

VILLAGE OF FREDONIA

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TRICK OR TREAT

The Village of Fredonia will have "Trick or Treat" on Saturday, October 31st from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Kids should wear reflective clothing and trick or treat in groups. Parents are encouraged to accompany their children during these hours. Residents wanting to participate in handing out treats should leave their porch light on. Please drive cautiously during these hours!

CURBSIDE LEAF COLLECTION



The Village of Fredonia will have curbside collection of leaves with pick-up west of the railroad tracks scheduled for Tuesday, October 13th and 27th and November 10th.

Pick-up of leaves east of the railroad tracks will be on Tuesday, October 20th and November 3rd and 17th. Be sure to keep leaves away from the catch basins. Village ordinance allows leaves to be raked to the curb up to 72 hours before a scheduled curbside pick-up.

Weather permitting - curbside branch chipping will continue on Mondays. To be included on the weekly curbside branch chipping list you must call the village hall at 692-9125, ext. 203 prior to the Monday you want the chipping done.

WE'RE ON THE WEB

GO GREEN and GO PAPERLESS!

Save taxpayer money on paper, postage and time by viewing the newsletter on the Fredonia website at www.village.fredonia.wi.us/. You can also have the newsletter e-mailed to you. Please e-mail the village at ddommer@village.fredonia.wi.us or call us at 692-9125 and let us know what e-mail address you would like the newsletter sent to. If you choose one of these options you will no longer receive the paper version of the newsletter with your utility bill. You can also access village agendas, minutes, ordinances, forms and permit applications, assessment data, building and construction information and much more on the Village of Fredonia website.



HYDRANT FLUSHING

The Fredonia Water Utility will be flushing hydrants in the village during the weeks of November 2nd and November 9th. Due to this, some discoloration of water and low pressure may occur. The water is completely safe during all stages of the flushing program; however, please check the water for discoloration prior to washing any clothes on these dates.

POLICE DEPARTMENT REMINDERS

- **Basketball hoops** are not to be placed in the roadway. When placed in the roadway they are not only a traffic hazard but it also encourages children to play in the road which is dangerous.
- **Motorists** are reminded to drive cautiously in school zones during the morning and afternoon hours when there is increased vehicle and pedestrian traffic. Also, watch for school busses and obey their stop signals when they are picking up and dropping kids off at bus stops. Speed and inattention are the two biggest causes of accidents. Please drive at the speed limit, pay attention, and watch for children.
- Village Code **prohibits** hunting, discharging of firearms - including B.B. guns and paintball guns, or explosives - including fireworks, within the Village of Fredonia.
- **Motorized scooters or mopeds** are not legal on streets unless the operator is a licensed driver.
- **Village Parks** close at 9:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted. People in the parks after hours are subject to a \$172.00 fine.

FREDONIA LION'S CHICKEN ROAST

The Fredonia Lion's Club will hold their 8th annual chicken roast on Sunday, October 25th from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Dinners are carryout with drive-thru service at Firemen's Park. Tickets are \$8.50 in advance and \$9.00 at the door. Tickets can be purchased at Port Washington State Bank or from any Fredonia Lion or Fredonia Lioness/Lion Club member.



FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS

The Fredonia Fire Department will be holding its annual **Fire Prevention Open House** on Sunday, October 11th from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at the Fire House, 201 S. Milwaukee Street. There will be fire extinguisher and Jaws of Life demonstrations, free giveaways for kids, fire truck rides and snacks and refreshments for everyone. Remember to update your child's KIDS CARE ID photo, or have it done that day for the first time. Feel free to come and tour the station and talk to a member about becoming a Firefighter, EMT or Ambulance Driver.

As we start heading towards the winter season, please remember to keep your neighborhood fire hydrant accessible for the Fire Department. Every second counts!



OZAUKEE CO. FLU CLINIC

Ozaukee County Health Department will be offering vaccines at the Waubeka Fire Department, W4114 River Street on Sunday, October 11th from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Flu shots are \$28, pneumonia shots are \$40, and tetanus shots are \$7. Medicare Part B will cover the cost of the flu and pneumonia vaccines. The health department cannot bill Advantage Plans. No appointment is necessary. Please wear a garment that will allow the nurse easy access to the upper arm area where you will receive the injection. For more information or for other flu clinic dates available in Ozaukee County please call the Public Health Department at 284-8170.

OZAUKEE COUNTY RECYCLING DRIVE

The Volunteer Center of Ozaukee County will hold a computer, TV, microwave and cell phone recycling drive on Friday, October 16th and Saturday, October 17th from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at 885 Badger Circle in Grafton. Protecting the environment and giving back to the community at the same time is their goal. Responsible recycling will be processed by CRT Processing in an earth friendly way. Recycling donation costs are as follows:

- *Cell phones, keyboards, ink cartridges, mouse and cables are FREE.
- *Monitors and laptops: \$15.00
- *TV's: \$25.00
- *Computer Processing Units and printers: \$5.00
- *Microwaves: \$5.00

For additional information call 262-377-1616 or e-mail them at vcozaukee@yahoo.com

USE OF FREDONIA GOVERNMENT CENTER

To request use of the Fredonia Government Center meeting room or for advertising on the electronic sign contact Lance Leider of the Fredonia Government Center Commission at 920-994-2200.



WREATH SALE

Boy Scout Troop #877 will once again hold their Annual Wreath Sale.

Orders can be placed between October 10th and November 1st. Wreaths will be delivered on Saturday, November 14th. For more information contact Bill Nosko at 692-6311.

WINTER ORDINANCE REMINDERS

- ◆ Parking is not allowed on village streets between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. from December 1st to April 1st. Any vehicle ticketed for winter parking restrictions and not removed will be towed away at the owner's expense.
- ◆ Snow is to be removed from sidewalks within 24 hours after a snowfall.
- ◆ Snow is not to be shoveled or blown into the street.
- ◆ Discharge from sump pumps may not be directed onto the street from November 1st to May 1st.
- ◆ When shoveling out mailboxes, be sure to shovel a car-length pathway in front of your mailbox to guarantee mail delivery.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE



Teams are now forming and volunteers are needed for the 10th ACS Relay for Life which will be held at the Ozaukee High School track on Friday, May 21st from 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 a.m., Saturday, May 22nd. The theme is "Happy Birthday". Relay for Life involves teams of 8-15 people who take turns walking around the track for the full 16 hours. Money for ACS is raised through corporate sponsorships and underwriting of various Relay events by community business leaders. Over \$29,000 was raised last year in the 9th Relay in Fredonia. Contact Tracy Plaskey at 675-9351, Robin Auer at 692-9384 or the American Cancer Society at 1-800-947-0487 for more information on sponsoring a team or volunteering for the event.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR GENEROSITY!

A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU to the following groups, organizations and businesses who helped to make **CELEBRATE FREDONIA 2009** a success!

- * Celebrate Fredonia Committee
- * Fredonia Village Marshals
- * Fredonia Department of Public Works
- * Fredonia Area Garden Club
- * Fredonia Youth Football Club
- * Northern Ozaukee Women's Group/Ocology Club
- * Ozaukee Boys Basketball
- * Badger Paperboard
- * Beechwood Sales & Service
- * Brouillette Back & Neck Clinic
- * CRC Hobbies
- * D&D Auto - James Stemper
- * Fredonia Automotive
- * Fredonia Citgo
- * Fredonia Family Restaurant
- * Grota Appraisals
- * Guy & O'Neill, Inc.
- * J&M Excavating, LLC
- * McMahan Associates, Inc.
- * Meadowlark Storage
- * NCL of Wisconsin
- * Personalized Tours and Coaches
- * Petersen Industries
- * Poth Family Dental
- * RMR Spindle Repair, Inc.
- * Steffen Plumbing and Heating
- * Subway - Fredonia
- * T.P. Concrete
- * Village Market
- * Wal-Mart
- * Workhorse Software Services

FREDONIA AREA GARDEN CLUB

The Fredonia Area Garden Club is gearing up for fall. Upcoming meetings scheduled are:

- October 26th at 7:00 p.m. which will feature "Holiday Ornaments" at 7:00 p.m.
- November 21st at 9:00 a.m. the club will "Decorate the Village Tree".
- January 25th at 6:30 p.m. there will be a "Chili Dump" ice-breaker meeting.

If you are interested in joining call Lisa Dohrwardt at 692-9650. It is a great way to meet your neighbors and get involved in your community. Guests are always welcome. Membership includes quarterly newsletters, speakers, workshops and more.



USED TIRES

The annual Ozaukee County Used Tire Collection will be held on Saturday, November 7th from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Ozaukee County Fairgrounds in Cedarburg. Ozaukee County residents can dispose of used car tires for \$2.00 each and large auto and light truck tires for \$3.00 each. There is an additional fee of \$5 for each tire with a rim. Please call 284-8288 for additional information or visit the website at www.co.ozaukee.wi.us/hhw.



BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

The Bookmobile is a service of the Eastern Shores Library System, making stops at Rosemary School, 311 Fredonia Avenue from 12:15 - 2:15 p.m. and at St. John's Lutheran Church, 824 Fredonia Avenue from 5:20 - 6:20 p.m. on Tuesday, October 6th and 20th, November 3rd and 17th, and December 1st and 15th. If you have any questions concerning the Bookmobile please call Eastern Shores Library System at 920-208-4900, Ext. 15. You can also visit their website for schedules, programs, etc. at <http://esls.lib.wi.us/> or e-mail them at bkmref@esls.lib.wi.us.

LOST AND FOUND

Numerous items were found at the Celebrate Fredonia event and can be retrieved at the village hall. These items include a pocket watch, a wrist-watch, and a child-size Brewers sweatshirt. Other items that have been turned in over the summer include a set of keys with a Goodyear Mid-County key chain, a men's watch, and a basketball.



HOLIDAY TREE LIGHTING

The Annual Holiday Tree Lighting will take place on Sunday, November 29th at 6:00 p.m. at the lot west of the post office.

If you are interested in decorating one of the trees in the area please call the village hall and leave your name and phone number. A member of the Parks Committee will then contact you with additional information. Join the fun this Holiday Season and help make the entrance to Fredonia **SHINE!** The Parks Committee is looking for residents or community groups to volunteer to help organize this year's event and to take over organizing the event in the future. Please call Fritz Buchholtz at 692-9470 if you are interested.

HOLIDAY GARBAGE PICK-UP SCHEDULE & REMINDERS

- ◆ The week of Thanksgiving garbage and recycling pick-up will be on Friday, November 27th.
- ◆ The week of Christmas pick up will be on Thursday, December 24th.
- ◆ The week of New Years pick-up will be on Thursday, December 31st.
- ◆ Village Code prohibits garbage to be placed curbside more than **24** hours prior to pick-up.
- ◆ The Postmaster has requested that you avoid setting your garbage in front of your mailbox in order to assure mail delivery.
- ◆ Scavenging of refuse placed curbside for collection without the owners permission is prohibited.
- ◆ If you are disposing of ash, be sure to set it out in its own container. If the driver detects **ANY** warmth to the material it will be left behind.
- ◆ It is against the law for residents to dispose of sharps (needles, syringes and lancets) in their regular garbage. Sharps pose a health risk to garbage haulers and workers who might accidentally be stuck by them. They are considered infectious waste and must be disposed of properly in a container made specifically for sharps. Ask your local doctor, clinic, or pharmacy if they are a registered sharps collector. You can also contact the DNR at 608-266-2111, the American Diabetes Association at 888-342-2382 or the UW Extension at 608-257-3665 for locations of registered sharps collection stations.

FREDONIA YOUTH BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

The FREDONIA YOUTH BASEBALL ASSOCIATION would like to extend a big **THANK YOU** to all the coaches, assistant coaches and numerous other volunteers who helped in any way to make the 2009 baseball season successful. We had a record 328 kids play ball this summer! **One of the girls traveling teams took first play in their division!** The other girls and boys traveling teams remain competitive in their divisions.

THANKS to the following organizations and businesses for their donations to our 2009 season.

- ◆ The Village of Fredonia
- ◆ The Town of Fredonia
- ◆ The Fredonia Lions Club
- ◆ The Fredonia Lioness Lions Club
- ◆ Badger Paperboard, LLC
- ◆ Brouillette Back & Neck Clinic
- ◆ Elite Building Services
- ◆ Fredonia Auto Sales
- ◆ Mid City Citgo - Saukville
- ◆ Midwest Precision Manufacturing
- ◆ Milwaukee N/C Machining for use of Oak Park
- ◆ Neuens Fredonia Lumber Co., Inc.
- ◆ Poth Family Dental
- ◆ Port Washington State Bank
- ◆ SS Remodeling
- ◆ Steffen's Plumbing & Heating, Inc.
- ◆ Subway, Fredonia
- ◆ The Village Market



When patronizing these businesses, or talking with a group member, please thank them for their support of the youth of Fredonia.

Thank you also to Schwai's Flooring for handling the float preparations and to Steffen's Plumbing & Heating for pulling our float in the Celebrate Fredonia parade. We look forward to another successful season in 2010.

Lucy Janke
Fredonia Youth Baseball Association