



# 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.

July 2016



"End of the Trail"

## Upcoming Meetings:

Find more info on city meetings at [www.cityofwaupun.org](http://www.cityofwaupun.org)

7/4, CITY HALL CLOSED

7/11, 5—7 pm - Open Book

7/12, 4:30 pm—Board of Public Works

7/12, 6:00 pm—Common Council

7/13, 7:00 am—BID Meeting

7/18, 4:15 pm—Library Board—Waupun Public Library

7/19, 4:00 pm—CDA

7/20, 4:45 pm—Plan Commission

7/25, 6:00 pm—REC Board—Senior Center

7/26, 5:30 pm—Committee of the Whole

7/28, 9:00 am—Board of Review

## City Hall Happenings

### OUT & ABOUT WITH MAYOR KYLE



Wishing my friend Evan Rhodes a Happy Birthday.

Attended the Lions Club Golf Outing



Supporting WMH community appreciation event at West End Park.

Main Street Construction Update after the newsletter...





"Who Sows Believes In God"

### OUT & ABOUT WITH MAYOR KYLE (Continued)



Attending a fundraiser for Casey Zurbachen

### Waupun Disc Golf League

Waupun County Park  
Park

Presented by the  
Waupun Area  
Recreation Project

- Every Sunday at 1pm (arrive 12:45)
- Random draw doubles
- \$5 to play
- \$1 Rolling ACE Fund (optional)
- \$1 CTP (optional)
- **Cash Payouts!**

 Check the Waupun Disc Golf Association Facebook Page for updates!

All ages & skill levels welcome!



Supporting the Michael Smit Memorial fundraiser.



With Nick Rusch presenting to Barb Wirkus and Sue Buwalda a check over \$10,000 from the MacDowell Male Chorus performance at City Hall Auditorium in support the Christian Home building project.

### Memorial Day

(Photos by Larry Duer)





"Recording Angel"



Like us on facebook

**Waupun WI Info & Events is on Facebook!**

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!

**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 NEWS**

**Celebrate Waupun**



**CELEBRATE WAUPUN**  
**July 1-2-3**  
Tanner Park, Waupun, WI

**NEW ATTRACTIONS FOR 2016**



**FRIDAY, JULY 1**

5pm & 6:30pm - **Rosetti & Wigley**  
 8 pm & 9:45pm - **Boogie & the Yo-Yo'z**  
 4pm to 8pm - **LeRoy Meats Fish Fry**  
**Prison City Pull Off**  
**Calkins Midway and Kidz Zone**

**SATURDAY, JULY 2**

2pm & 3pm - **Dan Tulsa Band**  
 5pm & 6:30pm - **Those Weasels**  
 8pm & 9:45pm - **Vic Ferrari**  
 4pm to 8pm - **Red's Catering Pig Roast**  
**Prison City Pull Off**  
**Calkins Midway and Kidz Zone**

**SUNDAY, JULY 3**

1pm & 2:30pm - **The Hits**  
 4pm & 5:30pm - **Swing Crew**  
 7pm & 8:45pm - **Oil Can Harry**  
 4pm to 8pm - **Red's Catering BBQ Chicken Dinner**  
 10pm - **Taco Bell Fireworks**  
**Calkins Midway and Kidz Zone**  
**Waupun Car Show**

**NERVELESS NOCKS DAREDEVIL STUNT TEAM**

The Nock's Family Show was started in Switzerland in 1840. The attraction plays all over the world and spans nine generations. The show has toured with Ringling Brothers Barnum Bailey Circus, appeared on the Ed Sullivan Show and performed for Queen Elizabeth on England where she named them "Nerveless".

Some of the features in their shows are an 80' sway pole act, aerial fabric toss, tower of chairs and the giant spinning space wheel. There will be three free shows each day on Sat. July 2nd and Sun. July 3rd. Show times are at 3 p.m., 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. More information on the Nerveless Nocks is available on their website: [www.nervelessnocks.com](http://www.nervelessnocks.com)

**PRISON CITY PULL-OFF** Tractor Pull  
**WAUPUN CAR SHOW** Presented by Pete's Auto Repair & Sales  
**CALKIN'S MIDWAY**  
**MEGA BAND RIDE SPECIAL**  
 Ride all rides everyday open to close  
**\$30** in advance at Waupun City Hall  
**\$40** on site  
**KIDZ ZONE**

**Information**  
 920-324-7900  
[www.waupunfestivals.com](http://www.waupunfestivals.com)  
[waupunfestivals@cityofwaupun.org](mailto:waupunfestivals@cityofwaupun.org)

**2016 Summer Park Program**



**FREE FUN! JOIN US!**

Who: Kids ages 7—13

Days: Monday—Friday from June 13th—August 19th

Times: 9:00am—Noon & 1:00—4:00pm

Supervised Parks: Dodge, Harris Mill, Pine Street, West End & Wilcox

Activities: Sports, Field Trips, Crafts, Games, Fishing, Special Events & More!

Picture L to R: Halle Bradley (Wilcox Park), Danielle Hopp (Park Leader Substitute), Sam Schlieve (Dodge Park), Katie Tjepkema (Harris Mill Park), Mei Champion (Pine Street Park) & Emily Smith (West End Park)



Photo by LaMont Page

Waupun Family Aquatic Center

### Waupun Family Aquatic Center

324-7924

Open June 4—  
September 5.

Call for hours of  
operation!



## Start out Safe Water Program



Start Out Safe Water Program a hit

By HANK SNYDER

"It's a hit," said Keith Wojahn about the first Start Out Safe Water Program. Wojahn was talking about the 70 kids that enrolled in the program held this week at the Waupun Family Aquatic Center.

"Besides learning water safety like no running in the pool area, and how to float back to the edge of the pool, they will be receiving a certificate of completion and a free ice cream cone compliments of Guth's End of the Trail Candy Shoppe," he said.

The program is run by the Beaver Dam YMCA and funded by the Candace Wojahn Start Out Safe Water Program, started by her parents Keith and Carla Wojahn in memory of their daughter who died due to an epileptic episode in 2007.

## Park Benches

Thank you Cole Panzer for making benches for our city parks! Cole constructed 14 benches for Waupun parks as part of his Eagle Scout project. The Boy Scout motto and parts of the scout law are engraved on each bench. Go on a scavenger hunt around town and see if you can find all 14 benches! The goal of the scavenger hunt is to find the benches and think of how you are that characteristic or how you could change your habits to become more cheerful or trustworthy. More info on Boy Scouting and scouting activities can be found at <http://www.scouting.org/Home/BoyScouts.aspx>.



### Waupun Senior Center News!

Check out the July Senior Center newsletter at [www.cityofwaupun.org](http://www.cityofwaupun.org)!

Newsletter Contents:

Pickleball Clinic

Craft Workshop featuring Birdfeeder Painting

Fire Prevention Presentation

Relaxation & Home Safety Presentation

Timber Rattlers Game Trip

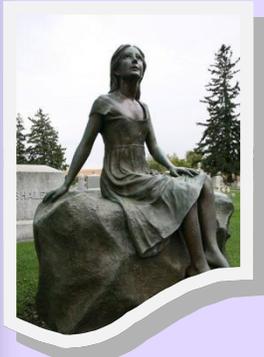
Dinner Theater Trip

And More!

## Downtown Planters



Thank you to WASD students for planting flowers in our downtown planters! May 19<sup>th</sup> was a Day of Service for the National Honor Society. Some students cleaned trash from the roads, some helped at the food pantry, and these students planted flowers on Main Street. From the left are juniors Ashley Schmitt, Mackenzie Klug, Shelby Koll and seniors Lizzie Asmus and Morgan Hoffmann. Hank Snyder, photo



"Morning of Life"

**Pool Passes Now on Sale!**

Passes may be purchased at the Aquatic Center \$100 for a family pass for up to 4 people.



**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.*

# Non-Profit Press

## WAUPUN RELAY FOR LIFE RAISES OVER \$41,000



The Waupun Community came together as the American Cancer Society held their 31st annual "Relay For Life" at the Waupun Community Center on Friday, June 10, 2016. This year's theme was "Paint Your World Purple". Sara Mulder was the chairperson for the event which celebrated cancer survivors, honored those who lost the fight to cancer, and raised money for cancer research, education, advocacy and patient service programs.

The opening ceremony started at 6pm with a prayer by Pastor David Knuth of the Waupun Pella Lutheran Church. Honor Guard members of the VFW and American Legion presented the colors as the National Anthem was sung by the New Generations Singers from Central Wisconsin Christian School. This year's Honor went to Carlie Jansen of Waupun who spoke about her battle with cancer. Cancer survivors walked the first lap around the track as they celebrated their victory over the disease. A luminaria ceremony was held later with Shelly Schulz reading the of names of all cancer survivors and those who lost their fight with cancer.

The event included a bounce house for the children, games, music by WFDL/AM&FM Radio, a silent auction, a performance by the Waupun Warriorettes Dance Team, and a Zumba class. Free cheese and ice cream was provided by Alto All-Stars 4-H Club and free pizza from Tony's Pizza.

Over \$41,000 was collected that evening towards the goal of \$50,000 to support the American Cancer Society's lifesaving mission. Additional donations can be accepted until August 31, 2016, by mailing to: American Cancer Society, Attn: RFL of Waupun, N19W24350 Riverwood Drive, Waukesha, WI 53188. A Wrap-Up Celebration will be held on Monday, June 27, 5:30-6:30pm, at the Pizza Ranch in Waupun. All are welcome!

(Story and photos submitted by Larry Duer)

## LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Waupun Area Senior High School graduate Brittany Daane and her parents were guests at a recent Waupun Lions Club meeting. Brittany was awarded the 2016 Waupun Lions Club scholarship. The scholarship is a four year renewable scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 per year. Brittany will be attending the University of Wisconsin – Madison working toward a degree in Special Education. Pictured with Brittany are her parents Dustin and Melissa Daane.



Submitted by John Bett



"Dawn of Day"

## Upcoming EVENTS

Check out the  
July Calendar  
of Events at the  
end of the  
newsletter!

Keep current on Waupun happenings on our website  
[www.WaupunFestivals.com](http://www.WaupunFestivals.com)  
and Facebook page  
Waupun WI Info & Events

Tell your friends!



## CHRISTIAN HOME GOLF OUTING

The Christian Home Board of Directors and Administrative staff would like to thank the Waupun Lion's Group and the Waupun Community for the wonderful turnout at the Lion's 8th Annual Golf Outing that was held June 10, 2016 at the Rock River Country Club. Proceeds from the event were given to the Christian Home's Capital Campaign. Those that sponsored the event, as well as participating, was very much appreciated.



Far Left picture: Barbra Wirkus, CH Administrator and Steve Grams, CH Board Member, driving around making sure the Golfers were having a fun time. Far Right picture: Golfer, Doug Trost, Agnesian HealthCare CEO and Administrator enjoying the day supporting the Christian Home and Rehabilitation Center's Capital Campaign fund drive. For more information and donating to the Capital Campaign, please contact Barbara Wirkus ; The Christian Home and Rehabilitation Center at: 324-9051

## WAUPUN FINE ARTS NEWS



**Thursday, July 7, 2016**

**The Madpolecats**  
Rastabilly Skunkgrass

**Thursday, July 14, 2016**

**Copper Box**  
Americana & Bluesy Pop

**Thursday, July 21, 2016**

**Lighthouse Big Band**

**Thursday, July 28, 2016**

**Riding Shotgun**  
Rock, Pop & Country



Harris Mill Park

Stop by the Waupun Historical Society's website!

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



Early picture of City Hall

For information about the Waupun Kiwanis club, visit their website [www.WaupunKiwanis.org](http://www.WaupunKiwanis.org) or attend a meeting any Tuesday morning at 6:45am at Helen's Kitchen!

Please see the insert at the end of the newsletter for Kiwanis News!!



## PACKERS IN WAUPUN

The Green Bay Packers Tailgate Tour featuring six active and former Green Bay Packers surprised 120 National Guard Reservists Saturday as they were going through debriefing after returning from a two week training camp.

As the men and women of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, 127<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment were meeting at the Waupun Armory and getting last instructions before going home, Packer President and CEO Mark Murphy suddenly came into the building followed by active Packer players Jared Abbrederis, Jayron Elliott and Sam Barrington, followed by former Packer players Le Roy Butler, Sean Jones and Robert Brooks.



The reservists were dismissed, and were free to talk to the Packers. After a while, the troops were called together, and Murphy talked to them, then asked for questions.

"What's life like after retirement?" one troop asked.

Jones said he worked on Wall Street,

Brooks said he is involved in commercial real estate.

Butler said he is involved in radio and TV.

"What's it like playing with Aaron Rogers?" someone asked.

"He's great," said Abbrederis. "He's always pushing us, he expects the best of us."

"What are some of your best pranks?"

Butler told of many pranks, but Barrington, an active player, said they don't do pranks. "Not now, not with so much social media. You'd get caught."

Asked about what they do in the off season, most players said they are out of town.

After getting to know the Packers, the Packers toured the Armory, and got to know the soldiers, and the equipment they use.



"This is awesome; just to see Sam Barrington with an M-4 rifle like that," said Lt. Jason Morrison of Milwaukee.

After an hour, the Pack thanked everyone and got on their way to their next surprise visit....Ft. Atkinson.

(Story and Pictures by Hank Snyder)





Historic Waupun City Hall

### 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](http://www.WaupunFestivals.com) (Click on Attractions, Parks)



### 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](http://www.cityofwaupun.org).



## FRIENDS SERVE THE COMMUNITY



A group of friends helped serve a meal at the Community Table at noon on Friday, June 17th. Normally, churches and organizations provide a meal, but summers tend to be a little slow. The following Waupun businesses donated the food: Pizza Ranch, Dominos, Jimmy Johns, Piggly Wiggly, McDonalds and Guth's End of the Trail. From left, Janet Redeker, Hank Snyder, Jan Corcoran, Renee Bruins and Ann

Hoekstra. The Community Table, located next to the Food Pantry on South Mill Street in downtown Waupun, serves a hot meal every Friday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. However, they will be closed on July 1st. (Submitted by Larry Duer)

## VFW SCHOLARSHIP

Recipient of a \$500 Scholarship from Bentley-Hull VFW Post 6709 is Kyra Verheyen, a 2016 graduate of Waupun Area High School. Kyra is the daughter of Craig and Julie Verheyen of Waupun. She will be attending UW-Madison this fall, pursuing a career in Pre-Pharmacy. From left, VFW Sr. Vice Commander Jay Graff, Kyra Verheyen and VFW Commander Frank Mesa.



Photo by Larry Duer

## ALTO ALL STARS AT WAUPUN RELAY FOR LIFE



For their community service, members of the Alto All-Stars 4-H Club assisted in filling the luminary bags with sand and a candle, and then placed them around the track during Waupun's American Cancer Society Relay for Life event held Friday evening, June 10, at the Waupun Community Center. The club also passed out cheese samples and gave free ice cream sundaes to Relay participants. (Submitted by Larry Duer)



Photo by LaMont Page

Waupun Family Aquatic Center



The Taco Bell Annual Fireworks Show is scheduled for Sunday, July 3rd at 10:00 pm at Tanner Park, which is part of the Celebrate Waupun Event being held on July 1, 2, & 3. Tune your radio to FM 103.3 for patriotic music during the fireworks.

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## WEeping WILLOW 4-H CLUB MAINTAINS FLOWER BED



Submitted by Larry Duer

Weeping Willow 4-H Club recently replanted their flower bed at the Waupun Town Hall, located North of Waupun on County Road M. From left, Luke Weber, Mason Ludtke, Mitchell Ludtke, Ben Weber, Amelia Steffes, and Alisabeth Steffes.

## RADIO PLUS CAPTURES AWARDS

### Radio Plus captures awards at Wisconsin Broadcasters Association Annual Banquet.

Recently Radio Plus Radio stations brought home some impressive 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place awards at the Wisconsin Broadcasters Association Awards banquet held in May. Radio Plus competes with other medium market stations across the state from Fond du Lac, Green Bay, Appleton, Oshkosh, Wausau, etc.....These awards reflect content from 2015.

#### WFDL and Greg Stensland won

- 1st Place in Original Feature Story: A Daisy a Day
- 1st Place for Best On Scene Reporting: Officer Down
- 2nd Place in the News Writing category: Give a Heart to Gilly
- 3rd Place in Best Investigative and Hard News: Officer down
- 3rd Place: Best Continuing Coverage Not In My Backyard

#### WFDL's Steve Winterhack and Nick Rusch won

- 1st Place for Best Sports Play by Play: Waupun Softball to State

#### WFDL and Nick Rusch won

- 1st Place for Best Humorous commercial: Rob's Favorite Things with Rob's Riverwood Salon and Spa



Pictured are Steve Winterhack, Greg Stensland, and Nick Rusch

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Sign up at [www.cityofwaupun.org](http://www.cityofwaupun.org)  
Click on "Sign Me Up" on the lower left side.



## Community Events / News



### RETIRE WISLEY

Hosted by Jonathan Leonard

Event details:

Wednesday, July 13, 2016  
6 p.m.  
Waupun Pizza Ranch  
900 W Main St  
(See attached flyer)

# Waupun Farmers Market



**Fresh Local Produce  
Honey  
Handmade Crafts**

**May 26 - October 20**

**Thursdays 3:30 - 6:30 p.m.**

**Tanner Park**

[waupunchamber.com](http://waupunchamber.com)



Order your peaches and you will change lives!

**PRICES**  
GEORGIA PEACHES  
1 Lug (18-20lbs) - \$34.00  
½ Lug (9-10lbs) - \$17.00

COLORADO PEACHES  
1 Lug (18-20lbs) - \$35.00  
½ Lug (9-10lbs) - 17.50

**ORDERING DEADLINE**  
GEORGIA PEACHES  
July 12

COLORADO PEACHES  
August 9

**ORDER NOW!**



Click the QR Code or go to [www.badgerlandyfc.org/peach\\_sale](http://www.badgerlandyfc.org/peach_sale)

**PICK-UP INFORMATION**  
GEORGIA PEACHES  
July 20 - Waupun - 4:00pm - 6:30pm  
Fond du Lac - 4:00pm - 6:30pm  
July 21 - Beaver Dam - 4:00pm - 6:30pm

COLORADO PEACHES  
August 17 - Waupun - 4:00pm - 6:30pm  
Fond du Lac - 4:00pm - 6:30pm  
August 18 - Beaver Dam - 4:00pm - 6:30pm

**LOCATIONS**  
Fond du Lac - 303 E 9th Street  
Waupun - 421 Jackson Street  
Beaver Dam - 1660 N Spring Street

**QUESTIONS:**  
[peaches@badgerlandyfc.org](mailto:peaches@badgerlandyfc.org)  
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### COMMUNITY NEWS 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 email [WaupunFestivals@cityofwaupun.org](mailto:WaupunFestivals@cityofwaupun.org). Submission deadline is the 20th of the month (for next month's issue).

## Construction Update STH 49 Project – Waupun, WI for the week of June 20, 2016



### SAFETY 1<sup>st</sup>:

- Please slow down in and around the work zone
- REMINDER: A road construction project makes a very dangerous but attractive playground for children. Please warn them of the dangers and please keep them clear of the construction area.
- Expect construction traffic entering and leaving the work zone. Trucks will be entering and leaving the closed roadway for work operations.
- STH 49 will be closed from County Park Road to State Street.

### Notices:

- Garbage pickup will remain on Mondays as normal, however, residents are asked to put their bins out on Sunday evenings. During times when garbage truck access is restricted, the City of Waupun crews will be moving bins to the nearest side street for pickup and returning them to properties after pickup is completed. If you want your exact bins back, please write your address on them.
- The temporary closure of West Street is tentatively re-scheduled for July 5<sup>th</sup>. Look for message boards during the week of 6/27/16 for confirmation of the closure date.
- Crews will be working on Saturday June 25<sup>th</sup> between Beaver Dam/Brandon Street and STH 68 installing storm sewer and excavating the roadway.
- Concrete paving will begin. Be aware that contractors are required to saw joints in the concrete pavement as the day's weather dictates. This often results in sawing

during the night time, and there will likely be concrete saws running during the night after concrete pours.

### **Closures**

- Stage 1 and 2 traffic pattern will be in effect throughout the project. State Street, County Park Road will remain open to traffic. The remaining side roads are open to cross traffic, but may have barricades restricting lane widths
- Stage 1 and 2 of STH 49 is closed to through traffic, however, local traffic maintains access to STH 49
- The Stage 1 and 2 Alternate Business Route will be posted to assist local traffic around the project.
- STH 49 thru traffic will be detoured on CTH M and CTH TC for the duration of the project.

### **Work Operations**

- During the week of 6/27/16 water main and sanitary main installation will continue from STH 68 to West Street.
- Storm sewer from Beaver Dam/Brandon Street to Johnson St. will continue. Storm sewer from West Street to Johnson St. may begin late in the week
- Crews will continue roadway excavation and aggregate placement from Beaver Dam/Brandon Street to STH 68. Residents should be contacted prior to any driveway closures. If your access is removed without prior notification please notify me at [r.arndt@gremmerassociates.com](mailto:r.arndt@gremmerassociates.com).
- Final trimming from State Street to Johnson Street will be completed
- Mainline paving is scheduled to begin on Thursday June 30<sup>th</sup>. Crews will begin by paving from State Street to Beaver Dam/Brandon Street in the east bound half of the roadway.

### **WISCONSIN DOT FIELD OFFICE LOCATION & PHONE NUMBER:**

- Project field office is located in the southwest quadrant of the STH 49 (Main Street)/County Park Road (Address: W7185 STH 49, Waupun, WI), second floor
  - Phone number is (920) 345-1541
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## Waupun Festivals

Begin Date: 7/1/2016

End Date: 7/31/2016

(m/d/yyyy) SUBMIT

Date	Time	Event	Location
July 1, 2016		<p>Celebrate Waupun Festival</p> <p>The 5th Annual Celebrate Waupun Festival features Nerveless Nocks Thrill Show, Car Show, Prison City Pull-Off Tractor Pull, Carnival Rides, Teen Zone, Fireworks, and Music. Headliners include Boogie &amp; the Yo-Yo'z on July 1, Vic Ferrari on July 2, and Oil Can Harry on July 3!</p> <p><a href="#">Celebrate Waupun Webpage</a></p> <p>Prison City Pull-Off <a href="#">Prison City Pull Off Flyer</a></p>	Tanner Park Waupun Community Center
July 2, 2016		<p>Celebrate Waupun Festival</p> <p>The 5th Annual Celebrate Waupun Festival features Nerveless Nocks Thrill Show, Car Show, Prison City Pull-Off Tractor Pull, Carnival Rides, Teen Zone, Fireworks, and Music. Headliners include Boogie &amp; the Yo-Yo'z on July 1, Vic Ferrari on July 2, and Oil Can Harry on July 3!</p> <p><a href="#">Celebrate Waupun Webpage</a></p> <p>Prison City Pull-Off <a href="#">Prison City Pull Off Flyer</a></p>	Tanner Park Waupun Community Center
July 3, 2016		<p>Celebrate Waupun Festival</p> <p>The 5th Annual Celebrate Waupun Festival features Nerveless Nocks Thrill Show, Car Show, Prison City Pull-Off Tractor Pull, Carnival Rides, Teen Zone, Fireworks, and Music. Headliners include Boogie &amp; the Yo-Yo'z on July 1, Vic Ferrari on July 2, and Oil Can Harry on July 3!</p> <p><a href="#">Celebrate Waupun Webpage</a></p>	Tanner Park
	10:00 PM	<p>Fireworks!</p> <p>Taco Bell's Fabulous Fireworks Show is part of the 5th Annual Celebrate Waupun Festival!</p> <p><a href="#">Celebrate Waupun Webpage</a></p>	Tanner Park
July 4, 2016	10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	<p>Yoga Stretch</p> <p>Yoga Stretch is a free program offered at the Senior Center. Yoga Stretch will move your whole body. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of seated and standing postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Beginners can join anytime.</p>	Waupun Senior Center
July 5, 2016	06:00 PM	<p>Adult Pickelball</p> <p>Pickelball is a fun, easy to learn game that relates to tennis, badminton, and ping pong. Beginners can join at anytime. Play under the lights on a cool summer night. Instructors and equipment provided. Free! Rain Location: The Union Youth Center, 421 Jackson Street.</p>	West End Park
July 7, 2016	10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	<p>Yoga Stretch</p> <p>Yoga Stretch is a free program offered at the Senior Center. Yoga Stretch will move your whole body. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of seated and</p>	Waupun Senior Center

standing postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Beginners can join anytime.

03:30 PM - 06:30 PM	Farmers Market Enjoy fresh produce, crafts, meat and much more! Farmers markets are held rain or shine. Ample parking. Children's play area on site. Contact the Chamber of Commerce for additional details: www.waupunchamber.com 324-3491	Tanner Park
06:30 PM	Concerts in the Park Enjoy a picnic in the park and great music Thursdays in July! Concerts are held at Dodge Park in Waupun from 5:30pm - 8:30pm. Food and beverage is offered each week starting at 5:30pm, with music starting at 6:30 pm. Admission is free.  <u><a href="#">More Details!</a></u>	Dodge Park
July 8, 2016	01:00 PM Free Bingo Have fun and win prizes during Free Bingo held the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month at 1pm at the Senior Center! Sponsored by SIA Insurance.	Waupun Senior Center
July 9, 2016	08:30 AM - 11:00 AM Kiwanis Pea & Bean Sale	Culver's
	07:00 PM - 10:00 PM High School Hang Out All 9th-12th graders are invited to use the gym, watch a movie, skateboard or bmx bike, buy concessions and hangout! Free Admission!	The Union Youth Center
July 11, 2016	10:00 AM - 06:00 PM Book Sale Friends of Waupun Library hold their monthly book sale the 2nd Monday of the month.	Waupun Public Library
	10:30 AM - 11:15 AM Yoga Stretch Yoga Stretch is a free program offered at the Senior Center. Yoga Stretch will move your whole body. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of seated and standing postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Beginners can join anytime.	Waupun Senior Center
July 12, 2016	12:30 PM Relaxation & Home Safety Presentation Following the 12:30pm blood pressure clinic, Kyle Hunter from Waupun Hospital will be giving a presentation on how you can relieve stress and anxiety along with ways to control the relaxation of your body. Following that, Shannon Abler will be offering information on free home safety inspections from Lifestar EMS, as well as how to request one, and how an inspection could help you. Shannon will also be explaining the File Of Life Cards that participants will have access to and how to fill them out	Waupun Senior Center
	06:00 PM Adult Pickelball Pickelball is a fun, easy to learn game that relates to tennis, badminton, and ping pong. Beginners can join at anytime. Play under the lights on a cool summer night. Instructors and equipment provided. Free! Rain Location: The Union Youth Center, 421 Jackson Street.	West End Park
July 14, 2016	09:00 AM - 12:00 PM Park & Rec Fishing Tournament Free event, including prizes and lunch! Bring your fishing gear! Pre-registration required.	Harris Mill Park

	10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	Yoga Stretch Yoga Stretch is a free program offered at the Senior Center. Yoga Stretch will move your whole body. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of seated and standing postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Beginners can join anytime.	Waupun Senior Center
	03:30 PM - 06:30 PM	Farmers Market Enjoy fresh produce, crafts, meat and much more! Farmers markets are held rain or shine. Ample parking. Children's play area on site. Contact the Chamber of Commerce for additional details: <a href="http://www.waupunchamber.com">www.waupunchamber.com</a> 324-3491	Tanner Park
	06:30 PM	Concerts in the Park Enjoy a picnic in the park and great music Thursdays in July! Concerts are held at Dodge Park in Waupun from 5:30pm - 8:30pm. Food and beverage is offered each week starting at 5:30pm, with music starting at 6:30 pm. Admission is free.  <a href="#">More Details!</a>	Dodge Park
July 15, 2016	10:30 AM	Fire Prevention Presentation The Waupun Fire Department will be providing "Fire Safety in the Home" training. Topics covered will include general fire safety, smoke alarms, CO alarms, and different types of fire extinguishers. There will be time at the end of the presentation for questions. Fire prevention attendees will also have the opportunity to put out a live fire if they wish, during Fire Extinguisher Training. The extinguisher simulator uses water and compressed air versus the chemical found in a regular fire extinguisher. We will cover the different types of extinguishers that are available.	Waupun Senior Center
July 16, 2016	09:00 AM - 03:00 PM	EARTHcamp: Diggin' in the Dirt EARTHcamp program for youth ages 7-12 years. Theme: Diggin' in the Dirt. 9 am to 3 pm. The activities for this daycamp focus on seed collection and selection, container gardening, the growing process, where our food comes from, what lives in the soil, and preserving food. Registration fee: Marsh Haven members- \$25 for one day or \$45 for both days. Non-members- \$30 for one day or \$50 for both days. Sign up for one day or both, different activities will be held each day. Registration fee includes EARTHcamp t-shirt, all supplies, and healthy snacks. Pre-registration required. <a href="http://www.marshhaven.com">www.marshhaven.com</a>	Marsh Haven Nature Center
	07:00 PM - 10:00 PM	High School Hang Out All 9th-12th graders are invited to use the gym, watch a movie, skateboard or bmx bike, buy concessions and hangout! Free Admission!	The Union Youth Center
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July 18, 2016	10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	Yoga Stretch Yoga Stretch is a free program offered at the Senior Center. Yoga Stretch will move your whole body. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of seated and standing postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Beginners can join anytime.	Waupun Senior Center

July 19, 2016	09:00 AM - 04:00 PM	Park & Rec Field Trip: Mt. Olympus Cost is \$15, plus additional spending money. Pre-registration required.	Waupun Senior Center
	10:00 AM	Senior Center Pickleball Clinic Come to the Waupun Senior Center to watch an instructional DVD about how to play pickleball with strategies and techniques.	Waupun Senior Center
	12:00 PM	Booster Club Golf Outing	Rock River Country Club
	06:00 PM	Adult Pickelball Pickelball is a fun, easy to learn game that relates to tennis, badminton, and ping pong. Beginners can join at anytime. Play under the lights on a cool summer night. Instructors and equipment provided. Free! Rain Location: The Union Youth Center, 421 Jackson Street.	West End Park
July 20, 2016	05:00 PM - 11:00 PM	Timber Rattlers Game Trip <a href="#">Timber Rattlers Trip Details</a>	
July 21, 2016	03:30 PM - 06:30 PM	Farmers Market Enjoy fresh produce, crafts, meat and much more! Farmers markets are held rain or shine. Ample parking. Children's play area on site. Contact the Chamber of Commerce for additional details: <a href="http://www.waupunchamber.com">www.waupunchamber.com</a> 324-3491	Tanner Park
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July 23, 2016	07:00 PM - 10:00 PM	High School Hang Out All 9th-12th graders are invited to use the gym, watch a movie, skateboard or bmx bike, buy concessions and hangout! Free Admission!	The Union Youth Center
July 25, 2016	10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	Yoga Stretch Yoga Stretch is a free program offered at the Senior Center. Yoga Stretch will move your whole body. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of seated and standing postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Beginners can join anytime.	Waupun Senior Center
July 26, 2016	10:00 AM	Senior Center Craft Workshop: Birdfeeder Painting Come to the Senior Center to paint a birdfeeder for July's Craft Workshop! All crafters must pre-register by Friday, July 22nd by calling 324-7930 or registering at the Senior Center office.	Waupun Senior Center
	10:30 AM - 05:30 PM	Senior Center Dinner Theater Trip Join us for a trip to see Bingo-The Musical Comedy! Includes bus ride, lunch, and show. Lunch Menu: Beef Stroganoff, Buttered Noodles, Steamed Vegetable Blend, Memories' Famous Fluff, Dinner Salad with Athena, Feta Dressing, Warm Dinner Rolls, Cream Puffs, Coffee, tea, and milk. Sign up at the Senior Center.	Waupun Senior Center
	06:00 PM	Adult Pickelball	West End

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July 27, 2016	05:00 PM - 07:00 PM	WFA College Student Show Closing Reception <a href="#">Closing Reception Flyer</a>	Waupun Public Library
July 28, 2016	10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	Yoga in the Park Yoga Stretch is going to the park again! Yoga in the Park will be done under the shade of the Harris Mill Park shelter overlooking the beautiful Mill Pond. Yoga in the Park will be very similar to regular yoga at the Senior Center. Chair support will be offered to safely perform a variety of seated and standing postures.	Harris Mill Park
	03:30 PM - 06:30 PM	Farmers Market Enjoy fresh produce, crafts, meat and much more! Farmers markets are held rain or shine. Ample parking. Children's play area on site. Contact the Chamber of Commerce for additional details: <a href="http://www.waupunchamber.com">www.waupunchamber.com</a> 324-3491	Tanner Park
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July 30, 2016		EARTHcamp: Living Lightly on the Land EARTHcamp program for youth ages 7-12 years. Theme: Living Lightly on the Land. 9 am to 3 pm. The activities for this weekend program includes a focus on Native American traditions. Campers will learn how to weave cattail mats, make cordage, outdoor shelters, Native games and art. Registration fee: Marsh Haven members- \$25 for one day or \$45 for both days. Non-members-\$30 for one day or \$50 for both days. Sign up for one day or both, different activities will be held each day. Registration fee includes EARTHcamp t-shirt, all supplies, and healthy snacks. Pre-registration required. <a href="http://www.marshhaven.com">www.marshhaven.com</a>	Marsh Haven Nature Center
	07:00 PM - 10:00 PM	High School Hang Out All 9th-12th graders are invited to use the gym, watch a movie, skateboard or bmx bike, buy concessions and hangout! Free Admission!	The Union Youth Center
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## KIWANAS NEWS

### Waupun Kiwanis Celebrates 2015-2016 Junior Kiwanian Alumni

Each month during the school year, the Waupun Kiwanis club welcomes a junior or senior from Waupun High School or Central Wisconsin Christian to be the Junior Kiwanian. This year the club hosted an exceptional group of students and welcomed them back in May for an alumni celebration. Each student shared about what they were involved in this spring at school as well as their future plans.

**Karsyn Wetzel** was a senior at WHS and graduated Memorial Day weekend. She will be working at a dairy this summer and going to Fond Du Lac MPTC in the fall for Dairy Management.

**Kyra Verheyen**, a senior at WHS this year, played softball this spring and was involved in NHS and Pella Youth Group. She will be working at the high school cleaning this summer and attending UW-Madison in the fall for pre-pharmacy.

**Dylan Vander Berg** was a senior at CWC this year. He played golf this spring and will be attending Dordt college in the fall majoring in math and computer science.

**Shelby Koll** was a junior this year at WHS, but just toured UW-GB and will likely attend there in 2017. She'll be babysitting this summer.

**Brant Buchta** was also junior. He played golf this spring and just went to state for show choir. He hopes to attend UW-Madison for aerospace engineering and computer science.

**Caleb Schultz** just graduated from Waupun High School. He will be interning this summer at the library and attending UW-GB in the fall for pre-med and math.

**Olivia Theune** just graduated from CWC. She's looking for a CNA job and will be attending Concordia University for nursing.

**McKenna Yedinak** is junior this year at WHS. She's undecided on where she'll attend college and enjoyed being a part of the track team this spring.

Missing from the event was **Katie Rens**, who joined the club in February as Junior Kiwanian. Katie was a junior this year at Waupun High School involved in the choir and drama club. She attends Trinity Reformed Church and plans to pursue music education and music therapy in college.



Pictured L-R: Front: Shelby Koll, Karsyn Wetzel, Olivia Theune, Kyra Verheyen, McKenna Yedinak. Back: Kiwanian Dennis Overlien, Dylan Vander Berg, Brant Buchta, Caleb Schultz.

### **Waupun Kiwanis Awards Scholarships to Four Waupun Seniors**

The Waupun Kiwanis Club awards scholarships annually to local students. This year, the club was proud to present three \$750 scholarships to students attending 4-year colleges this fall and one \$500 scholarship to a student attending a 2-year college or technical school.

Alyssa Heeringa, a graduate of Central Wisconsin Christian High School was awarded a \$750 scholarship and will be attending Dordt College this fall to pursue an education degree. Dan Harmsen, a graduate of Waupun High School, will be attending UW-Whitewater this fall and was another \$750 scholarship recipient. He will be majoring in physical education and is redshirting in football. The third \$750 scholarship recipient is Elizabeth Patrykus, another graduate of WHS. She will be attending Northern Michigan University in the fall to study clinical laboratory science and genetics.

Callie Feuerhammer was this year's \$500 Kiwanis scholarship winner. She graduated from WHS and will be attending the Salon Professional Academy in the fall as well as working at Kwik Trip.

Congratulations again to this year's scholarship winners, selected from a large pool of talented Waupun seniors!



Pictured L-R: Kiwanis President Jon VenHuizen, Callie Feuerhammer, Elizabeth Patrykus, Dan Harmsen, Alyssa Heeringa, Kiwanis Youth Services Committee Chair Joanne Kahl

### **Caleb Schultz Honored as Waupun Junior Kiwanian for May 2016**

Caleb Schultz joined the Waupun Kiwanis club during the month of May as their Junior Kiwanian. He was a senior at Waupun High School this year and a member of the United Methodist Church. He was involved in a wide variety of activities in school including playing in the jazz band and marching band, serving as a member of the National Honor Society and participating in school plays. He also stayed involved at the United Methodist Church as a member of youth group and a Sunday School volunteer.

In his free time, Caleb takes piano lessons, goes bowling and volunteered for the Relay for Life. This summer, he will be interning at the Waupun Public Library before he leaves for school. He will be attending the University of Wisconsin – Green Bay majoring in pre-med and math.

Caleb was a welcome addition to the Waupun Kiwanis Club for the month of May and we wish him good luck at school this fall!



Pictured L-R: Gary and Shelly Schultz, Pastor JD McCarty, Caleb Schultz, Kiwanian Dennis Overlien

### **Waupun Kiwanis Celebrates April Junior Kiwanian Olivia Theune**

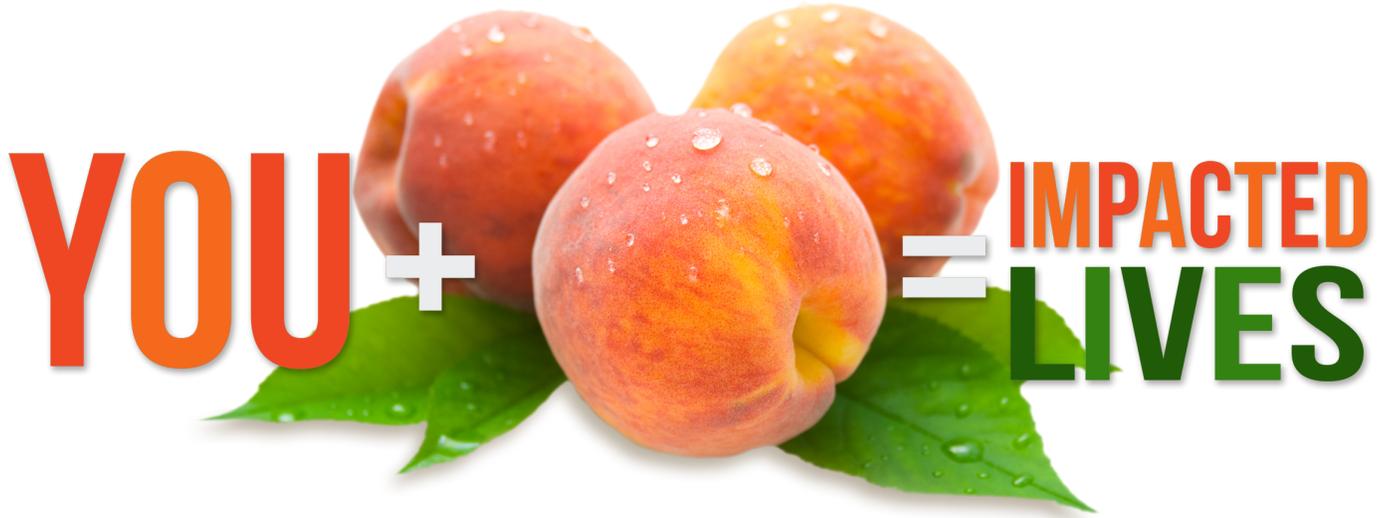
Olivia Theune joined the Waupun Kiwanis club during the month of April as their Junior Kiwanian. A senior at Central Wisconsin Christian School, she was involved in several activities including choir, serving as class secretary, student council Vice President and Neighbor's Club President, volleyball, basketball and in the production of school plays. Olivia volunteered her time in the special education classroom at Meadowview Primary and was also an avid volunteer at her church, Bethel Christian Reformed Church. She volunteered for the children's worship and in the nursery, as well as being a member of Bethel's Young Peoples.

Olivia will be pursuing a career in nursing this fall at Concordia University. She is already preparing to work in the nursing field, having just passed a class to become a Certified Nursing Assistant.

Waupun Kiwanis was honored to have Olivia as their guest for the month and wish her luck in the future.



Photo: Pictured L-R: John and Ann Theune, Olivia Theune, Pastor Jeff Brower, Bryant Greenfield, Kiwanian Dennis Overlien



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Fond du Lac – 4:00pm – 6:30pm  
July 21 – Beaver Dam – 4:00pm – 6:30pm

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August 17 – Waupun – 4:00pm – 6:30pm  
Fond du Lac – 4:00pm – 6:30pm  
August 18 – Beaver Dam – 4:00pm – 6:30pm

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# CELEBRATE WAUPUN

## July 1-2-3

Tanner Park, Waupun, WI

### FRIDAY, JULY 1

5pm & 6:30pm - **Rosetti & Wigley**  
8 pm & 9:45pm - **Boogie & the Yo-Yo'z**  
4pm to 8pm - **LeRoy Meats Fish Fry**  
**Prison City Pull Off**  
**Calkins Midway and Kidz Zone**



### SATURDAY, JULY 2

2pm & 3pm - **Dan Tulsa Band**  
5pm & 6:30pm - **Those Weasels**  
8pm & 9:45pm - **Vic Ferrari**  
4pm to 8pm - **Red's Catering Pig Roast**  
**Prison City Pull Off**  
**Calkins Midway and Kidz Zone**



### SUNDAY, JULY 3

1pm & 2:30pm - **The Hits**  
4pm & 5:30pm - **Swing Crew**  
7pm & 8:45pm - **Oil Can Harry**  
4pm to 8pm - **Red's Catering BBQ Chicken Dinner**  
10pm - **Taco Bell Fireworks**  
**Calkins Midway and Kidz Zone**  
**Waupun Car Show**



# NEW ATTRACTIONS FOR 2016



## NERVELESS NOCKS DAREDEVIL STUNT TEAM

The Nock's Family Show was started in Switzerland in 1840. The attraction plays all over the world and spans nine generations. The show has toured with Ringling Brothers Barnum Bailey Circus, appeared on the Ed Sullivan Show and performed for Queen Elizabeth on England where she named them "Nerveless".



Some of the features in their shows are an 80' sway pole act, aerial fabric toss, tower of chairs and the giant spinning space wheel. There will be three free shows each day on Sat. July 2nd and Sun. July 3rd. Show times are at 3 p.m., 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. More information on the Nerveless Nocks is available on their website: [www.nervelessnocks.com](http://www.nervelessnocks.com)

## PRISON CITY PULL-OFF

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## WAUPUN CAR SHOW

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## KIDZ ZONE



**Information**  
**920-324-7900**

[www.waupunfestivals.com](http://www.waupunfestivals.com)  
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June 13, 2016 - For Immediate Release

ORTIZ-RIBBING JOINS FOND DU LAC COUNTY – UW EXTENSION AS THEIR CROPS & SOILS AGENT

Let me introduce myself. I am Dr. Loretta Ortiz-Ribbing, the new UW-Extension Crops and Soils Area Agent with 50% responsibilities in each of Dodge and Fond du Lac Counties. Both counties have such a rich agricultural history that will let me utilize my diverse background which includes a B.S. in agronomy (crop protection), an M.S. in forestry (soils), and a Ph.D. in crop sciences (plant pathology).

My long agricultural career has allowed me to gain experience working in academia, industry, government, and most importantly doing extension and outreach in Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, and now Wisconsin. My previous extension positions have had statewide, regional, or county responsibilities for agronomic and horticultural crop systems and vegetable pathology; mainly I assisted conventional, sustainable, and organic producers with Integrated Pest Management (IPM) and other production issues. I have worked closely with diverse stakeholders, Master Gardeners, and grower groups. In Indiana, my county was the number one dairy producing county in the state. More recently, as a retired Assistant Professor of Crop Science with the University of Wisconsin in River Falls, I taught students about Organic Production Systems, Sustainable Agriculture, Weed Control, and IPM. As a former Research Scientist with the Minnesota Department of Agriculture, I wrote Best Management Practices for pollinators and their habitat and also facilitated outreach for water quality and pesticide management statutes.

In addition to my extension, outreach, and teaching background, I have conducted applied research and published on topics such as IPM for crops, prophylactic insecticide and fungicide applications, bioherbicides for herbicide resistant weeds, cover crops, and biological interactions between plants and disease organisms in conventional, organic, and sustainable production systems.

I am eager to meet and work with folks in Dodge and Fond du Lac Counties. I want to learn and hear how I can best utilize my skills to assist with and find solutions for your production needs and challenges.

Please feel free to contact me and introduce yourself. Have a great day.

***Loretta***

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