

To: Village Board, All Committee Members, and Others
From: John M. Walther, Administrator
Date: June 14, 2019
Subject: Weekly Update



Police Department

Officer Grant DeMaa has been hired to fill our vacant police officer position. Officer DeMaa previously worked part-time for the Mayville and Lomira Police Departments. He was sworn in Thursday morning and will be in training for the next several months.

All JPD officers completed their annual Taser training and re-certification. We also received training on our new ProPhoenix Records Management software.

Action in Jackson went very well, with just a few minor calls for service.

Fire Department

This week the Jackson Fire Department responded to thirteen medical and four fire calls, including two carbon monoxide alarms, a false fire alarm, and smoke in a basement.

Monday evening, Angela Koehler started as our newest paid-on-call member. She brings several years of experience in the medical field and is enrolled in EMT class for the fall semester. Welcome to the JDF!

The JFD has been working with MPTC to host an aerial operator class at our station on Monday evenings in fall. This is a thirty-six-hour state certification class with a focus on driving, positioning, operating, and testing functions of the ladder truck. The class will be open to firefighters from other departments in addition to our own personnel.

Thursday night, several JFD members volunteered at the beer garden. While the weather didn't completely cooperate, a good time was had by all.

Routine work continued this week including fire inspections, station cleaning, waxing tender 1291, completing ambulance inventories, back flushing the dry hydrant at Spring Valley, training with the new ladder truck, and prepping our new air packs for in-service training on Monday night.

Joint Parks and Recreation

The soft opening of the Hickory Lane Inclusive Playground has been met with busy days and many smiles. Thanks to everyone involved. Watch for upcoming information on the Sponsor/Dedication coming up later this summer

Little Tykes, vendor for the new playground equipment has chosen the Hickory Lane Inclusive Playground to be featured in its national catalog. They will do a full photo shoot in July. Congratulations Jackson!

Action in Jackson Report - Heartfelt thanks from Jackson Festivals, Inc. (Greater Jackson Business Alliance, The Jackson Park & Rec, The American Legion #486 and the Legion Auxiliary) to all the volunteers and businesses that made the 2019 Action In Jackson event one of the best ever! The weather certainly cooperated. Special thanks to John and Marion Kruepke for again sponsoring an amazing fireworks display.

The season's first Beer Garden opened Wednesday despite the rainy weather, but Thursday night more than made up for it! It will run until Sunday, June 16th from 4:30 – 9:00pm. We hope to see you there!

Building Inspection

Inspection volume was steady again this week.

A meeting was held with the owner of Jimmy's Restaurant and his architect to review a potential renovation/addition project. It was also suggested that repairs to the parking lot need to be done a.s.a.p. Enforcement orders were issued for the former Sierra Grinding building relating to illegal use and use beyond Village approvals. This item may be brought to the Plan Commission for review.

An occupancy inspection was performed by Village and JFD staff for Controlled Dynamics on North Center Street. The manufacturing operation for their patented, high-strength aluminum frame machinery guards and work tables occurs in Grafton. Orders are then fulfilled at the Jackson facility which includes cutting, pre-assembly, and shipping.

Public Works

The Jackson Water Utility had 184 Digger's Hotline locates for the month of May averaging eight per day. The disconnection notices mailed out are helping to remind customers to pay their utility bill. The Water Utility is working with Green Valley to relocate a water service valve that would have ended up under a newly placed home. Well #1 will receive new piping for the AquaMag injection point. Staff met with City Water to begin the study of water capacity for the Limited Water Service Area.

The Street & Parks Department crew planted half (twenty) of the street trees this week. Mowing, cold patching, and cleanup of Jackson Park after "Action in Jackson" was done this week. In time for this week's Beer Garden. Curbside bag and brush pickup is next week for the month of June.

At the WWTP: The brush along the fences around the plant was trimmed this week, for the first time in several years. Another planning meeting was held for Cedar Creek Community Connection educational event to be held Saturday, September 7, 2019 regarding the Cedar Creek Watershed.

The pre-construction Meeting for Laurel Springs Addition #1 was held Tuesday, with a planned start date of June 18th. A design meeting with Cedar Corp was held this week for the upcoming Hickory Lane and Chateau Drive reconstruction projects.

Clerk and Treasurer

All annual licenses were approved at the June 11th Village Board Meeting. Work continues on finalizing them to get them ready to be sent out.

Administrator

Don't forget the Jackson Beer Garden this weekend!



2019 JACKSON BEER GARDEN

JACKSON PARK - Shelter #2 & #3

Jackson Park: W204 N16901 Jackson Drive, Jackson WI 53037

4:30pm to 9pm

This year the Jackson Park Beer Garden will feature a variety of craft brews in addition to some domestic favorites, soda, Sangria, pizza, popcorn, and hot sandwiches. The Jackson Park Beer Garden is run by the Jackson Parks & Recreation Department in partnership with Mr. Gordon Goggin.



SUMMER KICKOFF JUNE 12-16

Entertainment and Bands 5:30-9:00pm



Wednesday, June 12

Thursday, June 13

Friday, June 14

Saturday, June 15

Sunday, June 16

SCOTCH & SODA - Folk/Rock/Country

LIQUID CRUSH - Rock and Pop 70's through today

TANGLE FOOT - Classic Rock & Bar Boogie

STILL UNDECIDED - Old School Rock

WAYWARD SONS - Classic Rock



JACKSON AUGTOBERFEST August 22, 23 & 24

Entertainment and Bands 5:30-9:00pm

Thursday, August 22

Friday, August 23

Saturday, August 24

BORDERLINE RECKLESS - Country/Classic Rock

IMPOSTER TACO TRUCK- Jam To All Your Favorites

IVORY TOWER - Classic Rock



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