



City of Port Washington, WI Summer/Fall 2014 Newsletter

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Message From the Mayor

<http://cityofportwashington.com/mayor.html>

Dear City Residents:

I write this to you as we move into the heart of Summer in our great City of Port Washington. The 4th of July holiday has passed, and the parade, family activities, and fireworks were once again a huge hit. In a few short days, we will celebrate the **50th Anniversary of Fish Day**, our iconic city festival that highlights the special historical and cultural role we've played as a proud Lake Michigan community. As always, the Summer months are busy and festive and memorable ones in "Our Home Port"!

Beyond all of that, we have an exciting few months coming up with work set to commence on the vital federal breakwaters in our City of Port Washington Harbor. To that end, we will be hosting a Breakwater Public Information Meeting (PIM) at City Hall on Thursday, July 17th at 6:30 p.m. The PIM will serve as an opportunity for city residents, visitors, business partners, investors, and all others to ask questions and learn more about the work that will be completed later this Summer. The event is open to all City of Port Washington and Ozaukee County residents and all others who utilize and benefit from Ozaukee County's only harbor and marina. If you cannot attend, you can watch it live on Time Warner Cable Channel 25.

As you may recall, eight months ago, in November 2013, we hosted a similar Town Hall Forum as part of our effort to make a strong, unified, collective case for the need for authorization and appropriation of federal funds to fix this vital federal asset before it fails. So many of you attended that first Town Hall and so many more of you wrote, e-mailed, or called our federal representatives. We're thrilled to celebrate at the PIM with all members of the public and stakeholders the result of those efforts - and map out what work will be completed and when with the initial funding we've been able to secure.

In addition to City of Port Washington leadership and Army Corps of Engineers representatives, other PIM participants will include

Foth Infrastructure & Environmental and SmithGroup JJR, both of whom are partnering with the City on fund procurement and solution design and engineering, and Great Lakes Safe Harbor Preservation Foundation, a separate nonprofit organization helping to raise funds for breakwater and lighthouse repairs and improvements.

As a city, we're grateful for the partnership we've enjoyed and the support we've received from these and other stakeholders. The PIM affords us the opportunity to detail what these partnerships have helped us accomplish - and what work will remain for us to accomplish to ensure this critical structure stands and functions for generations to come.

So again, THANK YOU! I am truly honored, proud, and privileged to be partnering with and serving on behalf of such a generous, talented, passionate, proud group of people. My genuine gratitude for all you have done, and continue to do, to help make Port Washington the great city we all know it to be.

Tom Mlada

Mayor - City of Port Washington

CITY CLERK OFFICE-ELECTION UPDATE

<http://cityofportwashington.com/elections.html>

Updated Voter and Election Information can be found on the city website by going to www.cityofportwashington.com/elections.html , by contacting the City Clerk at swesterbeke@ci.port-washington.wi.us or by calling City Hall at 262-284-5585.

The next two Elections in 2014 include the Partisan Primary on Tuesday, August 12th and the General Election on Tuesday, November 4th, which will include the Office of Governor.

Recently there have been changes to election law for voters registering to vote. Proof of Residency will be required unless the individual is a military or overseas voter.

For acceptable Proof of Residency options go to

www.cityofportwashington.com/elections.html

If you are a registered voter and interested in voting an absentee ballot, that can be done by filing a request with the City Clerk Office. Absentee ballots can be mailed to voters, for requests on file, until the Thursday prior to the election. You may vote an absentee ballot in person in the City Clerk's Office until the Friday before the election. For more information go to www.cityofportwashington.com/elections.html

Other sites that you can obtain Wisconsin Election Information from are the following:

<http://gab.wi.gov> and <http://myvote.wi.gov>

VOTING LOCATION CHANGES STARTED IN APRIL 2014

Ward 2 and Ward 3 (Aldermanic Districts 2 & 3) Vote at City Hall, 100 W. Grand Avenue
(no change to this location).

Ward 1 and Ward 7 (Aldermanic Districts 1 & 7) previously voted at Thomas Jefferson Middle School. Your new voting location is St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 1525 N. Grant Street, which is located one block to the northwest of T.J. Middle School on the corner of W. Norport Drive and Grant Street.

Ward 4, Ward 5, Ward 6 (Aldermanic Districts 4, 5, 6) previously voted at Dunwiddie Elementary School. Your new voting location is Grand Avenue Methodist Church, 505 W. Grand Avenue, which is located where Moore Rood intersects with W. Grand Avenue.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
<http://cityofportwashington.com/publicworks.html>

2014 Sidewalk Maintenance

In 2014, the City has budgeted for \$10,000 in additional 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 not completed in fall of 2014 will be performed in spring of 2015.

2014 STREET & PARKING LOT IMPROVEMENTS

The streets listed below will be improved in 2014. Most street improvements include replacement of the existing water main and services.

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
• Holden St.	Orchard Lane	Van Buren St.
• Van Buren St.	Holden St.	Wisconsin St.
• Holden St.	Van Buren St.	Jackson St.
• Jackson St.	Holden St.	Webster St.
• Milwaukee St.	Jackson St.	Walters St.
• Prospect St.	Wisconsin St.	Cul de Sac
• Benjamin St.	Theiss St.	Norport Dr.

Streets under construction are open to local traffic only (no through traffic). Work is anticipated to be completed on all streets in September.

2014 LAKEFRONT IMPROVEMENTS

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 tentatively scheduled this fall. If you are interested in more information on this topic, please contact City Engineer Rob Vanden Noven at rvandenoven@ci.port-washington.wi.us.

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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!

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

Fire Department Open House & Fire Prevention Week 2014

The Port Washington Fire Department invites residents to attend our Annual Open House, Sunday October 5, 2014. The Open House will be held between 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the fire station located at 104 W. Washington Street. Sparky will be on hand to greet everyone and there will be plenty to see and do. Fire extinguisher demonstrations, equipment displays, fire truck rides, and fire station tours are just some of the activities planned. Also, door prizes will be given away, including a "Ride To School in a Fire Truck" prize.

The theme for Fire Prevention Week 2014 is: "Working Smoke Alarms Save Lives. Test Yours Every Month". This year's campaign is designed to remind people about the importance having multiple smoke alarms in your house.

7 TIPS FOR FIRE SURVIVAL

Most fatal home fires happen at night while you and your family are sleeping. The Port Washington Fire Department wants you to know these seven tips for survival:

1. Install and **Maintain** working smoke alarms on each level of your home, especially inside and outside sleeping areas.
2. Develop a home fire escape plan with a meeting place outside the home.
3. Practice the escape plan with your family. "Practice makes improvement".
4. If possible, sleep with your bedroom door closed. It can help keep out smoke and deadly gases while you escape.
5. If you are awakened by your smoke alarm, roll out of bed and crawl to your bedroom door. Using the back of your hand feel the door high and low. **If it is hot, DO NOT OPEN THE DOOR.** Use your secondary exit. If it is cool, open it carefully and go to the nearest exit.
6. If you must escape through smoke...**Crawl Low and Go.**
7. Once you are outside, go to your meeting place and have someone go to a neighbor's home to call the fire department. Never go back inside, for any reason.

Following these seven tips can increase your chances for survival 100%, but only if you practice them with your family. Approximately two-thirds of American homes have installed smoke alarms, but one-third of those smoke detectors do not work! The reason... **a dead or missing battery.**

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

Stay Connected - Follow the Port Washington Police Department on Facebook and

Twitter and don't forget to check out our website at <http://www.pwpd.org> .

SUMMERTIME SAFETY!

BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR BICYCLES & PEDESTRIANS

With the much anticipated arrival of summer weather there's an increase in all types of warm weather outdoor activities. The Port Washington Police Department reminds you to be extra aware of pedestrians and bicyclists, especially throughout the warm weather months. Remember, as a general rule pedestrians and bicyclists have the right-of-way when crossing a roadway within a marked or unmarked crosswalk.

Pedestrians and bicyclists are reminded that sudden pedestrian movement into traffic or the path of a vehicle is dangerous and prohibited. Bicycles are considered vehicles in Wisconsin. Bicyclists are reminded to obey all traffic laws.

BICYCLE HELMETS REQUIRED

The Police Department reminds parents that the City of Port Washington requires that every person less than 16 years of age operating or riding on a bicycle on a public roadway, public sidewalk, public bicycle path or any other public right-of-way under the jurisdiction and control of the City **must** wear a protective helmet designed for bicycle safety.

The Department encourages everyone who rides a bike to wear a helmet while challenging adults in the community to set an example by wearing an approved helmet whenever riding a bike. **PARENTS** - Please make certain your children are wearing a properly fitted, fastened and approved bicycle helmet whenever they're riding their bikes . . . ***Safety is everyone's responsibility!***

WATCH FOR MOTORCYCLES & SCOOTERS

It's summer in Port Washington! With warmer summer weather and the ever fluctuating fuel prices, motorcycles and scooters remain increasingly popular modes of transportation. Please remain alert and watch the roadway at all times for motorcycles and scooters.

Studies have shown that due to their smaller size and profile, motorists just don't see motorcycles and scooters as easily as they do other types of vehicles. The most common, and most deadly, accident for motorcycle operators occurs when approaching vehicles make left-hand turns directly in front of the motorcycle. Motorists should exercise extra caution when making lane changes, left turns and proceeding from intersections. In addition, to increase visibility, Wisconsin law requires all motorcyclists to ride with their headlights on at all times. Again, please remain alert and watch the roadway at all times for motorcycles and scooters, keeping in mind they have the use of a full traffic lane just as four-wheeled vehicles do.

BACK TO SCHOOL SAFETY REMINDERS

The school year officially begins on Wednesday, **September 3rd, 2014**. So . . . here's an early reminder to everyone regarding traffic laws designed to protect children and

students. The Port Washington Police Department asks that you drive safely throughout the city at all times, but reminds you to always be especially observant when approaching or traveling through school zones.

- **Take special notice of parking restrictions posted near schools.**
 - ◆ Parking restrictions are meant to enhance pedestrian safety (yours and your child's) in the vicinity of the school. **Please obey the restrictions!**

- **Reduce your speed around school properties and especially in the posted school zones.**
 - ◆ Remember, children are children, not young adults. It's important to understand children's limitations in understanding traffic.
Specifically, children:
 - *Have a narrower field of vision than adults, about 1/3 less.*
 - *Cannot easily judge a car's speed and distance.*
 - *Assume that if they can see a car, its driver must be able to see them. However, children are easily hidden from view by parked cars and other objects.*
 - *Cannot readily tell the direction a sound is coming from.*
 - *May be impatient and impulsive.*
 - *Concentrate on only one thing at a time. This is likely not to be traffic.*
 - *Have a limited sense of danger.*
 - *Often mix fantasy with reality.*
 - *Imitate the (often bad) behavior of others, especially older children and adults.*

- **Watch for and obey adult school crossing guards and their signals. They're protecting our children!**
 - ◆ Wisconsin law requires every operator of a motor vehicle approaching a school crossing which is controlled by an adult school crossing guard to follow the directions of the school crossing guard. If directed by the school crossing guard to stop, the operator must stop the vehicle not less than 10 feet or more than 30 feet from the school crossing and shall remain stopped until the school crossing guard directs the operator to proceed.

Remember; be mindful of speed limits, school zones, and crossing guards. Take an extra moment in reaching your destination by slowing down and watching out for children so they too may reach their destination safely. We'll all benefit as a result!

BE AWARE - STRANGER DANGER

With the upcoming start of a new school year it's time once again to remind all parents and children about strangers and potential stranger danger as they travel to and from school, especially for those that walk to school. Parents should walk to school with their

children to familiarize them with a particular route which the children should take each day. In this way, both parents and children will know the route in the event of an emergency. Children should be familiar with the route to school and the surrounding area and shouldn't deviate from that route without prior parental approval.

As parents travel the route to school with their children, they should review with them the safe places to go if a problem arises.

CHARACTER COUNTS!® Week

Mark your calendar now! CHARACTER COUNTS!® Week takes place the **third full week of October**, bringing together the energies and efforts of schools, youth organizations, businesses, civic groups, government agencies, and entire communities to celebrate good character and the importance of developing it in our youth. Plan now on joining the City of Port Washington, Village of Saukville and the Port Washington-Saukville school district in celebrating good character during CHARACTER COUNTS!® Week, October 19th - 26th this year. Watch for further details and join us at our 6th annual CharacterCounts!® Communities recognition and celebration event during CharacterCounts!® Week.

"BECAUSE OUR KIDS ARE COUNTING ON US!"

DON'T BECOME A VICTIM: TARGET HARDENING TIPS

There are three ingredients necessary for a crime to take place. They are: ***desire, ability,*** and ***opportunity.*** While you may have little or no control over an individual's ***desire*** or ***ability*** to attempt to commit a crime against you; you can take a few simple steps to greatly reduce the ***opportunity.***

Because residents feel relatively secure in our suburban community setting, many people are lax in securing their homes, vehicles, and possessions against theft. This is particularly a problem with theft from unlocked vehicles. Thieves will enter a neighborhood, and check or "shop" multiple vehicles until they locate one that is unlocked. They then look through the vehicle and steal anything of value. Popular items include cell phones, money, CD's, laptop computers, stereo equipment, purses, and wallets.

The Police Department, in a continuing effort to deter criminal activity, suggests the following:

- Decrease the ***opportunity*** for theft by simply **locking your vehicle.** Even if your vehicle is parked in your own driveway, simply lock it.
- Remove expensive items from your vehicle and secure them in your house. Any items that are left in the vehicle should be hidden from plain view.
- Exterior lighting and motion sensors in your driveway may also help to deter any thefts or acts of criminal mischief.

Please remember to **immediately** report **all** suspicious activity to the Port Washington Police

Department by dialing 9-1-1.

Together, with you help and cooperation we can make a difference!

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

2nd Annual Book Fair

Saturday, August 2nd 9am-2pm

The WJ Niederkorn Library will be hosting our 2nd Annual Book Fair this August, featuring local authors, publishers and book sellers. We have a great line-up of guest speakers and activities for both adults and kids! Don't forget to mark your calendars!

Children's Story Time at 10 and 11 am.

Guest Speakers

9 am. Sara Dahmen "How to Self Publish" (or the one you actually have).

10 am. Martin Morante "Marinas: Short Tales by the Harbor"

11 am Andrea Boshhaar "Romancing 19th Century"

Noon Sean Hoade "Write Unputdownable Scenes: 3 Steps to Professional-Grade Fiction"

Special Presentations

Phyllis Heitkamp, Master Herbalist, demoing "How to make a Black Walnut Tincture." at 10 a.m. and Noon

Mary Wagner will also be reading from her new book, When the Shoe Fits...

Refreshments by Smith Bros. Coffee Shop

The Eghert House will be open for Tours.

Books for sale and more!

Check out website at www.wjnlib.org for our lineup of local authors!

Seven Hills Seed Library Gardening Classes

Seed Saving! Monday, August 11th at 6 p.m. Steve Sandlin will be talking about how to save our seeds from our hard work in the garden.

http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~42/

Canning with Kathleen Awe Monday, August 25th at 6 p.m. Too many beans? Tomatoes coming out of your ears? Learn how to save your produce by canning.

http://www.wjnlib.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~43/

Cooking Classes

Say Cheese! Saturday, September 20th 10 a.m.-Noon. Learn how to cook with cheese and make some easy cheeses right in your own home! How to make Vegan cheese will also be covered!

Cake Decorating! Saturday, October 18th 10 a.m.-Noon Can't frost a cake? No worries! We'll go over icing and decorating, with frosting and with fondant.

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~43/

Craft Classes

Nylon Butterflies Saturday, August 16th 10 a.m-Noon Thin nylon and wire will be used to make butterflies that won't fly away.

Lightbulb Hot-Air Balloons Monday, September 8th 6 p.m. Bring an old lightbulb to use and transform it into a beautiful Hot-Air Balloon Ornament.

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~21/

Special Guests

Antiques with Mark Moran Monday, September 22nd 5-8 p.m. Our friend Mark Moran is back to appraise your treasures. You must make a reservation to be seen.

Medicare with Laura Schimberg Monday, October 13th 6p.m. Laura is with the Ozaukee County Aging and Disability Services. Come by and hear what she has to say. She will also be taking questions!

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~19/

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Movies

Art House Movies

Royal Tenenbaums Friday, July 25th 7 p.m. Rated R

Summer in February Friday, September 26th 7 p.m. Not Rated

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~41/

Friday Night Movies

Noah Friday, August 8th at 7 p.m. Rated PG-13

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~22/

Fiction Book Club

Lord of the Flies Monday, July 21st 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Dalloway Monday, August 18th 6:30 p.m.

As I Lay Dying Monday, September 15th 6:30 p.m.

Less than Zero Monday, October 20th 6:30 p.m.

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

2014 Summer Reading Program--June 10th through August 7th

Special Events:

Wednesday, August 6th @ 8:00 pm - Final day to record reading in reading logs

Thursday, August 7th @ 10:30 am CLOSING PROGRAM

Doug the Jug- Amazing Juggling Extravaganza

Friday, August 8th 10:00-11:30am

Final Reward Pool Party at Pirates' Hollow Water Park

Reserved for readers who completed the program and earned the Golden Ticket.

For all special events see our special events calendar at:

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~25/

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 6 years of age. The story times are broken into 3 different age appropriate sessions; 2 years, 3-4 years and 5-6 years.

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.

Check out our calendar of sessions:

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~26/

Friday Movie Matinees 1:00 pm

New releases and/or classic movies shown on our big screen.

You bring your own snacks, we provide the free entertainment.

July 11th Flubber Rated PG

July 25th Rio 2 Rated G

See our listing of these, future Children's movies and other special events at:

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~25/

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.

Monday, July 14th 10:00-10:30 am

Monday July 28nd 10:00-10:30 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.

Monday, July 14th 1:00 -1:45 pm

Monday, July 28th 1:00- 1:45 pm

See all Lego club events at:

Teen Summer Reading Program 2014 - June 10th through August 5th - Special Events:

Molecular Gastronomy - Tuesday, July 15th @ 3:00 pm

Photography Club/Making Sun Prints - Tuesday, July 22nd @ 3:00 pm

Maker Camp - Thursday, July 24th @ 3:00 pm

Galaxy T-Shirts - Thursday July 31st @ 3:00 pm

Byzantine Bell - Tuesday, August 5th @ 6:00 pm

Nylon Butterflies - Saturday, August 16th @ 10:00 am

Photography Club/ Making Transfer Prints - Tuesday, August 26th @ 3:00 pm

To see all the details of each program go to

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~29/

Please sign up by calling 262-284-5031, this ensures we have enough supplies!

Summer Book Club:

Paranormalcy by Kiersten White: July 17th @ 2:00 pm

I Hunt Killers by Barry Lyga: August 21st @ 2:00pm

There is pizza and lively discussion at all the meetings! The Book Club will continue in the fall at a different time.

To see all details of the Book Club go to

http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~30/

Teen Café - Do you need somewhere to hangout, relax, play games, find out about new books, use the free wifi...Every Thursday from 3:00 - 5:00pm the Community Room will be open to teens! We will have different things to do each week, or do nothing, it's up to you. Snacks and beverages!

For part of the school year we will once again have a certified math tutor to help with all your math questions.

Our Teen Café runs during the school year, starting September

4th.

The Teen Café will be on our library calendar at
http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~29/

Photography Club - Learn how to take spectacular photos and what to do with them! We will learn from professionals how to improve your skills no matter what your camera. We will also do projects with all those photos you are taking!

The Photography Club will be on our library calendar at
http://www.wjnl.org/calendar-3/action~posterboard/cat_ids~29/

All Teen Programs are for 7th grade and up.

For any questions about our Teen Programs please call Robyn at 262-284-5031 or email her at laforest@esls.lib.wi.us

CITY TREASURER OFFICE

<http://cityofportwashington.com/treasurer.html>

CITY TREASURER- Real Estate Tax Payments and Utility Bills

REAL ESTATE TAXES DUE

The **second installment** of real estate taxes is **due to the Ozaukee County Treasurer by July 31, 2014**. Make your check payable and mail to:

**Ozaukee County Treasurer
121 W. Main St.
P.O. Box 994
Port Washington, WI 53074-0994**

Please contact the County Treasurer's office at 284-8280 with any questions.

DELINQUENT WATER & SEWER ACCOUNTS

Please make payment of all delinquent water/sewer account balances by September 30, 2014 to avoid transfer of the delinquent balance and interest to the 2014 property tax bill. Tax roll notices will be mailed to owners and tenants in early October.

Landlords: Please contact the Water Billing Department at 284-5585 to confirm that your tenant accounts are current.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING INSPECTION

<http://cityofportwashington.com/buildingInspection.html>

BUILDING INSPECTION DEPARTMENT

Storm Shelters

If you have ever considered building a storm shelter in your home the following information may be helpful. The National Storm Shelter Association (NSSA) offers a free online course to provide consumers with the information necessary to make an informed decision about installing a storm shelter in their home. Follow this link to go to the course: <http://go.iccsafe.org/e/25182/crs-php-s-1-ampL-103-ampC-248/dkvq/25546171>.

Diggers Hotline

If you are thinking of planting a tree, building a deck, or any other project which involves disturbing the soil, then you need to call Diggers Hotline. Wisconsin Statute 182.0175 requires all excavators, **including homeowners** and construction contractors, to contact Diggers Hotline at least three working days before any work is done that disturbs the soil in any way. Diggers Hotline will then notify the appropriate utility companies in your area and professional locators will come out to your property and mark the location of any underground lines with flags, paint or both. They will not locate private facilities such as the electric line to a detached garage or an underground sprinkler system.

Contacting Diggers Hotline is easy and it's free. You can call (800)242-8511, or simply dial 811. Call Center Representatives are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. You can also submit a request, or get more information, on their website at www.DiggersHotline.com.

PARK & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

<http://portparkandrec.com/>

Pirates' Hollow Waterpark

Swim Lessons for the 4th sessions are still available. Also, call today to reserve your private rental at the pool. You'll enjoy exclusive use of the Waterpark with our staff and all it's features. Bring you own snacks and soft drinks or have the Pirates' Galley cater your event.

Check out our birthday pool parties for kids.

Friday Nite Flicks:

The Lego Movie. This movie will be shown on July 25 at Veterans Memorial Park (Bandshell) and will begin at dusk.

Triathlon:

Saturday, August 9 is the date for the 5th annual Parks & Recreation Triathlon. Check-in starts at 5:00 a.m. and the race starts at 6:00 a.m. There will be a 400 meter swim at Pirates' Hollow Waterpark, a 12 mile bike ride and a 3 mile run. How about volunteering to work this event? See Charlie at the Recreation Office.

Super Sprint Triathlon

This inaugural event is for younger athletes. Distances are short and intended simply to expose our youngest triathletes to the basic elements of and give them a taste of the unique sense of accomplishment that comes with finishing a triathlon. This Super Sprint distance race features a 200 meter swim, a 4.3 mile bike and a 1.2 mile run. Updated start times are the same as the Adult Triathlon times which are: check-in at 5:00 a.m. and race starting at 6:00 a.m.

Youth Golf

Junior golf teaches honesty, respect, and basic golf rules and etiquette. Young players also learn balance, grip, full swing, stance, chipping and putting. Learn how to play the game using a state-of-the-art practice range and finish your week using a regulation golf course to test your new skills. Classes are held Monday-Friday at The Bog Golf Club. The next session starts July 28-Aug 1 from 8:00 - 9:00 am for ages 7-17 and 1-2 pm for ages 12-17. The second session will start on July 29.

WPRA Discount Amusement Park Ticket Sales

Parks & Recreation Dept. offers discount tickets for the area's most popular amusement parks, including Great America, Milwaukee County Zoo, Milwaukee Public Museum, Noah's Ark, Mt. Olympus, Wisconsin Ducks and several more.

Pickleball

Pickleball is ongoing every Thursday night at Antoine Park from 6:00-8:30 pm., weather permitting.

Port Summer Theatre

This year the production is *Young Frankenstein* and is held on July 24-July 27 at the High School auditorium.

Gymnastics for Fall

The Bouncing Bugs (4 & 5 year olds), Leap Frogs (6-8 year olds) and the Tumble Bees (9 years & older) will be held on Wednesday evenings starting September 10th at the Port Washington High School.

Flag Football

This program is a fundamental learning experience covering the rules, positions, and team play for 1st through 4th graders. ***Volunteer Coaches Are Needed!***

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Yoga & More

Yoga & More classes will continue for the summer and again in September with all the favorites from spring. Classes are held at the Rec Center unless noted. Call the Parks & Recreation office or check the Park & Rec Center website for a complete schedule, at portparkandrec.com

Men's Power Volleyball, Women's Recreational Volleyball and Men's Basketball

These leagues will start in October. Registration for these leagues is only accepted for complete teams. New teams interested in playing or for any questions, please contact the Parks & Rec Department at (262) 284-5881.

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Men's Fall Softball

The Port Washington Parks & Recreation Department will offer a Men's softball league on Thursday nights. League play is tentatively scheduled to start the last week of August. The fee for the 2014 fall season is \$190/team. Roster forms are available at the Parks

and Recreation Office. Registration will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis until all slots are filled with priority given to returning teams.

Other Fall programs offered are:

Youth Basketball, Sports Spectacular, Indoor Tennis, Indoor Soccer, etc.

Stop in at the Parks & Rec Office at 201 N. Webster Street for more information or call (262) 284-588. For faster updates, be sure to "like" us on Facebook:

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