

Village of Random Lake

News, Reminders & Notes January 2024

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**Burr Oak, Bob
McDermott Lakeview,
Kircher, Bertram, & Jacoby
Park Hours :**
6am - 11 pm

**Bob McDermott Lakeview
Park Fees:**

- * Boat Launch Resident - \$5
- * Boat Launch Non-resident - \$8
- * Car Parking Resident - Free
- * Car Parking Non-resident - \$8

Proof of residency must be shown in order to receive resident rates.

UPDATES FOR JANUARY - FEBRUARY:

PAVILLION RENTALS - The 2024 calendar year for rentals is open. The pavilion at Bob McDermott Lakeview Park can be rented by both residents and non-residents. Check the calendar on the village website to see available dates. Reservations are based upon a first come first serve basis. Both the application and payment must be received before the reservation can be made.

SEASON BOAT LAUNCH PASSES - The 2024 annual boat launch passes are available at village hall for purchase. Reminder if applying you must provide the License Plate of the vehicle as well as the Boat Registration number.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE PROGRAM - Mark your calendar for April 6th as Sheboygan County Planning and Conservation will be hosting a Hazardous Waste Collection. Included in this mailing is a list of acceptable items, dates, times and locations. If unable to attend the April 6th collection there are other dates available.

VILLAGE BI-ANNUAL BULK DROP OFF - Note that April 6th is also the date of the village bulk item drop off. Time for this drop off has not been scheduled yet. Once a time is confirmed you will be notified via the newsletter. A list of acceptable items for this drop off will be included in the February mailing.

Utility back of bills and newsletters

A reminder to please read the back of your utility bill. On the top of the back of the bill are the rates being charged for the utilities. On the bottom of the back of the bill are reminders, notes, and general information related to utilities.

That section is updated every month, just like the newsletter, to inform users of potential changes happening with utility, inform users of programs available to them, and general information about the processes related to your utility.

You can view prior utility information as well as previous newsletters on the village website at:

<https://www.randomlakewi.com/welcome-village-random-lake/pages/village-newsletters-and-back-bills>

TAX BILLS:

First installment due
January 31, 2024, payable to

Village of Random Lake

Second installment due
July 31, 2024, payable to

Sheboygan County Treasurer

“TRUSTEE TIDBITS”

by Trustee Elizabeth Manian

A Sample of the People of Random Lake’s Neighborhood

There was a whole different subject for my Tid-Bit, until this week when a Blizzard arrived! My daughter Romy and our friend Barb Glass got on the phone together when I asked for help. Why? Several years ago I learned a lesson about heavy snow, specifically on the roof. If there is a pile of snow creating icicles, it means melting followed by push back into your home will create water streaming down your inside walls. So we replaced the roof and added the needed layer which keeps that from happening. However, I was not feeling completely secure with ten inches of snow and big icicles that were causing me to worry. I did roof-rack a little, but it was so heavy!

We also have a 100 ft deck that collected at least four feet of snow in the back of the house with an exposed basement lay-out of our home on a hill. It accumulated at least four feet of snow and also 15 inches of snow on the railing. Jacob Williamson of the Fire Dept came to check things out as he climbed over the several feet high pile of rock-sized at the curb, then had to slide down the pile when he left.

My daughter contacted Eric Rathke. On Friday after working all day, Eric and his friend, Indar, came and cleared the deck and started roof-racking. On Saturday Eric and Son Spencer came and completed the job with vigor.

There were other lessons learned this weekend from Jacob, including being sure you clear the vent from your exhaust pipe. That exhaust DOES carry a slight amount of Carbon Monoxide, so cover your face while checking. Jacob also checked my heart rate and breathing since I was stressed and experienced back-lash as I checked the outside vents. He brought a monitor for air quality as well and checked it out. He stressed the fact that you must make absolutely sure you have two doors accessible to get out in case of a fire since snow and freezing can easily block your doors. as well as your Garage Door.

Hopefully my wish is that you read this and realize it is not about me, with explanation, and as much as I want to tell you how grateful I am to live in this Village with neighbors who are so good at being helpful and caring. If I have another Tid-Bit in the future I have a lot of notes to share about other wonderful neighbors who we need to thank.

