



# VILLAGE OF FREDONIA APRIL 2015



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## UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Lion's Club Pancake Breakfast**– Sunday, April 26th
- Village of Fredonia Open Book**– Monday, April 27th from 9 – 11 a.m. No appointment necessary.
- Metal Recycling Day**– Saturday, May 2nd at OMS
- Village Bulky Item Collection**– Friday May 1st and Saturday, May 2nd
- ACS Relay for Life**-Friday & Saturday May 15th & 16th
- Fredonia Area Rummage Sale**– Saturday, May 16th
- Fredonia Lion's Golf Outing**– Monday, May 18th
- Village of Fredonia Board of Review**– Thursday, May 21st from 6-8 p.m. Call for appointment.
- Village Hall Office Closed**– Monday, May 25th
- Memorial Day Observance-Parade** May 25 at 9 a.m.
- Ozaukee High School Graduation**– Sunday, May 31st
- Flag Day Celebration**– Saturday, June 13th
- American Legion Brat Fry**– Saturday, June 20th at Village Market
- Frebeka 5 Walk/Run**– Sunday, June 28th

## WHAT'S NEW?

### Fredonia Avenue Update:

It has been a long hard winter with the temporary patch on the road from the water main construction on top of the already poor condition of the road. Fortunately the road construction will begin shortly to make the road more travelable. Michels Construction has been chosen to perform the road construction. Road construction may begin at any time that the weather is appropriate for construction. The construction is scheduled to end on August 15 of this year. During construction those places with mailboxes on Fredonia Avenue will have their mail box relocated outside of the construction area. The final location has not yet been determined but they will likely be placed in large groups at two or three locations. The contractor will establish access to each property daily during construction but there will be periods when property owners on Fredonia Avenue will not be able to access their driveway because of construction. There will also be periods when it is necessary for the contractor to stop traffic. Please be patient and wait for the contractor to finish their work before driving through the construction zone.

### Park Program:

The Village, in conjunction with Port Washington, will create a park program this year. The program runs Mondays through Friday, 12:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. (4:30 p.m. on Wednesdays), from June 15th through August 8<sup>th</sup> except on July 4. In the event of inclement weather, the program will be cancelled. The Program will be located at Fireman's Park. Activities include organized games and arts and crafts. There will be two field trips offered that participants will pay for separately. Participants may attend Wednesday night activities sponsored in Port Washington. The program is for 6-14 year olds (children must be at least attending 1st grade).

The following fees are anticipated to be charged.

- \$85.00 Resident with a \$130.00 maximum per family**
- \$95.00 Non Resident with a \$140.00 maximum per family**

## NOTICE OF SEWER RATE INCREASE

### SEWER CUSTOMERS OF THE FREDONIA SEWER

#### UTILITY - EFFECTIVE MARCH 31, 2015

Meter Size	Current Rate	3% Increase	Rate
5/8"	47.30	1.42	48.72
1"	70.95	2.13	73.08
1 1/2"	118.24	3.55	121.79
2"	189.20	5.68	194.88
3"	307.44	9.22	316.66
4"	472.99	14.19	487.18
6"	945.98	28.38	974.36
<b>Plus Consumption Charges Per Thousand Gallons</b>	3.69	0.11	3.80

## VILLAGE BULKY ITEM COLLECTION

The Village will have a bulky item drop off on Friday, May 1st from 3-6 p.m. and Saturday, May 2 from 8 a.m.-12 p.m.. This is for collection of items too large to fit into your trash carts. This event is for village residents only. Unfortunately, we will not be able to accept items from businesses. The collection will take place across the street from the village shop, 420 Wheeler Avenue. Please bring proof of residency with you when bringing items to dispose.

## METAL RECYCLING DAY

Metal recycling will be held at Ozaukee Middle School on Saturday, May 2nd. Acceptable donations include, but are not limited to:



aluminum (any), lawnmowers, snow blowers (remove any oil/gas), cast iron sinks, Christmas lights, appliances, pots & pans, swing sets, workout equipment, monitors (2 per vehicle), laptop computer, lamps, printers, tools, electrical cords, car batteries, bicycles, microwaves, dehumidifiers, water heaters, refrigerators and much more! **Please note televisions, plastic and cardboard recyclables are not accepted.**

## FREDONIA AREA RUMMAGE SALE

Will be on Saturday, May 16th from 8:00 a.m.– 4:00 p.m. If you wish to participate by completing a registration form, your sale will be included in the brochure that will be distributed to rummage sale enthusiasts via local businesses. The brochure will also include a general map of the Village/Town of Fredonia which will be available May 1st. The cost to register is \$5.00 which will be used to offset advertising costs. Registration forms will be available on the Chamber of Commerce's website after April 3rd. Please make checks out to the Fredonia Area Chamber of Commerce. Please call Lisa Dohrwardt at 262-692-9650 if you have any questions.

## AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE

The ACS is holding the Relay for Life on Friday, May 15th at 6:00 p.m. through Saturday, May 16th at the Ozaukee High School Track. For more information contact Carrie Meloy at [camskasos@yahoo.com](mailto:camskasos@yahoo.com) or Heather Koller at [g.gsmom@yahoo.com](mailto:g.gsmom@yahoo.com)

## GARBAGE & RECYCLING

Recycling will now be picked up on a weekly basis. Although Advanced Disposal is using one truck to pick up both garbage and recycling it is still being separated in the trucks so please keep Garbage and Recycling in their own carts and bins. Also remember when putting out your carts to place them in the correct way, so they can be picked up with the lifting forks. As always, call Village Hall with questions.



## YOU'VE GOT MAIL

Are you on the Friend's of Fredonia email list? We send out newsletters, monthly updates and meeting notices. You may email [afairbanks@village.fredonia.wi.us](mailto:afairbanks@village.fredonia.wi.us) or you can call village hall with your email address. There is also a sign up sheet at Village Hall. Sign up today– you'll be glad you did!



## COMPOST

Now that spring is here, we anticipate the yard waste drop off site to become more active. The Village has screened compost available for use by village residents. The material is located at the rear of the yard waste drop off site.

When dropping off material at the yard waste site, please remember to remove animal waste, plastic, wood, paper, metal, litter and other non-compostable material **prior** to drop off at the yard waste site.



## CURBSIDE BRANCH COLLECTION



Weather permitting, curbside branch collection will start again

**Monday, April 6th** in the Village of Fredonia. When placing branches curbside for pick-up, please put cut ends toward the curb. Branches should be laying next to each other; not crisscrossing. The maximum diameter accepted is 6". Failure to comply with these rules may result in branches not being picked up. **To arrange for this service, please call the village hall at 692-9125 prior to 7:00 a.m. Monday.** Branch drop-off is not allowed at the WWTP site. Wood chips are available to the public as supply permits. Leaves and yard debris may be put on the compost pile at the Wastewater Treatment Plant. If you use plastic bags to transport your yard waste, be sure to take the bags along with you. **Open burning of grass and leaves is prohibited in the village.** Compost is available at the WWTP site also. Check it out!

## NEWS FROM OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT

At the annual Fredonia Fire Department and Ambulance Banquet, the following people received Years of Service Awards:

**5 years - Andrew Burmesch, Randi Todorov, Michele Wester, and Josh Wood**

**10 years- Dan Dellerree, and Jerry Dimmer**

**15 years - Priscilla Lemke**

**40 years- Larry Crass**

**50 years- Eugene Mayer**

The "**Milton Eisentraut Award**" for outstanding firefighter or EMT for 2014 went to **Michelle Wester**. If you see any of these members, **Thank** them for their unselfish service to the community.

**THANK YOU**

**TORNADO SEASON** - If a Tornado Warning is issued for Fredonia, the siren will be activated for three minutes. Please take shelter immediately as this warning means that a tornado sighting has been confirmed. The siren will also be tested on the second Tuesday of the month from March to November at 7:00 p.m.

With warmer weather, the fire department will be practicing outdoors. We may be using a hydrant in your neighborhood, and this could lead to having brown water appearing out of your faucet. We try to flush as much of it as possible, but cannot guarantee that it will all disappear. We apologize for any inconvenience to you.

If you are considering becoming a Firefighter or Emergency Medical Technician or interested in learning more about what it takes to be a member, you can ask a department member or call the station at 692-9973. Please leave a message and someone will get back to you.

## UPCOMING LION'S CLUB EVENTS

- The annual **Lion's Club All-You-Can Eat Pancake Breakfast** will be held on Sunday, April 26th in the Ozaukee High School Commons from 7:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Adult tickets in advance are \$8.00, at the door \$8.50. Child tickets are \$4.00. Proceeds from the breakfast will go to the Fredonia Fire Department, Ambulance, Lion's projects, the Northern Ozaukee Scholarship Fund and the Random Lake Scholarship Fund. Tickets are for sale at the Port Washington State Bank, from any Lion's Club member, or send the money to Fredonia Lion's Club, 107 Edmaro Street, Fredonia, WI 53021 and the tickets will be mailed to you.
- The Fredonia Lion's Club will be hosting their annual "**Roaring Good Time Golf Scramble Outing**" on Monday, May 18th at the West Bend Lakes Golf Course. This outing is open to the public. Golfers of any ability are welcome to a GREAT time. The cost is \$65 per person which includes 18 holes of golf w/cart, refreshments, dinner and raffles. Deadline for registering is Monday, May 12th. Contact Vern Bode at [vbode@sbcglobal.net](mailto:vbode@sbcglobal.net) or call 262-284-9441.
- The **Frebeka 5 Walk/Run** will be held on Sunday, June 28th from 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. There will be a 5 mile run, a 1&2 mile run, a 1&2 mile walk, a 2 mile run and a 1 mile kids run. The cost of the run for adults is \$18 in advance and \$25 on the day of the race. The cost for kids is \$10 in advance and \$15 on the day of the race.



Proceeds from the race will support Starting Points of Ozaukee County, BOLD, T-Baum Foundation and Lion Health Causes. You can register at [www.active.com](http://www.active.com). For more information contact Jerry Shoemaker at 692-9143, or e-mail Jerry at [jshoemaker@wi.rr.com](mailto:jshoemaker@wi.rr.com).

## COMMUNITY BOOK SHELF

There is a book shelf located in the lobby of the Fredonia Government Center. You may borrow books or drop off books for someone else to read. If you drop off books remember to take some with you so that the book shelf doesn't become over crowded.



## NEWS FROM THE FREDONIA AREA GARDEN CLUB

Brainstorming ideas for the garden or looking for some tips? Just looking for a fun group to be a part of? The Fredonia Area Garden Club has set its calendar with fun and informational events. Call Lisa at 262-692-9650 for more information!



## POLICE DEPARTMENT REMINDERS:

- **Non-Emergency Number** - If you need to contact the police department for any non-emergency situation, call the Ozaukee County Sheriff's Department at 262-284-7172. They will dispatch an officer for you. **Always call 911 in an emergency.**
- **Dog Owners** - Please be considerate and quiet your barking dog as your neighbors may have their windows open. Also, when you walk your dog, be sure it is on a leash and **clean up after it.**
- **Dog Licenses** are required for any dog five months of age and older. The cost is \$10. If the dog is spayed or neutered the cost is \$5, with an additional \$5 late fee charged after March 31st. Information required includes the dog's name, color, breed, sex, and evidence and date of rabies vaccination.
- **Curfew** - Persons under the age of 16 are not allowed out after 11:00 p.m. unless accompanied by a parent or guardian, except when attending a school function or returning home from their place of employment.
- **Bicyclists** - Bicycle riders must obey the same traffic rules as automobiles. For safety, bicycles should be ridden single file on the far right side of the road. Bicycle helmet use is encouraged.
- **Basketball Hoops** are not to be placed in the roadway. They are not only a traffic hazard but it also encourages children to play in the road which is dangerous.
- **Village Parks** close at 9:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted. People in the parks after hours are subject to a fine.
- **Motorized Scooters** are not legal on streets unless the operator is a licensed driver.
- **Village Code prohibits** discharging of firearms – including B.B. guns and paintball guns, or explosives, including fireworks within village limits.



## MANY THANKS!

- Thank you to Port Washington State Bank for sponsoring the ice rink. It was enjoyed by many families and people of all ages. It has become a place of fun where people of the community can come together and enjoy themselves during the winter.
- Thank you to everyone who made the 2014 Tree Lighting Event a great success. Thanks to Laura Logan for donating the trees, the groups who decorated them, and to Lisa Dohrwardt for decorating Village Hall for the holiday season.
- Thank you to the Fredonia Area Chamber of Commerce for organizing the 2015 Village Rummage Sale.
- A **Big Thank You** goes out to our election inspectors who put in a lot of time and effort to make sure our elections run smoothly!

### Thanks to:

**Arlene Huiras**

**Margie Lallensack**

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**Jackie Plier**

**Carol Murphy**

**Jerry Shoemaker**

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**Linda Georgeson**

**Sandy Mayer**



## FREDONIA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Working together to help the Community and promote our great local businesses. The Fredonia Area Chamber of Commerce is always accepting applications for new members. Memberships run from June 1-May 31. Membership fees are \$50 per year for Business and \$35 per year for Non-Profits. Applications are available online at:

[www.fredoniaareachamberofcommerce.com](http://www.fredoniaareachamberofcommerce.com)

If you are interested in sharing your business with us please let us know. We would love to hear more about your business. Networking events will be held bi-monthly beginning in February.

For more information or questions, please contact us at [info@fredoniaareachamberofcommerce.com](mailto:info@fredoniaareachamberofcommerce.com)

## BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE



The Bookmobile is a service of the Eastern Shores Library

System, making stops at

Northern Ozaukee School District Parking Lot, 401

Highland Drive from 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., Divine

Savior School, 311 Fredonia Avenue from 12:15- 2:15

p.m. and at St. John's Church, 824 Fredonia Avenue

from 5:20 - 6:20 p.m. on

Tuesday, April 14th and 28th, May 12th and 26th and

June 9th. If you have any questions you can call the

Eastern Shores Library System at 920-208-4900, Ext.

15. You can also visit their website for schedules,

programs, etc. at [www.easternshoreslibsys.org](http://www.easternshoreslibsys.org) or

e-mail them at [bkmref@esls.lib.wi.us](mailto:bkmref@esls.lib.wi.us).



