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OUTDOOR GRILLING

Summertime should be a time of fun and making happy memories. Knowing a few fire safety tips and following safety instructions will help everyone have a safe summer.

Outdoor Grilling with charcoal and propane:

- Be very careful when lighting grills.
- Never grill indoors.
- Keep grills away from buildings and from under eaves.
- Have a 3 foot "Kids Safe Zone" around a grill.



Fire Pits:

- Metal manufactured type fire pits are required for use in the Village.
- No burning within 15 feet of any building.
- No burning within 10 feet of any lot line.
- Fire should be under constant supervision by an adult.
- Always extinguish and cover fire pit when done. If you have any questions on these fire safety tips please contact us at 262-677-3811 .

BUILDING PERMITS



Summer is here and so are the summer projects. All decks, sheds, fences, spas, pools (permanent and temporary) recreation rooms, siding, roofing, windows, furnaces and central air conditioning units, and water heater replacement projects all require permits. If you are not sure whether your next project requires a permit, please contact the Inspection Department directly at (262) 677-9696 or by email at: bldginsp@villageofjackson.com.

SMOKE DETECTORS

Everyone should have working smoke detectors in their homes. If you don't, please call The Jackson Fire Department. They may be able assist you. If you live in the Village of Jackson, Town of Jackson, or in the eastern quarter of the Town of Polk, call the Jackson Fire Department at 677-3811.



POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEDICATION COLLECTION BOX

Using the collection box located in the police department lobby is a convenient way to dispose of unwanted or expired prescription and over-the-counter non-liquid medications. It is important to keep as much of these materials as possible out of landfills and water treatment systems. Drug abusers are known to steal narcotics, antidepressants, and medications from the homes of friends and relatives. The collected items are periodically incinerated at a licensed facility.

If you have questions, please contact the Police Department Non-Emergency Number at 677-4949.

BRUSH and BAG PICK-UP

During the remaining summer months, brush chipping and lawn bag pick-up will only be done every **third** Monday of the month. The remaining scheduled dates for the summer months are Monday, July 17th, August 21st, and September 18th; or after a severe storm.

PROPERTY TAXES DUE

The second installment of 2016 postponed real estate taxes is due on or before July 31st, payable to the Washington County Treasurer and postmarked no later than July 31st. The address for the Washington County Treasurer is 432 East Washington Street, PO Box 1986, West Bend, WI 53095-7986.

WASHINGTON COUNTY'S CLEAN SWEEP EVENT

The next Washington County Clean Sweep event will be held on Saturday, October 7th from 8:00 a.m. until Noon at the Washington County, West Bend Highway Facility, 900 Lang Street, West Bend. Call 262-335-4800 for disposal fees and more information. Visit the clean sweep website at: washcoparks.com/parks/passes/clean_sweep/clean_sweep/

PAYING UTILITY BILLS

The Village offers an Automatic Payment Plan (from your checking account) for your Utility Bills. It saves you time, postage, helps avoid late charges, is easy to set up, and easy to cancel. For more details, visit the Village's website: villageofjackson.com and download an authorization form. For any other questions, please contact us at 262-677-9001, ext 27.

EMERALD ASH BORER BEETLE



The Metallic Green Emerald Ash Borer is an invasive, wood boring beetle. It kills ash trees by eating the tissues under the bark. It was brought to the United States accidentally, in the wood of shipping crates from China. The larva spends its life inside ash trees eating the inner bark. A tree that has been attacked by the beetle can die within 2-4 years. Trees that have been infested by the beetle will show the following symptoms: The top of the tree will begin to die, will present side sproutings, larger leaves, bark splitting, serpentine type holes, and woodpecker activity.

For more information, please see the link <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/urbanforests/eabtoolbox.html>. The Village of Jackson is proceeding with a plan to remove all dead and dying street trees, which will take several years to complete. Removing trees located on private property will be the responsibility of the property owner.

If you have questions please contact the Village Hall at 262-677-9001.



RECYCLING

All recyclables may be mixed together in the Village-supplied 96 gallon single-stream recycling container. Village recycling pick-up is bi-weekly on the same day as garbage pick-up. Pick-up for residents on or north of Main Street is on Tuesday, and Wednesday for residents south of Main Street. If your refuse or recycling container is damaged or broken, contact Russ Krueger at 262-677-9001 ext. 13.

Questions or Comments?

Email John Walther-Administrator
jwalther@villageofjackson.com
or call him at the Village Hall:
262-677-9001.

If you would like a printed copy of the Jackson Quarterly, please call the Village Hall or send your email request to: info@villageofjackson.com.

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From the Desk of the Village President

While visiting a son serving in the Navy in Washington, DC, recently, my family and I made sure to visit many of the great sites in our nation's capital, including the National Archives, Arlington National Cemetery and the Library of Congress, to name a few.

Viewing the Declaration of Independence, one can't help but admire the signers' commitment to the cause of freedom. They didn't file a lawsuit. They didn't tip over and set fire to police cars. They didn't protest in the dark of night with their faces covered, throwing stones and Molotov cocktails like the protesters we see so often on the news these days.

After trying to correct their grievances through appropriate channels, the signers laid out their concerns once more, declared independence from Great Britain, and, with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, pledged to each other their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor in the support of the Declaration.

Their commitment cost many of them dearly. I'm sure they knew that, if successful, their actions would benefit each of them personally, but it's obvious the signers weren't only thinking of themselves.

Their action and their commitment to the cause of freedom were proved right. Think of the many generations of US citizens, not to mention global citizens, who have benefitted from the United States' generosity, protection, and fair-mindedness in the world.

Visiting Arlington National Cemetery is an awe-inspiring experience for all but the most jaded. Young, old, male, female, soldiers, sailors, aviators, marines – memorialized there because of their commitment and devotion to their country, and the freedoms our country represents.

In light of these examples, I'd ask you to consider for a moment, what you're committed to. Maybe you've never thought about it. Maybe no one's ever asked you to think about it.

Are you committed to your family? -your church? -making as much money as you can? -the Brewers? -fitness? -seeing how much you can get other people to support you? -the Green Bay Packers? -doing as little as possible at work? -improving your community? -your education?

The Village of Jackson is blessed to have many fine people who are committed to improving their community.

Our police and fire departments are staffed with concerned, capable, committed people. Thank you!

Our parks and recreation department, and soccer and baseball organizations are filled with dedicated, hard-working-but-fun-loving people. Whether on staff or volunteering their time and efforts, they share a commitment to enrich the lives of the people of our community. Thank you!

Our schools, public works department, sewer and water departments, and administrative staff are committed to serving and building up our community in the best way they can. Thank you!

We have businesses and business people who are committed to supporting worthy causes and events in the Village of Jackson. They're committed to staying and thriving in the community. Thank you!

Your Village Board and I thank all the people who make the Village of Jackson the great place it is, and strive to keep improving our community.

The Village Board is committed to keep moving the Village forward. We do that by welcoming new businesses and encouraging existing ventures to stay and expand. We're doing that by working with our neighbors to settle disputes as quickly as is responsible and feasible. We're doing that by carefully considering a study on the needs and benefits associated with a new public safety building. We keep moving the Village forward as we consider how we might collaborate with the West Bend School District as it considers the new Jackson Elementary School facility.

I once heard that at the beginning, only about 2% of the people at the time of the Revolutionary War were truly committed to American Independence. Their level of commitment was so high they were able to inspire others to action with their high ideals.

In every village, in every organization, there's always room for another person committed to improving their community. If you're the kind of person who is (or wants to be!) committed to a cause greater than yourself, we're glad you're here.

Mike Schwab,

Village of Jackson President

PIG ROAST FOR A PLAYGROUND LUAU PARTY!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19
Noon - 3 p.m.



The Luau will take place at the:
**Jackson Area
Community Center**

N165 W20330 Hickory Lane, Jackson 53037
(262) 677-9665
jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com

Join Us For Live Music, A Pig Roast
Dinner, Kids Games, Adult & Youth
Limbo Contest, Raffle, Silent Auction
And More! All To Raise The Money
Needed To Build The Hickory Lane
Park Inclusive Playground!

Pig Roast Dinner Tickets must be purchased in advance,
by Thursday, August 10. Adults: \$15 and Youth
under 12, \$6. Additional food, beverages and concessions
will be available for purchase on event date.

Hickory Lane Park
Jackson Parks & Recreation



**HELP MAKE THE NEW INCLUSIVE HICKORY LANE
PARK PLAYGROUND A REALITY!
FUNDRAISING HAS JUST BEGUN.**

Check jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com for fundraising opportunities and updates!





JACKSON'S HICKORY LANE PARK INCLUSIVE PLAYGROUND



The FRIENDS OF JACKSON PARKS & RECREATION, Inc. is a tax-exempt, not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization committed to the promotion, acquisition, development, maintenance and amenities of the Parks, the Jackson Area Community Center, and Recreation Dept. Activities/Events.

SPONSOR A PIECE OF PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT (Name on Permanent Sponsor Board at the Hickory Lane Inclusive Playground)

List Item(s): _____ Item Amount: \$ _____

RAFFLE OR SILENT AUCTION ITEM - For the Pig Roast For a Playground Luau on August 19 (Name on event sponsor board)

GENERAL DONATION (Name on Luau Event sponsor board) \$ _____

Business Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Email: _____

Recognition Listing: _____

Amount Included with form: \$ _____

Thank You For Supporting The Jackson Community!

Please Mail Form & Payment To:
**FRIENDS OF JACKSON
PARKS & REC.**
N165 W20330 Hickory Lane
Jackson, WI 53037
Questions: Call (262) 677-9665

Held in cooperation with the Jackson Fire Dept.

5K ENERGY GLO RUN

The more you run,
the more you **glo!**



OCTOBER 7, 2017

JACKSON, WISCONSIN

5:30 - 10 pm » RUN STARTS 6:30 pm

\$25 - 12 years and older

\$15 - Under 12 (2 and under free)

\$60 - Family Package (2 adults and 2 children)

Chili Cookoff Contest!
It will hit the spot after the 5k!

EASY

ONLINE REGISTRATION AT

jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com

or at the Jackson Area Community Center

(262) 677-9665



www.facebook.com/Jackson Parks & Recreation

INCLUDES:

T-SHIRTS & GLO STATIONS

FREE AFTER GLO PARTY

LIVE MUSIC & BLACKLIGHTS

SPECIAL DRAWINGS

(CHILI COOKOFF, CONCESSIONS, BEER,
WINE, & SODA AVAILABLE)

All Proceeds Benefit: The Friends of Jackson Jt. Parks & Recreation.

CURRENTLY FUNDRAISING TO BUILD THE HICKORY LANE INCLUSIVE PLAYGROUND.

SPECIALLY DESIGNED FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES AND ABILITIES!

Sorry, but registrations received after Saturday, September 29th will increase to Adults \$30 & Child \$20 (no fam. pack.) and cannot be guaranteed a t-shirt. For more information please call (262) 677-9665.



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7

5:30 to 10:00pm

Run Starts at 6:30pm

Jackson Area Community Center

“AFTER GLO - POST RUN PARTY”

*Homemade Chili Bar & Chili Cookoff Contest,
Live Music by TOTALLY NEON, Beer, Wine,
Soda, and More!*

Held in cooperation with the Jackson Fire Dept.

5K ENERGY GLO RUN

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Ensuring our parks, recreation and open spaces are thriving in the Jackson Community for generations to come!

NEON GREEN - \$500.00
(Name and Logo on T-Shirt, SPONSOR TABLE - “Fun” contest eligibility, name printed large on sponsor boards)

NEON BLUE - \$200.00
(SPONSOR TABLE - “Fun” contest eligibility on the route or at JACC, name on sponsor boards)

NEON PINK- \$100.00
(Smaller name on sponsor boards)

GENERAL DONATION \$ _____

RAFFLE PRIZE: _____

BUSINESS/CORPORATE TEAM REGISTRATION (up to 10 people) - \$200.00
(Great Team Building Opportunity!)

Sponsorship
deadline is Friday,
September 15th.

Business Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: () _____ Email: _____

Website: _____

Amount Included with form: \$ _____

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