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Message From the Mayor
http://cityofportwashington.com/mayor.html

Dear City Residents:

It is so hard to believe that as I draft this message, the holidays - and dare I say a New Year? - are approaching. Time is flying by, but perhaps that's because we've had so much happening right here in "Our Home Port." For us, 2014 has been very productive, with the following representing just a few of our collective accomplishments:

- With the help and support of so many vested stakeholders, in less than one year we've managed to secure some federal funding for initial work on the federal breakwater protecting our harbor and marina - and then have successfully leveraged those federal funds to secure more. More specifically, we have:
  - Secured approximately $950,000 in federal funding
  - Persuaded the Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) to use that federal funding for vital stabilization work to the structure via placement of armor stone on the lake side of the north structure and strategic placement of armor stone on the harbor side as well
  - Committed to bringing forth $1,000,000 via a Contributed Funds Agreement to the USACE for surface repair work and stabilization efforts for two vital sections (D and D-1) of the structure
  - Procured a $500,000 Recreational Boater Fund Grant from the Waterways Commission
  - Procured a $250,000 Stewardship Fund Grant

We are looking forward to an ambitious construction schedule next Spring and Summer involving work on Sections F, E, D, and D-1. This construction will make

the structure far more functional for recreational and tourist use. It will stabilize and enhance the surface walkway of the structure, allowing for easier and safer access. And, bottom line, it will advance our efforts to ensure this structure still stands as it was intended, generations from now, for all residents of Ozaukee County to benefit. Our commitment to the cause of a breakwater structure that builds upon the economic impact of our harbor, downtown, and larger lakefront has been extraordinary and our early efforts very successful.

- We have celebrated the very impressive and impactful accomplishments of a number of our city business partners. Earlier this year, four were named to the Milwaukee Journal-Sentinel's annual "Top Workplaces in Southeast Wisconsin" listing: Molded Dimensions, Port Washington State Bank, Ansay & Associates, and Allen Edmonds. More recently, Ansay & Associates was honored by Ozaukee County Economic Development as its "Large Business of the Year," a reflection upon its growth in employment from 85 to 200 and tripling of its sales over the past three years. Modern Equipment was also a finalist, with its workforce growing 50% over the same timeframe. And, just a few weeks back, Kickhaefer Manufacturing Company was showcased in the Ozaukee Press for employment growth of over 50% the past two years - on top of a nearly 25% increase the three years prior. Factoring in continued growth at Allen Edmonds, Franklin Energy, Kleen Test, and others, our city business partners are making profound investments in our community.
- At the end of October, we will submit to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) our National Marine Sanctuary nomination package. The nomination, a regional collaboration with our sanctuary partners in Sheboygan, Manitowoc, and Two Rivers, represents a truly extraordinary, once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for our great city. Should we ultimately secure the National Marine Sanctuary designation which we seek, the 875 square mile area will provide for protection and preservation of some of Lake Michigan's greatest archaeological, historical, and cultural treasures - and some amazing educational partnership and investment opportunities, too.

The above all said, there is still so much to do - and there is room for YOU to help! So, join us! I assure you, your gifts of time (however much you can give!) and talent (whatever it may be!) are an investment in our city's future and will pay dividends. In advance, THANK YOU!

My very best wishes to you and yours for a happy and healthy holiday season.

Tom Mlada
Mayor - City of Port Washington

CITY CLERK OFFICE-ELECTION UPDATE
http://cityofportwashington.com/elections.html

PHOTO ID
Late in the day on October 9, 2014 the U.S. Supreme Court blocked Wisconsin Photo ID. Photo ID is not in effect for the November 4, 2014 General Election, therefore not required to vote by Absentee or at the Polls on Election Day. The Wisconsin Government Accountability Board has issued further information that lets voters know that someday the Supreme Court may reinstate voter photo ID in Wisconsin so they are advising anyone who does not have a state ID card to take advantage of the opportunity to get one for free.

PROOF OF RESIDENCY
If you are **Registering to Vote, Proof of Residency is required at all times**. If you have been issued a WI Driver's License or WI State ID you must provide that number and expiration date. If this card has expired, then you must also provide the last four digits of your Social Security number on the form. To use these two documents it must have your current address on it. If it does not, then another document must also be provided such as a Bank Statement, Utility Bill, Property Tax Bill. There are other document options available, please check our website for those at www.cityofportwashington.com or contact the City Clerk at 262-284-5585 or by email at swesterbeke@ci.port-washington.wi.us

POLLING LOCATION CHANGES
If you have not voted recently, this is a friendly reminder that we no longer are able to use the schools for voting and the locations have changed.

Ward 1 & Ward 7- St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 1525 N. Grant Street
Ward 2 & Ward 3- Port Washington City Hall (no change)
Wards 4, 5, 6- Grand Avenue United Methodist Church, 505 W. Grand Avenue

IN-PERSON ABSENTEE VOTING AND VOTER REGISTRATION
You are able to vote an Absentee Ballot In-Person in the City Clerk's Office October 20th - 31st.

Beginning on October 16th, the late Voter Registration period starts and voters wishing to register must do so In-Person in the City Clerk's Office. You also may Register to vote on Election Day at your Polling Location. If you choose that option please allow extra time for that to be completed prior to getting into your voting line. At all times you need Proof of Residency to Register to vote, see the second paragraph of this page for that information.

City Hall is open for In-Person Absentee Voting and In-Person Voter Registration

Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. October 20-31. There is no In-Person Absentee Voting available the Monday before the Election.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS - ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
http://cityofportwashington.com/engineeringDepartment.html

2015 SIDEWALK MAINTENANCE
In 2014, the City budgeted for $10,000 in sidewalk repairs. The majority of this work will be performed on Whitefish Rd., east of Wisconsin St., and on Michigan St. If you live on these streets and have a sidewalk marked with a white "O" and a number, the sidewalk will be removed and replaced. This is part of the City's ongoing maintenance program of sidewalks on an area by area basis. The cost of this work will be paid through the City's capital improvement fund and will NOT be specially assessed to the homeowners. Work will be performed in spring of 2015.

2015 LAKEFRONT IMPROVMENTS
After soliciting input from stakeholders and interested citizens, the City of Port Washington has created a plan for improving the walkway from Veteran's Park to the North Beach. Construction is currently scheduled for Spring 2015. If you are interested in more information on this topic, please contact City Engineer Rob Vanden Noven at rvandennoven@ci.port-washington.wi.us,

STORM WATER MANAGEMENT AND TREES
Most people know that trees provide beauty, shade, and oxygen, but did you know that they also help protect our streams and lakes? Trees intercept, slow, filter, and absorb storm water - water that would otherwise run off into storm sewers, lakes, and streams. Planting trees, maintaining green space and reducing impervious surfaces such as asphalt and concrete can reduce local flooding, soil erosion, and thermal and chemical pollution of surface water. Tree planting isn't just about beautification; it is about making a sound investment in the environmental health of our community!

STREET DEPARTMENT
http://cityofportwashington.com/publicworks.html

LEAF PICKUP
The raking of leaves only into the street is allowed beginning on October 1, 2014 until November 26th. Please have your leaves out by Sunday, November 23rd for the last week of pickup. Raking of grass, garden waste, and other materials into the street is not permitted at any time. These materials may also be disposed of at the Street Department yard during the following hours of operation:

Tuesday and Thursday - 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday - 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

The last day of operation at the Street Department yard for 2014 will be Saturday, December 6, 2014. The last day of curbside brush pickup for the year will be October 31, 2014. Please place your brush at the curb by Sunday, October 26th. Brush pick up will resume in April of 2015.

Reporting Street Light Outage

To report a street light outage please call (262) 284-2600 or email jklumb@ci.port-washington.wi.us. Please include the street address and the pole number that is located near the bottom of the pole on an aluminum tag.

FIRE DEPARTMENT
http://www.pwfd.org/

Change Your Clocks - Change Your Smoke Alarm Batteries

Here is a Smoke Alarm reminder: "Change Your Clocks Change Your Batteries". On November 2 when we "fall back" an hour, change the batteries in your smoke alarms when you change the time on your clocks.

Time to Have Furnaces & Fireplaces Checked
Fall weather reminds us that it is time to have furnaces and fireplaces checked. Gas and oil-fired furnaces need to be inspected by a qualified heating, ventilation, and air conditioning specialist. Chimneys need to be inspected by a qualified technician to make sure there are no blockages inside the flue.
To avoid Carbon Monoxide (CO) poisoning due to damage or improperly vented appliances, a residential Carbon Monoxide detector should be installed near sleeping areas inside the home or apartment. These may be purchased at any hardware store.

Holiday Fire Safety
Follow these tips to keep your family safe during the holidays:

- Holiday Lighting: Keep candles well away from decorations or other combustible material. Do not leave children unattended in a room lit with candles. Never use candles to decorate Christmas trees. When decorating with lights, be sure to use only lights labeled by a testing laboratory. Do not overload electrical circuits, and unplug all lights before leaving home or going to bed.
- Holiday Parties: Decorate with only flame-retardant or non-combustible materials. Provide large, deep ashtrays and check them frequently. After parties, check furniture and trashcans for cigarette butts that may be smoldering.
- Christmas Trees: Choose a fresh tree. Place it in a stand designed not to tip over and keep it well away from heat sources and exits. Water the tree frequently. If you use an artificial tree, be sure it is fire-retardant.

ADULT COMMUNITY SENIOR CENTER
http://cityofportwashington.com/seniorCenter.html

Adult Community Senior Center Shorelines
Sponsored by the Port Washington Adult Community Senior Center and open to adults, preference given to members 55 and better! Register: 284-5821 or ckiener@ci.port-washington.wi.us

Please see link to the Leisure Times for program/class costs and registration deadlines

Membership recruitment: Join now pay for 12 months receive 14 months!

ENRICHMENT & WELLNESS
Lakeside Tea Society
Tea Tasting Time with Mequon Spice & Tea Exchange
Date: Wed. Oct. 15 at 1:30

Cranberry Tea
Date: Wed. Nov. 19 at 1:30

Old Fashion (Memory Lane) Christmas with Rochelle Pennington
Date: Wed. Dec. 17 at 1:30

Tech Thursdays
Dates:Oct. 16, 23, 30 at 3:15 PM-4:30
High school students focusing on Computer basics (how to turn on & off, mouse use), E-Mail & Facebook Set-Up, What are Search Engines & other Terminology
Cost: $3.00 per week or $5.00 for 3 weeks members/$10.00 guests for 3 weeks.

Beginners Tai Chi with emphasis on Arthritis -
Class Dates: Session III: Now to Dec 29 at 9:00 AM
Instructor: KT Rusch is a certified teacher from the Tai Chi Center of Milwaukee, where she has studied and practiced for over 18 years. **Cost:** $95.00 per member & $105.00 for Non-members.

Basics of Drawing People Explored & Incorporating Watercolor with Erin Callahan Blum
Dates: Tuesdays at 3:00-5:00 Oct. 21, 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 2014
Starting with charcoal or pencil, we will go through the proper dimensions of the human figure and face. Eventually, watercolor flesh tones will be incorporated. All levels welcome!
Cost: $55.00/member or $65.00 guest

Painting Class - All Media
Dates: Wed. Oct. 29 - Dec. 3 3:15 - 5:15
This diverse class offers beginners and intermediate students a chance to work in their preferred media with individual instruction on painting of choice. 6 classes for cost of 5!
Instructor: Laurie Sucharda
Cost: $50.00/member and $60 guest

Handcrafted Greeting Cards (Make-n-Take)
Date: Wed. Nov. 5 & Dec. 3 at 1:30-3:00PM

Instructor Jennifer will have everything you need to make Christmas & Holiday Cards.
Register with fee one week prior to class.
Cost: $10.00 per member and $15.00 for guest. Maximum is 12!

Circuit Training II -Women 40 & Older
Dates: Oct. 21 - Nov. 25
Tues @ 9:00AM & Thur. @ 8:30
Cost: $30.00 member/$40 guest. Class size: max. 15

Zumba Gold Classes Ongoing
Dates: Tues, Wed, Fri, & Sat (Session VII Oct 14 to Nov 29) or Weekly registration available
Meet 1st floor south end at 8:15 AM
Cost: $15.00 for Senior Center members or Friends of the Senior Center for Course or $3.00 per class. Non-members cost: $25.00 course or $5.00 per class!

Strength with Bands
Dates: Wed & Fri Nov. 5 - Dec 19 at 11:00
Cost: $50.00 per member/ $60.00 Guest
Adult Fitness - go beyond "silver sneakers"
Dates: Mondays Oct. 20 - Nov. 24 at 1:30
Cost: $15.00 member & $25.00 guest

YOU AND YOUR HEALTH PROGRAMS

Medicare Updates for 2015
Date: Wed. Oct. 22 at 2:00 PM
The Medicare Specialist from Ozaukee County ADRC will be the presenter.
Cost: no fee members/ guests

Red Cross Community Blood Drive
Date: Thur. Oct. 30 from 2:00 - 7:00 PM
For an appointment call 1-800-733-2767 or visit redcrossblood.org or walk in!

Special Events

Halloween Party
Date: Friday, Oct. 31 at 11:30-1:30
Costumes are optional, but prizes will be awarded! Please make a reservation by Thur. Oct. 30.
Cost: Donation for lunch

Holiday Craft & Bake Sale with Silent Auction
Mon. Nov. 10 10:30 - 6:00 PMand during office hours to Dec. 10.

ONE DAY ADVENTURES
Fireside Christmas
Date: Wed. Dec. 10
Named one of the country's finest attractions by the American Bus Association, The Fireside's Christmas show has become a must see tradition for tens of thousands of

people throughout the nation. **Payment due Nov. 1** Cost: $89.00 member/$93 guest

Sensational Seventies
Date: January 22, 2015
The surest way to lose the cold winter doldrums is to enjoy the hottest music from one of the most exciting decades of the 20th century. Payment due December 22, 2014

A Talent for Murder
Date: Sunday, Feb. 8, 2015
Come along for the ride and enjoy the plot twists as found in every great murder-mystery. A buffet lunch featuring two pasta entrees, vegetable, salad, cookies and non-alcoholic beverage is included prior to the performance at Domenicos Italian Ristorante.
Depart Port at 9:15AM Return approx. 8:00PM
Cost: $84.00
Payment due Dec. 30, 2014

EXTENDED TRIPS

Flavors of the South - Value Tour '15
Register and pay deposit by Oct. 29 and save $75 per person
Dates: April 18 -April 25, 2015
8 Days and 13 meals/ Free home or local pickup Twin per person $1,339 (with $75 savings cost is 1,264) or single $1,858 (with $75 savings $1,783) travel by Deluxe motorcoach.

Pick up brochures at the Center for 2015 extended trips to Australia or Switzerland and more!

POLICE DEPARTMENT
http://www.pwpd.org/

Utility Scam Warning

The Port Washington Police Department wishes to warn residents of a utility scam where individuals call or email residents and claim to represent We Energies.
The callers, who often target businesses and the elderly, threaten to shut off utility service unless a delinquent bill is paid within a matter of hours. The callers then instruct customers to go to Wal-Mart, CVS Pharmacy, or another store and buy a Green Dot Visa card, Money Pack card, or similar pre-paid debit card, load money onto the card, and pay the delinquent bill over the phone using the card.
Some scammers create a sense of legitimacy by causing the name and phone number of the utility company appear on the victims' caller ID.
The Port Washington Police Department reminds residents to be vigilant and to use common sense if someone calls or emails representing We Energies and asks for payment. Please keep the following in mind:

- Utility companies will not email you with threats to pay your account - customers who are behind on their electric bills receive written notices of a possible disconnection and how to prevent it.

- Utility company representatives calling about a delinquent bill would not specify a method of payment.
- If you are unsure if a call or email is from your utility company, you should call the main customer service number for your utility company immediately.
- Your utility company will not ask for your bank information or credit card number over the phone.
- Delete any emails from utilities that are not your service provider.
- Ignore suspicious requests for personal information such as bank account numbers, user names and passwords, credit card numbers, or Social Security numbers.
- Delete all suspicious emails that require immediate action to verify or demand personal information.
- If you believe you have been a victim of this scam or any other scam, please contact the Port Washington Police Department immediately, by calling 262-284-5575.

Scams & Cons

Scam and con artists have been around for decades. In the past, these acts were committed in person more often than not. With the prevalence of technology, scam artists are targeting and victimizing people more than ever! There are several scams or cons that are quite popular and many Wisconsin residents fall victim each year. Below is a list of some of those scams.

Home Repair
A company approaches you with a claim of "left over building materials" and offers to perform the work at a discount. They may ask for a substantial deposit and never return or if they actually do the work, it is of substandard quality. You should be very skeptical of someone just stopping by inquiring if you would like to have work done. Typically, people will solicit bids from local companies if they want some work performed. For some reason if you choose to do business with them, ask for their business license and never hand over any deposit money until you have "checked them out."

Collect Call/Emergency scam
You receive a collect call late at night from someone purporting to be a family member, hospital employee, police officer, etc. They explain that a loved one has been hurt, in an accident, arrested, etc. and they need your credit card number to complete the call. After card number is received the person states that it won't go through and hangs up. You should **NEVER** give out your personal information over the phone unless YOU initiated the phone call.

Nigerian Scam
There are many different types of these scams, but they all have the same pitch. You receive a letter or email from some foreign national stating that they have received a great sum of money, but need to export it in order to keep. They ask for access to your

bank account in order to "funnel" the money and promise to give you a cut of the money. You need to understand that these are all scams!! Never give out your bank account info to anyone!

Vehicle/large item sale
You place an ad for a car for sale. A buyer emerges and sends you a cashier's check that is over the sale amount. The buyer apologizes for the mistake and states that he trusts you and asks that you send the overage amount back to him when you ship the vehicle/item. These are all scams! The cashier's check will turn out to be fraudulent and you will be responsible for that amount.

Phishing
Theses scams are usually done through emails. An email is sent by someone purporting to be from a legitimate company (Ebay, PayPal, etc.) and asks you to verify your personal information by "clicking" on a link. This leads to a very real looking bogus site. **NEVER** give out your information, call the company using the phone number for their actual website or from your statement, etc.

Charity Scams
All of us receive the phone calls and mailings from different charitable organizations. Although some of these charities are legitimate, there are an equal number that are not. If you wish to make a charitable donation, either contact the charity directly or go through one of the many local charitable organizations in your community.

If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is!

Grandparent Scam
In the past few years, law enforcement agencies across Wisconsin and the United States have had some senior residents fall victim to the "Grandparent Scam". It starts with a frantic phone call. The caller misleads the grandparent into thinking the caller is their grandchild. The "grandchild" claims to be in trouble, often in Canada, and in desperate need of money. The caller asks the grandparent to wire them thousands of dollars so they can post bail or hire an attorney due to auto accident, an arrest, or payment for a medical bill.

The "grandchild" will often plead to the grandparent not to tell the "grandchild's" parents about the situation. The caller will also pressure the grandparent to act quickly. Sadly, the caller is not their grandchild but a con-artist.

All around the country well-meaning and caring grandparents have wired thousands of dollars to these con-artists. If you receive one of these phone calls, do not give the caller any information. The caller may say "Hi grandma/grandpa, it's me" or "Hi grandma/grandpa, do you know who this is" and let the grandparent fill in the name of their grandchild.

Always make the person tell you their name or ask which grandchild you are speaking to. The caller will realize they cannot continue on with the charade and will likely hang up.

On a rare occasion, the caller may provide the name of a grandchild, which they may have obtained off a social networking hub or personal website/web page. Ask the caller

to provide information only your grandchild would know. Also, call your grandchild and relatives to confirm your "grandchild's" story.

If you would like further information on the Grandparent Scam or any other scams, please speak to your local crime prevention officer

"Operation Safe Sale"

Port Washington residents and business owners who sell or buy on Craigslist or other exchange sites are welcome and encourage to conduct their transactions in the parking lot or front lobby of the Port Washington Police Department.

With an increase in the buying and selling of items over the Internet, we want people to be safe and conduct their transaction in a secure location. Especially selling smaller items, such as jewelry, cameras, or coin collections, which often require the seller to invite the buyer into their home to pick up and pay for the item or items. By meeting at the police department you eliminate potential danger to your family or your property. You also eliminate the chance for any potential criminals to evaluate your residence for a future crime.

The parking lot and front lobby are monitored by staff and security cameras. Sellers and buyers are asked to come to the police department lobby and let us know you will be making a transaction.

The Port Washington Police Department also offers these additional safety tips for those conducting a transaction with an unknown buyer:

- Only accept cash or a cashier's check as payment. Personal checks carry some risk.
- Conduct sales during weekdays so banking or financial institutions can be contacted if there is a problem.
- Be especially careful when selling high value items.
- Don't go alone and trust your instincts.

Please take the same common sense precautions online as you would offline. For additional information about personal safety online. Please check out these resources:

- www.staysafeonline.org
- www.onguardonline.gov
- http://getasafeonline.org
- http://wiredsafety.org

Halloween Health and Safety Tips

For many people, autumn events like Halloween are fun times to dress up in costumes, go trick-or-treating, and attend parties. These events are also opportunities to provide nutritious snacks, get physical activity, and focus on safety. Port Washington Trick or Treat hours are scheduled for Friday, October 31st from 5:00p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Check out these tips from the Department of Health and Human Services Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to help make the festivities fun and safe for trick-or-treaters and party guests.

Going trick-or-treating?

Swords, knives, and similar costume accessories should be short, soft, and flexible.

Avoid trick-or-treating alone. Walk in groups or with a trusted adult.

Fasten reflective tape to costumes and bags to help drivers see you.

Examine all treats for choking hazards and tampering before eating them. Limit the amount of treats you eat.

Hold a flashlight while trick-or-treating to help you see and others see you. Always WALK and don't run from house to house.

Always test make-up in a small area first. Remove it before bedtime to prevent possible skin and eye irritation.

Look both ways before crossing the street. Use established crosswalks wherever possible.

Lower your risk for serious eye injury by not wearing decorative contact lenses.

Only walk on sidewalks whenever possible, or on the far edge of the road facing traffic to stay safe.

Wear well-fitting masks, costumes, and shoes to avoid blocked vision, trips, and falls.

Eat only factory-wrapped treats. Avoid eating homemade treats made by strangers.

Enter homes only if you're with a trusted adult. Only visit well-lit houses. Don't stop at dark houses. Never accept rides from strangers.

Never walk near lit candles or luminaries. Be sure to wear flame-resistant costumes.

W.J. NIEDERKORN LIBRARY
http://www.wjnlib.org/

New Library Services

Port Make

The WJ Niederkorn Library announces the opening of the Port Make space in the upper level of the library. Our initial offerings include a Silhouette Cameo Electronic cutter that is great for a whole range of craft projects, a set of four make-it-yourself digital

cameras which feature hand crank power charging which is a great project for a kid 8 and up and an adult, and finally a table top photography light tent for use in photographing all your finished projects. A computer will tie all the equipment together with additional software for photo and video editing.

The library is committed to helping build science and technology literacy in library users of all ages as the demands for technology literacy will grow to be more and more important in the decades going forward.

We will continue to build out and expand our offerings in our Port Make space but for now we invite you down to the library to try out the new equipment with staff suggested projects to get you started.

Adult Services

Special Events

NaNoWriMo Write-In! Saturday, November 15th from 9am-1pm
November is National Novel Writing Month! The Library will be hosting a NaNoWriMo Write-In. Snacks and coffee will be provided by our friends at Smith Bros. Coffee House. Tell your Writer friends and come join a pack of creative minds for a day of ideas and coffee! Please call 262-284-5031 or email Annie if you'd like to attend.
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~19/

Cooking Classes

Easy Truffles! Monday, November 19th at 6 p.m. Easy to make, even easier to eat! A delicious class on how to make easy truffles at home, with variations perfect for any holiday or occasion!
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~43/

Food Gifts! Saturday, December 13th at 10 a.m.
More than just brownies in a jar! Learn some other recipes to be used as gifts or storage!
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~43/

Fish 101 Monday, January 5th at 6 p.m.
We will discuss the different kinds of fish and how to prepare them, along with delicious recipes!
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~43/

Craft Classes

3D Kirigami Snowflakes! Monday, November 24th at 6 p.m.
A paper cutting class that is both easy and beautiful!! Get ready for the holidays with our new ideas! Please register for this class. Due to using sharp cutting tools, this class is closed to all under 16.
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~21/

Snowflake Ornaments! Monday, December 8th at 6 p.m.
We will be working with a variety of media to make beautiful winter decorations.
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~21/

Pipe-cleaner Puppies! Saturday, January 10th at 10 a.m. A Teen/Adult Class. See our website for pictures of these adorable little guys!
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~21/

Special Guests

Medicare with Laura Schimberg Monday, October 13th 6p.m. Laura is with the Ozaukee County Aging and Disability Services.
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~19/

***The Tattooed Lady: A History* with local author and librarian Amelia Klem Osterud**
Monday, October 27th at 6 p.m.
Living in a time when it was scandalous even to show a bit of ankle, a small number of courageous women covered their bodies in tattoos and traveled the country, performing nearly nude on carnival stages. Learn their Amazing stories!
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~19/

WJ Niederkorn Library Presents Author & Historian Jerry Apps
Author of Stories From the Land Friday, November 14th
Author and Humorist Jerry Apps will be coming back to Port Washington as our special guest speaker. Buffet Dinner at 6:30 p.m., provided by Tello's Grille and Cafe with John's talk to follow at 7:15 p.m. Our Event will take place at the First Congregational Church, 131 N Webster St. Port Washington, WI. Please RSVP for your complimentary spot! 262-284-5031 Sponsored by the Friends of the Library
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~19/

John Leis
Medicare: Monday, November 3rd 2 pm or 6 pm.
Social Security: Monday, December 1st at 2pm.
Retirement: Monday, December 1st at 6 pm
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~19/

Local Author Sara Dahmen Monday, January 12th at 6 p.m. Sara will be reading from her historical romance novel, *Doctor Kinney's Housekeeper.* Copies will be available at the event.
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~19/

Movies

Friday Night Movies
Maleficent October 17th at 7 p.m. Rated PG
A Most Wanted Man November 14th at 7 p.m. Rated R
A Hundred-Foot Journey December 12th at 7 p.m. Rated PG
Snacks provided by our friends at Tello's Grille and Café
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~22/

Ongoing groups

Library Recipe Club 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 11 a.m.
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~23/

Yoga with Connie Baldwin Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m.
http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~24/

Fiction Book Club
The Dinner Monday, October 20th 6:30 p.m.
All Quiet on the Western Front Monday, November 17th at 6:30 p.m.
TBA Monday, December 15th at 6:30 pm.
TBA Monday, January 19th at 6:30 p.m.

http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~20/

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Teen Services

Teen News for the Niederkorn Library

The Teen Café has started again for the school year. It now meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:00 - 5:00. Teens can hangout, do homework, play games, use the free wifi, make a craft...endless possibilities! If that's not enough we have a certified math tutor on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays from 4:00 - 5:00 pm. Of course there is always food!

Upcoming Teen Events

Saturday October 11th from 10 am - 12 pm- Harvest Book Art (Teen/Adult Class)
Tuesday October 21st from 3 pm - 5 pm- Pumpkin Carving Contest
Saturday November 8th from 10 am - 12 pm- Book Page Holiday Wreath
Saturday December 13th from 10 am - 12 pm- Making Food Gift Jars
Saturday January 10th from 10 am - 12 pm- Pipe Cleaner Puppies

For Detailed information please see our website calendar.http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/

Children's Services

Toddler and Preschool Story times

Our Books and Babies story times are designed for infants 6 months through 24 months and their parents. They help the children and their parents get acclimated to visiting the library and attending story times. The programs incorporate stories, finger plays, songs and free play. No registration is needed.

Our Preschool Story times are offered for children 2 through 5 years of age. The story times are broken into 2 different age appropriate sessions; one for children 2 years of age and one for preschool children ages 3-5. Each session includes stories, songs, movement activities and a simple craft. The sessions are designed to include all aspects of early literacy learning. No registration necessary.

Early Release Movie Matinees 12:30 pm
New releases and/or classic movies shown on our big screen.
You bring your own snacks, we provide the free entertainment.

Tuesday, October 14th	Mr. Peabody & Sherman
Friday, October 24th	Underwraps
Tuesday, November 4th	Beethoven's Treasure Tail
Tuesday, November 25th	How to Train your Dragon 2

Jr. Lego Club
Come to the library to hear a story and then build a creation of your own based on the theme of the day. Open to children ages 4-7 years old.
Children must be accompanied by a Parent. No registration needed.
Saturday, October 25th and November 22nd from 11-11:30 am

Lego Creator Club
Come to the library and build with one of the cool Lego Creator Kits.
Open to children entering 1st grade through 5th grade.
Children under 9 must be accompanied by a parent. No registration is necessary.
Friday afternoons from 3:45-4:30pm
Oct. 10th, Oct. 24th, Nov. 7th and Nov. 21st

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING INSPECTION
http://cityofportwashington.com/buildingInspection.html

Unvented heaters prohibited
With the start of the heating season it is a good idea to review the regulations regarding unvented space heating appliances. These unvented heating units come in many shapes and sizes, including fireplace, wall, stand alone, and torpedo-style units. They are usually fueled by kerosene, natural gas, or alcohol. The State of Wisconsin prohibits the use of unvented heaters and fireplaces in homes built after 1980, and all commercial buildings, apartments and condominiums regardless of construction date. Many municipalities, including Port Washington, also adopt these regulations to cover homes built prior to 1980 as well. The specific Wisconsin Code section referenced is 323.04(2)(b) which states "The use of unvented furnaces and space heaters fueled by natural gas, kerosene, alcohol or other fuel shall be prohibited due to concerns about oxygen depletion; contamination from carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen dioxide, formaldehyde and other combustion related contaminants; and water vapor buildups."

Smoke alarm recall
Walter Kidde Portable Equipment Inc. ("Kidde") in conjunction with the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) announced a voluntary recall to replace certain Kidde AC/DC smoke alarms and combination smoke/carbon monoxide alarms. It involves Kidde residential smoke alarms with model number i12010S manufactured between Dec 18, 2013 and May 13, 2014, and combination smoke/CO alarms with model number i12010SCO manufactured between Dec 30, 2013 and May 13, 2014 and model number KN-COSM-IBA manufactured between Oct 22, 2013 and May 13, 2014. If you have one of these detectors you can contact Kidde at 1-844-553-9011 or www.Kidde.com for more information.

PARK & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
http://portparkandrec.com/

Yoga and More
Our Yoga & More classes are continuing through December 31. If you purchased classes in 2014, they will be good until the end of December. New classes will start in January. Please check the Parks & Rec website at www.portparkandrec.com for detailed class offerings. Purchase just a few or enough for a couple of weeks. Attend any class during the time spots offered - or attend them all. 1 class $8, 5 classes $40, 10 classes $65, or 20 classes for $95.
Classes are held at the Recreation Center, 201 N. Webster St. (at the base of Waterpark) unless otherwise stated. New this fall is an Aerial Yoga class held on Monday evenings at 6:45 and Friday mornings at 10:15 at the Rec. Center.

Micro Tennis (Indoor)
This non-competitive program for children ages 3-6 is being held on Monday evenings December 1, 15 & 22 at Dunwiddie (Dec. 8 date is at Thomas Jefferson Middle School) at 6:00 pm. This program is to introduce the children to the game of tennis and expand skills using the USTA introductory program. Cost for the 4 week session is $20 for residents of the Port Washington/Saukviille School District and $25 for non-residents.

Beginner Tennis (Indoor)
This is an introductory tennis program for children ages 7-10 that will expand skills using the USTA program. Forehand, backhand, volleys, serving, scoring and sportsmanship are some of the skills focused on. This program will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 3, 10, 17 and January 7 at Thomas Jefferson Middle School at 6:00 pm. The cost is $30 for residents of the Port Washington/Saukville School District and $37.50 for non-residents.

Micro Soccer (Indoor)
This program is for children ages 3-6 to introduce them to soccer and the fundamentals as well as teamwork and social interaction. Session 1 will be held on Oct. 27, Nov. 10 & 17 at Dunwiddie (November 3 date is at Thomas Jefferson Middle School) at 6:00, 6:30 or 7:00 pm. Session 2 will start January 12 for 4 weeks at Thomas Jefferson. Cost for each session is $20 for residents of the Port Washington/Saukviille School District and $25 for non-residents.

Beginner & Advanced Soccer (Indoor)
This program is for children ages 7-10 for beginners and ages 11-14 for the advanced class.
Session 1 will be held on Wednesday evenings for 4 weeks starting October 29, at 6:00 pm for beginners and 6:45 pm for the advanced children. Session 2 will start on January 14 for 4 weeks and the cost for each session is $30 for residents of the Port Washington/Saukville School District and $37.50 for non-residents. All classes are held at Thomas Jefferson Middle School.

Youth Basketball - Co-ed 1st & 2nd Grade First 25 kids receive a free water bottle!
Registration is in progress for the 1st & 2nd grade boys and girls basketball program held at Thomas Jefferson Middle School. This program is for children to learn the

fundamentals of basketball in a fun, non-competitive setting. Emphasis is placed on learning basic skills and sportsmanship. Session 1 will be a 4 week program that will start on Saturday, November 8 from 11am -12 pm (November 15th time will be 10-11 am.). Cost is $25 for a resident of the PW/Saukville School District and $32.50 for non-residents. Session 2 will be a 6 week class starting on January 3 at 11 am-12 pm. Cost is $35 for a resident of the PW/Saukville School District and $42.50 for non-residents.

Sportapalooza: Intro to Sports
This non-competitive program will introduce children ages 3-10 to a variety of sports including basketball, soccer, tennis and football. This is a great opportunity to give kids a chance to try several sports, learn what they are interested in, develop skills, work as a team and burn some energy. There is an emphasis on running, jumping, throwing and catching. Session 1 will be a 4 week class held on Saturdays, November 8, 15, Dec. 6 & 20 (No class on Dec. 13) at 9-9:30 am for ages 3-4, 9:30-10 am for ages 5-6 and 10-11 am for ages 7-10. Location is at Thomas Jefferson Middle School. The cost for this program is $20 for ages 3-6 and $25 for ages 7-10 for a resident of the Port Washington/Saukviille School District and $25 & $30 for non-residents. Session 2 will start on January 3 and go for 6 weeks at a cost of $30 for ages 3-6 and $35 for ages 7-10 for residents of Port Washington/Saukviille School District and $37.50 and $42.50 for non-residents.

Adult Indoor Soccer
This program is for adults (18+) to join as a team or as an individual. The 5 v 5 league games have two 25 minute halves with a 5 minute half time. Games will start on Monday, January 5 for 4 weeks. Next session will start in March 9 and end on March 30. The sessions will be held on Mondays, between 7:30 and 9:00 pm. Games are played at the Port Washington High School. Cost is $20 per session per player.

Pickleball
The game of Pickleball has swept the nation! It is a fun sport with many social benefits. What is pickleball? Check out Pickleball's official website at www.usapa.org. The schedule is as follows: Lincoln Elementary School on Thursday evenings, starting October 2 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Check our website for a complete schedule or call 262-284-5881. Cost is $3.00 per person, per visit.

Polar Express
All aboard! Hop on the "train" for a magical journey to the North Pole (Port Washington Fire Station). This tri-community event, sponsored by Port Washington State Bank, will take place on December 13 and will be hosted in Port Washington this year. Tickets can be purchased at the Port Washington, Grafton or Cedarburg Parks & Recreation Departments as well as PWSB, in any of those communities. The cost is only $6.00. Tickets go on sale November 17.

Park Rentals
Book your reservation now for 2015 for a number of our pavilions and park areas. Check out the Park Rental Calendar for availability on our website: www.portparkandrec.com

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