

LIBERTY GROVE ROCKS

Featured Business

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Important Dates

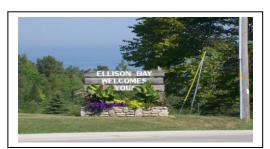
June 13-Plan Commission meeting 7:00pm

June 20 – Town Board meeting 7:00pm

June 21 – First day of summer

June 23 – Electronic & Shred day 9:00am to





SUMMER IN THE TOWN PARKS

It is a great time to visit Liberty Grove's 13 town parks.

Our web site has our parks listed with a brief description of what they offer and how to get to them. Pack a picnic basket and head out while the weather is nice.

FROM YOUR TOWN CHAIRMAN

The Board is considering a Town wide service of garbage and recycling beginning in 2019. Additional information and refinements will be considered at the next Board meeting prior to making a final decision on the service. Data provided indicates a substantial savings for property owners over individual contract for service. In addition it is important to our efforts at providing an environmentally friendly community and anticipates future impacts on the Town infrastructure.

The new NWTC Innovation and Learning Center is up and running at the old Baylake Bank building in Sister Bay. It is a great opportunity for northern Door. If you or friends have not had an opportunity to visit the center please do so. Its success depends on our community support and utilization.

The road paving for 2018 has concluded and the chip sealing of certain roads will begin shortly. Administrator Kalms has pointed out that we are now able to pave more miles each year than in the past. We are no longer in the catch up process for road repair.

The Board has authorized administrator Kalms to seek engineering cost for the reconstruction of Waters End Road and Highway 42. This is an intersection that is difficult to see traffic on highway 42 approaching from the South from Waters End Road. There is also a water drainage issue in the ditch adjacent to 42. The Highway Committee will consider improvements in that area.

The Board received a progress report from Carol Ash on the Ellison Bay Beautification Project. The Town has requested approval of speed monitor locations from the DOT on Highway 42 approaches to Ellison Bay. The Board is appreciative of Carol and her committee in their continuing efforts to improve the safety and appeal of Ellison Bay.

A reminder that a permit is required for the discharge of fireworks within the Town. The Town and Fire Department need to sign the permit. Information and permits are available at the Town Office. Please abide by the rules and also be considerate of your neighbors when using fireworks.

The Board and Finance Committee will begin work on the 2019 budget in the upcoming weeks. Public informational sessions will be held in the fall to answer questions from the public. It is anticipated that a levy override will be necessary to continue the current services and improvements as we move forward. There is a complicated formula mandated by the State when determining the levy. We are anticipating no increases, out of the ordinary, in property taxes with a successful override. Please contact the Town Office with any questions regarding an override.

From your Town Board:

Board approval – The Board approved Julie Kingsbury as an election worker and a full sewer rate study for the Utility Dist. #1.

Open Book – This is an opportunity to speak with our Assessor if you feel the current Assessment of your property is incorrect. Appointments are required. Open Book will be on Aug. 4, 2018 from 11:00am until 1:00pm. Watch for more information on this process in the July Newsletter.

Parks Committee – they will be meeting on June 12th at 9:00am at the Ellison Bay Women's Club Building.



STATE OFFERS TAX FREE DAYS IN AUGUST

The State of Wisconsin is offering a sales and use tax free holiday from August 1st thru the 5th on the following items:

Clothing - \$75 or less on each item School supplies - \$75 or less on each item Computers- \$750 or less per computer (for personal use only)

School computer supplies - \$250 or less per item.

For more information copy and paste this linkhttps://www.revenue.wi.gov/Pages/Individuals/ SalesTaxHoliday.aspx

NWTC Learning and Innovation Center

Here are some classes that are upcoming at the Innovation Center located in Sister Bay.

Virtual Reality Technologies June 11 th 11am to 1pm	Free
Basics of Microsoft Word & Excel June 14 th 1-3pm	\$15
Your top 5 strengths June 18 th 11:30am to 1pm	\$20
Computer Basics June 26 th 1-3pm	\$15
Writing Fiction & Poetry July 2 & 16 10am to noon	\$25
Film & Literature July 24, Aug. 7 & 21 10am to noon	\$30
Recycling & Repurposing Aug. 9 9:30 to 11am	Free
Unwanted Clothing	

Questions about these and other classes offered can be directed to Lisa Tetzloff at the Center or call 920-746-4936 or 920-495-2301. The Center is open on Monday-Thursday from 9:00am to 4:30pm and on Friday from 9:00 until 1:00pm. Descriptions of the above classes on NWTC's web site. By the way, they are looking for someone who can teach Spanish workshops. Call Lisa for info.

Rules in Town cemeteries

Ordinance 2-17 regulates our Town cemeteries. Please be aware that after May 29th all artificial flowers and/or decorations and any monuments or mementoes placed on a cemetery lot will be removed and discarded. This is the only way that the Town can maintain the dignity of the cemeteries and keep them mowed correctly. A copy of Ord. 2-17 can be found on our web site, www.libertygrove.org.

Fireworks in the Town of Liberty Grove

When shooting fireworks over the 4th of July holiday please be aware that a permit is required through the Town office. It does require the signature of the Town Chairman and the Fire Chief. Getting a permit the day before is not possible. Please plan ahead and get your permit early. It will require proof of liability insurance. That can be faxed to our office at 920-854-7366. Permit requests are available at the Town office or on the Town's web site. Have a safe 4th of July.





A delicious and nutritious lunch is provided by

The Senior Resource Center

At the

Liberty Grove Town Hall
Monday, Wednesday and Friday
Every week, except on Holidays.
Come and have lunch with us and play
bingo on Wednesdays!

Call **888-743-1844 X2542 24 hrs before the first time you come.

**Note: Previous newsletters had an incorrect phone number

WORTH REPEATING.

(this appeared in a previous newsletter)

If you know someone who is living with **Macular Degeneration**, there is a state agency that can help.

State of Wisconsin-Dept. of Health Office for the Blind & Visually Impaired 888-879-0017

This group does many things to help the visually impaired function better in their own home. For instance (among many other things):

- They will set up a home visit to give advice on improvements in safety and ease of motion.
- An account can be set up to order audiobooks from the Library of Congress free of charge, including postage.

Please call the agency to get more info on what they can do.

One of our own receives an award

Paul Bokelmann who is a member of our Plan Commission recently received the Richard K. Smith Advancement Award for outstanding accomplishments on behalf of 3-A Sanitary Standards, Inc. 3-A SSI announced the recipients of its 2018 Volunteer Service Awards at the Annual Meeting held 5/16/2018, in Bloomington, MN. 3-A SSI is a ANSI accredited Standards writing organization focusing on equipment, processes and accessories intended for use in the dairy industry, which includes on-the-farm tanks, over-the-road tankers, milk plant equipment, cheese plant equipment and packaging equipment. (www.3-a.org) Congratulations, Paul!!



Did you know that cows moo with regional accents!

A big welcome to Julie Kingsbury who joins us as a part time office assistant. She will provide administrative assistance to Bud Kalms, Janet Johnson and more. Be sure to welcome her when you stop in the office. Her hours are 8:30am to noon Monday thru Friday.

Electronic Recycling and paper shredding!!!



Saturday, June 23rd from 9:00am until 1:00pm Liberty Grove and Sister Bay Residents only Household appliances accepted as well.

As in past years the Town and the Village co-sponsor this event to help residents safely remove old electronics and appliances from their home. There is also paper shredding of sensitive documents on the same day. (Limit of 5 banker boxes per household or business) There are minimal charges for some electronics listed in the blue box on this page. You can also find a list of these items on the Town's web site.



Towers, laptops, keyboards and mouse Cell phones Servers Wire and cabling Copiers, printers, fax machines Phone systems DVD or VCR Stereo's or CD players Rechargeable batteries Household appliances, big or small Anything metal For a fee: Monitors \$10 TV \$15 TV over 30" \$30 Console TV \$30 Freon units \$5 (This list may not be all inclusive.)