

BROOKLYN VILLAGE NEWS

September 14, 2016

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VILLAGE WIDE FALL DUMPSTER CLEAN-UP

Friday – 9/30 – 10am – 7 pm
Saturday – 10/1 – 10 am – 7 pm
Sunday – 10/2 – 10 am – 2 pm



****Village of Brooklyn residents only; please be prepared to show proof of residency.**

ITEMS THAT ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BE PLACED IN THE DUMPSTER:

GRASS/WEEDS
RECYCLABLES
**APPLIANCES
COMPUTERS/TV'S
LEAVES

FLUORESCENT BULBS
CARDBOARD OR BOXES
55 GALLON BARRELS/DRUMS
FLUORESCENT FIXTURES
HAZARDOUS/INFECTIOUS MATERIALS OR THEIR CONTAINERS

BRUSH
**BATTERIES
PAINT
**OIL

****Note:**

Oil & Batteries can be brought in and have to place them in a separate area.

No Freon or hazardous containing appliances (refrigerators, ac units, etc.), microwaves or dehumidifiers' s. Other appliance can be placed in the recycling dumpster.

Brooklyn Village Board Meeting Minutes

August 22, 2016

The August 22, 2016 Village Board meeting of the Village of Brooklyn was called to order at 6:36 pm at the Village Hall by President Pat Hawkey. Trustees present were Kyle Smith, Todd Klahn, Bruce Crubaugh. Heather Kirkpatrick arrived at 6:37 pm. Russ Cazier arrived during closed session at 7:44 pm. Trustees absent Sue McCallum. Others present Cindy Jazdzewski, Chief Barger, Deputy Clerk-Treasurer Vicki Olson. All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comments: Cindy Jazdzewski – Concerned about the party that was held at the community building on August 13. I bartend at the Anchor Club and as I was walking home from work that night there were beer cans all over in the alley way and all over the church parking lot. I picked up two bags of beer cans. I'm concerned for the elderly church members that would have arrived early to start the coffee. You don't need one of them bending over and losing their balance because they had to pick up trash. Jeremiah and Kelsey Tilley (live two doors down from the community building) had their solar lights taken from their backyard and beer cans all over their front yard. Kelsey talked with Wade and per Wade it was that it couldn't be proven that people from this party had taken the lights. Later this week as I was walking on the backside of the community building where you go in to vote there in the rocks lay busted solar lights. Called Wade and he came down to take pictures. This isn't the first time there has been property damage from a party/event that was held at the community bldg. My request is that something should be done about the rule if you are having any type of function, especially if you are having alcohol, that you have security presence, so that on the outside of the building no one leaves with beer/wine and they also weren't getting into their vehicles. Also very concerned about how these type of parties/events are making the community look. Hawkey read a portion of the policy where it does state that they are to have a security presence - At least one **security officer is required if alcohol is served on the premises with two hundred (200) or more people in attendance at any time.** If alcohol is served, glass bottles shall not be allowed. There shall be no alcohol outside the Community Center or in the parking lot. Hawkey asked Chief Barger if there had been any officer on duty the night of this incident. Chief Barger didn't believe we had anyone on duty that night. We may have to work with Brooklyn PD to make sure that someone is on duty those nights for these events. With these type of huge events, 90% of the time the parents don't know where the kids are. Events of this type should have at least one security officer. Cindy stated that the Brooklyn PD shouldn't be responsible for the party. They are here to cover the village, not to babysit the kids or those who are drinking outside of the community building. Community Building Policy to be placed on next agenda. Village Board will have to review to update this policy at the next board meeting.

Village President Report:

Place discussion about use of community building on next month's meeting. There is a website that is administered by Brit & Stacey, contacted them regarding some comments that were made on their page by Town of Brooklyn residents. Sign outside the Post Office -- sign is not because they are moving. It is an advertisement to promote buying a post office box. Siren is still not working, and we will continue to provide updates as we know more.

Meeting Minutes: Hawkey made a motion to approve August 8, 2016 minutes. Seconded by Smith. Discussion – none. Motion Carried.

Closed Session - Hawkey made a motion at 6:46 p.m. to go into **Closed Session Pursuant to Wis Stats 19.85 (1)(e) to deliberate or negotiate a contract and to deliberate or negotiate the possible sale of public properties.**

Roll Call – AYE – Klahn, Smith, Kirkpatrick, Crubaugh, Hawkey. NAY – none.

Reconvene to Open Session at 9:04 pm

Roll Call – AYE – Klahn, Smith, Kirkpatrick, Crubaugh, Hawkey, Cazier. NAY – none.

Approve bills as presented - Hawkey made a motion to approve, second by Kirkpatrick. Motion carried.

Hawkey made a motion to postpone any action on Fire/EMS Contract. Seconded by Smith. Motion carried.

Hawkey made a motion to have real estate agent convey to respective parties the counter offers.

Seconded by Smith. Motion carried.

Motion made by Smith to adjourn. Seconded by Crubaugh. Motion carried.

Adjourned at 9:06pm

Vicki L. Olson –
Deputy Clerk/Treasurer

Special Brooklyn Village Board Meeting Minutes August 25, 2016

The August 25, 2016 Special Village Board meeting of the Village of Brooklyn was called to order at 6:34 p.m. at the Village Hall by President Pat Hawkey. Trustees present were Kyle Smith, Todd Klahn, Bruce Crubaugh, Heather Kirkpatrick and Sue McCallum. Russell Cazier was absent. Others present were Kevin Visel, Lighthouse Commercial Real Estate, and Clerk-Treasurer Linda Kuhlman. All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Pat Hawkey at 6:34 p.m. to convene to closed session pursuant to Wis Stats 19.85(1)(e) to deliberate or negotiate the possible sale of public properties. Seconded by Klahn. Roll call vote taken. AYE – Klahn, Smith, McCallum, Crubaugh, Kirkpatrick and Hawkey. NAY – none. Motion carried.

Motion by Klahn at 6:56 p.m. to reconvene to open session. Crubaugh seconded. Roll call vote taken. AYE – Klahn, Smith, McCallum, Crubaugh, Kirkpatrick and Hawkey. NAY – none. Motion carried.

Smith made a motion to approve a counter offer for the sale of land, Parcel No. 109-0510-313-8127. Crubaugh second. Roll call vote taken. AYE – Klahn, Smith, McCallum, Crubaugh, Kirkpatrick and Hawkey. NAY – none. Motion carried.

Hawkey made a motion to adjourn. Smith seconded. Motion carried.

Adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

Linda Kuhlman
Clerk-Treasurer

Brooklyn Area Veterans CONSIGNMENT AUCTION

September 17, 2016 @ 10 AM

4658 Hwy 92, Brooklyn WI 53521

NOTE: This auction is to raise funds for the Brooklyn Area Veteran Memorial. Consignors can determine the level of donations. Donations may be tax exempt under Oregon-Brooklyn American Legion Post 160 s 501C-19 status. Please consign items by Sept. 5, 2016.

CURRENT DONATIONS: lumber, fork lift, antique truck, welding equipment, furniture, antiques, wagons, trailers, riding lawn mowers, boats, metal art, firearms, mystery boxes & more.

TERMS: approved check, credit card or cash. All settlements made prior to removal. Any condition or worth is between buyer & consigner. For consignments call: 608-516-5401



Wanless Auction & Realty

4658 Hwy 92 | Brooklyn, WI 53521

Email: lyle@wanlessauctiongroup.com

Web: www.wanlessauctiongroup.com

PUBLIC WORKS DEPT



Leaf pickup will begin as demand requires. Residents are asked to rake leaves into the street gutter with NO twigs or other debris mixed in.

FALL DUMPSTER HOURS

Friday – 10/2 – 10am – 7 pm

Saturday – 10/3 – 10 am – 7 pm

Sunday – 10/4 – 10 am – 2 pm

****This service is only for Village of Brooklyn residents. Please be prepared to show proof of residency.**

WATER METER REMINDER

All temporary lawn meters need to be returned to the Clerk's office no later than September 30th. Damaged meters due to freezing, or non-returned meters, will result in a non-return of your deposit check.



DELINQUENT UTILITIES

All delinquent utilities need to be paid in full by Oct 15th to avoid the 2016 tax roll notification/property lien process which will begin this same date. If you have questions on your delinquent utility account, call the Clerk's Office at 608-455-4201.



**ABSENTEE VOTING
STARTS
SEPT. 19TH THROUGH NOV. 4TH**

**CLERKS HOURS:
MON. - THURS. 7 A TO 5 P
&
FRIDAY, NOV. 4TH 7 A TO 5 P**



**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH 7 A - 8 P
BROOKLYN COMMUNITY BLDG
LOWER LEVEL**



POLICE DEPARTMENT

LAW of the Month

Open Burning Ordinance –

Sec. 12-65. Open fires and open flames

Sec. 12-66 Open burning procedures “fire pit”

Sec. 12-65. Open fires and open flames

- (a) **Prohibitions; definitions.** “Open burning,” as used herein, shall mean burning done outside of a building. Open burning is prohibited in the village without first obtaining a “fire pit” permit, with the following exceptions:

- (1) Small outdoor fires used for cooking, provided they are contained within a grill designed for cooking or an outdoor fireplace with a screen to contain any embers produced by burning. The burning material should not contain yard waste or rubbish.
- (2) Small open fires for welding, acetylene torches, safety flares, heating tar, or similar applications.
- (3) No burning shall be allowed on or immediately adjacent to the surface of any blacktop street.
- (4) All leaf burning is prohibited.

- (b) **Substances which may be burned.** The following open burning may be conducted providing a burning permit is first obtained:

- (1) Fires set for practice and instruction of firefighters, or the testing of firefighting equipment.
- (2) The burning of small amounts of dry combustible rubbish not to include: wet combustible rubbish, garbage, oily substances, asphalt, plastic, or rubber products.
- (3) The burning of trees, wood, limbs, stumps, brush, or leaves; provided, however, that such materials may be burned only in those areas zoned “agricultural” or permission of the fire chief or designee.

Sec. 12-66. Open burning procedures “fire pit”

- (a) **General.** A campfire style fire maybe made as long as the site has been preapproved by the fire chief or designee and a “fire pit” permit has been issued to the owner, operator, or agent form the fire chief or designee authorized to issue such permits.

- (b) **Requirements.** The following are the requirements for construction of a “fire pit”:

- (1) Not nearer than ten feet to any building, in a substantial burner built of metal, concrete or brick, as approved by the fire chief or designee.
- (2) The site should be ringed with stones of sufficient size and quantity to contain the fire.
- (3) The site may not be located under any overhead wires.
- (4) May not be more than four feet in diameter.
- (5) At no point closer than ten feet from a building. At his discretion the fire chief or designee may require greater distances.
- (6) Only wood may be burned, any may be stacked in a pile no larger than three feet high.

- (c) **Application for “fire pit” permit; procedure for issuance of fire pit permit.** Application for a “fire pit” permit shall be made in writing upon a form furnished by the fire chief or designee authorized to issue such permits may also establish from time to time special rules or restrictions relating to open burning. Such rules may govern conditions, including, but not necessarily limited to, the following:

- (1) Hours when burning is allowed.
- (2) Material which may or may not be burned
- (3) What constitutes as approved burning device or incinerator.
- (4) Supervision required for burning, including minimum age of supervisors and type of fire extinguishing equipment which must be present at the burn site.
- (5) The manner in which ashes created by the burning under the permit are to be disposed of.
- (6) Any such restrictions hereafter adopted by the fire chief which are not specifically ordained in this section shall, provided they are printed on the face of the burning permit or attached thereto, be binding upon permit applicants; any violations of such restriction shall be punishable as violations of this section.

(d) **Issuance of permit.** If the fire chief or designee authorized to issue such fire pit permits, finds that the proposed burning complies with all village ordinances and the regulations of the department of natural resources as set forth in Wisconsin Administrative Code and Register, he shall officially approve the application, and a fire pit burning permit shall be subsequently issued to the applicant. A copy of any fire pit burning permit, and the application therefore, shall be kept on file with the fire chief and village clerk. If state approval is required, no local permit shall be issued until state approval is granted.

(1) **Notice to permittee.** Each permit issued shall provide notice of materials that may be burned and those which may not be burned and further notice to the permittee of possible civil and criminal penalties for violation of this section and of state regulations.

(2) Any ashes created by burning such material as is lawful under this section are to be disposed of in a manner authorized by law.

(3) Open burning shall be constantly attended and supervised by a competent person of at least 18 years of age until such fire is extinguished. This person shall have readily available for use such fire extinguishing equipment as may be necessary for the total control of the fire while burning and/or extinguishing such fire.

(e) **Outdoor fireplaces/chimneys units regulated.**

(1) All outdoor fireplaces must be used according to manufacturer's recommended requirements.

(2) All fireplaces/chimneys must be equipped with screens or containment systems to prevent the release of embers or sparks. They must be equipped with supports to protect surfaces from heat generated by the units.

(3) All fireplaces/chimney units may only be used on concrete or other noncombustible surfaces. The use of a unit on a wooden deck, porch, patio, or under and overhang is prohibited.

(5) Only the burning of dry, non-treated wood is acceptable. No lawn clippings, construction materials, garbage, brush, or other yard waste is permitted.

Brooklyn Police Department



LOOKING TO HAVE A CAMPFIRE IN YOUR BACKYARD???

Permit applications can be found online at www.brooklynwi.gov under the "forms" tab, or available at the Clerk's office.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

July & August Activity Report

	July	Aug
Suspicious Activity	4	3
Thefts	1	1
Animal	1	0
Damage Property	3	3
911 Disconnect/Mis-Dial	2	0
Open Records	14	10
Assists	2	4
Disturbance/Disorderly/		
Threats	0	1
Financial/fraud	2	2
Traffic Incidents	22	18
Traffic citations	6	5
Traffic Warning	9	5
Misc./comp arrests	3	3
Community policing	1	3
Parking citations/comp	5	0
Municipal Ord/Violation	4	3
Assist Fire/EMS	2	0
Assist other agencies	5	2
Assist Village Dept.	1	2
TOTAL	87	65

Brooklyn Police Department Receives Portable AED Unit

Samantha Christian
Aug 24, 2016



Pictured during the AED donation are Dan Dean, Brooklyn EMS director; Sarah Grapentine and Cheri Crubaugh, Brooklyn EMS volunteers; Harry Barger, Brooklyn Police Chief; and Officer Wade Engelhart.

When Brooklyn EMS volunteer Cheri Crubaugh's neighbor had a medical crisis, she went to see if she could be of assistance. It was then she discovered that the Brooklyn Police Department did not have a portable AED (automatic external defibrillator) unit in their squad. Motivated to help them acquire one, Crubaugh researched the possibility of applying for a grant. The grant request was accepted, and the Hopey's Heart Foundation donated an AED to the Brooklyn EMS so that it could be passed on to the Brooklyn Police Department.



Brooklyn Police Say Thank You



Recently the Brooklyn Police Department was presented with a gift of appreciation from the neighborhood located on the north side of the Village. Neighbors on the streets of Marcie, Pine, Cedar and Juniper gathered a number of items to show their appreciation and support for the Police Department. In the photo, Cheri Crubaugh presents the gifts of appreciation to Chief Barger and Officer Engelhart. On behalf of the staff at the Brooklyn Police Department, I thank those that contributed to this gift.

Chief Harry Barger

COMMUNITY VEGETABLE STAND

Methodist Church Parking Lot

Anyone can donate excess garden produce that they may have on hand. Anyone can take produce from the stand that they can use.



Brooklyn Recreation

Brooklyn Community United Methodist Church

Just wants to say
THANK YOU TO:



Crafters:

Marjorie B.
Linda C.

Heritage Home by Macy S.

PJ's Crafts by PJ B.

Marcy's Art

Gloria Horstman

Howard Johnson

RiTC Jewelry by Cynthia R.

Crochet~itis by Kathryn W.

Crafting Without Kids & Linda's Little Extras by

Marisa M. & Linda K.

Simply Stitch by Julie G.

Craft N Things by Toni S.

This N That Designs by Barba W.

The Creative Odyssey by Jenn L.

Sharon S. & Barb S.

Vendors:

Mary Kay (Rachel)

Tupperware (Corinne)

Scentsy (Kelli)

LimeLight by Alcone (Sandra)

ItWorks (Maria)

Pampered Chef (Sonya)

Usborne (Katrina)

Norwex (Amanda)

LulaRoe (Erin)

Papparazi (Karie)

YoungLiving (Samantha)

Also, a BIG thanks to all those that came out to shop and support our event -
we hope to see you next year!

FREE Family Movie Night is Saturday, October 1st



Clue:

“Life’s a little bit messy. We
all make mistakes. No matter
what type of animal you are,
change starts with you”.

6:30pm | Brooklyn Community Building
Doors open at 6:00pm

BROOKLYN LUTHERAN CHURCH HARVEST SWISS STEAK DINNER



Sunday, October 9th

Brooklyn Community Building

3:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Adults - \$11

6 – 10 yrs. - \$6

5 & under – Free

Carryout - \$12

Basket Auction and Bake Sale

CHILI FEED



Thursday, October 20th

4:00-7:00PM

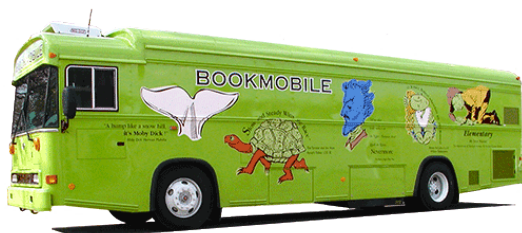
Cost: \$5.00

Brooklyn Community
United Methodist Church
201 Church St, Brooklyn

Serving chili, assorted breads, assorted
desserts, beverages (alternate choice hot
dog).

**This is a mission project supporting the
Brooklyn Elementary Children's "Needs"
Fund.**

BROOKLYN BOOKMOBILE MOVIE NIGHT



**Thursday, September 22nd
at 7 pm
at the Community Building**



COMMUNITY POTLUCK

October 27th

Brooklyn Methodist Church
4th Thursday of each month at Noon.

Nov. & Dec will be combined on the 1st
Thursday of December.

Bring a dish to pass – table service and
beverages are provided.
All ages welcome.



***Sept. 2016 News from Your
Senior Center
By Rachel Brickner***

"My Meal, My Way" is coming to the Oregon Area Senior Center every Thursday beginning Oct. 6, 2016. Oregon will become the fourth "My Meal, My Way" site in Dane County when the program opens at Ziggy's, which is located at 135 S. Main St. in Oregon.

Starting in October, anyone age 60 and over is welcome to come to lunch at Ziggy's on Thursdays between 11:30 and 1:00. There are several different entrees to choose from, and each meal concludes with a dip of ice cream. No reservations are needed, and the cost (just like all meals at the Senior Center) is a donation. Donations are confidential and there is no tipping, as tips are included in the meal cost paid by the Dane County Senior Nutrition program.

All seniors are welcome and transportation is available for Dane County seniors who live in the Senior Center's service district. If you are in need of a ride to Ziggy's for lunch, please call the Senior Center at 835-5801.

Good nutrition is important, and this program is designed to give seniors choices about their food and to provide a social atmosphere in which to enjoy a meal.

"My Meal, My Way" is a collaboration between Dane County's Area Agency on Aging, the Oregon Area Senior Center, and Ziggy's, with funding from the Bureau of Aging and Disability Resources. We hope you will join us at Ziggy's on Thursdays starting Oct. 6, and that you will bring your friends along to share a meal and some camaraderie. Please call the Senior Center with questions, at 835-5801.



**6th Annual Open House
"Yesterdairy"**

Saturday, October 8

1 – 4 pm

Brooklyn Community Bldg.

Speaker at 1:30 pm.

Linda Schiesser, "Condenseries and Creameries", similarities and differences.

Presentation of Town of Brooklyn barns and farm buildings inventory program.

Ancestral searches on Bader Link,
Family search and more.

"Brooklyn History Challenge"

Answer five questions by 3pm and be entered into a drawing; \$25 and two Brooklyn historical books. Questions will be posted on Society's Facebook page, Post Office and both banks in the village on September 24.

Ice cream and toppings and beverages served after the program.

For more information:

Facebook.com/BAHSWI

brooklynhistory@msn.com

455-4585

**Pre-Ballet & Ballet /
Tuesday Nights**

Brooklyn Community Bldg., 102 N. Rutland Ave

**Fall Session: Oct. 4th - Nov. 8th
Spring Session: April 4th - May 9th**

**Single (Fall or Spring) Session = \$30
Both (Fall & Spring) Sessions = \$50**

**Registration forms can be found on the Brooklyn Recreation website at www.brooklynrecreation.org/ballet or if you have any questions please contact Stacey at recreation@brooklynwi.gov*

It all started with a single session.

**Monday - 6:30pm
Yoga Bliss: Yoga 101**

**Wednesday - 6:30pm
Zumba®**

**Thursday - 6:30pm
FREE
Beachbody® Workout**

**All classes are held at the
Brooklyn Community
Building**

*for more information visit our website
at www.brooklynrecreation.org*





October 2016

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
ABSENTEE BALLOTING MONDAY – THURSDAY 7 AM TO 5 PM OCT 3RD THROUGH NOVEMBER 4TH						1 FREE Community Movie- 6:30 pm Dumpster Days 10 am – 7 pm
2 Dumpster Days 10 am – 2 pm	3 Yoga Bliss-6:30 pm	4 Tire, oil, battery pickup Pre Ballet 5:30 – 6pm Ballet 6-6:45 pm	5 RECYCLING Zumba-6:30 pm	6 Recreation Meeting – 6:30 pm FREE BeachBody-6:30 pm	7	8 Historical Society 6 th Annual Open House from 1 pm - 4 pm at Community Bldg
9 Lutheran Church Harvest Swiss Steak Dinner- 3:30 pm-6:30 pm at Community Bldg	10 Yoga Bliss-6:30 pm	11 Brush pickup Pre Ballet 5:30 – 6pm Ballet 6-6:45 pm	12 Zumba-6:30 pm	13 FREE BeachBody-6:30 pm	14	15
16	17 Yoga Bliss-6:30pm	18 Pre Ballet 530 –6p Ballet 6-645 p	19 RECYCLING Zumba-6:30 pm	20 Chili Feed – Methodist Church from 4 pm -7 pm FREE BeachBody-6:30 pm	21	22
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notes

Clerk's Office Hours – Monday – Thursday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Check out our Village website at www.brooklynwi.gov

Facebook: [brooklynvillagewi](https://www.facebook.com/brooklynvillagewi) Twitter: [@BrooklynWIGov](https://twitter.com/BrooklynWIGov)