

Village of Sherwood News

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Refuse and Recycling Updates

Christmas Tree Disposal



The Village Yard Waste site (at intersection of Kesler Rd. and Military Rd.) will be open everyday during the month of January for Christmas tree drop-off. The Village does not offer curb side pick up, so please take advantage of this offer. Email questions to officecoordinator@villageofsherwood.org.

BULK ITEM PICK UP DAY May 14, 2018

Items accepted for collection include: Furniture, rolled carpeting (4 foot maximum length), cabinets, countertops, mattresses/bed springs, non-metal doors, wood windows, wooden playground equipment, large appliances without Freon (stoves, washers, dryers, etc. allowed if item can be handled by two people safely).

Excluded items for collection include: Uncontained items or piles of construction material, tires, batteries, TVs/DVD players/VCRs, computer equipment, liquid, yard waste items, engines/products run on petroleum, and electronic items banned from landfills.

Freon-containing items (refrigerators, AC units, freezers, old dehumidifiers) are also prohibited for collection. If you have an appliance with Freon, please contact the Village Office to find out how to properly dispose the item.

Tire Recycling Event Sat. April 21st from 9-11AM

Tire tickets must be purchased at the Village of Sherwood Office before the event. Tickets are \$3 per tire. Exceptions include tractor tires. There is a limit of 20 tickets per person. Day of drop off sites are New Holstein Public Works Garage and Official Den Bowl and Spirits in Hilbert.

Wanick Park Receives 2017 Award of Excellence!!!

The Wisconsin Park and Recreation Association awarded Wanick Park with the Park Section Design in appreciation for outstanding innovation and design of park facilities. Wanick Park was constructed with the help of Ayres Associates, who said the park's design concept sought to abstract the character of nearby High Cliff State Park. They drew inspiration from its playful topography, rock escarpments, and dense canopy to create an abstracted "green valley" while fulfilling community's need for recreation, leisure, and civic activities.



Celebrating 10 Years of Service

Village Administrator, Randy Friday, celebrated 10 years with the Village of Sherwood in October, 2017. Next time you come into the Office, or talk to him on the phone, please thank and congratulate him for all his hard work and dedication!



From the Village Administrator

Happy Holidays from Village Hall!!!

Season's Greetings! The Village invites you, your family and friends to join in the annual, free *Winter Solstice* celebration on **Saturday afternoon, Dec. 16th starting at 4pm** at our award-winning Wanick Park. The celebration includes our ceremonial holiday tree lighting, free photos with Santa, a bonfire, caroling, hot beverages, cookie-decorating, ice skating and sledding (weather permitting), and holiday music and cheer with your neighbors. We hope to see you out at the (heated) Performance Pavilion!

Construction-wise, the Village tackled one large roadway project this Summer re-working Lake Breeze Drive between the intersections of STH 55/114 and Cliffview Drive. Next year's plans include continuing work on Lake Breeze to Cliffwood Drive and the following projects:

Lower Cliff Road	Pulverize & pave; Improve drainage
Spring Court	Pulverize & pave; Improve drainage
Lake Breeze Drive	Pulverize; Spot gutter replacement
Forest Ave	STH 55 to King's Way; Reconstruct
Escarpment Terrace	Drainage: Ditching & culvert(s) on cul-de-sac
Park Drive/Pigeon Rd.	Intersection improvements @ Park Dr.
Sunset Lake Court	South roadway side ditch improvements
Clifton Road	Mill & overlay; Quarry entrance to Palisades Dr.
	Streambank/Culvert work at J&E Quarry

Also, the two short, trail sections in Wanick Park were paved this year, and the *Nuthatch Pond Trail* section that lies between Wanick Park and Clifton Road was reconstructed and paved.

Residential new home builds continued at an impressive rate this year with 29 new homes totaling nearly \$6 million in new tax base.

Contact Us

VILLAGE HALL

W482 CLIFTON RD

PHONE: (920) 989-1589

HOURS OF OPERATION:

M-F 8:30 AM — 4:30 PM

Village Administrator

Randy Friday

Clerk/Treasurer

Sue Williams

Utility/Finance Clerk

Kathy Mader

Park and Rec. Coordinator

Brenda Stumpf

Office Coordinator

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Keep up-to-date on our upcoming events on our Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/villageofsherwood



From the Village Administrator Cont.



Over the past five years Sherwood has gained \$30+ million in new, single-family home value. Our estimated population is now nearing 3,100.

\$ In November, the Village Board approved the FY2018 *Annual Budget* with no new borrowing scheduled until the following year for

construction projects. This helps hold our local tax rate at \$4.32 p/\$1,000 of assessed value on your property. Comparatively, your FY2018 local tax rate is lower today than it was 25 years ago – a quarter century ago!

We wish you a wonderful and safe Holiday Season!

Randy

Randy Friday
Village Administrator



From the Village President

Dear friends and neighbors,

The Village of Sherwood's 50th Anniversary celebration is fast approaching. Be sure to mark your calendars and plan to attend the festivities on August 19th. Please contact Brenda Stumpf at the Village office if you are interested in participating, to make this event a success.

Elections will soon be taking place and I encourage all of you to participate. Our residents have many talents and skills, which would be a tremendous benefit to Sherwood for you to share in the guidance of our village. Whether you are new to Sherwood or have been enjoying our beautiful community for some time and have an interest in engaging in the development of Sherwood's future, I would like to hear from you. It's been a pleasure to have had students attend our board meetings this past year, and look forward to continued interest in local government.

Local businesses give a community its flavor. By supporting those businesses, you ensure that the uniqueness is preserved as a part of our community. Buying local has benefits beyond mere convenience; you get a better level of service as well as helping make the community a better place to live.

Thanks to the Lions and the Optimist Clubs for what they do to make Sherwood a better place. These well-established groups are always looking for new members and are great ways to get involved in our community.

I want to wish everyone a healthy, prosperous and safe New Year.

Best Regards,

Joyce

Joyce, Village President

From the Clerk-Treasurer



The Calumet County Treasurer's office will be mailing the real estate tax bills in mid-December. Real estate tax payments may be made in person, by mail, or placed in the drop box outside the Village Office entrance door. Accepted forms of payment include cash, but check or money order are preferred. If you are making tax payments in person, office hours are Mon. through Fri. 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM with the exception of the following holiday closures:

Mon., Dec. 25, Tues., Dec. 26 & Mon., Jan. 1

CHECK PAYMENTS: Please make checks payable to Village of Sherwood Treasurer.

FIRST INSTALLMENT DEADLINE:

Wed, January 31st- Payments can still be received in Village Office drop box by Thursday morning at 8 AM. If by mail, articles must be postmarked by Jan. 31st.

AFTER JANUARY 31ST, PAYMENTS MUST BE FORWARDED TO:

Calumet County Treasurer, 206 Court Street, Chilton, WI 53014 ▲

SEEKING NOMINATION PAPERS

Beginning December 1, 2017, nomination papers may be circulated with the final day for filing nomination papers being 5PM on Tuesday, January 2, 2018 for the Spring Election being held on April 3, 2018 for the following Village Offices:

OFFICE	INCUMBENT
Village Trustee	Joseph Hennlich
Village Trustee	David Miller
Village Trustee	vacant; Kathy Salo was appointed April 24, 2017



UPCOMING 2018 ELECTIONS

- Tuesday, February 20th– Spring Primary**
- Tuesday, April 3rd- Spring Election**
- Tuesday, August 14th– Partisan Primary**
- Tuesday, November 6th– General Election**

Note: Photo IDs are now required. For alternative absentee voting information, please contact the Village Office.

2018 Dog Licenses are available NOW!!!



It is state law that all dogs five (5) months and older are licensed annually by March 31st. Proof of current rabies vaccination is required. **2018 dog licenses are GREEN.** If your license is currently gold, it is expired! The fee for a neutered male or spayed female is \$5, and unaltered dog is \$10. If you no longer have your pet, please contact the Village Office at (920) 989-1589 so we can remove the pet from our database. Thank you!

WINTER REMINDERS from Sherwood Public Works and Utility

SNOW REMOVAL — Snow from your property is your own responsibility. It is unlawful to shove accumulated snow from your property onto nearby vacant lots, ditches, or lots across the roadway. The Village is not responsible for any broken or altered stakes placed in Village right-of-way while truck snowplows clear roadways. Do not plug-up your culvert ends or you may regret it come springtime!

PINK STAKES SERVE AN IMPORTANT PURPOSE — The pink-topped stakes are placed strategically by our Public Works to ensure proper snowplowing of Village streets. These identifying markers help with our drivers maintaining the integrity of Village infrastructure AND help with mitigating issues with your property! Please do not remove them.

OVERNIGHT PARKING ENFORCEMENT — Village Parking Code Chapter 20 Art. I — No parking is allowed between 2:30 AM and 6:30 AM on Village streets between Nov. 1 through April 15. Vehicles in violation will be ticketed for noncompliance and may be towed.

MAILBOXES — It is the property owner's responsibility to keep the mailbox clear of snow and ice and accessible for mail delivery. Please ensure that it can withstand the force of snowplowing.

ADOPT A HYDRANT — The Sherwood Water & Sewer Utility is encouraging citizens to adopt a fire hydrant for the winter. Please help keep your neighborhood safe by clearing the snow around the hydrant making it easily accessible for the Fire Department in case of a fire emergency.

From the Park and Recreation Coordinator



Well here we are at the end of another great year with the holiday season upon us. We had an exciting year with descent weather, and a couple new programs that we ran. Hope you all got to enjoy some of them.

As you may, or may not, have heard, Wanick Park was honored and received the 2017 Park Design Award from the Wisconsin Park and Recreation Association on November 9th. You can all be very proud of the wonderful park that we have in our community. This is a prestigious award and recognition.

We have changed our policy on facility rentals with the beginning of 2018. Village of Sherwood Residents will have the first 5 business days to rent facilities before the rentals open up to the general public. So if you know of a date that you want anything reserved for next year, please come in within the first 5 days to have a better chance of getting it. You can also rent a grill for your occasion. Grills can be rented at Legion Park or Wanick Park only. You can only grill in either of our parks with one of our grills and within the designated area, otherwise grilling is prohibited.

Every summer we look for a Park and Recreation Assistant. This person assists the Park and Recreation Coordinator with various activities, events, and outside maintenance. Do you know of someone who may be interested? This job will get posted in the early part of next year so please keep an eye out for it. It will get posted to the Village website, Facebook, and in the Times Villager.

Did you know you can donate a memorial bench or tree to be placed in our parks or trail system? We have information at the village office if you are interested.

Also in 2018 we will be initiating our community forest, which lies between Golf Course Road and Hole #14 at High Cliff Golf Course. You will be able to pick out a tree from our stock of trees and it will be moved into the “Sherwood Forest” and get tagged with the name you have chosen. Please contact me for additional information on these great programs.

Our annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held on March 31st at 10 a.m. You will find the information and the registration form included in this newsletter. Please remember that you **MUST** pre-register for this event.

The Village of Sherwood will be celebrating its 50th year of being a Village next year 2018. We are starting to plan for a weekend full of fun on August 18th and 19th. Would you be interested in helping out? Maybe you could run a 3 on 3 basketball tournament, or a horseshoe tournament?!? Maybe you could help out with coordinating games/kids activities?!? Or if you have another idea and would like to volunteer please let me know. We really anticipate this to be a great event, but we can't do it without help.

Hope you all stay warm this winter as we look forward to a prosperous 2018!!! Any questions, comments, or suggestions please feel free to contact me.

Brenda Stumpf, Recreation Coordinator
(parkandrec@villageofsherwood.org)

As many of you are aware, the YMCA discontinued the T-ball/Rec Baseball program last year. Some of you have expressed your disappointment in regards to this. Below you will find a brief survey, please fill out and return back to the village office. If there is enough interest we can possibly bring this program back to Sherwood.

Would you be interested in having the T-ball/Rec Program back in Sherwood? _____

How many participants from your household: _____ (Ages 4 to 8)

Would you be interested in helping with this program (coach, etc)? _____

Any other info you would like to share: _____

Could you give me your email so that I may contact you in regards to the program:

UPCOMING EVENT — 2018 Easter Egg Hunt Sign-Up Form

Village of Sherwood's Easter Egg Hunt

**March 31st
10 AM to 12 PM
at Wanick Choute
Park**

The Village of Sherwood is sponsoring its 4th annual Easter Egg Hunt at Wanick Choute Park. Sign-up your child(ren) for an **egg-cellent** time at the park with friends and family!

- WHERE:** Village of Sherwood's Wanick Choute Park (W4690 Castle Drive)
- WHO:** Sherwood-based families with children ages 3 to 8 are welcome to attend this activity.
- HOW:** Pre-registration is required so please mail in the form below.
- COST:** \$3 per child for Sherwood resident; \$5 for non-resident child.

REMEMBER TO BRING A BASKET OR BAG TO COLLECT YOUR EGGS!



- DATE OF HUNT:** Saturday, March 31st between 10AM and 12PM
- DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION:** Friday, March 23rd (completed form and payment must be in the office by 4:30pm)

Please complete this form, include payment, and mail or drop off at:

Resident's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

- Yes, I would like to become a volunteer for the Village Parks & Recreation Department.**
- Yes, I would like to be placed on an e-mail list for upcoming Village-sponsored events.**

Child's Name Attending: _____ Age: _____

QUESTIONS? Contact Parks & Recreation Coordinator, Brenda Stumpf, at 920-989-1589.

Disclaimer/Waiver: Sign-up permits the Village of Sherwood to use photos taken at the event in promotional materials.

Calumet County Health Department



What About the Flu?

Cold versus Influenza ("the Flu")

Influenza ("the flu") and the common cold are both respiratory illnesses but they are caused by different viruses. Because these two types of illnesses have similar symptoms, it can be difficult to tell the difference between them based on symptoms alone. In general, the flu is worse than the common cold, and symptoms are more common and intense. The symptoms of flu can include fever chills, cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, muscle or body aches, headaches and tiredness. Colds are usually milder than the flu. People with colds are more likely to have a runny or stuffy nose. Colds generally do not result in serious health problems, such as pneumonia, bacterial infections, or hospitalizations. Flu can have very serious associated complications.

Treatment for the Flu

If you get the flu, antiviral drugs may be a treatment option. Check with your doctor promptly if you are at high risk of serious flu complications and you get flu symptoms. People at high risk of flu complications include young children, adults 65 years of age and older, pregnant women, and people with certain medical conditions such as asthma, diabetes and heart disease.

When used for treatment, antiviral drugs can lessen symptoms and shorten the time you are sick by one or two days. They also can prevent serious flu complications, like pneumonia. For people at high risk of serious flu complications, treatment with antiviral drugs can mean the difference between milder or more serious illness possibly resulting in a hospital stay.

Prevent the Flu

The best way to prevent seasonal flu is to get vaccinated every year. If you haven't already received a flu shot this season, **it's not too late to get vaccinated.** Flu viruses can make you sick any time of year. Contact your health care provider or pharmacy to get a flu shot.

These everyday actions to help stop the spread of germs:

- Try to avoid close contact with sick people.
- If you are sick, limit contact with others as much as possible to keep from infecting them. If you are sick with flu-like illness, CDC recommends that you stay home for at least 24 hours after your fever is gone except to get medical care or for other necessities. (Your fever should be gone for 24 hours without the use of a fever-reducing medicine.)
- Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. Throw the tissue in the trash after you use it.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand rub.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth. Germs spread this way.
- Clean and disinfect surfaces and objects that may be contaminated with germs like the flu.

Content adapted from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention website, www.cdc.gov, by Calumet County Public Health

From the Calumet County Sheriff's Department

'Tis the Season for Criminals to Prey on the Innocent!!!

On November 21st there was an incident on Timberline Drive that was called into the Calumet County Sheriff's Department regarding a young male, about 14-15 years old, who tried to steal a package off the porch of a disabled resident. Fortunately, the resident was home and was able to scare away the suspect. The resident told police that it was evident that he was trying to steal the package, but that she had never seen him in the neighborhood before.

Unfortunately, this can be a common occurrence around the holidays, and when people online shop. The Calumet County Sheriff's Department would like to remind all residents who are not home at the estimated time of delivery to have their packages either delivered to them at work, or sent to a family member, or neighbor, who would be home during the delivery time.

Sheriff's Department K9 Fundraiser!!!

The Sheriff's Department K9 Unit is selling stuffed K9 dogs for their annual fundraiser.

The dogs are \$15 each. If you are interested in purchasing one please contact the Sheriff's Department at (920) 849-2335 ext. 5010, or call/text Lt. Bill Tyson at (920) 418-4820.



Taking Sealed Bids for Pair of Cement Deer

The Village recently obtained the pictured pair of cement deer when a home on Harrison Street was removed. If you are interested in purchasing these two deer, as is, please drop off a sealed offer to the Village Office, Attention: Sue Williams, no later than noon on January 31st. Include contact information with your offer. The deer will only be sold as a pair. Village staff will help load the deer onto your trailer or vehicle. The recipient will be notified on February 1st. If you have any questions, or would like to view the deer, please call the office at (920) 989-1589.



SHERWOOD CIVIC NEWS

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES!!!

The Sherwood Area Optimists are again offering six (6) \$500 scholarships to area graduating seniors planning to attend any accredited college, university, or technical college as a full-time student. Preferential consideration will be given to the applicants residing within the Sherwood area. To obtain a scholarship application, please send a request to: Sherwood Area Optimist Club Scholarship Committee, c/o Jan Keuer, N251 Kings Court, Sherwood, WI 54169 or e-mail dikeuer@gmail.com. All applications are due by April 1, 2017.

If you would like more information about the Optimists or would like to get on our mailing list, please contact Lisa at lisajacobson36@gmail.com or Lori at lori.l.nackers@bmo.com.

BIRD CITY-In 2012, Village of Sherwood applied, was accepted, and joined the now over 100 Wisconsin Bird City communities. But what exactly is a Wisconsin Bird City?

Bird City Wisconsin began in 2009 when Milwaukee Audubon Society partnered with 7 other organizations to encourage communities to implement sound bird conservation, enhance the environment for birds, and educate the public about the contributions birds make to a healthy community. Some benefits of being a Wisconsin Bird City are:

1. Birds control insect pests, pollinate crops, and disperse native plant seeds.
2. Being recognized as a Bird City U.S.A. gives residents of Sherwood a sense of pride. We are proud of our community, and we are concerned about the natural habitat within the Village.
3. It also provides a way to educate residents about birds. They can learn about contributions made to our community, and be encouraged to actively participate in the natural beauty that surrounds us here in Sherwood.

Now that you know more about being a Bird City, you might be interested in getting more involved with the activities Bird City Wisconsin promotes. Please contact Debra Cook at Debracook53@gmail.com, if you would like to be part of a small group of “bird lovers” who want to continue to make Sherwood a great place to live!



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Monthly Meeting Schedule

All meetings will be held at the Village Hall, W482 Clifton Rd., unless posted otherwise:

- Plan Commission (PC) 1st Monday — 6:30 PM
- Village Board (VB) 2nd & 4th Mondays — 6:30 PM
- Park Rec and Urban Tree Board (PRUT) — 3rd Monday at 6:30 PM
- Community Development Authority (CDA) 4th Wednesday — 6:30 PM

Agendas are posted at the Post Office, Dick's Family Foods, Village Hall, and on the Village website: www.villageofsherwood.org.

Office Closures

Village Office and Public Works Garage will be closed the following days:

December

- ♦ Mon., 12/25/17- Christmas Day
- ♦ Tues., 12/26/17- Day after Christmas

January

- ♦ Mon., 01/01/18- News Year's Day

January 2018				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
OFF	PC	3	4	5
VB	9	10	11	12
PRUT	16	17	18	19
VB	23	CDA	25	26
29	30	31		
February 2018				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
			1	2
PC	6	7	8	9
VB	13	14	15	16
PRUT	20	CDA	22	23
VB	27	28		
March 2018				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
			1	2
PC	6	7	8	9
VB	13	14	15	16
PRUT	20	CDA	22	23
VB	27	28	29	30