

August 2023



LIBERTY GROVE ROCKS

Featured Business

Door County Ice Cream Factory and
Sandwich Shoppe
11051 State Hwy 42
Sister Bay, WI 54234
920-854-9693
Doorcountyicecream.com

Important Dates

August 2nd- Town Board Meeting 6pm
August 16th- Town Board Meeting 6pm
August 22nd- Open Book- in person 10-2pm
August 23rd- Open Book- by phone 10-4pm

All meetings at the Town Hall

Electronic Recycling and paper shredding

The 2023 Electronic Recycling/Shredfest is scheduled for Saturday September 16, 9-12pm, at the Town of Liberty Grove. Liberty Grove and Sister Bay Residents only.

Wisconsin Bay Park: Enjoy the beautiful view of Death's Door. There is a small parking area, picnic area, and grill. 740 Wisconsin Bay, Ellison Bay, 54210





REMEMBER

A delicious and nutritious lunch is provided by.

**The Senior Resource Center
At the
Liberty Grove Town Hall**

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
Every week, except on Holidays.

Call **920-746-2523
24 hours before the
first time you come for lunch.**

Door County Coastal Byways

The mission of all designated Scenic Byways is to educate/preserve/protect/enhance & promote the outlined intrinsic values required by the Federal Highway Administration National Scenic Byway & Wisconsin Scenic Byway programs. In addition we collaborate with other local/regional & state agencies to further these goals.

www.doorcountycoastalbyway.org

Door County North

The local business organization promoting and supporting this area.

www.doorcountynorth.org

Ellison Bay Service Club

Visit their **Facebook page** to find out the latest news & activities in **Ellison Bay** and **all over Liberty Grove**.

www.facebook.com/ellisonbayserviceclubdc

GEO-DC

Cultivating knowledge and stewardship of the Niagara Escarpment corridor and its geological, ecological, and cultural wonders in people of all ages and from all walks of life.

<https://Geo-dc.org> or

<https://www.facebook.com/geo.doorcounty>

Liberty Grove Historical Society

Preserving the artifacts, sharing the stories, and promoting the community of Liberty Grove.

www.libertygrovehistorical.org or

<https://www.facebook.com/libertygrovehistory>

**TO SUCCEED IN LIFE, YOU NEED THREE THINGS: A
WISHBONE, A BACKBONE, AND A FUNNY BONE...**

NWTC Community Education Classes

To see all the classes/credit classes offered in Sister Bay go to www.nwtc.edu and click on "Find a Class" by location and choose "Learning Innovation Center" in the drop-down box. Learn from home via Zoom.

A computer, laptop, or tablet with reliable broadband will be required for some of the classes. Instructions for accessing the class via Zoom will be provided. You can also register by calling 1-888-385-NWTC, or you can call 920-746-4970 for assistance, or contact the Learning and Innovation Center at sisterbay@nwtc.edu

Dementia 101	Thur, Sept 21	10–11:30 am	FREE	Call NWTC to reserve spot: 920-746-4970.
Dementia 101 provides education about what dementia is, the warning signs, normal signs of aging, and the importance of early detection. Resources for prevention and for after a diagnosis will also be discussed. Presented by Dementia Care Specialist Sierra Witczak from the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Door County.				
Dementia 201	Wed, Sept 27	10–11:30 am	FREE	Call NWTC to reserve spot: 920-746-4970.
Dementia 201 discusses the behaviors and challenges that occur when someone has dementia. We discuss how to handle challenging behaviors and effective communication skills to use. Participants are encouraged to ask questions and will learn about the resources available to those affected by the disease and for their caregivers. Presented by Dementia Care Specialist Sierra Witczak from the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Door County.				
Medicare Annual Open Enrollment Essentials	Thur, Sept 28	10:30 am-noon	FREE	Call the ADRC at 920-746-2372 to register.
This class will explain the upcoming Medicare Open Enrollment Period and the importance of reviewing Medicare prescription coverage. Presented by Linda Darmody, volunteer State Health Insurance Program (SHIP) counselor from the Aging & Disability Resource Center of Door County.				

Door County Library- Sister Bay / Liberty Grove

Every Thursday 10-12 pm

Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Northern Door Crafters Group

Second Tuesday each month- 2:30pm

August 08th, Horse- by Gerladine Brooks

All month long

Screen- free craft bag pickup

Wednesday, August 2

10:30 a.m. Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library

"All Together Now" Storytime and crafts

Wednesdays in August, all ages are welcome to join us for crafts and story time with Jenny Ankenbauer. Each week, a new picture book and craft related to the Summer Reading Program "All Together Now." Contact the library: 920-854-2721.

2:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library

Birch Creek Jazz Ambassadors

The Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library Garden will host the Birch Creek Jazz Ambassadors. Bring your own chair/picnic blanket, & hat/umbrella for this outdoor event. There is limited shade.

This event is sponsored by the James P. Jordan Memorial Fund. Contact the library: 920-854-2721

Thursday, August 3

1:30 p.m. Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library

Author Talk with Author Gail Kittleson – Cozy Mystery/Historical Novels

This event is sponsored by the J.P. Jordan Memorial Fund. Contact the library: 920-854-2721

Monday, August 7

2:00 p.m. Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library

Planetarium Visit

Join Amanda from the Door Peninsula Astronomical Society as she brings their mobile planetarium to the Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library. The Planetarium show will be a dazzling introduction to our solar system. Space inside the inflatable planetarium is limited. The program is suggested for ages 4 and up.

Contact: Christina 920-854-2721

Thursdays, thru August 31 Read with Libby the Library Reading Therapy Dog

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library: **Thursdays, June 22-August 31** Drop-in appointments to read with Libby. Libby is a certified therapy dog available for children of all ages to read aloud or share a book one-on-one with. A dear way to build confidence, connect with a loving Golden Retriever, and encourage reading and a love of books. Check-in at the front desk when you arrive to reserve your spot for the day. Contact Christine: 920-854-2721

Wednesday, August 16

10:30 a.m. Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library

"New To Medicare" Information Session

If you are nearing age 65, have employer insurance, and wonder if you need to enroll in Medicare, already are on Medicare but still have questions, or want to know more about those Medicare commercials you keep seeing, this session is for you! The ADRC is hosting several "New To Medicare" sessions across the county throughout the year to provide you with a comprehensive & unbiased introduction to Medicare.

At "New To Medicare" we will discuss:

- Enrolling in Medicare
- The parts of Medicare
- Differences between Original Medicare, Medicare Advantage Plans
- Medicare Supplements
- Drug coverage options
- Options to help pay for Medicare for those with limited income/asset.

Call 920-746-2372 to register or with any questions.

Sat, Aug 26, 2- 8pm PM Blues on the Bay

Ellison Bay Community Park & Beach

Bayview Rd, Ellison Bay, WI

Blues music festival to benefit Door County Secret Santa. \$20 suggested donation.

Door County Farm Markets

Baileys Harbor (Baileys Harbor Town Hall)

Sundays, 9am–1pm | May 21st-October 8th

Sister Bay (Corner of the Past Museum)

Saturdays, 8am-12pm | June 24th- October 7th

Jacksonport Farmers Market

Tuesdays, 9am-1pm May 16th- Oct 17th.

Liberty Grove Historical Society

Museum open June 24-Oct 14, Saturdays 1-4, and every Thursday 9-12 (June 29- Oct 12).

Vintage Market Sat. Aug 12 1-3p

The Liberty Grove Historical Society is closer to completing a new pedestal to honor Sister Bay/Liberty Grove First Responders. John Wilz of Hi Tec Fabrication in Sturgeon Bay partnered with Linda Wilkinson, of the historical society, in her design of the structure that will display a medallion recognizing this particular section of the walkway. The First Responders Memorial, which became part of the Heritage Walkway in 2018 and is located next to the Veterans Circle of Honor Memorial on the Liberty Grove Historical Society grounds, was dedicated as part of the Heritage Walkway on August 29, 2021. The historical society wishes this memorial to be a place to thank all First Responders, past and present. In addition, Liberty Grove Historical Society wishes to thank Weis Monument Company, Andy Franke, Pat Boilini, and Dave Westen for their help in bringing this project to completion. Each made valuable contributions. A special thank you is extended to Linda Wilkinson, Veterans Memorial and Heritage Walkway Chairperson, for her tireless dedication to seeing this unique addition through. The medallion will be placed when completed.

Pictured in the first photo: John Wilz with Linda Wilkinson

The second photo is the installation thus far. Photo Credit: Dave Westen



North County North News

August 5 & 19 (12:30 pm) : Free Blue Grass Music at Ingwersen Gallery & Studio

August 12: Liberty Grove Historical Society Vintage Market

August 22: George Sawyn in Concert

August 26: Poodlepaloosa at Gills Rock Coffee



Lake Michigan Lake Levels

Forecasted water levels for July 28th are within 2 inches of water levels from a month ago on all the lakes. When compared to last year, water levels range from 1 to 4 inches below last year's levels on Lakes Michigan-Huron, St. Clair, and Erie, while Lakes Superior and Ontario are above their levels from one year ago by 2 and 10 inches, respectively. All the lakes remain above their long-term average July water levels. By August 28th, water levels are forecast to be near their current levels on Lakes Superior and Michigan-Huron, while Lakes St. Clair, Erie, and Ontario are forecast to decline by 1, 3, and 7 inches, respectively. See our [Daily Levels](#) web page for more water level information.

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Document shredding for Liberty Grove and Village of Sister Bay residents only. Limit 5 banker boxes per residence.

Outdated prescription & non-prescription drugs being accepted by the Door County Sheriff's Department.

**PROTECT
YOUR MOST
VALUABLE
INVESTMENT**

FREE!

PROPERTY FRAUD ALERT

What is it?

Property Fraud is when someone illegally uses your property for financial gain.

How does it happen?

Someone records a document at the Door County Register of Deeds Office attempting to make it look like they own your home or property.

Should I be concerned?

Yes. Fraudulent documents are recorded in counties all over the nation each year and victims often don't even know for a long period of time.

What can I do about it?

Subscribe to the FREE notification service provided by the Door County Register of Deeds Office at:

PropertyFraudAlert.com

Carey Petersilka
Door County Register of Deeds



Scan with your
smart phone
camera to sign up!

BE INFORMED...BE ALERT...BE NOTIFIED

Property Fraud Alert Hotline: 1-800-728-3858