

September 2023



LIBERTY GROVE ROCKS

Featured Business

Solago Restaurant and Tequila Bar
10961 State Hwy 42
Sister Bay, WI 54234
920-268-4483
Solagodoorcounty.com

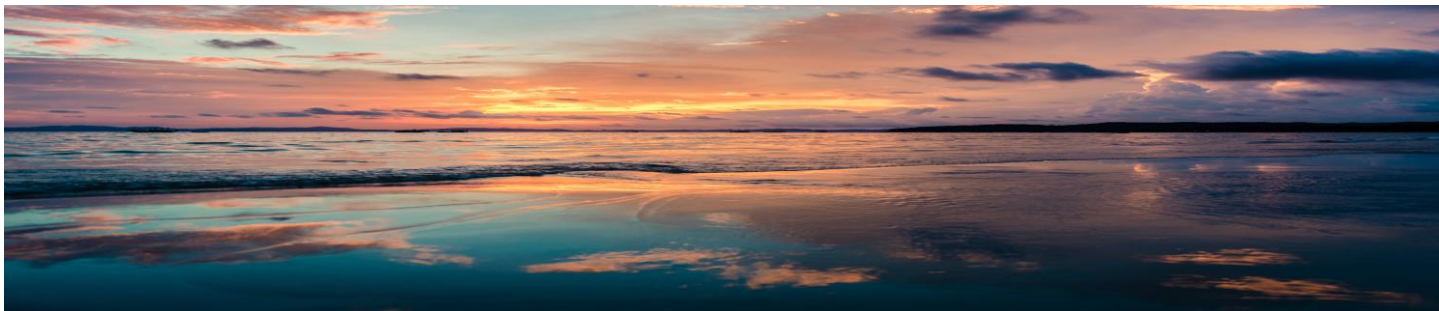
Important Dates

Sept 6th -Town Board Meeting 6pm
Sept 20th – Town Board Meeting 6pm

All meetings at the Town Hall

Mariner's Park at Gills Rock: This large grassy area is a great place to relax and watch the sunset and boats in the water. This was once the home of a large commercial fishing operation. 12695 Hwy 42, Ellison Bay, WI 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>

**ENJOY THE LITTLE THINGS IN LIFE, FOR ONE DAY YOU
MAY LOOK BACK AND REALIZE THEY WERE THE BIG
THINGS.....**

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.				

Time is running short to register for **CPR Heartsaver AED** and **Heartsaver First Aid**, both on Monday, September 11. CPR is 8 am to noon, and First Aid is 12:30 to 4:30 pm. To enroll, call 920-746-4970.

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

September 12th, Lucy By the Sea- by Elizabeth Strout

All month long

Screen- free craft bag pickup

Wednesdays the month of September

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

"All Together Now" Storytime and crafts

Wednesdays at 10:30 am in September all ages are welcome to join us for crafts, story time, and educational fun with retired kindergarten teacher Jenny Ankenbauer. Each week a new theme of picture books and crafts related to "All Together Now." Contact the Library: 920-854-2721

September 2nd and September 3rd

Saturday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm, Sunday 10-2pm Village Hall (10693 WI-42, Sister Bay)

Annual Two-Day Used Book Sale

During Marina Fest, head over to the Village Hall (10693 WI-42, Sister Bay) Saturday and Sunday for the annual Used Book Sale. All proceeds will benefit the Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library and the Gibraltar Middle School students for their Washington D.C. trip. Contact the library: 920-854-2721

Wednesday Sept 6th

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

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Tuesday, September 12

5:30 p.m. Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library

Danube River Cruise Travelogue Series (1 of 5): The Boat, Castles, and Food

Join program speaker Bill Wegehaupt in September & October for this 5-part travel series from his adventures earlier this year throughout Europe via a River Cruise on the Danube presented at the Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library. In this one we will learn about the cruise ship, castles, & some of the amazing food.

Contact the library: 920-854-2721

Tuesday, September 19

6:00 p.m. Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library

Danube River Cruise Travelogue Series (2 of 5): Photo Tour of German Cathedrals set to Live Organ Music

Join program speaker Bill Wegehaupt in September & October for this 5-part travel series from his adventures earlier this year throughout Europe via a River Cruise on the Danube presented at the Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library. In this one we will tour German cathedrals through photos & hear live organ music recorded at one of the stops. Contact the library: 920-854-2721

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).

Lake Michigan Lake Levels

Forecasted water levels for September 1st are within an inch of their levels from one month ago on all lakes, except Lake Ontario, which is 4 inches below its level from last month. Water levels projected for September 1st on Lakes Superior, St. Clair, Erie, and Ontario are above their levels from last year by 1, 4, 4, and 14 inches, respectively. Lake Michigan-Huron is 3 inches below its level from one year ago. All lakes are 5 to 17 inches above their long-term September average levels. By October 1st, Lakes Superior and Michigan-Huron are forecast to drop 2 to 3 inches, while Lakes St. Clair, Erie, and Ontario are expected to decline by 6 to 7 inches. See our [Daily Levels](#) web page for more water level information.

Door County North News

Mark Your Calendars

[September 2: Gills Rock Art Fest](#)

[September 22/23: Challenge Walk MS Door County 2023](#)

[September 30: Annual Hugel Haus Oktoberfest](#)

[October 21/22: Ellison Bay Arts-Fall Art Crawl](#)

Aging & Disability Resource Center of Door County

@ THE DOOR COUNTY SENIOR & COMMUNITY CENTER

916 N. 14th Ave. • Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235

920-746-ADRC (2372) • Toll free: 855-828-2372

Email: ADRC@co.door.wi.us

Website: www.ADRCDoorCounty.org

Open Monday – Thursday 7:30 am to 4:30 pm

Friday 7:30 a.m. -1:30 pm

Antique Tractor & Arts Festival



A new view of The Antique Tractor & Arts Festival with thanks to ***Dan Eggert Photography***. From this perspective, it is easy to see that it takes a community of volunteers and participants to make the event a success. We extend our sincere appreciation to each person who helped in any way and to the many visitors in attendance. The collective efforts of all help us to preserve the rich history of Liberty Grove, one story, one artifact, and sometimes one building, at a time. Liberty Grove Historical Society is an all-volunteer organization. This event is the major fundraiser for the historical society each year.

While there are many special individuals who give of their time and talents in various aspects of this event, LGHS extends a special note of thanks to Dave Westen, AT&AF Event Organizer. Thank you for all the effort you put in throughout the year to make this occasion special. Know that it is recognized and greatly appreciated.

~Thank You to Our 2023 Sponsors~

Dave's Tree Service
Door County Ice Cream Factory & Sandwich Shoppe
Door County North
Island Orchard Cider

Main Street Market
Piggly Wiggly
The Shoreline Restaurant
Wisconsin Public Radio

***Mark your calendars and plan to volunteer and attend next year,**

July 27-28, 2024.



Sister Bay & Liberty Grove Fire Department Chief Chris Hecht recently visited the historical society to talk about the connections between the fire department's history and long-time Northern Door County families.

Liberty Grove Historical Society board member Cheryl Culver videotaped his comments on the fire department's history and the Veterans Circle of Honor Memorial | First Responders portion of the Heritage Walkway. LGHS is a partner of the SBLGFD History Project. The video will be available on the LGHS YouTube Channel when edited for publication.

Pictured: Chief Hecht with Cheryl Culver

Photo Credit: Maryanne O'Dowd



Electronics Recycling

Paper Shredding & Medication Collection

Paper Shredding is limited to 5 banker boxes per Village or Town resident.
Recycling and Medication Collection is open to the public.

Proud Member of Wisconsin DNR

E-Cycle Wisconsin

Saturday, September 16th
9:00AM to Noon

11161 Old Stage Rd
Sister Bay, WI

Town of Liberty Grove
and
Village of Sister Bay



**RAIN
or
SHINE**

All information on Hard Drives, Sim
Cards, Flash Drives, etc. will be
erased/destroyed

Apple products should have iCloud
account removed prior to drop off

**Recycle Anything
With a Plug**

Free To Recycle

Anything Metal	Credit Card	Flag Poles	Microwaves	Table Saw
Appliances	Machines	Garbage disposal	Plugs	Tillers
Bed Frames	Curling Irons	Hair Dryer	Pots and Pans	Tools
Bikes	Dish Washers	Hand Tools	Power cords	Toys
Cables	Drills	Ironing Board	Printers	Trailers
Calculators	Dryers	Irons	Saw blades	Treadmills
Car Parts	Electric Motors	Keyboards	Scooters	Tricycle
Cell Phones	Elliptical Machines	Lamps	Screen Doors	Wash Machines
Chain Saw	Exercise Equipment	Laptops	Shelves	Water Heater
Chairs	Farm Equipment	Lawn Mowers	Snow Blower	Weight Benches
Coffee Machines	Faucets	Lighting	Speakers	Weight Sets
Computers	Fax Machines	Lithium Batteries	Staplers	Wire
Cordless phones	File cabinets	Metal Pipes	Stereos	
		Metal Roofing	Stoves	

Fee To Recycle

LCD Monitors	\$10
CRT Monitors	\$15
Any Flat Panel TV	\$15
TVS Under 30"	\$15
TVs Over 30"	\$30
Console TV	\$50
Projection TV	\$50
Bare Tubes	\$50
Refrigerators	\$10
Freezers	\$10
Dehumidifiers	\$5
AC Units	\$5



B3 Recycling Solutions
920.246.7143 ecyclenow.com





UWO | UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN
OSHKOSH

FALL 2023 DOOR COUNTY PRIVATE WELL MONITORING PROGRAM

TESTING PARAMETERS

- 💧 Total coliforms/*E. coli* (quantification)
- 💧 Nitrate (Nitrate + nitrite as N)

Cost is only \$30*

**Discounted rate for the first 300 registrants; \$45 for those registering after the first 300 registrants.*

Optional arsenic, pH, alkalinity, hardness and iron tests available at an additional cost of \$25

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The University of WI Oshkosh has been offering discounted well water quality testing through this program since 2019. The goal of this program is to provide education about the importance of testing your well water as well as build a database of groundwater quality data in Door County.

HOW IT WORKS

- RSVP using the link or QR code below by September 22nd
- Receive sampling kit in mail
- Attend a virtual forum to learn how to sample
- Return your kit October 6th or 7th at designated drop-off locations
- Receive your results & countywide summary of study



Registration accepted through September 22nd

RSVP online at <https://uwo.sh/doorco-wells-fall23> or using the QR code

**Prepayment using a credit card is accepted when you RSVP online, otherwise mailed checks are accepted made out to UW Oshkosh. Note that sampling kits will not be mailed out until payment is received.*

Sample drop-off is October 6th & 7th – mark your calendars!

For more information, contact Carmen Ebert at eric@uwosh.edu or (920) 424-3148