Village of Random Lake

News, Reminders & Notes April 2024

Village offices closed: May 27th

Village President:

Mike San Felippo

Board of Trustees:

- * Elizabeth Manian
- * Barbara Ruege
- * Jeff Schultz
- * Eric Stowell
- * Duane Urbanski
- * Keri Wallenkamp

Phone: 920-994-4852

Website:

www.randomlakewi.com

Physical Address:

96 Russell Drive

Mailing Address:

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Office Hours:

M-F 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Dept. of Public Work Hours: M-f 6 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Clerk/Treasurer:

Stephanie Waala

Dept. of Public Works Director:

Peter Lederer

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 APRIL - MAY:

2023 CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT

DATE - Enclosed with this mailing is the annual water quality report on the villages drinking water. If you have any questions don't hesitate to contact DPW Director Peter Lederer.

BOAT LAUNCH - BMLP boat launch has been in for a couple of weeks now. Residents and non-residents can purchase an annual boat launch pass from village hall. If you purchase the Sheboygan County Annual Launch Permit, be aware that this is not valid in Random Lake as it is not a lake maintained by the county.

Operator "bartender" licenses:

Annual licenses will be expiring June 30th. If you possess one of these license keep an eye out for your renewal letter. If interested in becoming an operator stop at village hall to obtain the information needed.

NO MOW MAY - The Village of Random Lake does not participate in this. Lawns, grasses, and noxious weeds on a parcel of land, occupied or unoccupied, which exceed six inches in length adversely affect the public health and safety of the public. When a complaint is received the property owner will receive a 5 day notice to rectify the situation before additional action will be taken.

MOVE IN/OUT - We are sad to see you go, but please remember to notify Village Hall at 920-994-4852 when you know the date of your move. Additionally provide the new address for the final bill as well as the information of the new occupants to set up their account.

Parks opening up

In the month of April all the parks within the village have been opened up to the public. Here are some basic rules for Bob McDermott Lakeview Park, Kircher Park, Bertram Park, and Burr Oak park.

- Hours 6am 11pm
- No fires in the park unless in designated grill areas
- All refuse, paper or waste materials shall be placed in receptacles provided
- No glass containers
- Animals are allowed, but only on a six foot or less leash, never at large

"TRUSTEE TIDBITS" by Trustee Duane Urbanski

There are many new, exciting things happening in our Village this spring. One of the most noticeable is the new building in Bob McDermott Lakeview Park. This is our new Random Lake Lions Club Snack Shack. The Random Lake Lions Club donated the funds to build the Snack Shack. They are also responsible for the donation of a commercial freezer to be used in the building. Schwartz Septic Service donated the supplies and labor to install plumbing in the building. Many others donated their time and efforts to make this wonderful project happen.

The Snack Shack will be utilized for many purposes. During summer months, Village employees will work out of the building to monitor and collect fees for parking. Those employees will also work to offer "snacks" to visitors of the park. Visitors will be able to purchase pre-made food products (i.e. ice cream, sandwiches, ice, etc.). Frozen burgers, brats and hot dogs can also be purchased for visitors to cook on their own grills.

Another use of the Snack Shack will be to serve concessions for the summer music series, Music in the Park. Each group will be able to use the building to serve food and beverages for the music events. There will also be BBQ grills and griddles for these groups to use to prepare their burgers, brats and hot dogs along with any specialty items.

Questions have been posed as to why there is no window facing the parking lot instead of just a door. To comply with DNR regulations, the building could not be built up against the curb. With the setback, a window would have posed a safety issue for the Village employees collecting parking fees. The decision was made to utilize the door to facilitate the parking fee collection and offer the safest conditions for the Village employees.

Target completion date is Memorial Day Weekend.

Spring Election

The Spring Election was held on April 2nd and of the 987 eligible voters in the village, 423 came out to vote. This election contained a variety of items to vote on. One of bigger contests was the Village Trustee positions. For the 3 open seats there were five candidates. After a close race there was one incumbent re-elected and two new members to the village board. The terms for the village board are for 2 years and each year there are three positions up for election. If you are interested in ever becoming a trustee you can file paperwork for the 2025 election starting December 1, 2024.

What services the Sheriff's Department offers the village.

Each month the Sheboygan County Sheriff's Department submits to the village board a report listing hours of service and complaints received.

If you are interested in viewing these reports they are on the village website with the minutes of the village board meetings.

If and when you see something happening in the village that you wish to report, please call their non-emergency number 920-459-3111.