out!

Warrior Gymnastics Sectional Highlights

Broke 3 more school records

- Team- 133.55
- Vault- 35.0
- Floor- 36.075

Waupun Sectional Runner-up

Team Qualifier - Friday

*Top 2 teams qualify for the WIAA State Meet

Individual State Qualifiers - Saturday

*Top 5 qualify for the individual meet

Jasmyn Bensley on Vault (9.0), Bars (8.25-personal best), Floor (9.15) and AA (34.6-personal best) and just missed on beam with 7th!

Kyra Verheyen qualified on Floor with a personal best- 9.15, (just missed on vault by .025)

Sara Kroeze also qualified on Floor with a personal best of 9.225 (finished in 8th on vault)!



"Dawn of Day"

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Fridays thru March 11—**Public Skating** is held at the Waupun Community Center from 5:15-6:45pm. Skate rental is available for \$2.



Fridays thru March 25—The Knights of Columbus invite you to an All You Can Eat **Fish Fry** from 5-7pm at St. Joseph's Parish Center!



Saturdays—All high schoolers are invited to use the gym, watch a movie, skateboard or bmx bike, buy concessions and hangout during **High School Hang Out** at the Union from 7-10pm! Free Admission! **Please note High School Hang Out will not be held on March 26th.*

Sundays thru March 13—**Public Skating** is held at the Waupun Community Center from 4:30-6:45pm. Skate rental is available for \$2.

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

Wednesdays—Children of any age, along with a parent or caregiver, are invited to the Library for **Family Storytime** at 11am.

Tuesdays—Head to The Union for **Indoor Pickleball** at 5:30pm. Pickleball is a fun, fast moving game, combining tennis, badminton and ping pong. All adults are welcome.

Tues March 1, 15, 29—Come make Lego creations at the Library during **Legos at your Library** from 6:00-7:00pm.



Thurs 3/3—Waupun High School Art Club hosts **Empty Bowls**, a fundraiser to combat poverty, from 5:00-7:00pm at City Hall Auditorium. Select a ceramic piece and enjoy a simple soup dinner.

Fri 3/4—Community Day of Prayer at 1:00. Held at Trinity Reformed Church. All men & women are invited to attend.

Mon 3/7—Waupun Fine Arts is excited to offer a **Photography Workshop** at 6:30pm at the Library. Well known local photographer Jeff Raflik will share his talents during this free workshop.

Fri 3/11—Have fun and win prizes during **Free Bingo** at the Senior Center at 1pm.

Fri 3/11—6th - 8th graders are invited to come and use the gym, watch a movie, skateboard or bmx bike, buy concessions, hangout, and, of course, dance during a **Middle School Dance** at the Union from 7-9:30pm. \$4 admission.

Fri 3/11—Bowl-a-Thon, 1:00-3:00, held at Jud-Sons Bowling Alley. Register online at www.badgerlandfyc.org

Mon 3/14—Friends of Waupun Library host their monthly **Book Sale** from 10:00am-6:00pm at the Library.

Find more events at www.WaupunFestivals.com

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Upcoming
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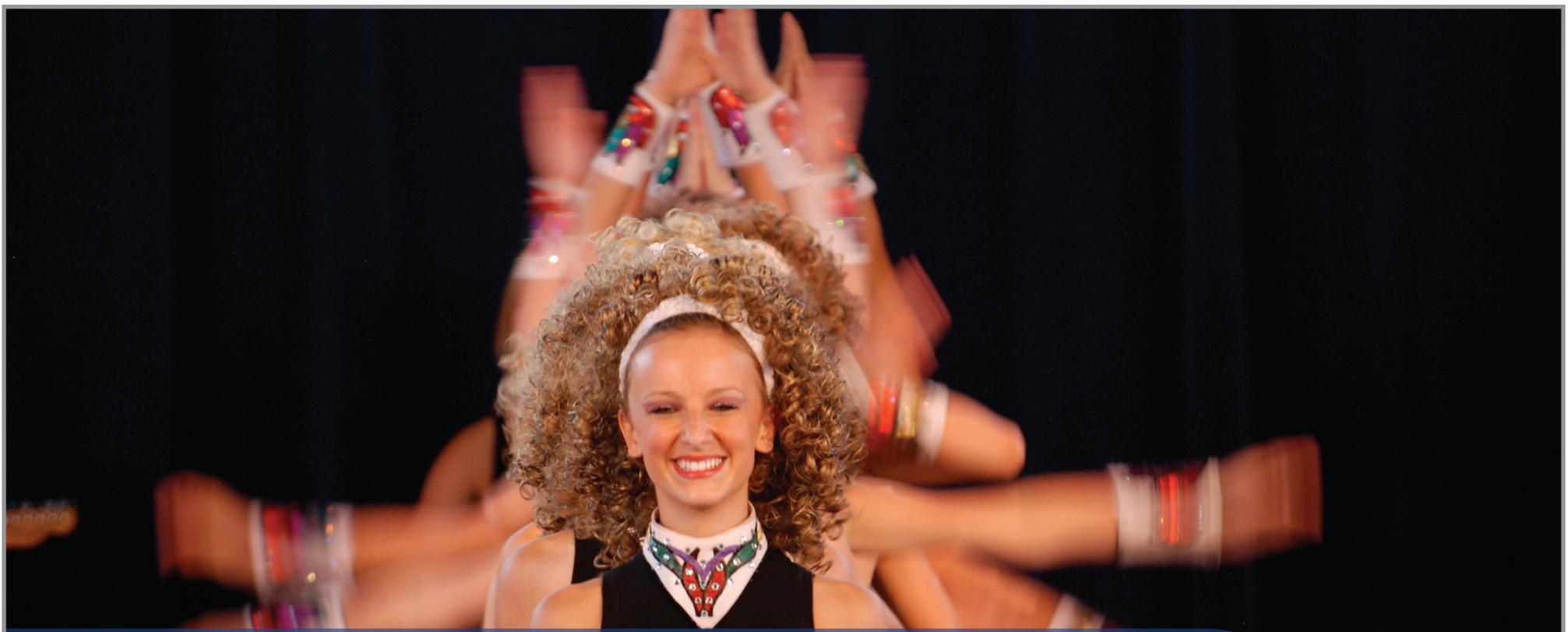
Community News now has a team of 3 editors! PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE IN THE EMAIL ADDRESS BELOW.

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 send an email to WaupunFestivals@cityofwaupun.org

Tom Mullica, Comedy Magician and Impressionist, Died at 67

Tom Mullica was born on August 19, 1948 in Waupun, Wisconsin and died on February 18, 2016. He was a comedy magician and impressionist. He worked on television specials, and appeared on television many times including Late Night with David Letterman, World's Greatest Magic, Viva Variety, and Pen & Teller's Sin City. Some of his most famous appearances were on Late Night with David Letterman, on which he performed his popular impression effect of the manipulation and vanishing of several lit cigarettes in his mouth. Tom Mullica was given \$5000 cash for winning the Siegfried & Roy Golden Lion Award and the Magic Desert Seminar in Las Vegas, in 1984. Tom also played at the Just for Laughs Comedy Festival and toured the US and Canada with RED—A Performance Tribute, a Red Skelton Tribute show which Mullica wrote and starred in as Red Skelton and his characters. However, RED was the only Red Skelton tribute show authorized by the Red Skelton Estate. In July 2013, Tom participated in the Red Skelton Museum & Education Center. Tom passed away at 67 years old.





Beaver Dam Community Hospitals Foundation, Inc. presents

The world-renowned Trinity Irish Dancers

Friday, March 11, 2016

Beaver Dam High School Auditorium
500 Gould St.

Tickets Available At:

Beaver Dam

- Piggly Wiggly
- Recheck's Food Pride

***New this year!**

Buy Tickets Online:

bdch.com/trinity

7 p.m.

Doors open at 6:45 p.m.

Tickets

\$15	Adults
\$5	Children (12 and under)

For more information go to www.bdch.com/foundation or call 920-887-4851



Waupun YFC
Ministries

Bowl-a-Thon

March 12, 2016 from 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Teams of 5
Goal: Raise \$100/person

Live DJ
Doorprizes
Silent Auction
YFC Supporters



*This event helps raise money for our
local Campus Life Ministry, Parent Life
Ministry and The Union Youth Center.*

Register online at www.badgerlandyfc.org

FREE!

Waupun Senior Center

INDOOR

PICKLEBALL

Looking to get some evening exercise this winter? Waupun pickleball has moved indoors! Pickleball was created with one thing in mind: fun. It was designed to be easy to learn and play! Pickleball equipment and instructors provided. Beginners can join at anytime.

What is pickleball?

- Has nothing to do with pickles
- Is among the fastest growing senior sports in the country
- Its a combination of tennis, badminton, and ping pong
- Uses a ball sort of like a whiffle ball
- Uses a court like tennis - but smaller (less running)
- Uses a paddle
- Is fast moving - requires quickness
- Is just a neat game

When: Tuesdays at 5:30pm

Where: The Union Youth Center located at 421 Jackson Street

Who: Adults

