

VILLAGE OF IOLA NEWSLETTER

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TASTE & TUNES OF IOLA-SCANDINAVIA

JULY 21 & 22 2023

Event by Iola-Scandinavia Chamber of Commerce Taste of Tunes is a FREE Admission event that has been bringing the community together since 2018. It's an opportunity to experience some awesome music while enjoying delicious food specials and drinks all around our beautiful Iola and Scandinavia area. With a fully packed schedule, there will be different musical acts at all featured venues in the area for two days starting Friday, July 21st, and Saturday, July 22nd. Information and punch cards will be located around the area or stop in at the Village Hall, where the Chamber of Commerce Office is now located. Check out the Taste & Tunes Facebook Page also.

PARKS

You still have a little don't forget to buy your Parks Dept Dog Park Jackpot Calendar Raffle Ticket! Tickets are only \$10. Only 1,000 tickets sold. Entire month of August, chance to win every day. Tickets drawn on Saturday or Sunday win \$250, Monday-Friday with \$125. Daily winning ticket goes back in for the next drawing. Rosie Paw Dog Park has most of the fencing up and clover planted. Dog Park committee will be having a brat fry on August 19th.

**** ATTENTION ALL VILLAGE KIDS****

COPS ROCK!

Chief Zierler will be going around the Village hiding specially marked rocks. Bring them into Village Hall/Clerks Office for a prize from the Village Board and Village Police Dept. Chief will be hiding rocks in August and September. One rock per child please. Watch the villageofiola.com website for more details.

CHESTER L. KRAUSE LEGACY PARK UPDATE

Check out the progress that has been made to Krause Legacy Park at 149 Chet Krause Drive. Mural is finished! The monument of Chet, flag area, and picnic spaces/shelter in the park is in the works and completion is projected to be in October 2023, the 100th anniversary of Chet's birth. Interested in donating? Please stop by the Clerk's Office, or send to the Village of Iola, PO Box 336, Iola, WI 54945. Gifts for the park are tax deductible. No tax money will be used for the building of the park.

If you have a topic that you think would be helpful to the community, feel free to contact the clerks office at 715.445.2913 or email info@villageofiola.com

IOLA VILLAGE LIBRARY

Come and join the fun this summer for reading and activities: July 20th Art form the Heart @ 10 am, July 21st Bark Bites @ 10 am, July 24th Dog Days of Summer @ 10 am, July 28th Mommy and Daughter Day at 2 pm, July 31st For Adults Kindness Jars, August 8th Sock Hop @ 2 pm. September through May, third Thursday of each month at Noon, is Mystery Book Club. Keep checking the website for updates and more details, www.iolalibrary.org or call 715 445 4330

NEW RECYCLING CENTER HOURS

April thru September: Saturday 9 am to 12 pm. Thursday 3 pm to 6 pm

October thru March: Saturday 9 am to 12 pm. Thursday 2 pm to 4 pm

Recyclables are free to drop off and trash bags need a tag. Tags can be purchased at the Recycling Center, Depot Street Station, Iola Sentry Foods, or the Clerk's Office. The cost is \$15.00 for 5 tags. Please do not leave plastic caps on your bottles, throw them away.

QUICK REMINDERS

- **DOG OWNERS:** If you live in Waupaca County you are required to register your dog. This can be done at the village clerk's office. For spayed & neutered dogs the cost is \$5.00; dogs that are not spayed or neutered the cost is \$10.00. Don't forget to bring your dog's current rabies vaccination record.
- **GARBAGE:** If you have not received your garbage or recycling containers, please contact the village office at 715-445-2913.
- **YARD WASTE:** Village of Iola residence you have a place to dispose of your brush, branches and yard waste (grass & leaves) brush and branches can be taken to the dumpsite on Town Line Rd and yard waste can be dumped at the site on Grove St.
- **KEEP IT NEAT:** The village has ordinances in place to keep our village looking neat. Excess yard debris is considered a nuisance (ordinance, Chapter 186) and so is not mowing your yard (ordinance, Chapter 94-3). Please help do your part to keep Iola looking nice.
- **BUILDING PERMITS:** If you are planning on any remodeling or building, please check with the Village of Iola Building Inspector, Bob Viste, to see if you need a building permit before you start your project. Bob's phone number is 715-281-4963.
- **DISPOSE OF OLD FLAGS:** If you do not know how or where to dispose of your old flags properly, we can help you out. You can drop them off at the clerk's office.
- **FRIENDLY REMINDER:** Keep a watch out for kids out and about this Summer. The 1st day of School will be September 5th.