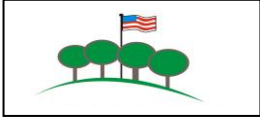


June 2021



LIBERTY GROVE ROCKS

Featured Business

The Shoreline Restaurant
12747 Hwy 42
Ellison Bay, WI 54210
920-854-2950
theshorelinerestaurant.com

Important Dates

June 16th- Town Board Meeting 7pm
July 7th-Town Board Meeting 7 pm
July 21st- Town Board Meeting 7 pm

Town meetings resume in Town Hall June 1st

From your Town Chairman

As cases of the COVID-19 virus continue to subside operations at Town facilities begin to return to pre-pandemic levels. The Board and Committees are now holding their meetings in-person, parks are opening, and senior meals are returning to in-person at the Town Hall. The Town Office is open but with the provision that masks are worn. This is also true for Board and committee meetings. The Board has set August 1st to return to all pre-pandemic operations with the caveat that the decision will be revisited at Board meeting prior to that date.

There are several Committee openings and anyone with a possible interest are asked to contact the Town Office.

The Ad Hoc Mariners Park Committee is wrapping up its business and charge for the new park at the Gills Rock Property. On behalf of the Board and Administration, I would like to thank them for their service. They have spent many hours in discussion and consideration of what the park should be and look like. They also have received, at times, criticism of their work and the time it has taken to reach a final plan. Those of us who serve on the Board and Committees are accustomed to this sort of reaction and learn to accept it as part of the job. On occasions when people are emotionally involved in a project/situation they couch their comments in a more personal manner forgetting that those who serve are trying their best to reach decisions based upon what is in the best interest, safety, and fiducial responsibility to the entire community not a sometimes-loud minority or personal interest.

A reminder to those wishing to celebrate the upcoming 4th of July Holiday that a fireworks permit is required and be obtained at the Town Office. Please remember that as a courtesy to your neighbors, their pets and wildlife to use discretion when using fireworks.

Board and Committee agendas are posted on the Town Website and those meetings are always open to the public to attend. Board meetings are also recorded and available for reviewing.

From your Town Board

Alcohol and operator licenses – The Board will review the applications for alcohol and operator licenses at the June 16th meeting.

Open Book – This is an opportunity to speak with our Assessor if you feel the current assessment of your property is incorrect. Appointments are required. Open Book will be on Aug. 2nd, from 12:00pm until 2:00pm. Call 920-721-4157 to make your appointment.

The Town Hall is now open, please wear your mask to enter the building. Thank you!



REMEMBER

A delicious and nutritious lunch is provided by
The Senior Resource Center
At the
Liberty Grove Town Hall

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
Every week, except on Holidays.

Call ****920-746-2523****
24 hours before the
first time you come for lunch.

ORGANIZATIONS IN LIBERTY GROVE

Ellison Bay Service Club

Visit their **Facebook page** to find out the latest news and activities in **Ellison Bay** and **all over Liberty Grove**.

www.facebook.com/ellisonbayserviceclubdc

Door County North-local business organization promoting and supporting this area.

www.doorcountynorth.org

Liberty Grove Historical Society- supporting the past, present and future of Liberty Grove.

www.libertygrovehistorical.org

The museum is open every Saturday, starting June 26-Oct 9, 10-4pm

The 20th Annual LGHS Fish Boil Fundraiser at the Viking Grill, (Carry-out) Friday June 25th, 4-8pm Just \$20, lowest fish boil price in Door County! Includes dessert and coffee!

**A WISE MAN MAKES HIS OWN DECISIONS, AN
IGNORANT MAN FOLLOWS PUBLIC OPINION**

NWTC Community Education Classes

NWTC has begun to transition to its new normal. Masks are no longer required for vaccinated people, and they are resuming some in-person classes. Of course, if you prefer to wear a mask, please do so. They will continue to have masks on hand for those who want one but do not bring one. For now, they also will be keeping the class sizes small, so that those who desire a little distance and elbow room can have it. NWTC will continue to sanitize workspaces after every use. If you have any questions about their current practices and procedures, please let them know. They want you to feel safe and comfortable at NWTC.

This summer NWTC is planning to offer some community workshops in person. The classes will be small to ensure physical distancing and masks are not required.

We offer in-person American Heart Association CPR, BLS (Basic Life Saving) and First Aid classes on a regular basis. The schedule for the coming months is:

June 29: CPR Heartsaver AED, 8am-noon

June 29: Heartsaver First Aid, 1-5pm

To see all the classes/credit classes offered in Sister Bay go to www.nwtc.edu and click on "Find a Class" by location and choose "Learning Innovation Center" in the drop-down box. Learn from home via Zoom, a video meeting platform. You can also call 920-746-4970 for assistance, or contact the Learning and Innovation Center at sisterbay@nwtc.edu

Pop Up Food Service Partners with NWTC:

Roots Kitchen- Sister Bay, Jerk chicken dinners Wednesday evenings from Memorial Day-Labor Day.

Door County Underground- Private Chef team

Specialty dinners hosted at Hidden Acres in Sister Bay- first Saturday monthly, June- October.

Cooking classes hosted at NWTC in Sister Bay- every Sunday June-September 4-6:30pm

<https://www.doorcountyunderground.com>

Door County Library- SB/Liberty Grove

Summer Reading Program

Sign-up begins for Library Summer Reading Program - for children, teens, and adults. Theme: A Universe of Stories. In person registration at any branch in Door County or online at DoorCountyLibrary.org/summer. Weekly prizes, varying between locations - including gift certificates to Red Putter, Egg Harbor Fun Park, Culvers, Pizza Hut and other local eateries, cafes, boutiques, and more.

ALL MONTH LONG

June Screen-Free Craft Bag Pickup. All Libraries

Stop in at any Door County Library to pickup the Backyard Animal children's bag featuring a snake and a frog, as well as information about the Summer Library Program. For ages 4K – 2nd grade. Contact: Beth, 920-746-7119.

Masks are no longer required at the Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library

Door County Farm Markets

Baileys Harbor (Baileys Harbor Town Hall)

Sundays, 9am–1pm | May 16th–September 26th

Ellison Bay (Behind Mink River Basin)

Every other Friday, 4pm–8pm

Sister Bay (Corner of the Past Museum)

Saturdays, 9am–1pm | June 26th– October 2nd

Lake Michigan Water Levels

The projected levels for June 4th indicate that all the lakes are within 1 inch of the levels from one month ago and all are below levels from this time last year. The forecasted June 4th water levels also show that water levels are above their long-term monthly averages for June, and below their record high monthly averages for June on all lakes, except Lake Ontario. Lake Ontario's forecasted June 4th level is below its long-term average June level. Lakes Superior and Ontario are forecast to rise 2 inches by July 4th, while Lake Michigan-Huron is forecast to rise 1 inch. Lake St. Clair is forecast to be near its current level one month from now and Lake Erie is forecast to decline 1 inch by July 4th. See our [Daily Levels](#) web page for more water level information.

Electronic Recycling and paper shredding

The 2021 Shredfest is scheduled for Saturday September 11, 9-1pm at the Town of Liberty Grove. Liberty Grove and Sister Bay Residents only.

Fireworks

Last day to apply for a Fireworks permit for the 4th of July, is June 23rd.

When shooting fireworks over the 4th of July holiday please be aware that a permit is required through the Town office. It does require the signature of the Town Chairman and the Fire Chief.

Please plan ahead to get your permit early, issuance of a permit the day before is not possible.

It will require proof of liability insurance. That can be faxed to our office at 920-854-7366. Permit applications are available on the Town's website. Have a safe 4th of July.

Getting rid of liquid waste

Going Garbage Recycling and Solid Waste Inc. has some helpful tips for getting rid of liquids that you do not know what to do with.

- **Used motor oil:** When changing the oil in your car or lawnmower you can dispose of the waste oil by putting the dirty oil in containers that will seal tightly. Bring the sealed container to Going Garbage and they will let you leave it at no charge.
- **Latex paint:** If you are not planning on using what is left in a latex paint can you just need to leave the top off and let the paint dry out completely. This is not considered hazardous and can be disposed of as regular trash. One can of paint can go into your trash pickup. Leave the lid off. If you have quite a few cans, please bring them in with the lids off.
- **Oil-based paint:** This is still not hazardous but needs to be treated differently from latex paint. Cat litter, newspaper, oil absorbents, sawdust or commercial paint hardener will do the trick.
- **Thinners, solvents, gasoline, kerosene, etc.:** These are considered hazardous and under any circumstances should not be mixed in with your regular trash. A small spark can create a tremendous fire. Garbage companies cannot take hazardous waste. Occasionally the County will sponsor a hazardous drop-off in the fall. The dates for these are not known far ahead of time and are usually two years apart. You can also take these items to the Brown County Household Hazardous Waste facility, 2561 S. Broadway, Green Bay. Charges may apply.



Public Health
Prevent. Promote. Protect.
Door County

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE May 17, 2021

Contact: Susan Powers, RN, BSN, Health Officer/Public Health Manager,

Email: publichealth@co.door.wi.us Telephone: 920-746-2234

DOOR COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH ADVISORY REGARDING FACE COVERINGS

In accordance with the new CDC and Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) guidance, <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/fully-vaccinated.html> fully vaccinated people can resume the activities they did before the pandemic, including participating in indoor and outdoor activities –large and small –without wearing a mask or physically distancing.

Over the course of the pandemic, new scientific data has informed guidance and decision making. The CDC and Wisconsin Department of Health Services have released new guidance based on science that shows COVID-19 vaccines are effective in real-world settings in preventing mild and severe disease, hospitalization, and death. Door County Public Health is therefore updating our previous Advisory Regarding Face Coverings, dated April 1, 2021. Individuals who are fully vaccinated can start returning to normal activities.

A person is considered fully vaccinated against COVID-19 if it has been two or more weeks since they got the second dose in a two-dose series (Pfizer or Moderna), or one dose of a single-dose vaccine (Johnson & Johnson).

With these updates, there are important exceptions where everyone, including those who are fully vaccinated, should continue to wear a mask. Mask wearing should continue in health care settings, K-12 schools, correctional and detention facilities, homeless shelters, and public transportation as well as places where masks are required by local laws, rules, and regulations, including local businesses and workplaces.

Door County Public Health encourages organizations to adopt policies that align with the new CDC/DHS guidelines. We support the decision of any business or organization that continues to require masking for the safety of their staff and patrons.

We ask that all residents and visitors continue to do their part in supporting efforts against this pandemic. We are grateful that over 66.45% of Door County residents have chosen to be vaccinated and encourage others to get vaccinated to protect friends and families from COVID-19.

COVID-19 Vaccine Updates - Door County

Door County Public Health is Now Offering COVID-19 Vaccinations to Anyone Age 12 and Older With or Without an Appointment

Parents and guardians can learn more by visiting the [COVID-19: Resources for Parents and Guardians page](#)

Appointments not required at our vaccine clinics.

Sturgeon Bay

ADRC 916 N. 14th Ave

Wednesdays 3:30pm-6:00pm

Sister Bay

2258 Mill Road

Every third Thursday beginning May 20, 2021

3:30pm-5:00pm

If you prefer to schedule an appointment visit bookdcp.h.timetap.com or call 920-746-7180

You will schedule your *first dose only* at this time. Your 2nd dose will be scheduled at the time you receive your first.

Vaccine Side Effects

The COVID-19 vaccination will help protect you from getting COVID-19. After your vaccination you may have some side effects, which are normal signs that your body is building protection. These side effects should go away in a few days. Some people experience sore arm, slight fever, or feeling tired, while others have no side effects at all. We recommend for best protection against COVID-19, to get both doses of the vaccine, even if you have side effects after the first dose.

IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE Emergency assistance - Dial 911, Door County Medical Center COVID Hotline: 920-746-3700

All Door County Residents and Businesses WE NEED YOUR INPUT ON BROADBAND

As a part of the DCEDC Broadband Infrastructure Engineering Assessment, input on your current experience on Broadband services and needs is critically important. If you live in Door County and own a business in Door County, please take some time to complete both surveys. Otherwise, please respond to the survey that meets your situation.

This input will help our consultant develop a plan to provide the highest and most cost effective Broadband service to you. If you do not complete the surveys, we will be missing key data necessary to develop a system to meet your needs.

Residential: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FVV2P3H>

Business: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/F7LXNBK>