

# Village of Sherwood News

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July 2020

## WATER QUALITY

### IMPORTANT WATER INFORMATION

**The Village of Sherwood's Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) for 2019 is now available for viewing.**

This is an annual water quality report that, under the Safe Drinking Water Act, every municipal water system is required to provide its customers. The report contains valuable information regarding the source and quality of our drinking water.



To read the Village's 2019 annual water report or to learn more about our drinking water, please go to our website at [www.villageofsherwood.org/2019ccr](http://www.villageofsherwood.org/2019ccr) Village Departments — Water & Sewer Utility.

**Paper copies are available at our Village Office, or you can request a copy to be mailed to you by calling the Village Office at (920) 989-1589.**



## FROM THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Warmer weather and longer days are here! As we all strive to find a new normal during these times of change more residents come out to enjoy the trails and the Village's beautiful landscape, please be mindful of pedestrians and bikers. Safety is a shared responsibility.

As mowing season is in full swing it is important to not discharge grass clippings onto the street. Aside from being dangerous for bicyclists and motorcyclists, grass clippings clog storm sewers which prevent water from properly draining off the streets and all unwanted material and nutrients into the storm water system, which ends up in our lakes and rivers. We all need to do our part to keep Village sidewalks, streets and storm sewers clear.

Welcome to those of you who are new to the Village of Sherwood! Welcome to our new businesses we wish you much success. Remember to shop and eat locally.

Have a happy and safe summer.

Best Regards,



Joyce Laux  
Village President



## 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

Randy Friday/Interim

### Utility/Finance Clerk

Kathy Mader

### Park and Rec. Coordinator

Brenda Stumpf

### Office Coordinator

Kristy Van Hefty

### PUBLIC WORKS

W479 CLIFTON RD

**PHONE:** (920) 989-4085

### Public Works Supervisor

Scott Nadler

### Public Works Staff

Reed Beyer

### VILLAGE OFFICIALS

#### **President:**

Joyce Laux 989-1956  
2021

#### **Vice President:**

Roger Kaas 989-2106  
2021

#### **Trustees:**

David Miller 841-3141  
2022

Bob Benz 989-1760  
2021

Kathy Salo 740-2927  
2022

Lisa Ott 989-2741  
2021

Paul Grube 851-1146  
2022

“Be a Fan” of your local municipality...

Keep up-to-date on our upcoming events on our Facebook page:  
[www.facebook.com/villageofsherwood](http://www.facebook.com/villageofsherwood)



### FREE MULCH & COMPOST!!!

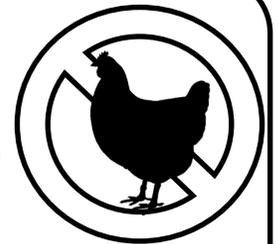
Free mulch and compost are available to all residents at the yard waste site. Look for the mounds when you drive straight into the site. Please no loaders; mulch and compost can be shoveled into buckets or onto trailers. Thank you.

### YARD WASTE SITE IS OPEN!!!

The site (at intersection of Kesler and Military Rds.) is open to residents for disposal of grass clippings, brush, branches (up to 4" in width), and leaves May through October. Hours of operation are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2 PM to 6 PM and Saturdays from 8 AM to 1 PM. Hours for November will only be the first three Saturdays from 9AM to Noon weather dependent.

If you have any questions, please direct them to the Village Office at (920) 989-1589 or e-mail [officecoordinator@villageofsherwood.org](mailto:officecoordinator@villageofsherwood.org).

Please keep in mind, the keeping and/or raising of farm animals, including but not limited to goats, pigs, cows, sheep, ducks, geese, chickens, ponies, and horses, is regarded as a public nuisance and prohibited within any area zoned residential by the zoning regulations of the Village by Ordinance §4.49.



## SUMMER REMINDERS FROM PUBLIC WORKS

- Please remember landowners are prohibited to have grasses, lawns, and other vegetation such as noxious weeds and rank growth exceeding in eight (8) inches in length or more per Village Municipal Code 7-10(f).
- When mowing, please direct the clippings away from roadways and sidewalks. Clippings can clog the storm drains, cause drainage issues, and add unwanted material to the stormwater ponds.
- No unauthorized motorized vehicles are allowed on Village recreation trails, including ATVs and construction vehicles.
- The rip rap around stormwater ponds stabilize the pond banks. Please do not throw the surrounding rocks into the ponds.

Thank you and have a great Summer!



Calumet County uses AlertSense software to notify residents of local emergency and severe weather alerts, as well as other community notifications. Users have the option to select what notifications to receive and how to receive them, including by phone, text and email. There is also a mobile app available for download on Google Play and the App Store.

Sign up is easy! Just visit the main Calumet County website at [www.calumetcounty.org](http://www.calumetcounty.org) and look to the bottom left of the page where you will click on "AlertSense Sign Up". From there just follow the links to enter your information and choose the alerts you wish to receive.

Only important notifications will be sent out and your contact information remains confidential and will not be distributed to any outside parties.

## FROM THE SHERWOOD WATER AND UTILITY

### **UTILITY NEWS AND REMINDERS:**

**WATERING?** Do you plan on planting a new lawn, major landscaping updates to your yard or filling a pool?

Nine years ago Sherwood constructed a pipeline to the City of Appleton in order to connect as a wholesale customer.

Because we receive water from another municipality, we pay for 100% of all water pumped to your homes, regardless of where it ends up. Some residents ask if there is a way to receive a discounted rate for planting lawns or doing major landscaping. You don't need a permit to water new landscaping or lawn. However, the Village does not grant discounted rates.

**DUE TO COVID-19 CLOSURES  
CONTINUE CHECKING THE VILLAGE WEBSITE  
AND FACEBOOK PAGE FOR UPDATES  
REGARDING WHEN VILLAGE PARKS,  
SPLASH PAD AND BUILDINGS WILL OPEN**

## **VILLAGE BULK ITEM PICKUP: TUESDAY., AUGUST 11, 2020**

### **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). Tires should be recycled and will not be picked up. **(Pickup Excludes privately owned Meadowcliff Estates Condos on Golf Course Road)**

## **Help Fight the Bite in Wisconsin!**

As Wisconsin residents know, ticks and mosquitoes are a nuisance. But more than just an annoyance, they can spread many illnesses to people. Preventing bites from ticks and mosquitoes is the key step in avoiding these illnesses.

### **Ticks**

Be aware of ticks and take steps to protect yourself. You can "fight the bite" by using personal protection, removing ticks as soon as possible, and getting rid of ticks in your yard. Ticks are typically most active in Wisconsin from May to September, but it is important to use caution year-round.

The two types of ticks that most commonly bite people or pets in Wisconsin are the deer (black-legged) tick and the wood (dog) tick. In Wisconsin, ticks can spread anaplasmosis, babesiosis, *Borrelia miyamotoi*, ehrlichiosis, Lyme disease, Powassan virus, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, and tularemia.

### **Mosquitos**

Not all of the 50+ species of mosquitoes in Wisconsin bite humans, but many that do can spread diseases. In Wisconsin, mosquitoes can spread Eastern equine encephalitis, Jamestown Canyon virus, La Crosse encephalitis, St. Louis encephalitis, and West Nile virus.

### **TICK AND MOSQUITO BITE PREVENTION:**

Use repellents with 0.5% permethrin on clothing or 20%-30% DEET on uncovered skin. Avoid being outside at times of high mosquito activity (dawn and dusk). Wear pants, long-sleeves, and socks to protect yourself against bites. Light-colored clothing will help you spot ticks and mosquitos more easily.

Perform proper yard care. Prevent mosquitos from breeding in your yard by draining standing water from gutters, wading pools, and old tires. Clear tall grass, brush, and leaf litter. Keep woodpiles away from your house to reduce the presence of rodents that can carry ticks. Do not feed deer. Deer can carry ticks into your yard.

Do a full body check for ticks after being outside in areas with tall grass or in the woods.

### **TICK REMOVAL:**

Using tweezers, grab the tick close to the skin, and pull upwards (away from the skin). Do not twist, yank, or burn the tick during removal. After removing, clean the bite site and hands with rubbing alcohol or soap and water.

Contact your health care provider if you have a rash or fever within 30 days of removing a tick or after possible tick exposure. It is important to tell your doctor when and where you may have come into contact with a tick. *Content for this article was retrieved from the Wisconsin Department of Health Service Website, May 2019.*

***The Sherwood Area Optimists are pleased to announce the recipients of our 10th annual Scholarship Competition.***

*Luke Franda, Noah Hermann, Angelina Mader, Liam Niland, Emma Price, Nolan Race, and Morganne VanCamp were selected and each awarded \$500 scholarships to continue their education in the coming year.*

Please check out our Facebook page - Sherwood Area Optimists. If you have questions or would like more information about the Optimists, or Would like to get on our mailing list, please contact Lisa at [lisajacobson36@gmail.com](mailto:lisajacobson36@gmail.com) or Lori at [Lori.nackers@gmail.com](mailto:Lori.nackers@gmail.com)

## NEWS RELEASE

Date: May 13, 2020

For Release: Spring/Summer, 2020

### **From: American Legion, Post 496, Sherwood, WI**

SHERWOOD - The Sherwood American Legion Post 496 is pleased to announce the recipients of their twenty-second annual scholarship competition. The scholarship is made available to any applicant residing within the Sherwood service area of the Thomas E. Kees American Legion post who is pursuing undergraduate or graduate, full-time study at an accredited college or university.

This year 16 applicants were judged on overall achievement, demonstrated extra-curricular participation, community service involvement, and completion of the scholarship application. From that group three winners were selected and each awarded \$1000.00 scholarships. This year's award recipients include Michael Kraus of Kaukauna High School, Emma Price of Hilbert High School, and Austyn Krueger of Kimberly High School. All three winners were outstanding students and role models at their respective schools and intend to continue their education this coming year.

Since the scholarship's inception in 1999, Post 496 has distributed over \$80,000 to local students to help defray the costs associated with pursuing their academic goals. All of these scholarships were made available by the generous gift of the late Frank and Ann Schneider, long-term Sherwood residents. Frank was a founding member of the Post and decorated WWII bomber pilot. Post 496 is proud to sponsor this annual event in their name.

### **HIGH CLIFF STATE PARK**

We hope to hold events this summer, but need to consider public safety, social distancing, and group size in accordance with the Badger Bounce Back plan.

Reference the website below for the event calendar as more events may be cancelled.

The most updated event list is maintained at <https://dnr.wi.gov/calendar/events/parks/?location=High%20Cliff%20SP>.

Park operations also can change, such as closing the office or restrooms, registering campers, and selling stickers. The most current information can be viewed at <https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/parks/name/highcliff/>.

### **SHERWOOD STRONGWOMEN**

The Strong Women Program, sponsored by the Aging and Disability Resource Center, is a safe and effective evidence-based strength training program. The Strong Women Program helps middle aged and older adults build muscle, strengthen bones, prevent frailty, improve balance and increase overall physical and mental health. This educational and strength training program meets for 60 minutes, two times per week.

Dates: Tuesday/Thursday

Location: Sherwood Village Hall Gym, Sherwood, WI

Time: 9:30am-10:30am

Registration and More Information: Contact Nancy Krueger at [nkrueger@vpind.com](mailto:nkrueger@vpind.com) or 920-740-9572

The hope is to resume in-person classes starting Tuesday September 8th. However, if restrictions are still in place a virtual class will be offered. Please contact Nancy Krueger by email or phone (info above) for more information.

Health and Wellness Coordinator



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## Monthly Meeting Schedule

All meetings are 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 — 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](http://www.villageofsherwood.org).

*\*Holidays will cause meetings to be held the next day.*

## Office Closures

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

### July

- ♦ Friday, July 3rd- In Observance of Independence Day

### September

- ♦ Monday, September 7th- Labor Day

July 2020				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
		1	2	3
PC	7	8	9	10
VB	14	15	16	17
PRUT	21	CDA	23	24
VB	28	29	30	31
August 2020				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
PC	4	5	6	7
VB	11	12	13	14
PRUT	18	19	20	21
VB	25	CDA	27	28
31				
September 2020				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
	1	2	3	4
7	PC	9	10	11
VB	15	16	17	18
PRUT	22	CDA	24	25
VB	29	30		