

LONGFELLOW NEIGHBORHOOD

July



WELCOME TO OUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

July, 2017

Our next meeting is Monday, **July 10, 2017**
Wausau Police Department Community Room, 6:30 PM

Agenda

We tentatively have the new K-9 officer scheduled to attend our meeting.

Dates To Remember

- June 30- Wausau Area Fourth of July Festival; Marathon Park; Fireworks at dusk on 7/1
- July 4: and 7/2; live music each night
- July 4: **Happy 4th of July**
- July 10: **Longfellow Neighborhood Meeting**
- July 13-16: Balloon and Rib Fest; Wausau Downtown Airport; shuttle bus between Airport and 400 Block; balloon glows, petting zoo, live music (Thursday-Saturday nights)
- July 15-16: Chalkfest; 400 block; Saturday 9:00 AM – 9:00 PM; Sunday 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
- July 29: Large Item drop-off; 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM; East Chellis Street (near Yard Waste Site); no appliances or electronics accepted
- August 1-6: Wisconsin Valley Fair; Marathon Park; daily/seasonal admission

Concerts on the Square: Wednesdays (7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26); 6:00 – 8:00 PM; 400 Block Marketplace Thursdays Farmers Market; 7/6, 7/13, 7/20, 7/27; 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM; 400 Block

Minutes from the June 5, 2017 Meeting

Tammy Stratz (Community Development) updated our group on the Tot Lot. The fence should be installed in about 2 weeks followed by landscaping. Our group can suggest a name for the Tot Lot (Anne's Tot Lot was suggested). Tammy noted the on-site workers have seen substantial interest in, and positive comments about, the Tot Lot. The Neighborhood banners are still in process (Tammy is following up regularly).

If you're interested in painting fire hydrants, contact Anne (715-845-4148) so she knows you're available to help. Paint, brushes, etc. are provided (be sure and wear old clothes!).

The Wausau Area Transit Article in a recent edition of City Pages was discussed. There were several suggestions on how to fund/expand bus service. Reasons for expanding service (to get to shopping/work/appointments; attract young people to the area) were discussed as well as the advantages of leasing versus purchasing buses.

The railroad tracks on Single Avenue were discussed; the sides were repaired but not the middle. Unfortunately the tracks are the responsibility of the railroad, not the City.

Officer LaPorte talked with us about the 4 new officers; Wausau is hoping to hire 3 additional officers in the future. The statistics on the Briefing Sheet are still average for the time of year.

The City curfew was discussed; it is midnight for those under 16.

The burning pit ordinance was discussed; officers are allowed some discretion in issuing warnings versus citations.

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From My Desk to Yours . . . Anne Heidemann, President, Longfellow Neighborhood

As of today (June 26th), I am planning on the newest addition to the K-9 corps of the WPD being at our meeting. That, of course, always depends on work demands. See you on July 10th.

Romey Wagner, District 2 Alderman

It is wonderful to see the Tot Lot and the kids already using it! This is an example of the Group not giving up, and us having people at the City that didn't give up either. Thanks to all that made this happen. Hope to see you all out and about this summer as we have lots of events to attend.

Neighborhood/Community Businesses

Affinity Martial Arts	913 Young Street	715-551-1510
Affordable Auto	830 Plumer Street	715-574-0753
Bull Falls Brewery	901 East Thomas	715-842-2337
Classic Cleaners	901A East Thomas	715-845-2531
Cveykus Law Office	301 Grand Avenue	715-842-5205
Forward Electronics	115 Prospect Avenue	715-845-4355
JAS Construction	josh@jasbuilds.com	715-432-5732
John Jokela Law Firm	207 Grand Avenue	715-845-9000
M & S, The Siding Specialists	818 Henrietta Street	715-842-7965
Meverden Chiropractic	215 Grand Avenue	715-848-4088
Olson Tire and Auto	601 Forest Street	715-845-8473
River Valley State Bank	101 Grand Avenue	715-845-0900
Schmidt & Schmidt	123 Grand Avenue	715-845-9621
Subway	601 Forest Street	715-848-1930
The Nathan House	921 Grand Avenue	715-845-4922
The Hair Designers	607 Prospect Avenue	715-845-2666
Townline Market	916 Townline Road	715-842-5201
Wausau Pickers Flea & Find	801 Genrich St (open Fridays)	715-212-1309

NEED TO KNOW NUMBERS

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INSPECTIONS DEPARTMENT:		
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uncut grass/unshoveled sidewalks		715-261-6740
STREET CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE:		
missed by snow plows		715-261-6960
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