

Main Street Project Update Meeting

Join Village Leaders at **6pm on Thursday, November 9th** St. John's Lutheran Church - 623 Congress Dr. in Newburg

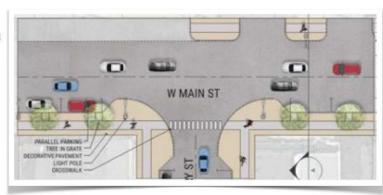
The Village Board of Trustees, Village Administrator, Village Engineer, and Village Planner will be holding a public discussion on revitalizing Newburg's Main Street area in the summer of 2024.

Please join in this important conversation!

- Reasoning for the perceived need for the project.
- Costs estimated at \$4.3 million, tax impacts, and grant opportunities to be discussed.
- Timelines for potential roadway closures, detours & parking.
- Impacts to home and business access.
- Graphics showing potential changes for parking, corners, sidewalks, and walkways.

Your input is very important and the Village wants to hear your concerns, thoughts, and opinion BEFORE beginning the bidding & construction!





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If you would like to provide history about Newburg or request to share news and calendar items in the next issue, please email your content to BLoveland@village.newburg.wi.us no later than 3 weeks prior to publication

Newburg Lions Club

Greetings from the Newburg Lions Club!

On September 23rd, 2023, the Newburg Lions and a family of volunteers from the Ozaukee Christian School planted 16 trees in Presidents Park. All told, 5 maples, 6 evergreens, 3 poplars, one crabapple, and one red oak were planted. The trees were purchased from Heritage Hill Nursery by the Newburg Lions Club and donated to the Village of Newburg for this beautiful new park. The Lions motto is "We Serve", and by planting these trees we hope to give back to our community and promote the International Lions Clubs vision, and that is to be a global leader in community and humanitarian services. Since I have become a Lions member, our club has given thousands of dollars to multiple Village and Washington County residents for various hardships such as cancer, fire loss, car accidents, equipment for a blind child, ALS, Alzheimer's, and hundreds more. Being a Lion is an honor and the look on someone's face, when out of the blue a person hands them a check and says "We know you are hurting and we hope this can help you out in some small way". It's like Christmas every time.



If this sounds like a commercial for the Lions, it is! We desperately need new members and my hope is that a few guys reading this might say, "Hey, I'll check that out". This is a very low involvement club. We only meet once a month on the second Tuesday of the month at Sandy's Parkside Inn at 6:00 PM. Our main events for physical participation is our annual Car Show, and a 2x a year highway pickup. That and selling a few raffle tickets is all it takes. You can call me at 414-531-2830 or stop in at one of our meetings. It's a great chance to give something back to our wonderful community with very little effort. Today's Lions are getting a little "long in the tooth" shall we say, and most of us will never see these trees reach maturity, but generations to come will. In spring they will smell the perfume of the white blossoms. When it's hot and sunny, they will shelter in their shade. When fall arrives, they will enjoy their colors, and if they just want to sit under a great oak tree, close their eyes and listen to the whisper of the leaves, they will have a place to do it.

Again, special thanks to Dan, Megan and their daughter Faith Schulist from the Ozaukee Christian School for helping us plant the trees. Their faith in the Lord and their love for humanity was contagious, and you couldn't ask for a better crew.

Lion Craig Wermager- Treasurer





From the Police Chief



I hope everyone had a nice and safe summer. I want to make everyone aware that the Newburg winter parking ordinance has changed. We no longer have odd/even parking system. Starting November 1, 2023, no parking will be permitted on any Village streets between the hours of 2:30am -6:00AM. The winter parking hours will end on April 1, 2024.

During the Christmas/New Year holiday season we will consider lifting the winter parking hours, weather permitting. If we do allow parking and the weather changes then the winter parking ordinance will be in effect. Check our Facebook page for updates regarding winter parking being temporarily lifted during the Holiday season.

FORTY-EIGHT HOUR PARKING PROHIBITED: No person shall park a vehicle, nor shall any owner of a vehicle permit a vehicle to be parked on Main St, or in any village owned lots for a period longer than 48 consecutive hours without the vehicle being moved at least 12 feet. In other words, if there is a reason you need to leave your vehicle in a municipal lot or on Main St, for more than two days, please give the police department a call so we can discuss what might be going on. We like to work with our residents and hear from you if there is an issue with your vehicle or if there are extenuating circumstances which may prevent you from moving your vehicle.

As always, if you have any questions, please contact me or stop in to the police department. I can be reached at (262) 675-9360 (non-emergency, please leave a message.)

Chief Michael Foeger

In case of an emergency, please call 911. If you need non-emergency assistance, but cannot leave a message, you can speak with someone right away by calling the Washington County Sheriff's Office at 262-335-4378 or Ozaukee County Sheriff's Office at 262-284-7172. If you have an issue that can wait, such as a traffic complaint, ordinance violation, or animal complaint, please contact the Newburg Police directly.

From the Village President

Welcome to Fall in our village. The temperature started dropping in late September and the trees are beginning to change leaf colors already. I look forward to the next months for all of the holidays and the good feelings they bring. Starts with Halloween with fall decorations and our youth out collecting candy. We will celebrate this on Saturday October 28th from 5-7pm. This is followed by daylight savings ending November 5th. Remember to turn your clocks back an hour. It's on to Thanksgiving and the time spent with our family and friends wondering where the time went this year. Finally, the month of December is spent in preparation for Christmas and New Year's Eve festivities. The light displays around the village are always uplifting and wonderful to see.

We would like to thank our Administrator/Clerk/Treasurer, Deanna Alexander for her service leading the village forward and wish her success in her future endeavors. Your board and village staff are reorganizing duties with her departure.

The board and staff are moving forward on our two major projects in 2024. The Main Street project planning is in its final stages. We have scheduled an informational meeting on November 1st, 6pm at St John's Lutheran School, to bring everyone up to date on the plans and timing of the project. The DNR required updates to our sewer plant are on schedule to be completed in 2024. The bid process will begin in December for both projects.

It is budget time for the village. We will be looking for areas to save dollars. The village is in talks with Washington County to provide Information Technology Support for the village. This should help reduce our costs in this area.

Has your holiday party outgrown your home? The Community Center is available for rent. Call Village Hall at 262-675-2160 for reservations.



Proudly Serving as our Village President

David C. DeLuka

DDeLeuka@village.newburg.wi.us

Dept. Of Public Works

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The Dept. of Public Works maintains 13 miles of roadway, 5 parks, and 3 facilities. We operate with two full time employees. These crews are responsible for snow plowing, brush chipping, road maintenance, and park maintenance.

Snow Season

The temperatures are falling and leaves are dropping! Snow season will soon be upon us. The DPW would like to remind residents of a few things when the snow does fall:

- Slow down when traveling on snow covered roads.
 We work tirelessly to make sure your commute is
 safe, but we can't be everywhere all the time. There
 is nowhere to be that is more important than your
 safety. Allow yourself more time to get where you
 are going and increase your following distance from
 cars in front of you.
- Roads will be made passible, but may not be cleared completely until the snow event is complete.
- Roads are cleared in order of importance beginning with major roads such as Main St and Downtown and crews will finish up by clearing Cul-de-Sacs.
- Snow removed from driveways should never end up back in the road. This can create hazardous areas and more work for Crews. It may also lead to violations from the Police Department.
- If you see a piece of Village equipment out and operating, please give us room to work. We back up, turn around, and may need to make sudden movements frequently.
- Please see the Public Works section of the Village Website for more information on snow removal and procedures.
- WINTER PARKING GOES IN TO EFFECT NOV 1ST-APRIL 1ST. NO PARKING IS ALLOWED ON VILLAGE STREETS FROM 2:30 AM- 6:30 AM.

Bulk Recycling Days

October 13th & 14th, October 20th & 21st at Sanitary / DPW Center on Municipal Dr. from 9am – Noon. Items such as mattresses, furniture, boxes of debris and excess garbage are allowed. NO large metal, appliances, tires or electronics will be accepted.



Upcoming Events

October 13

Village Bulk Collection

October 16

Final Brush Collection

October - First predicted snowfall

October 1 – November 22

Curbside Leaf Collection

Important Announcement

Curbside leaf collection will begin in October. Leaf piles should be placed in the curb line or shoulder of the road. Piles should be long rather than tall. Crews will complete a minimum of one pass through the village per week. We will continue to pick up leaves until our first predicted snowfall of accumulation. Please do not call about missed piles, as crews will be back around in a few days.



Upcoming Events for Newburg



October 2023

October 1- Nov 22 – Leaf Collection, every Monday starting at 6am

October 16 - Final Brush Collection

October 18 – Newburg Fire Dept BINGO night doors open at 5:30pm, bingo at 6:30pm

October 20 & 21- Bulk Recycling at DPW Center 9am – noon

October 25 - Medicare meeting at Community Center, present by Untied Healthcare 11:00 am

October 28 - Trick or Treat 5:30pm - 7:30pm

October 29 - Holy Trinity Turkey Dinner 9am - 2pm

November 2023

November 1 – Newburg Fire Dept BINGO night doors open at 5:30pm, bingo at 6:30pm

November 2 – Board of Trustees Meeting at 7pm at Village Hall

November 7, 8 & 9 – Newburg Sportsman Club Snowmobile Safety Class 6pm – 9pm. Cost is \$10 for your permit to be submitted. Contact number is 414-517-1594

November 9 – Main St Meeting at St. Johns 6:00pm **November 15** – Newburg Fire Dept BINGO night doors open at 5:30pm, bingo at 6:30pm

November 16 - Board of Trustees Meeting at 7pm at Village Hall

November 18 - Medicare meeting at Community Center, present by Untied Healthcare 11:00 am November 23 & 24 - Thanksgiving Holiday, Village Hall CLOSED

December 2023

December 1 – Returning Trustees and those seeking to run for office may begin circulating nomination papers

December 2 – Community Center Christmas Party! 11am – 2pm

December 6 – Newburg Fire Dept BINGO night doors open at 5:30pm, bingo at 6:30pm

December 8 - Riverside Night Skies at Riveredge Nature Center 6:00pm – 7:00 pm

December 11 – Due date for submissions for next issue of the Bridges Newsletter. Email to bloveland@village.newburg.wi.us

December 14 - Board of Trustees Meeting at 7pm at Village Hall

December 15 - Property Tax bills are mailed. Due 1/15

December 15 - Sewer bills are mailed. Due 1/15

December 20 - NO BINGO at Newburg Fire Dept

December 25– Christmas Holiday, Village Hall CLOSED

Recurring Events

Thursdays - Yoga at the Community Center. Chair Class at 1pm or Floor Mat class at 630pm. Cost is \$60 for six classes or if you just want to give it a try, \$15 for one class. You never pay for classes you don't attend. New participants welcome anytime.

Sheepshead Games - **Tuesdays** 12pm-4pm New players are always welcome. Cost is \$1 to play. Popcorn and water are provided. Subject to cancellation if there is a hall rental.

Garbage Pick-Up is **every Monday**. Recycling pickup is **every other Monday**. See pickup schedule page for details.

Riversedge Events

Trails and Treats - October 20 @ 5-7 pm & October 21 @ 2-8 pm

Join us for an evening of tricks and treats for kids on the trails of Riveredge! Choose your own adventure along a 1.5 mile loop, as activity stations and fun will be scattered about the land. Visit educators in costume and dive into hands-on experiences handling insects and examining animal bones! Enjoy a crackling campfire with family and friends and grab a treat bag to go on your way out for the evening. Cider and Cocoa available for purchase. Costumes and flashlights are encouraged! Ages 2-12

Handmade for the Holidays TEENS EDITION - November 17 @ 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Channel your inner DIY skills and join us for a day of creativity and handmade fun! Teens are exclusively invited to try new crafts and create one of a kind gifts to be shared over the holiday season. For teens ages 12-18

Handmade for the Holidays: A Gift-Making Gathering - November 18 @ 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Join us for a day filled with holiday cheer and festive gift making! Children of all ages are invited to craft seasonal creations inspired by nature. Each child can make and take home multiple projects. Participants must be accompanied by an adult.

NEWS FROM VILLAGE HALL

Letter from the Administrator

Greetings from the new Village Administrator, Nate Wendelborn. As the seasons are changing and the fall leaves are changing colors, we enter a new era in The Village leadership team. There are still familiar faces at Village Hall but everyone has a new role. I have been with the Village for 4 years working diligently as the Public Works and Sanitary Director to help bring more services to the residents and provide a better quality of life in the Village. I will now be in the center office at Village hall every day and will be out on the streets working with the DPW crew when needed. My goals for Newburg include completing Main St and Sanitary upgrades, creating residential developments, and bringing some new commercial developments to the Village.

Brandy Loveland Seelow has been promoted and is now assuming the Clerk and Treasurers role. She will still be in the office, but rather than being the smiling face at the counter, she will be in an office readily available to answer any questions you may have while working on elections and finances. Stop in and knock on her door any time.

New to the office is Janet Liebich, who will now be greeting you with a smiling face at the counter or answering your phone calls. Janet will be assuming the Deputy Clerk and Treasurer role that Brandy previously held. She comes to us with a background in municipal work from her time in Illinois and is ready to help move our team forward.

The future of the Village is bright and we have great new plans in store for residents to make living in the Village easier and more enjoyable for years to come. Please join us on November 9th at 6pm at St. John's for the public meeting on Main St.

Nate Wendelborn

Village Staff - Key Contacts

Village Hall - 620 W Main St.

(262) 675-2160 Mailing Address: PO Box 50

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Village Hall Walk-in Service Hours

Mon-Thurs: 930am-430pm,

Friday: By appt.

Recycling Drop-off:

Located at the north end of Municipal Drive.

Administrator / Public Works Director

Nate Wendelborn, Mobile: (262) 689-5960 NWendelborn@village.newburg.wi.us

Clerk / Treasurer

Brandy Loveland Seelow (262) 675-2160 BLoveland@village.newburg.wi.us



Deputy Clerk / Deputy Treasurer

Janet Liebich, Office (262) 675-2160 clerk@village.newburg.wi.us

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Walt Grotelueschen (262) 675-0909 WGrotelueschen@village.newburg.wi.us

Police Chief - Mike Foeger, Police Captain - Justin Jilling NPD@village.newburg.wi.us Non-emergency (262) 675-9360

Village Engineer / Planner: Stantec Consulting Christian Moring - Engineer, Christian.Moring@Stantec.com Amanda Schaefer - Planner, Amanda.Schaefer@Stantec.com

Newburg Community Center - 450 W Main St.



New staff at Village Hall

Welcome to Deputy Clerk / Deputy Treasurer Janet Liebich, who stared with the village at the beginning of October. Janet has previous municipal, accounting and clerking experience. She has holds a bachelor's degree in Business Administration and will be the newest friendly face you will see at Village Hall. She is eager to continue with public service career here in Newburg. Please stop in and say "hello" to Janet and welcome her to our community!

Newburg Fire Department



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September 6, 2023 September 20, 2023 October 4, 2023 October 18, 2023 November 1, 2023 November 15, 2023 December 6, 2023

January 17, 2024 February 7, 2024 February 21, 2024 March 6, 2021 March 20, 2024 April 3, 2024

April 17, 2024 May 1, 2024

May 15, 2024

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS START AT 6:30 PM, DOORS OPEN AT 5:30 PM







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Newburg

10/25/2023 9:00 AM-11:00AM Community Center 450 W. Main St.

Newburg

11/18/2023 9:00 AM-11:00AM Community Center 450 W. Main St.



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***Snowmobile Safety Class ***



If your birthday is after January 1, 1985 you are required to take a safety class. I am one of the instructors holding a class.

November 7, 8, & 9, 2023 6pm to 9pm Newburg Sportsman Club 329 Cty Rd MY, West Bend, WI 53090.

Cost is \$10 to be submitted for your permit. You must attend all 3 nights. Text me your information at 414-517-1594

- Minimum age is 12
- Student, name, address, phone number, and birthdate needed for registration (include parent name if a minor)
- DNR number needed before the last night - you may obtain one at gowild.wi.gov

Join Holy Trinity Parish of Newburg for their Turkey Dinner on October 29th, 2023 from 9am - 2pm at 517 Congress St., Newburg





Riverside Night Skies: Friday December 8th 6:00-7:30pm at Riveredge Nature Center

Join us for a free captivating winter astronomy night at Riveredge Nature Center, hosted by the Community Rivers Program. We'll hike, sip cocoa or tea, and explore the beauty

of the winter constellations and planets through telescopes while shedding light on the critical importance of preserving dark skies for wildlife and Milwaukee river health. Email bbateman@riveredge.us or go to www.riveredgenaturecenter.org/communityrivers/ to register!

To protect the Milwaukee River during fall yard cleanup:

Gather Fallen Leaves: Collect and dispose of fallen leaves to prevent nutrient-rich leaves from entering water bodies. Mulch or mow small leaf quantities to use as natural fertilizer. Leave leaves in garden beds for overwintering insects.

Monitor Pavement and Storm Drains: Sweep away leaves or grass clippings on sidewalks and gutters to prevent them from entering storm drains and polluting the river.

Use Lawn Care Products Cautiously: Apply fertilizer when rain isn't expected to avoid runoff. Sweep up any spilled fertilizer on hard surfaces and use zero-phosphorus products. Be mindful of toxic pesticides and herbicides, exploring alternative weed control methods.

Incorporate Native Plants: Introduce native plants to your yard as they benefit wildlife and improve water quality with deep, absorbent roots. Even a small switch to low-maintenance perennials can help reduce nutrient pollution.

Continue Using Rain Barrels: Utilize rain barrels to conserve water and divert precipitation from storm drains. Empty barrels before winter, and use stored water in your garden or to nourish trees. Store the barrel safely until spring.



St. John's Lutheran School exists to glorify Jesus Christ, assisting parents in educating, training, and nurturing His children for this life and for heaven.

Our vision is to teach the never changing message of God's Word so that students may become lifelong Christians as they go into the world proclaiming his Word equipped with academic, spiritual, and social skills in order to win souls for Christ.

If you are looking for a school that fits this mold, please contact the principal, Mr. Tim Payne, for a tour. (262-675-6852)

You are always welcome to join us at church for worship with services at 8:00 and 10:30 on Sunday mornings and at 7:00 on Monday evenings. <u>Our services are also recorded/livestreamed</u> at the link on our website: www.stjohnsnewburg.com/

Record Enrollment

As we begin our 119th school year, St. John's is blessed to have its highest enrollment ever (105 souls in 3K-8th grade). We are so thankful to be able to share the gospel of Jesus with students each and every day.

Environmental Classroom

Each year our Environmental Classrooms is improved in a variety of ways. This past year a river outlook was added to the path that goes through the woods. If you haven't had a chance to walk through the acres of our environmental classroom, you are welcome take a walk and enjoy the trail through the woods as well as the paths down by the river which include a boardwalk that matches the construction of the boardwalks found on the Ice Age Trail throughout the state. Just like visiting any park or nature area, please leave no trace by taking out whatever you take in.

Kids' Club

Between our church services we offer Kids' Club and kids from 3K-4th grade are welcome to attend from 9:15-10:15. The kids start in church with 10 minutes of music and then rotate through stations that last 10 minutes – Bible story, games in the gym, snack, arts & crafts, etc. Parents can stay with their children or join the adult Bible study led by our pastors in the cafeteria.

Christmas Eve Service

Please join us as the children of St. John's Lutheran School will lead us in celebrating the Reason for the season, the gift of our Savior from sin, Jesus Christ, on Christmas Eve morning at 9:00am. There will also be a Candlelight Worship Service at 5:00pm for all who would like to attend.



COLORING CONTEST FOR ALL AGES AND WINNERS WILL BE CHOSEN BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES WITH A CHANCE TO WIN A FUN HOLIDAY PRIZE!

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