



2024

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Mon. Tues. Thurs.
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enjoy finding typos.

Mayor's Message

Summer has arrived and will be officially here on June 21. The good news is that our Swimming Beach is officially open and the swimming buoys are in place.

No lifeguard on duty. Swim at your own risk!

2024 Beach Parking Passes are available for residents of Lake St. Croix Beach only and can be purchased at City Hall. Cost is \$10 for the 2024 season. If you are 65 years of age or older, you can get a beach parking pass for free.

The Beach Pavilion at Riverfront Park is also ready for use. This is a great location and facility for your summer gathering with the playground, beach, restrooms, changing area, grills, and tables available. Reservations can be made through City Hall to use the pavilion for your event.

Summer parking restrictions are in effect. On street parking is prohibited between 10 am and 8 pm from May 1 through September 30 on the east side of CSAH 18 and where posted "No Parking." Parking tickets will be issued for parking on the streets.

The Parking Lot closes at 9 p.m. If you have non-resident guests parked in front of your home, call the Washington County non emergency number at 651.439.9381.

For everyone's safety, no dogs, liquor, open fires, or fishing are allowed on the swimming beach. Help keep our City clean.

Father's Day is Sunday, June 16, a perfect day to honor your father with a hug, phone call, or visit.

~ Mayor Tom

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715.220.1332

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651.208.4684
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County) 651.403.6655

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651.436.5469

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911

**Permitted boats must be in the water by
June 15, 2024 for inspections!**

REMINDER

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May 1 through September 30

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If you observe any parking on the streets of LSCB during the Summer Parking
Restriction, call -

**Washington County Sheriff's Office Dispatch
(24 hrs./non-emergency).....(651) 439-9381 Depart-**

Heritage Day Tuesday August 1, 2023



The annual Heritage Day celebration is
planned for Tuesday, August 1, 2023.

LSCB has been celebrating its Heritage
for many years. It is the City's annual
community-building celebration that

combines both Night to Unite and the City's Heritage into
one evening.



Donations and volunteers are needed. If you can help, please call Council
Member Tim Schneider at 608-317-7422. *Watch For Future Updates*

**Lower St. Croix Valley Veterans Memorial Park
16455 20th St. South
Lake St. Croix Beach, MN 55043**

Donations can be made to the Lower St. Croix Valley Veterans Memorial
(LSCVVM). 100% of your donation is tax deductible; the Memorial is a
501(c)3 organization and completely funded through donations.

To purchase a brick for yourself, friend, or loved one who lives or lived in
the Valley, donations are accepted. Send a check to LSCVVM, 16455
20th St. S. Lake St. Croix Beach MN 55043. We need a name, branch
of service, and years served. Suggested donation for a brick is \$25.

The **VALLEY LIBRARY** will be closed **Wednesday June 19th** for the Juneteenth holiday.

Did you know Washington County Library will have a booth at the 2024 Afton Strawberry Festival? Make sure to stop by for stickers, swag, and a fun family activity...and say "hi" to your favorite Valley Library staff.

June 1 – August 17 Washington County Library celebrates you! Kids, Teens, and Adults can participate in our Summer Reading program all summer long. Enjoy your summer, tell us all about it, and win prizes!

Wednesday June 12th @ 12:00 Roe Family Singers Join us for a **Summer Reading Kick-off party!** The Roe Family Singers will headline the day with a special concert. Enjoy original music and contemporary takes on old-time, traditional, and bluegrass tunes mixed into one roiling and rollicking river of fresh yet familiar American music. We will also be celebrating all day with fun, special activities for all ages.

For Kids: Every Monday 10:30-11:00 am Storytime Join us at 10:30 a.m. on Mondays for Storytime at Valley Library. Each week we'll read stories and sing songs that focus on strengthening early literacy skills. Meet new friends and spend time together as we sing, talk, read, write, and play ...at storytime! This storytime is for children of all ages and their caregivers.

Super Storytime on **June 17th** 10:30-11:30 – Storytime plus a fun craft activity.

Saturday, June 8th 11:00-12:30 Summer STEM: Boat Building – Join us for boat building and exploring the concept of buoyancy. Your challenge: Can you make a boat out of recycled materials that will float holding at least one toy dinosaur!

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Tuesday, June 25th @ 3:00 Bill the Juggler - Years ago, young Bill decided he wanted to learn to juggle, so he read lots of books about juggling and he practiced! Today, Bill shows off his impressive skills with a little help from the audience in this zany comedy juggling act!

For Adults: **Saturday June 15th** 10:30-1:30pm Make a Sami inspired 8 Strand Chevron bracelet with teaching artist Katherine Buenger at the Valley Library. Registration is required <https://washcolib.libcal.com/event/12267543>

Saturday June 22nd 10:00-12:00 AND Tuesday June 25th 2:00-4:00pm Let's Make Stuff: Pressed Flower Lantern join our talented staff at the RH Stafford Woodbury branch where you will make your own Pressed Flower Lanterns. Registration is required

Saturday June 22nd 2:00-3:30pm Visible Mending Sampler at the RH Stafford branch in Woodbury. Create a reference library of three simple visible mending techniques to use on your wardrobe. Registration is required <https://washcolib.libcal.com/event/12147304>

The Valley Library Book Club meets 5:00-6:00pm on the 4th Thursday of every month. This book club meets in person in the Valley Library conference room but a Microsoft Teams link can be provided for those who wish to join virtually.

The title selection for the **Thursday June 27th** meeting is "*Deacon King Kong*" by James McBride. Copies are available to borrow at the Valley branch.

Ongoing: Scavenger Hunt – June Theme: Summer Find images throughout the library and win a prize. The Valley Library Art Cart is available whenever the library is open. We provide the supplies and you provide the creativity!

Trim Your Trees

The City receives a number of complaints concerning trees and hedges growing over lane ways, obstructing street signs and interfering with sight lines at intersections.

Please trim your trees and shrubs back at least 5 feet from the road and 12 feet up.

This is especially important at 4-way intersections.

The City's Building Inspector is Stensland Inspections
Phone: 651-436-7669 stenslandinspections@gmail.com
PRIOR TO STARTING ANY BUILDING PROJECT, please call the City Office (651.436.7031) to determine whether a permit will be required.



RENTAL HOUSING PROPERTY—The City of Lake St. Croix Beach requires all rental housing property to be licensed to protect the health, safety, and welfare of its residents. The goal is to ensure all rental properties are properly maintained and comply with State and local building and zoning codes, and fire codes, by conducting onsite inspections.

Any portion of a single-family dwelling or accessory apartment rented to and occupied by someone other than family members of the owner of the principal structure are required to obtain a license for a Residential Rental Property.

Letters have recently been sent to non-homesteaded properties in the City along with a LSCB Rental License Application and LSCVFD Evaluation Affidavit. If you have a rental property and did not receive an application, please contact City Hall at 651.436.7031.

Field of Bands 2024 Saturday, September 21st



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