## Pardeeville Newsletter November 2021

### **Office Hours**

**7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday - Friday** Village: 608-429-3121 Utility: 608-429-3054

114 Lake Street, Pardeeville WI

Please visit: <a href="www.villageofpardeeville.net">www.villageofpardeeville.net</a> for our ordinances, policies, meeting times, minutes, committee appointments and special notices

## Yard waste site for leaves/brush

There is not a scheduled leaf pick-up in the Village; leaves and brush can be taken to the yard waste site at 501 Vince St. if bagged leaves must be removed and bags disposed of properly. Hours for site are Mon.-Fri. from 7:30-3:30 and the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month from 8-12 noon.

\*\* Please note, the site is going to be relocated by the Spring of 2022. Stay tuned as we will keep you updated during the transition.\*\*

## Winter parking rules

Winter parking rules are in effect from <u>November 15<sup>th</sup> to April 1st</u> between 1:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. Park cars on the odd or even side of the road that corresponds to the day from 1 a.m. to 6 a.m. (Example at 1 a.m. on the 16<sup>th</sup> you would need to be parked on the even side of the road.) IF YOU ARE A LANDLORD, PLEASE NOTIFY YOUR TENANTS!

# Snow emergency parking in addition to alternate side parking!

A snow emergency is AUTOMATICALLY declared when a snow is forecasted to be 3" or more during any period of 24 hours or less. Under a snow emergency ALL vehicles must be OFF the streets until snow ceases to fall and plowing operations are complete. Some events require multiple passes of the plow with time delay between passes. We will enforce our ordinance 32-155.

### **Snow Removal**

Don't forget that you must clear the snow/ice from your sidewalk within 24 hours after the snow has stopped. Snow/ice should not be pushed or blown onto the street.

If there is a fire hydrant in the right-of-way on your property, please remove the snow around it. This is for your safety and the safety of your neighbors in case of a fire emergency this winter.

## For those with mailboxes...

The Village of Pardeeville <u>WILL NOT BE</u>

<u>RESPONSIBLE</u> for mailbox damage caused by the plowing of snow (force of the snow being pushed).

## **Outdoor hose bib**

The Village reminds you to check your outdoor hose bib. If you have a backflow preventer to stop backsyphon, be sure to winterize! Engage the release tab to let water out before the first frost!

## **Open burning**

Burning trash and garbage is prohibited. Fall burning of dry leaves and other non-offensive dry yard debris is <u>only</u> allowed from October 1<sup>st</sup> thru November 30<sup>th</sup>. Please be 30 ft from neighboring properties and monitor the fire until it is completely out. Outdoor cooking and campfires are allowed per Village Ordinance but must be supervised at all times. See ordinance section 14-84 and 14-85 for more information.

## ATV/UTV Usage on Village Streets Signs are posted!!

All Streets will be a route unless marked. Alleys zoned residential WILL NOT be routes; but the alleys zoned commercial will be! Please make sure you are following ordinances 32-51 to 32-53 which covers the rules for utilizing ATV'S and UTV'S on the Village Streets. The ordinance is located on our website or contact the Village office for a copy.

## Interested in public service? <u>Join the Village Board!</u>

The Village Board is encouraging residents to participate in their local government. Three Village Board trustee positions are up for re-election in April 2022. The candidate must be a Village resident and at least 18 years of age. Interested candidates may pick up the election nomination papers from the Village office on or after Dec. 1, 2021. The filing deadline to be a candidate for Village offices is no later than 5:00 p.m. on Jan. 3rd, 2022. The elected officials will begin their term of office the third week of April 2022. Contact the Clerk for more information at: clerk-treasurer@villageofpardeeville.net

## Village offices closed for the holidays

The Village offices will be closed the following days: Thursday November 25 & Friday November 26 Friday December 24 & Monday December 27 Friday December 31 & Monday January 3

## **Utility Corner**

Call Judie @ Energy Services 608-742-4088 for heating assistance or for more information.

Please note that payments received after the due date will **NOT** be reflected on the bill that is being sent for the current month.

Also, it is your responsibility to keep your contact information up to date with the utility office!

## **After Hours Utility Emergency:**

Contact the Columbia County Sheriff's office dispatch at: 608-742-4166

## Notice of water/sewer rate increase

Water customers of the Pardeeville Municipal Water Utility. This is to give you notice that the Pardeeville Municipal Water Utility filed an application on October 14, 2021, with the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (PSC), for authority to increase water rates. Rates for general service will increase 3.0 percent. The increase is necessary to reduce the existing deficiency in present rates. The request is being made under Wis. Stat. 196.193. Rate increases granted under this statute do not require a public hearing. Public Fire Protection and Wholesale rates (if applicable) will also increase 3.0 percent. This rate increase will go into effect on December 12, 2021 (billed in late January).

In addition there will be a 3.0 percent increase in the sewer charges effective December 12, 2021. If you have any questions about the rate increase request, call the Pardeeville Utilities at (608) 429-3121.

## Lake St. Line Re-Build Project Update:

Overhead work and primary underground work is wrapping up while Frontier and Charter perform the necessary transfers. Project completion is anticipated to be mid-November.

## Tax collection information

Village Hall will be closed the following days for the holidays: **Dec. 24 & 27**; **Dec.31 and Jan.3**. For your convenience, real estate taxes can be receipted for the 2021 year if postmarked on or before Dec. 31 or placed in the drop box prior to January 4, 2022. The first half of your tax bill is due at Village Hall by January 31, 2022 and the final payment is due at the County Treasurer's office by July 31, 2022.

## **Development updates**

The concept plans for the Village developments off E. LaFollette St. and Vince St. can be found on the Village Website.

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### **Winter Events**

<u>November 6 – 9am – 3pm</u>. Vendors, Food Trucks, live music and more downtown.

November 27th – January 1st – 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Chandler Park Holiday Lights. Stroll through Chandler Park and view the lighted displays. They are also looking for event organizers and volunteers to set-up/take down displays. Please see the Pardeeville Shopper or their Facebook page for more information.

## **Christmas Tree Collection**

The Village will pick up your used tree the second week of January. Place the tree at the curb by Monday, January 10, 2022 for it to be picked up!

### Park shelter rentals for 2022

We will be accepting in-person shelter reservations on March 1, 2022 starting at 9:00 a.m.
Reservations by phone will be taken starting at 10:00 a.m. the same day. Call 429-3121 for information about Park Shelter Rental.

## License your pet(s)

Dog and cat licenses are required annually. You must bring in proof of rabies vaccination from your veterinarian's office (this must include date of vaccination, tag # and manufacturer of vaccine; not your receipt of services). We will begin issuing license tags for 2022 on December 1, 2021. Licenses are due by April 1, 2022 or a late fee will apply!

License Fees: Spayed/neutered dog or cat \$5.00. Unaltered dog or cat \$10.00. You can drop off your rabies certificates with payment and a self-addressed stamped envelope and we will mail your tags if you cannot make it to the office during open hours. Contact the clerk with questions or concerns.

## **Angie W. Cox Public Library**

November 1<sup>st</sup> – 5:30pm. R.E.A.D Adult Book Club. November 4<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am. Yoga with Madleen-FREE. 5pm. AWC Public Board Meeting.

November  $6^{th}$  – 9am - 3pm ( $5^{th}$  Floor, AWC). Friends of the Library BOOK SALE.

November 8<sup>th</sup> -5:30pm Friends of the Library Meeting. November 11<sup>th</sup> - 9am. Yoga with Madleen – FREE. 4:30pm-6pm. Adult Coloring.

November 13<sup>th</sup> – 1pm-4pm. (Library will be open from 8am-4pm) Jeff Nania Author Event.

November 16<sup>th</sup> – 9:15am-11:30am AND 5:45pm-8pm-Card Making with Mitzi (Fall Cards) FREE.

November 17<sup>th</sup> – 1:45pm-4pm AND 5:45pm-8pm-Card Making with Mitzi (Fall Cards) FREE.

November 18<sup>th</sup> – 9am: Yoga with Madleen – FREE.

November 25<sup>th</sup> – Library is closed for the Holiday!

November 26<sup>th</sup> – The AWC will be open the day after Thanksgiving from 10am-4pm.