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Mishicot Area Growth & Improvement Committee

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MAGIC 2019 Annual Banquet

The Mishicot Area Growth and Improvement Committee's 34th Annual Banquet was held on April 7, 2019 at Fox Hills Resort. Members of the community—volunteers, organizations, and businesses—were recognized for their 2018 contributions to the village. We had a great turnout and thank you to everyone who attended our banquet and congratulations to all of our winners! We would also like to thank all of the businesses and individuals that donated door prizes for this event, especially a big thank you to Green Acres Lawn Care for their donation of the Grand Door Prize. Also a thank you to Mueller Wealth for sponsoring Brian Polzak, the magician at the Banquet and to Rod Scheuer for being the Master of Ceremonies. (Great Job)

The following awards were presented:

- ❖ **GENIE AWARD:** Presented to an outstanding volunteer – Awarded to **Roger Kotarek**
- ❖ **RED CARPET AWARD:** An organization providing outstanding service to our village – Awarded to **Aurora Health Center - Mishicot**
- ❖ **ABRACADABRA AWARD:** Presented to a business that has provided outstanding leadership and service to our community -- Awarded to **The Clubhouse Family Restaurant**
- ❖ **COMMUNITY RECOGNITION AWARD:** In Recognition of Your Outstanding Service to the Village of Mishicot – Awarded to **Theresa Becker**
- ❖ **SPECIAL LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD:** An individual who has volunteered and served the community over a number of years – Awarded to **Bernie Samz**
- ❖ **SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD:** *To All of the Mishicot Village Employees*



MAGIC's Beautification Committee - MAGIC is working with Dale Knaak (artist) and the Art Department of Silver Lake College to create a mural for Mishicot. The mural will be historical and placed on the east side of Pathways Photography Studio along the river in downtown Mishicot. The Mishicot Mural Committee wishes to thank everyone for their donation(s) towards our first mural. Your generous contributions are greatly appreciated. Be sure to look for the unveiling, as we look forward to announcing when that will happen.

MAGIC's Beautification Committee –

This year the Beautification Committee will again be offering the “Adopt a planter” for the numerous planters throughout the Village. There will be nominations for best planters and the winners will be chosen and prizes given. Please call the MAGIC office at 920-755-3411 to adopt your planter for the 2019 season. Also, we will have the “Yard of the Month” starting in May. If you would like to be nominated or want to nominate a specific yard, call 920-755-3411.

Museum Sponsors Another Pow Wow Trip

Again this year our historical museum is sponsoring a bus trip to Hannahville for its Annual Midwestern Pow Wow. The one day bus trip is planned for Saturday, June 15, 2019. This trip is an educational trip highlighting Chief Abraham Meshigaud, the name sake for our river, township and village. Bus leaves sharply at 8 am from the museum and returns about 8:30 pm to the museum. Cost is \$45. A down payment of \$20 with a phone number for all registrants may be turned into the village hall anytime after May 1st. An agenda for the day may be picked up at that time also. For further information you may call Jim Sustman at 920-755-3317.

Mishicot Historical Museum and Research Center will be open for the season starting May 1st and continuing every Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday from 1PM to 4PM through the month of October.

2019 Events Sponsored by M.A.G.I.C.

May 17 & 18	Mishicot Village-Wide Rummage Sale
May 27 th	Memorial Day Parade & Program
June 5 – August 28: Wednesday Evenings	Outdoor Summer Concerts
May 15-Sept. 25: Wednesday's Only (8-11am)	Farmers' Market
June 15 th	Hannahville Bus Trip and Pow-Wow
August 2, 3 & 4	Riverfest
October 19th	Pumpkinfest
December 7th	MBA -- Christmas in the Village

Mishicot Church News

- ❖ Zion United Methodist Church will be holding a Vacation Bible School this summer. Date to be determined. Program is free and open to any denomination. If interested, please contact Marilyn Rohr for more information at 920-755-2216.
- ❖ St. Peter's Lutheran Tiny Treasures Preschool is registering students for the 2019-2020 school years. They offer flexible scheduling for two, three, four or five mornings a week. They are state licensed 3K and 4K preschool. Morning sessions are from 8-11:30am. Aftercare is available for students enrolled in the morning sessions. Students must be 3-year olds or 4-year olds by September 1, 2019 to be eligible. Call 755-4555 ext 5 to speak to Mrs. Lynn Jungen, Director and Teacher, with questions or to request an information packet.
- ❖ Holy Cross Annual Picnic picnic will be June 2, 2019 on the Holy Cross grounds, starting with a polka mass at 10:30. We have food and beverages, bake sale, crafts, raffles, silent auction, plants, kids' games and more. Something for all to enjoy. Everyone is welcome.

Local News

Local Family-Owned Business under New Management

The multi-generational, thirty-year tradition of fair and friendly sales and service at the family-owned and operated business known as Mishicot Auto Sales & Service continues. Family patriarch, Gordy Kudick, passed away last month, leaving grandson, Kyle Kudick, to take over management of the business, following in the footsteps of his father and grandfather.

Gordy and his son, Steve, began doing business as Mishicot Auto in 1988, which clearly was a good fit for both of them. Gordy thrived on anything that involved working with people and Steve was passionate about cars and car repair. Despite having been diagnosed with hemophilia as a young child, Steve had always wanted to be a racecar driver. Against the advice of many, that's just what he did.

Luckily, Steve was never involved in any kind of accident on the racetrack that might have threatened his life. But unfortunately, he did pass away in 1992, leaving a wife and eight-year old son, Kyle, behind. It is no surprise that Steve's son, Kyle, grew up to develop the same passion for cars and racing as his Dad. Following in his father's footsteps, Kyle became an auto technician and racecar driver, joining his grandfather in the family business in 2004.

Sadly, Gordy passed away on February 16 of this year. He is and will continue to be missed by everyone at Mishicot Auto, his customers, and friends who often stopped by the shop just to pass the time and talk. Gordy's family and the folks at Mishicot Auto want to extend a sincere thank you to the community for the support they received during this difficult time. Kyle, Dawn, Brent, Rod, Seth, Bill and Chuck appreciate the cards, visits, and shared memories. And they want you to know they appreciate your past patronage and will continue to provide the competent, fair, and friendly service that has always been a staple of Mishicot Auto Sales and Service. The family tradition will live on in Mishicot.

Mueller Wealth- Ross Mueller-CFP®, Fiduciary

An independently-owned investment firm owned by Ross Mueller, a native of Mishicot. He provides Sound, financial planning that includes: Retirement planning, 401k Assistance, and Investment services. Mueller Wealth believes in contributing to the good of the community by volunteering. The staff has been involved in sharing their time with Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA), the Magic Trolley Ride, Mishicot Christmas in the Village, Mishicot Business Association (MBA- Easter Egg Hunt), Mishicot Lion's Club, contributor to the Mishicot Summer Concert Series, UW Manitowoc Campus Foundation Board Member and UW Green Bay Foundation Board member. You will see us around town contributing in other ways throughout the year. Stop on in to say "HI". We truly want to get to know our neighbors! Please let us know how we can be of service to you (920) 267-6710.

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Mishicot Laundry is owned and operated by Ross and Shawn Mueller and is OPEN for business during the hours of 6am – 9pm daily including weekends. The "extra free rinse cycle" this past spring (flood) did not affect our building :) We want to keep the laundromat open because we believe the community wants and needs this business. We strive to have a clean and safe environment to do your laundry.

MAGIC NEWSLETTERS

If anyone outside of the Mishicot mailing routes would like to receive our Newsletters, which go out 3 times a year, please send your name and address to the MAGIC office at magic@mishicot.org or call 920-755-3411 to get added to our mailing list.

Eis Implement – Handle Your Yard and Garden Like a Boss

This year be the CEO of your landscape. Take control of your yard and garden with our new MM 56 C-E STIHL Yard Boss customizable yard care system.

This one system multi-tasking gardening tool is redefining lawn care. Featuring a universal power train, the Yard Boss comes standard as a cultivator, but is available with great support staff to execute nearly any job at hand.

The powerful KW-MM PowerSweep attachment, not available at Eis Implement, features heavy-duty rubber flaps to move pebbles and sand from grassy areas, clean up compacted dirt along roads and sidewalks, and even remove water and light snow from hard flat surfaces.

Seven additional attachments are available which allow you to cultivate, clear, sweep, edge, dethatch, trim and aerate quickly and efficiently – saving space, saving time, and saving on maintenance.

Plus, for an added bonus this spring, purchase a MM 56 C-E STIHL Yard Boss at Eis Implement between 4-1-2019 and 6-30-2019 and receive a FREE Wheel Kit.

It's time to multi-task. Like a boss.

Eis Implement – Down to earth.

Mishicot Village-Wide Rummage Sale – 2019

The Village-Wide Rummage Sale for Mishicot will be held on Friday, May 17, 2019 from 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm and Saturday, May 18, 2019 from 8:00 am until 3:00 pm. Maps will be available starting the second week in May at local businesses, including Mishicot Village Hall. Call MAGIC at 920-755-3411 for the various locations. (A map of the rummage sale locations is included in this Newsletter).

WANTED* NEEDED* WOULD LIKE.....Can you help?

Now is the time to start thinking about what you can find, borrow, or build as float entries for our three yearly parades, to be held on Memorial Day - May 27th, Riverfest - Aug 2 thru Aug 4th, and Pumpkinfest - October 19th. Old time cars, tractors, steam engines, wagons, ostriches, kangaroos, business floats, clowns and/or other unusual things. Check your barns, garages, warehouse, flea markets, attics, and your neighbor's outhouse. Maybe Uncle Hubert's trophy elephant or Cousin Herkimer's robot.....whatever!!! We're looking for unusual things to make our parades even better and more fun...but, of course, keep it legal. See what you, your business, organization, friends, fellow workers and neighbors can come up with.

Contact Kim at the MAGIC office at 755-3411 for more information.

Interested in Volunteering?

We are again looking for Volunteers (Friends of M.A.G.I.C.) who can help with our committees (i.e. flowers around the village provided by M.A.G.I.C., seasonal decorations, beautification projects, Pumpkinfest, Mishicot Historical Museum, Easter Egg Hunt, Christmas in the Village, and more. If you are an ideas person, someone who likes to work with your hands, are good at organizing, or enjoy contacting people to work on projects, this volunteer opportunity is for you. There is no minimum or maximum time commitment—work when you have the time. Please consider joining the other friendly volunteers who help to make Mishicot a nice place to live, work, and play. We need you! Call 920-755-3411 or email: magic@mishicot.org



**VFW POST 7753
Kempen-Staudinger-Terens**

RE: Memorial Day Parade

Date: Monday-May 27th 2019 at 12 Noon

Friends and Citizens,

Memorial Day, originally known as Decoration Day, originated in the years following the Civil War and became an official Federal Holiday in 1971.

Memorial Day is observed to specifically honor the men and women that have made the ultimate sacrifice while serving in the military.

Each year the Mishicot VFW post Kempen, Staudinger, Terens continues the tradition of observing Memorial Day with a parade, cemetery ceremony and celebration at the VFW club house. We are inviting our area businesses and groups to please consider entering a float, business vehicle or marching unit in the 2019 parade.

The parade line-up forms at the Mishicot High School , beginning at 11:00 a.m. and will start at 12 noon. There is no cost to enter.

Your participation will be very much appreciated.

Please contact our parade chairman Rod Scheuer at 920-755-2190 or return the form to Rod at 614 Oak Street, Mishicot, Wisconsin 54228 by May 13th, 2019.

Thank you and hope to see you in the parade!

VFW Post Commander

Brian Benzinger

Parade Chairman

Rod Scheuer

REGISTRATION FORM

Unit Name _____

Description _____

Contact _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Mishicot School News –

High School Important Dates:

- ❖ Graduation Date: Sunday, June 2 @ 2:00PM
- ❖ Registration/Picture Day August 8th @ 11am to 6pm
- ❖ Sports Physical Date Wednesday, June 19 @ 1pm – 5pm (Call Nicole Schmidt at 920-755-2808 to register)

Middle School Important Dates:

- ❖ 8th Grade Promotion June 6th @ 1:30pm in the Varsity Gym
- ❖ MS/HS Picture Day August 8th @ 11am to 6pm
- ❖ 6th Grade Back to School Night Aug 28th @ To be Announced (This is for 6th grade and new students)

Elementary School Important Date:

2019-2020 OHS Back to School Night - August 27th

ANNUAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING –August 26, 2019 at 6:30pm in the High School Library.

Upcoming Music Events –

- High School Spring Concert – May 9, 2019 at 7 pm – Performing Arts Gym
- Middle School Band Spring Concert – May 12, 2019 at 7 pm – Performing Arts Gym
- Fox Cities Performing Arts Showcase – May 18, 2019 – Fox Cities PAC (tickets required)
- Friday Night Live (Musical Variety Show) – May 24, 2019 at 7 pm – Performing Arts Gym
- OH Schulz Summer Theater – June 27th at 6:30 pm – Bedtime Stories (As Told by Our Dad) (Who Messed Them Up) – Audience is encouraged to join us in pajamas and enjoy cookies and milk during the show.

Mishicot Riverfest 2019

Mishicot Riverfest returns with three days of affordable family fun, Friday through Sunday August 2, 3, & 4, 2019 at Mishicot Village Park! Admission to the grounds and parking are free! Many of our most popular events will return in 2019, including, Christman Amusements Carnival Rides and Games, nightly fireworks at dusk, continuous live music, kids stage entertainment, our Riverfest Microbeer Tent, our Famous Friday Fish Boil Dinner, Saturday Car Show, the Mighty East Twin Duck Race, Gigantic Parade downtown and the hugely popular Kids Bicycle Giveaway on Sunday! Join us in beautiful, historic Mishicot as we celebrate life in the good old Summertime! See our Facebook page at "Mishicot Riverfest", for more info and details about our 22nd annual RIVERFEST!!! For a full schedule of events go to our "Mishicot Riverfest" page on Facebook or to our website at www.mishicotriverfest.com

Great Bike Giveaway - Riverfest

The Great Bike Giveaway will be held on August 4th at 3pm during Riverfest. The goal of the event is to provide new bikes to area youth to promote physical fitness and family involvement. Children ages 3-12 can register one time with parental guidance, at NO CHARGE, between 12:30-2:30pm in the Village Park. All participants must be present to win. If you would like more information on how to donate a bike, or about the event, please contact Kim Christoffel at 920-242-1812 or at mishicotbikes@gmail.com.

Thank you in advance for your support of the Mishicot Ultimate Bike Giveaway!

FROM THE CLERK'S OFFICE . . .

Dog Licensing

We have had a great response this year with people registering their dogs in the village. There are quite a few people out there who do not know this is a state law and something all dog owners need to do no matter where they live. Under Wisconsin State Law, dogs are to be licensed every year. The dog license year runs from January 1 to December 31. All dogs not licensed by May 1, 2019 are reported to Manitowoc County District Attorney's Office per State Statute 174. All you need to do is bring the rabies vaccination certificate your vet gave you to the clerk's office at 511 E. Main Street. The licenses are \$5.00 for a dog that has been neutered or spayed; \$10 for intact males and females. We will even do licenses by mail if that is more convenient for you. Licensing your dog is also a great way to help ensure your lost dog gets home since the village uses the license reports to reunite lost dogs with their owners.

Mishicot Village Hall Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Friday – 9am to Noon; 1pm – 5pm
Closed Tuesdays and Thursdays

MISHICOT LIONS' CLUB NEWS

The Mishicot Lions' Club had a successful rose sale and would like to thank all of the people who bought roses. We appreciate your support. The Mishicot Lion's will again be sponsoring a Badger Girl and a Badger Boy, who will attend a week-long camp this summer where they will examine the inner workings of Government. The 2019 Mishicot Lions' Club Scholarship will again be sponsoring \$250.00 scholarships to two (2) high school graduates. Congratulations! Stop at Cenex on May 18th during the Mishicot Village-Wide Rummage Sale and buy a hamburger or brat to support the Mishicot Lions.

Below is a Public Service Announcement from Point Beach Energy Center. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call The Point Beach Energy Center at 1-800-880-8463.

Celebrate Earth Day at NextEra Energy Point Beach Energy Center!

Sunday, April 28 - 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Celebrate Earth Day with "Animals and the Environment"! Get up close to a Python, Tegu, Spur Thigh Tortoise, Wallaby and Fennec Fox. Programs with these animals and more at noon and 2 p.m.

See the birds and amphibians of Wildlife of Wisconsin and Woodland Dunes.

Make your own electricity riding the Energy Bike!

Make and take a free rain stick!

Play with our hands on science toys!

To mark Earth Day, pick up a free spruce seedling to plant!

Free admission and refreshments

Located 10 miles north of Two Rivers, east of Hwy 42 (6400 Nuclear Road, Two Rivers)

For more info call 1-800-880-8463 or 920-755-6400



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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the Mishicot Area Growth & Improvement Committee, otherwise known as M.A.G.I.C., is to promote, support and encourage development and implementation of tourism in the Greater Mishicot Area and at the same time promote the Mishicot Areas’ cultural heritage, improve community pride and diversify the economic base of the downtown.

NEWSLETTER CONTRIBUTIONS

This newsletter is printed three times a year by MAGIC. Your contributions are welcomed. If you have any information, photos, ideas, or articles to share please contact the MAGIC office:

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magic@mishicot.org

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*We would accomplish many more things if we did not think of them as impossible
~Vince Lombardi~*