Cascade Village News



October November December 2025

Property Tax Information, Dog Licensing and In Person Collection Dates

Taxes are accepted any time by mail or by using the drop box at the Village Hall. Taxes can be paid by check only and should be made payable to: Village of Cascade. If your escrow check is in excess of your tax bill, a refund will be mailed to the taxpayer within 10 days.

All dogs over the age of 5 months must be licensed! A license requires submission of breed, sex, name, color, and proof of current rabies vaccination. Receipts, tags and vaccination papers will be mailed back to you. Landlords please advise your tenants to license dogs kept on your property. Please keep in mind that by Village ordinance a property may only license up to 3 dogs.

<u>DOG LICENSE FEES NEED TO BE PAID BY A SEPARATE CHECK THAN TAXES AND INCLUDE A</u> SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE

Mail all payments and dog information to: Village of Cascade, Attn: Karel Melius, PO Box 157, Cascade, WI 53011

Dog License Fees

Non-neutered male/ non-spayed female \$15.00

Neutered male/ spayed female

\$8.00

In Person Tax Collection Dates

Saturday, December 27th	9:00am-12:00pm
Monday, December 29th	9:00am-12:00pm
Tuesday, December 31st	11:00am-3:00pm
Saturday, January 24th	11:00am-2:00pm
Friday, January 30th	6:00pm-8:00pm
Saturday, January 31st	9:00am-12:00pm

Village Leaf Collection

Residents may rake leaves to the roadside for pickup beginning October 6th. Leaves will be collected until Thanksgiving. All leaf collection is weather dependent.



Let's Keep Our Neighborhood Peaceful This Fall

As the weather cools and we begin opening our windows again to enjoy the crisp fall air, many of us are rediscovering the sounds of the neighborhood — chirping birds, crunching leaves... and occasionally, barking dogs.

We all love our pets, and barking is a natural way for dogs to express themselves. But continuous or early-morning barking can unintentionally disturb neighbors who are trying to relax, work from home, or get some sleep with the windows open.

We're not looking to police the issue at this time— just asking everyone for a little extra awareness as the season changes.

A few friendly reminders for dog owners:

- If your dog spends time outside, try to keep an ear out for persistent barking.
- A quick check-in, distraction, or bringing them indoors can make a big difference.
- If your dog tends to bark at passersby or squirrels, consider using a fence barrier, white noise, or toys to help redirect their focus.

We're lucky to live in a community where people care about one another. With a little mindfulness, we can ensure that fall is peaceful and enjoyable for all — both two-legged and four-legged residents alike!

Thanks for being considerate neighbors.

Cascade First Responders

Submitted by Val Halvorson

As the leaves change and cooler weather sets in, your local First Responder team wants to wish everyone a happy and healthy fall season! We're proud to serve this community year-round, and as always, we're here when you need us.

Fall Safety Tip: Watch Your Step!

With falling leaves and early morning frost, sidewalks, driveways, and steps can become unexpectedly slippery. Whether you're out for a morning walk or decorating for the season, take extra care when walking on outdoor surfaces. Wear shoes with good grip and clear leaves regularly to prevent falls. A few extra seconds of caution can prevent an emergency!

Upcoming Event: Meat Raffle Fundraiser & End of Construction Party!

Join us Saturday, October 11th from 12 PM – 4 PM at Sipps Bar N Grill for our First Responder Meat Raffle Fundraiser!

We'll have great meat package raffle baskets, and plenty of fun throughout the afternoon. All proceeds help support training, equipment, and supplies.

Stick around afterward for the End of Construction Celebration—we're ready to kick back and celebrate the hard work that's been going on around town (and maybe toast to fewer detours in our future!). Come out for a good cause, support your local first responders, and enjoy an afternoon of fun, food, and community spirit. We hope to see you there!

Scouting America Food Drive

Submitted by Chris Weber, Cubmaster Pack 3880

The 37th Annual Scouting for Food Drive is scheduled for October 11th-18th. The Cascade Cub Scout Pack 3880 and Cascade Boy Scout Troop 880 will be delivering food collection bags on the Weekend of October 11th encouraging residents to donate. The following weekend, Saturday October 18th, the Scouts will return and go door to door to pick up the bags with food donations. We ask that all donation bags be put out by residents no later than 8:00am on the morning of the 18th. All donations support our local food pantries. This is a great opportunity for our Scouts to provide service and help out our community.



Lake Ellen

Submitted by Bobbi Laine
The Lake Ellen Association sends a sincere
THANK YOU to the community for supporting

THANK YOU to the community for supporting us and the fireworks show on July 5th!

Cascade Fire Department

Submitted by Chief Todd Triebensee

First off the Cascade Fire Department would like to say THANKS for all your support in 2025, it doesn't go unnoticed and is appreciated.

With October just around the corner, we would like to stress the importance of taking some time to work with your kids about fire safety, including the danger of matches, exit drills in the home (EDITH), phone numbers and addresses- they seem simple but when stress is up simple things become difficult. If you haven't done so already, take a video of your home inside and out to document items if something happens you don't forget anything that may be lost. Check and clean your smoke and CO detectors, don't forget to date them when installing them. A good rule of thumb is a detector is good for about 7 years.

Lastly- check the front of your homes or apartment buildings, is your address easy to see from the road, do you have working yard lights- these are some things that can be done to make it easier to find you if you need us.

Cascade Lions Submitted by Madonna Schneider

The Cascade Lions would like to thank the community for its continued support of our many various functions and fundraisers.

Join us on Thursday's. The hall will be open from 6:00PM until 10:00PM weekly. Please follow us on Facebook, in the event we close for a Thursday evening, we will post an update.

The Cascade Lions are busy planning our annual Soup 0 Rama. This year's event will be held on Oc-

tober 26, 2025 from 10 AM-2PM or sold out. The game is late that day! Come get some soup for supper. Watch for posters for more information.

The Lions are always looking for new members. We meet on the 3rd Monday of the month at the Lions clubhouse. Social time is at 5:30 with a meeting to follow. If you are interested in joining a fun and active club, please contact Madonna Schneider at 920.207.4338.

Do you know someone who needs to borrow a wheelchair, walker or crutches? Reach out to the Lions. We have post-operative aids available for your use.

The Lions Clubhouse is a great place to hold your events! The hall has a large meeting room, refrigeration, and a large yard to provide room for games, gathering and any necessary social distancing. Renters are responsible for providing their own shade tents, chairs and tables. For rental information please contact Lonny Schneider at 920.980.4107.

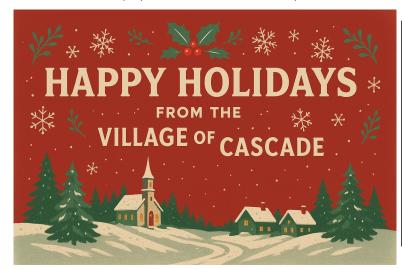
Cascade Police Submitted by Chief Jason Liermann

Hello Village Residents from your Village Police Department. We hope everyone had a wonderful summer and we are sure everyone is happy that Madison Avenue is back open. 2025 is starting to wind down and a few things from the Police Department. Trick or Treating is coming up on Oct. 25th, please remember that if you are out and about, please drive slowly and watch for children running out into the road. We see a significant increase in pedestrian traffic during the hours of 3-6 pm and we want everyone to enjoy the activity. Watch for the Cascade Police Department Squad, which will be handing out treats to the kids.

The Health and Relief Committee has sent out letters to approximately 60 residences throughout the Village regarding ordinance violations such as excessive weeds to unsightly debris and unregistered vehicles. A large majority of these have been taken care of, however there are a few properties that have not addressed the issues raised. Those who do not address the ordinance violations may be subject to a fine that includes court costs. If you have received letters and have questions, please reach out to the Village Hall, (920)528-8642.

Finally, as we roll into the fall and winter season, I would like to remind everyone that the village does have a winter parking ordinance. Starting Nov. 1st there is no parking on any Village road from 2 am to 6 am. Please do not park on any road. If you rent a property and not sure where your off-street parking is, talk to your landlord.

We hope you have a wonderful holiday season.



Please Contribute!

If you have suggestions or a contribution for the newsletter, please email clerk@villageofcascadewi.gov. We are always looking for:

- ⇒ Articles/specials about our local businesses
- ⇒ Information from local service groups
- ⇒ Fundraising activities to support our community
- ⇒ Historical information to share with new members to our village
- Any other ideas or information that would be a great addition to the newsletter