
TOWN OF EAGLE NEWSLETTER

Fall/Winter 2011

From the Chairman's corner . . .

By Bob Kwiatkowski

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Town of Eagle, Chairman

The end of summer is here and we are now preparing for the fall activities. The priorities for the Town Board are to adopt a budget for fiscal year 2012 in compliance with the new laws passed by the Governor. The Town Board is getting very close to presenting a balanced budget. More on the budgets will be discussed at the meeting of electorate to be held on November 16, 2011.

Things that were accomplished so far this year include a new sign marking the entrance to the Town Park. If you have not driven past the park entrance please do, it is a very impressive sign. In addition the Town and the Village jointly applied for and received a grant to have the entrances to the Municipal building ADA compliant and to implement a new security system that will be more convenient to the Non-Profit groups and citizens participating in evening activities presented by the Park and Recreation Department.

The Town's 2011 road improvement program will be completed by the end of October. The Town Board will be discussing the 2012 road improvement program at our regular Town Board meetings, please attend if you have concerns regarding the condition of the Town Roads. Regarding the condition of the Town's equipment in preparation for the upcoming winter activities, all Town trucks are in good repair and will be ready to attack any snow storms that Mother Nature will be throwing at us.

What's Upcoming at the Library. . .

By Maria Hanners

Friday, October 28th we will show a Family Movie at 10:30am. Bring your pillow. A snack will be provided.

A Murder Mystery party with potluck dinner for adults and teens will be Friday, October 28th from 7:00pm - 8:30pm. Registration is required. Space is limited.

Come to the library during Eagle's Pumpkin Party on Saturday, October 29th. Fall Storytime will be at 12:30pm and craft fun will follow at 1:00pm -2:00pm.

Join Ms. Maria for Fall Preschool Storytime at 9:30am on Wednesdays November 2nd & 16th and December 7th.

Ms. Lynette has stories for the little ones at Lapsit on Thursdays, November 10th and December 15th at 9:30am.

Family Storytime is Wednesday, November 30th at 6:30pm.

An author visit with Old World Wisconsin Master Gardener/Author, Marcia Carmichael, will be Saturday, November 5th at 2:00pm. Discussion about her book, "Putting Down Roots" and reception will be held.

F. A. B. L. E. will hold a book sale November 7th through the 9th.

The Food for Thought Documentary film series will continue with Food, Inc. on Wednesday, November 9th at 6:00pm.

Follow up discussion on all three documentaries will be Monday, November 14th at 6:00pm.

Meet Wisconsin's Poet Laureate, Bruce Dethlefsen, at a Celebration of Poetry in the library on November 16th at 7:00pm.

Come for Senior Wii Bowling with pizza and pop on Friday, December 16th from 7:00pm - 9:00pm. Space is limited. Registration required.

Open Yu-Gi-Oh/Pokemon GEL for 5th graders and older players will be Friday, November 11 and December 16 from 5:00pm - 6:30pm.

Join us for National Gaming at your Library Day on Saturday, November 12th! All age gaming will be 5:30pm - 6:15pm. Gaming just for teens will be 6:15pm - 7:30 pm. Bring your own card/board games or play ours. Try some Wii gaming!

Kids' Choice Book Club for 4 - 6th graders is November 14th. Read "Red Pyramid" by Rick Riordan and come for fun, discussion and snack. Book club in December will be on the 19th. Check the library for December's title.

Enjoy some fun on your day off with Children's BINGO 10:30am - noon on Friday, November 25th.

An early release children's movie will be held December 7th at 1:00pm. Bring your pillow. We will provide the snack! Enjoy family gaming on December 28th from 3:30pm - 5:00pm. Gaming for teens only will continue at 6:00pm - 8:00pm. We will have board/card/Wii games and snacks. Feel free to bring your own board or card games.

News the Rec Dept . . .

By Heather Heywood

Greetings! Fall is here and so are many program offerings for you and your family! It's not too late to get signed up! Please check the Town of Eagle website at www.townofeaglewi.us or visit our office at the Municipal Building to pick up a hard copy of the guide. For easy reference, here is information for upcoming free community holiday events!

Pumpkin Party

Saturday, October 29th, 2011

12:30-4:00pm

Downtown Eagle

Trick or Treat

Saturday, October 29th, 2011

4:00-6:00pm

Christmas Party

Friday, December 9th, 2011

7:00-9:00pm

Eagle Fire Station

Look for the 2012 Winter/Spring Activity Guide in your mailbox early December. This guide includes two very important registrations periods: Spring Soccer, the month of January and Summer Baseball, Softball, Coach Pitch, and T-Ball, the month of February. It is extremely important for administration purposes that you register on time!

As we come into the holiday months, I wish you and your family a great rest of 2011!

Recreationally,

Heather Heywood, Recreation Director and Sam Blonien, Recreation Intern

***From the Fire Chief...
By Justin Heim***

The Eagle Fire Department received a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for \$18,879.80 to procure wildland fire gear (coats and pants), miscellaneous hand tools, and communications equipment. This was a 50% matching grant, meaning that Eagle would be responsible for \$9439.90 to fund the grant. The Eagle Fire Department membership association has graciously agreed to fund our 50% portion which means that we will be obtaining this vital equipment at no cost to our residents! As Fire Chief, I am very proud of the countless hours of dedication that our men and women sacrifice each month in serving our community. Next time you see one of our members, please stop and thank them!

The Eagle Fire Department, in conjunction with the United States Fire Administration (USFA) and the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) are working together to remind everyone that home fires are more prevalent in winter than in any other season. This is due in part to an increase in cooking and heating fires. Holiday decorations and winter storms that can interrupt electrical service and cause people to turn to alternative heating sources also contribute to the increased risk of fire in winter.

Winter fires can be prevented! The following fire safety tips can help you maintain a fire-safe home this winter season.

Maintain Your Holiday Lights

Inspect holiday lights each year for frayed wires, bare spots, gaps in the insulation, broken or cracked sockets, and excessive kinking or wear before putting them up. Use only lighting listed by an approved testing laboratory.

Do Not Overload Electrical Outlets

Do not link more than three light strands, unless the directions indicate it is safe. Connect strings of lights to an extension cord before plugging the cord into the outlet. Make sure to periodically check the wires - they should not be warm to the touch.

Do not leave holiday lights on unattended!

Use Only Nonflammable Decorations

All decorations should be nonflammable or flame-retardant and placed away from heat vents. If you are using a metallic or

artificial tree, make sure it is flame retardant.
Don't Block Exits

Ensure that trees and other holiday decorations do not block an exit way. In the event of a fire, time is of the essence. A blocked entry/exit way puts you and your family at risk.

Never Put Wrapping Paper in the Fireplace

Wrapping paper in the fireplace can result in a very large fire, throwing off dangerous sparks and embers that may result in a chimney fire.

The Eagle Fire Department is grateful to our local residents and business owners for their support of our organization throughout the year. On behalf of our membership, I hope you and your family have a wonderful holiday season.

Garbage & Recycling ...

Yard waste drop-off date has been scheduled for Saturday, October 29, 2011 from 8:00 am to 11:00 am at the Eagle Town Park. Please put yard waste in clear, plastic bags. Brush will also be taken if bundled in no longer than four (4) foot lengths. Please check the town's website often for future drop-off dates. Residents are advised that the collection of electronics is now prohibited by state law. This includes televisions, computers, and monitors. Please contact Waukesha County for disposal options or <http://dnr.wi.gov/org/aw/wm/recycle/> for more information.

Residents are also advised that crews serving the Town of Eagle do not use automated equipment and must manually lift all trash containers. All garbage must be in bags or cans. All garbage cans must be **32 gallons or less**. All paper should be bagged or bundled. Please remember to place your trash and recycling out for the pick-up crews by 6:00 a.m. on your delivery day or, save the chance that you may forget and do it the night before. In the event you were missed, please call John's Disposal at 262-473-4700 or 888-473-4701 and let them know of the oversight. If the crew can't come back that day, you do not have to leave the trash by the road. For your convenience, the crew will come right up to your home and collect the trash. Please visit www.johnsdisposal.com to view schedules and recycling information. John's Disposal's normal business hours are 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday - Friday. Email: office@johnsdisposal.com
Due to the holidays falling on the weekend this year, collection dates and times remain unchanged.

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETINGS

Town Board
3rd Wednesday each month at 7:00 p.m.

Fire Commission
1st Tuesday each month at 7:00 p.m..

Planning & Zoning Commission
1st Monday each month at 7:30 p.m.

Zoning Board of Appeals
1st Monday each month at 6:30 p.m.

Eagle Spring Lake Mgmt. Commission
3rd Tuesday each month at 7:30 p.m.

TOWN HALL OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

TOWN PHONE & FAX NUMBERS	
Town Hall Phone:	594-5800
Town Hall Fax:	594-5820
Fire Department:	
Emergency	911
Non-Emergency	594-3302
Fax	594-3993
Sheriff:	
(non-emergency)	548-7117
Lake Patrol	
(non-emergency)	363-6434
Law Enforcement:	
(Emergency)	911
Library Phone:	594-2800
Library Fax:	594-5126
TOWN OFFICIALS	
Town Chairman:	
Robert Kwiatkowski	594-3159
Town Supervisors:	
John Davis	594-8956
Don Malek	594-2304
Arvy Rasmussen	594-5594
Daniel West	594-2932
Town Clerk:	
Lynn M. Pepper	594-5800
Treasurer:	
James Pasterski	594-5800
Humane Officer:	
HAWS	993-9811
Building Inspector:	
Independent Inspections	594-2366
Assessor:	
Magnan Assessment Services	542-3332
Recreation Director:	
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