

# VILLAGE OF ARLINGTON - NEWSLETTER

## AUGUST 2016

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### AUGUST 9 ELECTION DAY

The Partisan Primary will be held on August 9, 2016 at the Arlington Community Center from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Please contact the Village Office if you have any questions. If you wish to check your voter registration or register to vote, please go to [myvote.gov](http://myvote.gov) to make the appropriate changes. Don't forget your proof of residence if you are registering and, most importantly, your PHOTO ID to vote.



### ST PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Vacation Bible School begins August 1 at 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and ends August 5. Walk-ins are welcome. A Community pizza party following on Friday, August 5.

Prime Rib Mercy Meals is Friday August 12 at 6:00 p.m. Each meal purchased will provide 100 meals for those in need with the help of Nutritious Response and Orphan Grain Train. All are welcome – Contact the church for tickets (\$25).

### ARLINGTON'S FIREMEN'S FESTIVAL

The festival begins on Thursday, August 4 and runs through Sunday, August 7 at Firemen's Park. The festival website is [arlingtonfiredept.com/Arlington\\_Festival.html](http://arlingtonfiredept.com/Arlington_Festival.html). You can



support the Department by attending, volunteering, or donating. The kiddie parade is Saturday with the big parade on Sunday at noon.

### ONLINE WATER/SEWER PAYMENTS

Customers can pay their water/sewer bills online at the Village website then Water/Sewer Utilities. Customers will be charged a convenience fee plus \$1.00. Please note, your account may not be credited right away as there is a delay.

### SECOND HARVEST FOODBANK

Second Harvest Foodbank of Southern Wisconsin received a \$10,000 Monsanto Fund Grant for Columbus Mobile Pantry Program. Last year Second Harvest provided over 261,000 pounds of food in Columbia County through the Mobile Pantry program. The mobile pantry can be found at Veterans memorial Field (Griffith St. and Superior St. in Portage). Call 608-223-9121 for more information.

### SPEED BOARD SIGN

Please contact Dan at 697-9685 or Craig at 635-5557 for availability.



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### PART TIME CUSTODIAL POSITION

The Arlington Community Center is looking for a reliable, part time custodian. Hours are flexible depending on the hall rental dates.

Duties include cleaning of windows, floors, kitchen, bathrooms, and using the floor buffer.

Hall rentals are mostly Saturdays and/or Sundays so ideal cleaning would be done Saturday evening or Sunday Morning then again either Sunday evening or Monday morning depending on the weekend.

Applications can be picked up in the Village office or online at [Arlingtonwi.com](http://Arlingtonwi.com).

Any questions please call PJ at 608-635-2474.

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### DRONES PROHIBITED



Ordinance 12.04 It shall be unlawful for any person to fly, operate or make use of any remote or radio-controlled model airplane, helicopter, or any other such airborne device in, over or upon any Street, park or other public or private property *except in areas specifically designated* and posted for such purpose and with the *consent of the property owner* or lessee of the property.

This means no drones in any residential area of the Village unless you have gotten permission from that property owner. The Village has designated the Lions Park on Commercial Street as a Radio/Remote designated location. Signs will be posted soon but the space is available to residents to use. Keep in mind Village Parks open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 10:00 p.m.

If you would like to use a drone within other parts of the Village for a special event, advertising, or situation, please contact the Village office for an exemption letter.

### PRIVATE PROPERTY

The Village is lucky enough to have some beautiful prairie lands around us. Unfortunately, this land is mostly private owned so it's not open for residents to walk their dogs, let kids play, or dump yard waste without permission. Please be respectful of others property and don't assume that because the road ends there, that it is open for your enjoyment; especially if it is barricaded (or was before it was damaged/stolen by someone). Private property is just that and we are requesting residents be respectful of others property.

### BICYCLES IN THE STREET

Reminder to all bike riders and parents... You must stop at Stop signs and obey the laws of the street if you are bike riding on the Village streets. There have been a few close calls here where kids on bikes are not stopping or paying attention to traffic.



### GRASS MOWING

When you mow your grass – please be considerate and keep the clippings off the street, sidewalk, your neighbor's driveway and vehicles.

## Your Government

### BOARD MEMBERS

<b>President</b>	<b>Bryan Bjorge</b>
<b>Trustee</b>	<b>James Laatsch</b>
<b>Trustee</b>	<b>Tim Rittmeyer</b>
<b>Trustee</b>	<b>Traci Wells</b>
<b>Trustee</b>	<b>Jason Humboldt</b>

Village Board meets at 6:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month at the Arlington Community Center.

### VILLAGE OFFICE

**PJ Monson, CMC, WCMC**  
**Village Clerk - Treasurer**  
608-635-2474 – Village email:  
[villageofarlington@centurytel.net](mailto:villageofarlington@centurytel.net)

### Office Hours:

Monday:	8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday:	8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday:	8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Thursday:	8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Friday:	8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

If the Village office is closed during business hours, I am at a meeting or running Village errands. Please utilize the night drop box by the front door.

### VILLAGE PUBLIC WORKS DEPT

Garage	635-4781
Dan Mulhern	697-9685
Craig Johnson	635-5557

Water/Sewer Utility changes call the Village Office 635-2474

### PELLITTERI WASTE SYSTEMS

Trash and Recycling 257-4285  
24 hour telephone center

### VILLAGE BUILDING INSPECTOR

James Lawton 697-7779