



BROWN DEER TRACKER

July 18, 2014



Upcoming Events

Village Hall, 4800 W Green Brook Dr

July 21

Village Board, 6:30pm

Building Board - Cancelled

Library Events

5600 W Bradley Road

July 17

Family Movie Night -
"Rio", 5:30pm

July 22

Lego Club, 6-7pm

Quote of the Week

"There is only one success - to be able to spend your life in your own way."

- Christopher Morley

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Public Information Meeting regarding WIS 57 & 100 Intersection!

Final Chance to voice your opinion on July 30th for the next 50 years! Village of Brown Deer residents, public officials, business owners and other stake holders are opposed to the WI DOT's plan to rebuild the N. Green Bay Rd. and W. Brown Deer Rd. interchange and prefer the intersection "at-grade". Why the at-grade intersection is preferred: Aesthetics, Access/Economic Development, Cost, Connectivity, and Quality of Life.

The Public Informational meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 30th from 4:00-6:00pm at the Lois and Tom Dolan Community Center, located at 4355 West Bradley Road.



DID YOU HEAR...?

- ⇒ The annual pavement marking project continues. Work has progressed slowly due to the foggy and rainy weather. The Village contracts with Crowley Construction Corporation to re-paint all of the faded roadway pavement markings including pavement markings in parking lots at the Library and Village Hall. The entire yellow centerline pavement marking work has been completed along with most of the hand painting for stop bars, crosswalks, words, & symbols. White edge line painting will continue throughout the month of July during the overnight hours so as not to disrupt traffic.
- ⇒ As of July 7th the Zoning & Planning Specialist has recorded 200 code violations into our database. Roughly 110 of them have been resolved. Next up for monitoring, code violations at various commercial and industrial parcels.

ON THE BDPD BEAT:



The Brown Deer Police invite you to attend the "Night Out for Justice" event, to unify our neighborhoods and cultivate and strengthens partnerships among the community, youth, Police, other agencies and community-based organizations. Join us Tuesday, July 29th, at 5pm and celebrate our determination to build a safer and cleaner community. Move information will be found on the Police Department website and [Facebook](#) page as the event approaches. See you there!



7 DAYS OF ENJOYMENT

Remember the Pond is open seven days a week weather permitting. Pond season ends Sunday, August 18th. Come out and take advantage of the nice weather with your friends at the Pond.

CAR SEAT & BOOSTER SAFETY CHECK

Are you sure the car seat is secure? Come to the Car Seat and Booster Safety Check, Tuesday, July 22, from 3-6 pm, at Sommers Automotive, 7211 W Mequon Road. Certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians will help families make sure children are riding safely. Appointments are encouraged, but families without appointments will be seen as time allows. This free event is sponsored by Safe Kids, Children's Hospital Wisconsin, and Sommers Automotive. Low cost car seats will be available for purchase by appointment only; both the child and the vehicle must be present. Call 414-231-4896 for your appointment or to ask questions.

ANNUAL "BIG FLUSH" SCHEDULED

The Brown Deer Water Utility will begin its annual "Big Flush" of the water system starting Tuesday, July 15th, and lasting 3-4 weeks. The process begins at the water system supply points and moves water through the pipes to the extremities of the system. The goal is to remove any mineral sediment that builds up in the pipes, improve water quality, and maintain the valves and hydrants in the system. The flushing does cause a temporary stirring of sediments. Some suggestions to make the "Big Flush" go smoothly:

- Watch for the signs! We will post signs along the entry roads to the neighborhood being flushed on any given day.
- The day we are in your neighborhood, refrain from doing laundry if possible (sediment can damage clothes & wash machines) & wait for the water to clear before using for drinking or cooking.
- The days following are a good time for you to "spring clean" your plumbing. Run water from all faucets for about 5 minutes while flushing all toilets. While this seems like a lot of water, it is a good practice to remove any loose sediment buildup in your own plumbing. The cost of a 5 minute flush is less than 15 cents.
- After flushing your plumbing, remove faucet screens and clean out any sediment that collects.
- If you have questions, contact the Water Utility at 414-371-3080.



Reminder

Mulch is free to resident for pick-up at the recycling center during normal operating hours. Mulch deliveries can be purchased at \$55 for 3-yards or \$65 for 5-yards. Mulch orders and payment must be received by Wednesday for Friday delivery.

Brown Deer Green Summer Vacation Day, this Saturday from 10-1pm!

In cooperation with the Village of Brown Deer, MMSD presents Brown Deer's Green Summer! MMSD is working with Village residents to manage stormwater on their property by giving away rain barrels and rain gardens at no cost. Join them for a Green Summer Vacation Day at the Brown Deer Library. Drop in at this family event, and you can paint a rain barrel, plant a prairie and make a seed ball. We'll have refreshments, great information about rain barrels, rain gardens and composting, and interactive activities for kids and adults. You can be part of Brown Deer's Green Summer too!



Recycling Center Hours (April thru Sept)

Tuesdays & Thursdays
12:00pm to 8:00pm
Saturday
10:00am to 5:00pm

Blood Pressure Screenings

Do you know what your blood pressure is? The next one will be at the Shorewood office of the North Shore Health Department on Wednesday, July 23, from 3:30-5:30pm.



Lois & Tom Dolan Community Center

Need a place to hold your next meeting or party? The hall in the Lois & Tom Dolan Community Center accommodates up to 100 people. Available year-round for your next luncheon, shower, or meeting. Call 414-371-3070.

2014 Discount Tickets

Discount tickets, sponsored by the Wisconsin Park & Recreation Association may be purchased at the Park & Rec Dept. for the following attractions: Milwaukee County Zoo, Six Flags Great America, Mt. Olympus and Noah's Ark Water Parks. Rates are a substantial savings from the gate price. See the Our Brown Deer Magazine for ticket prices.

Weekly Health Tip

If you go for a bike ride, please be sure to ride safely. Bike riding is a lot of fun, but accidents happen. That's why it's so important for adults and children to wear a bike helmet. Wearing one doesn't mean you can be reckless, but a helmet will provide some protection for your face, head, and brain in case you fall down. Bike helmets should sit level and not tilt back. Stick to low-traffic streets, parks or bike paths. Have fun and be safe!