

Reedsville News

June 2008



Reedsville Fire Fighters 107th Annual Picnic and Parade

Friday, June 27

Stands open at 5pm

Perch plates, fish sandwiches (Friday only)
Brats, burgers, steak sandwiches (served all weekend)

Volleyball Tournament
Contact Dillon @ 905-5422

DJ Main Connection
8:30pm-12:30am

Get your raffle tickets
from any
Reedsville Firefighter
All events are free admission!

Saturday, June 28

Stands open at 11am

Chicken Plate Lunch
(served Sat & Sun)

Volleyball Tournament cont'd
Contact Dillon @ 905-5422

Children's Activities
w/prizes, 3pm
Petting Zoo

Northeast Wisconsin
Horse Pullers, 1pm

Music by Road Trip
8:30pm-12:30am



Sunday, June 29

11:30 BIG Parade
Manitowoc Street

Chicken Plate Lunch, Brats,
burgers, steak sandwiches

Dance to the music of
The Jerry Krueger Band
1pm-5pm

Garden Tractor Pull at
1:30pm

Children's Activities
w/prizes, 1:30pm
Petting Zoo

\$1000 Prize Drawing at 6pm
Picnic closes at 7pm

Come and Meet All Your Friends

Proceeds for park improvements
and fire equipment

Available Homes & Property
Business Development Opportunities
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Community Organizations
Community Calendar
Local Business Directory

Where Its At
www.reedsville.org

and much more....

Village Scrap Book
Village Government Information
Resident Handbook
Community Calendar
Village Board Minutes and Contacts
Additional Information added all the time

Reedsville Area Garden Club News

The group met and set their goals for the beautification of Reedsville and its surrounding area.

A few of their short range goals are:

- Complete make over of the east flower bed by the organizations sign.
- Designing the flower beds in park.
- Designing a street corner make over.
- Develop a west side bed or flower area.

As these goals are achieved and completed other goals will be added.

Diane Geiger will be acting chairperson and Diane Bonin, secretary. Anyone may join the group.

Come and volunteer, call 754-4224 for more details. It is the goal to plant black-eyed susans this spring throughout the village as well as daffodils in the fall. We are asking every household to plant as many flowers as possible and have a patio pot of flowers by every front door.



Kay's Krafts

We still have all your decoration needs for graduation, balloons, streamers, plates, table covers, gifts, and much more. Don't forget Dad on Father's Day this year. We have golf, baseball, fishing, hunting, and football items. Look for picture frames, mugs, plaques, Italian charm key chains, personalized shirts, hats, sweatshirts, and much more. There will be a huge sale on the entire store with 20% off from June 12th to the 14th, some exclusions apply. Remember Kay's Krafts has new hours: Tuesday - Friday 3pm-6pm and Saturday 11am-2pm. Don't forget to order your Panther Pride charms and your Community Under the Stars charms. We are always looking to do fund raisers for businesses, schools, and much more.

Possibilities and varieties of Italian charms are endless. Come and check out what I have and what I can make. So far I have made charms for the Iron Buffalo, Reedsville Panthers, and Community Under the Stars. Get your school logo, organization or business out there. Come to Kay's Krafts for Italian Charm fund raisers!

The Friends of St. Patrick, Inc. Award Scholarships

This year The Friends of St. Patrick, Inc. is pleased to announce that they have awarded three \$250 scholarships to three worthy recipients. The scholarships were awarded to Peter Dvorak, son of Paul and the late Janet Dvorak, of Reedsville. Peter is a graduate from Reedsville High School and will attend The Northeastern Wisconsin Technical College. Sara Lensmeyer, daughter of Todd and Lori Lensmeyer, of Kellnersville. Sara is a graduate of Reedsville High School and will attend the University of Wisconsin-Stout. Receiving another scholarship is Charles Kiel, son of Roy and Elizabeth Kiel, of Two Rivers. Charles is a recent graduate of Roncalli High School, Manitowoc and will be attending University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point. This is the sixteenth year that The Friends of St. Patrick, Inc. have been awarding one or more \$250 scholarships. These scholarships are made available through the generous donations made in memory of Francis (O'Hearn) Kerscher and Leonard and Alice (Lorrigan) Taddy. The organization is presently planning several fund raising events for the year. On Friday, June 6th at 7:30 p.m. the group will host Ian Gould, an Irish born singer/song writer, who has been professionally performing internationally for the past 15 years. His music includes original songs, traditional Irish/Celtic music, and modern hits. He will perform in the St. Patrick's Historical Building, in Maple Grove (corner of Taus Rd. and County Rd. G). Tickets for this event are \$10 in advance and available at Dr. Freud's in Manitowoc or by mail: Friends of St. Patrick, Inc. Box 435 Reedsville, WI 54230. Tickets will also be available the door on the night of the performance for \$12. Tickets for children 12 and under will be \$4.00, under 5 free. Food and refreshments will be available on the grounds prior to the concert beginning at 5:30 p.m. On Sunday, September 14th the annual Fall Festival will be held on the grounds at Heritage Park in Maple Grove, WI. The next regular meeting of The Friends of St. Patrick, Inc. will be held on July 8th at 7:00 p.m. at The Heritage House in Maple Grove. For more information on any of these events or scholarships, call 920-732-3462.

**The Reedsville
Lions Club are having a
Brat Fry
on Saturday, June 14th
from 10am to 2pm
at Country Horizons.
Proceeds go to
community projects and
school scholarships.
Support your Community
Organizations!**

**Recycling Workshop
633 Manitowoc Street**

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**Hours: Mon - Tues
8 - 5
Wed - Fri
8 - noon
Thurs
8 - 7**



**Corner House brings
you the beauty and wonder
you need this summer.**

It is not too late to plant flowers for the summer. A big selection is available from individual packs or pots to patio pots and baskets. Come, visit the Corner House. Bring your containers and we will fill them with colorful plants. Call 754-4370 with questions or your flower needs and requests.

Remember plant vegetables too to help with food budget problems. Some people are adding them to some of their flower beds. We are here to help with that too. Call or stop in today!



News from the Reedsville Fire Department

For the month of March we responded to three calls. Two accident calls, a single car accident on Taus Road and a two car accident on Hwy 10 and Hwy W. We also assisted the Brillion Fire Department with a Rit team at a house fire in their district. For the month of April we also responded to three calls. One call was a car accident on Hwy 10 with a car versus semi truck. The other two calls were small grass fire calls.

Would you like to join the team? There is one opening at the present time for a firefighter. We are always looking for new recruits. Requirements are you must be 18 years old, be willing to train three hours a month, and attend a meeting once a month. We also have extra training sessions throughout the year. If interested contact any firefighter for an application or call Mike Pautz at 754-4350.

Do you need a place for that upcoming graduation party, wedding or baby shower, or reunion? Rent the park hall from the firefighters. To reserve your date contact Scott Dvorachek at 374-0564.

Just a reminder that the Firefighters Picnic and Parade is just around the corner - June 27, 28, and 29th. We are selling tickets again with a 1st prize of \$1000, 2nd prize is \$400, 3rd prize is \$200, 4th prize is \$75, 5th is \$50, and 6th - 8th prizes are \$25. So contact any firefighter for a chance to win ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS!

The firefighters always get a lot of help from the community to help run our picnic and we thank all the people for pitching in every year. We also know there are a lot of new people in the community that would like to help out but do not know who to ask, so here are the contact people if you would like to help contact:

Wade Kasper to bartend - 973-3628

Jessie Hassemer to work the hamburger stand - 754-4878

Mike Pautz to work the chicken stand - 754-4350

Thank you for your time and the helping hand!

If anyone would like to put a float in the parade contact Jason Schuh at 374-0312. The parade is on Sunday, June 29th at 11:30am. Hope to see you at the picnic and parade.

Bring your family and friends to enjoy the fun!

Chief Mike Pautz

Planning your next event?
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make sure you are choosing the
right date. www.reedsville.org
Community Calendar.

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Community Under the Stars Charms are here now!

Italian Charm bracelets and charms for Community Under the Stars are available for \$8 each. Half of the proceeds will go to the Community Under the Stars event which promotes and sponsors special community projects in the Village of Reedsville. Your support is truly appreciated and it will be a great addition to your collection or an excellent reason to start collecting now with all sorts of charms available at Kay's Kraft.

Stop in Kay's Krafts to buy one today, or look for bracelets and charms at several Reedsville community events.



Community Under the Stars is a family fun event that impacts many local non profit organizations with your support.

From the Village Hall

Street Closed: Park Street 150 feet south of Manitowoc Street until 150 feet north of Green Meadow Drive will be closed Friday, June 27 until Sunday, June 29 for the annual Fire Fighters picnic.

Grass clipping are not to be blown on Village Streets or put into the Creek. Yard waste such as grass clippings, leaves, and yard & garden waste shall be disposed of by composting the material or taking it to the Village compost site.

Operator Licenses: All Operator Licenses expired at midnight on June 30, 2008. If you like to renew your license, please stop at the Village Clerk-Treasurer office during normal business hours to obtain the application. Cost of the license is \$10.00.

Chipping will done the 1st & 3rd Tuesday in the months of April thru October. Clean woody vegetative material no greater than six inches (6") in diameter, and not less than four feet (4') in length can be shredded. Lumber (treated and untreated), skids, and other construction and demolition waste can not be shredded. Place near curb with cut ends facing street. If you are interested in these wood chips, the pile is located near the compost area.

Community Under the Stars Welcome You!

Reedsville is actively recruiting local citizens, businesses, and community organizations to participate in the 2008 Community Under the Stars to be held on Saturday, September 20th on Manitowoc Street. Plans are underway and we are hoping to include as many community members to participate in the fun through providing food, entertainment, games, educational information, and much more. Please mark your calendars for this special community event and contact Carrie at 901-9417 or ragd@reedsville.org to become a part of the fun! If you are interested in sponsoring the event with a donation please visit our website www.reedsville.org or call 901-9417. The next newsletter will explain in detail the events and activities you can look forward to. Children's events such and Randy Peterson, and adult activities such as a poker walk and chance to meet former Packer players from Super Bowl 96. More to come, this year count on catching a star!

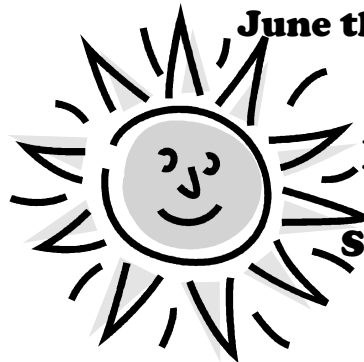
Manitowoc County Lakeshore All Sports Hall of Fame
Congratulations to our Reedsville Recipients
Congratulations to Gary & Nancy Brochtrup recipients of the Reedsville Athletic Association Sports Award. Chris Krepline is the winner of the Senior College Male Athletic Award. Congratulations to Stacy Brochtrup for being awarded the High School Senior Student-Athlete Award. Ryan Popp was awarded a Hall of Fame Special Scholarship. Reedsville congratulates all of its athletes that make playing and watching sports so much fun!

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**Sandbox fill Day
Sponsored by the
Reedsville
Betterment Club
Saturday, June 7th.
Call by June 5th - Leroy
Stahl 754-4023**

**The 100th Anniversary of the Dedication of
St. Mary's Historical Building Celebration
Sunday, June 22nd**

The members of the Preservation of St. Mary's Inc. have been working to gather the pieces of the story of the St. Mary's Historical Building for the past few years. Many of the pieces are falling into place with the finding of a picture of the Building Committee of 1906 last year. The people in the photograph are Albert Kubale, Frank Burish, Joesph A. Vondrachek, Frank Kocourek, Charles Kabat, W.I. Woyta, John E. Vondrachek, Father Frank Koler, Joseph Krizenesky, and Frank Kabale. Now, a committee is on a mission to find an ancestor or ancestors of each of these committee members and have them present at the centennial celebration.

Another committee is working on finding facts and interesting stories of Reverend Frank Kolar, the priest who organized the building of St. Mary's Church. The group has a sequence of activities and places he was involved with in Wisconsin. Some interesting activities he was involved in were:

St. George Branch of Bohemian Central Union, he was a writer for Bohemian newspapers in the U.S. for 45 years, Chaplain of the Bohemian Roman Catholic Central Union in Wisconsin, served on the Catholic Welfare Council, and he traveled to Europe on a special mission for the U.S. government. All of this and more will be detailed at the 100th anniversary celebration of the St. Mary's Historical Building.

Everyone is invited to share in this special day as the story of the past is told in a special way. Events begin at 11:30 a.m. with an outdoor polka mass by Father Matt Simonar. Lunch will be served on the grounds with Bohemian music for all to enjoy. Delicious Bohemian desserts, kohaches, kneecaps, and other bakery will be served. A silent auction will be conducted and display booths of Czechoslovakian artifacts and gifts will be available. 100th Anniversary buttons will be available as well to promote this event. A display of the findings in the 1907 Corner Stone will be open for viewing. At 2:30 p.m. a Bohemian program in the upper part of the building will begin.

Anyone who has Bohemian heritage should be interested in this event. If you are not Bohemian, it will be a wonderful way to find out about the history of Reedsville. Come and invite your relatives and friends to celebrate and take part in this uniquely special day.

June is Dairy Month

No other single product has more economic impact in Wisconsin than milk. The dairy business contributes \$20.6 billion to our state's economy each year. Wisconsin's dairy industry employs more than 175,000 people. 99% of all Wisconsin dairy farms are family owned. A 250 cow Wisconsin dairy farm will contribute on average \$675,000 per year to the farm's local economy through wages, retail, equipment and supplies, property taxes, and veterinary clinics. Without dairy farms, Wisconsin would be a very different place. They safeguard our natural resources, create jobs, build local economies, and build strong communities. Make it your business to look for Wisconsin or local dairy products and support the industry that supports you in return.

"I wonder what it would be like to live in a world where it was always June."

- L. M. Montgomery



"In June, as many as a dozen species may burst their buds on a single day. No man can heed all of these anniversaries; no man can ignore all of them."

- Aldo Leopold



"June brings tulips, lilies, roses, Fills the children's hands with posies."

- Sara Coleridge



Red Shirt Fridays
They bleed red, so we wear red.

Red Shirt Fridays are a way to support our troops. Wear a red shirt on Fridays to show dignity and support for our troops, sending them the message that every red-blooded American is thinking of our men and women afar. For more information visit, www.RedShirtFridays.org

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Happy Father's Day



Mud Creek Nature Trail

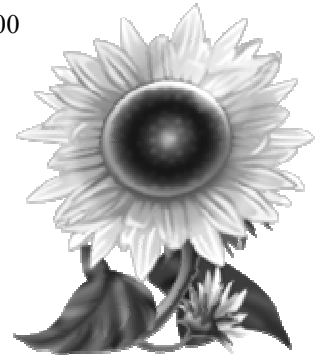
We are working hard to complete the Mud Creek Nature Trail renovations and restoration. There are several areas that need your community support and commitment. This project needs the help of the community to successfully create an area that displays and preserves the beauty of our local natural splendor, and the fun and enjoyment of spending time outdoors. If anyone would like to make their commitment through a donation of their time and effort please contact me. We will be having an invasive plant pull on June 9th and 10th from 3-6pm. All you need to do is show up and pull some plants from the shoreline. The success of this restoration project relies on the help of community volunteers. Last fall native grasses and wild flowers were seeded and the potential is great for the Mud Creek shoreline, now the effort of the volunteers will further their progress and create a wonderful sight for years to come. Please consider helping us for a few short hours. We will meet at the high school parking lot.

Questions please call Carrie at 901-9417.

You can also help through the sponsorship of an item in memory of a loved one, in honor of a special person or family, in the name of a community or school organization, or in the name of your local business. Each item sponsored will have the desired name displayed in/on or near the sponsored item. If you have any questions, ideas, or suggestions please feel free to contact me, 901-9417 or by email ragd@reedsville.org

Available to Sponsor:

Wooden Sculpture	\$175 - \$300
Flower Bed	\$200
Table	\$300
Picnic Table	\$500
Bench	\$225
Environmental Education Signs	\$125
Recycling Receptacles	\$150
Community Message Board	\$175
Old Growth Tree Pole	\$150



The Village Voice and Your Next Newsletter

The deadline for the July Reedsville News will be Friday, **June 20th**. Submissions must be in writing or e-mail and should include your contact information.

Your Village Voice is welcome! Do you have an announcement from your family (new addition, anniversary, wedding, etc.), your business, or organization? Do you have a "Thumbs Up or Thumbs Down" or something to add to the Community Calendar? Please submit your news or opinion to the below contact and include your contact information.

Reedsville News
217 Menasha St.
Reedsville, WI 54230
ragd@reedsville.org

If you are a business or for profit organization, notices in the Reedsville News will cost \$2.00 per issue. The newsletter has grown to sometimes 6 pages a month and all proceeds go to the RAGD and support of this newsletter. All submissions must be received by the deadline or they will not be included in the following newsletter.

House for Sale

339 Mill Street, asking \$149,500. New roof, new remodeled bathroom, no carpet in rooms, all hardwood, or tile, fenced in yard, lots of perennials! 2 car garage with workshop, large kitchen, 2.5 baths, office, den, large master bedroom, spare room (4 bedroom), brick pavers in backyard. Century 21 selling, contact Deb Meyer at 920-901-5195. Thank you, for your help, Debbie Brandt Phone: 901-0579.

Is your home or property for sale?

If you live in Reedsville and would like to have your home or property listed on our website or newsletter, submit a description, asking price, and contact info to: Reedsville News
217 Menasha St.
Reedsville, WI 54230
Or email
ragd@reedsville.org
And we will do our best to help you in selling your home or property.

House For Sale

417 Manitowoc Street: 2 story, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, deck, porch, garage, shed, many updates
Asking 115,900, call 920-682-0018 or email tsmoter@coldwellhomes.com

Home for sale with 15 acres

at 3832 N CTH W. Outdoor enthusiasts will find perfect harmony with nature in this 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath ranch on 15 acres with stocked pond. Plenty to please in this 2700+ sq.ft. home with many unique features including a green house room. Siding, windows, roof, deck all new in 2007. 3 car attached garage and 3 outbuildings.
\$294,900 call 769-1606 or email:
lolm@coldwellhomes.com

House For Sale

512 Madison Street, Reedsville
Call today to set up a showing on this 4 bedroom ranch situated on a quiet street. Gorgeous yard, wrap around deck, 4 season room with gas fireplace, rec room with snack bar in basement. Newer roof, air conditioning, and furnace. A must see! Priced at 142,000 call 754-4087 today!

Building with multi-use potential for sale

204 Industrial Park Drive, 1800+ sq. ft. building has small finished retail storefront and office area, production room with overhead door and half bath. Also included in price is an 18 unit mini storage warehouse, currently 95% rented. Let the income from the mini storage make your payments for you and run your business at the same time. \$139,900, call 769-1606 or email:
lolm@coldwellhomes.com

House for Sale

Beautiful well maintained tri-level home for sale at 309 Briarcliff Rd. Reedsville. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room in lower level with gas fireplace, a room for a study. New vinyl siding, new roof, many other updates throughout. Maintenance free vinyl deck, and 12x12 shed for extra storage. Close to ball park and schools. A must see. \$134,900 call 754-4622 after 3pm or leave a message.

