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Mishicot Area Growth & Improvement Committee

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MAGIC Annual Banquet Award Winners Named

The 29th Annual Banquet was held at Fox Hills Resort on March 30, 2014. Rod Scheuer hosted the event. Community service awards were presented:

- GENIE: for an Outstanding Volunteer
 - ❖ Allen Kliment
- RED CARPET: for an organization providing outstanding service to our village
 - ❖ Pink Heals Manitowoc County WI
- ABRACADABRA: for a business providing outstanding leadership and service to our community
 - ❖ Mishicot Dental
- DESIGN: for Business providing outstanding property improvement to its premises
 - ❖ Mishicot Veterinary Clinic
- SPECIAL LIFETIME: for an individual who has volunteered and served the community over a number of years
 - ❖ Mel and Rose Bourgeois
- OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION BY A CONTRACTOR
 - ❖ Jon Sprang
- SPECIAL COMMUNITY APPRECIATION: for outstanding community involvement by business
 - ❖ Mishicot Country Store
 - ❖ Mishicot Cenex Convenience Store

Business Awards



Organizations & Individuals





MAGIC Award Winners *continued*.....

- ❖ **Allen Kliment:** Allen has been emcee of the MAGIC Outdoor Summer Concert series for years and is a leader of Mishicot Youth Sports. Allen announces all MHS home varsity football and boys' and girls' basketball games; and runs the clock at Silver Lake College basketball games. He also is a member of the Two Rivers Municipal Band. He has taught in the Mishicot School District for 24 years. He announces the prize winners at Pumpkinfest and is willing to help out in any way he can, whenever he can.
- ❖ **Pink Heals:** Pink Heals was founded in 2012. The organization's mission is to "rally people together to celebrate people...for the fight against cancer." The program is about community, family, and neighbors. Pink Heals is made up completely of volunteers. The money raised stays in Manitowoc County. Their "Direct Care Assistance Program" is funded by the sale of merchandise at events. The organization now has its very own pink fire truck. More information is available on the Mishicot Pink Heals Manitowoc County WI Facebook page.
- ❖ **Mishicot Dental:** Mishicot Dental began the now annual Easter Egg Hunt at the VFW which has grown more popular every year. As a member of the Mishicot Business Association, the clinic supports little league baseball, summer concerts, Riverfest, Pumpkinfest, and Christmas in the Village, and many other worthy causes. The staff often goes to schools to help educate students about dental health in a fun way. To learn more about Mishicot Dental to their web site at www.mishicotdental.com.
- ❖ **Mishicot Veterinary Clinic:** Dr. Michelle Rider worked with Dr. Allen Lande before taking over the practice in 2012. Dr. Melanie Goble joined the clinic in 2013. Michelle's husband, James, updated the outside of the business premises while the inside was redecorated and additional diagnostic equipment purchased to better serve clients. More information about the clinic is available online at www.mishicotvet.com and on their Facebook page.
- ❖ **Mel and Rose Bourgeois:** The Bourgeois's have delivered Meals on Wheels for over two decades. The couple has encountered more than a few emergencies while delivering these meals and are always ready to help those in need. They are instrumental in the Aging and Disability Resource Center of the Lakeshore.
- ❖ **Jon Sprang:** Jon worked for Kadow Plumbing before starting his own business in 1990. He has generously donated his time and talent to renovate the concession building in the village park, concession stands at the high school, and renovations and repair at the Mishicot Historical Museum. Jon has also been a loyal sponsor of the outdoor summer concert series.
- ❖ **Mishicot Country Store and Mishicot Cenex Convenience Store:** Both of these stores are part of the Country Visions Cooperative. The stores serve the interests of the Mishicot community and play a major part in our festivals through monetary sponsorship and hosting of the Giant Pumpkin Weigh-Off in October, plus hosting their own events throughout the year. Making major improvements in their building sites, these businesses have invested in the future of Mishicot and have stayed true to the Country Visions mission or being "your partner for success."

Thank you to the businesses and individuals who donated prizes for our raffle: Melvin and JoAnn Kliment, Cenex Convenience Store, Shipbuilders Credit Union, and Steve's Meats. Thanks also to Rod Scheuer for serving as emcee for the evening.



M.A.G.I.C. 2014 Calendar of Events

<i>Village-Wide Rummage Sale</i>	<i>May 16-17</i>
<i>Farmer's Market</i>	<i>Wednesdays in late May until Oct. 20</i>
<i>Outdoor Summer Concert Series</i>	<i>Wednesdays in June—September</i>
<i>Memorial Day Parade/Ceremony</i>	<i>May 26</i>
<i>MBA Movie Night in Village Park</i>	<i>July 10</i>
<i>Riverfest</i>	<i>July 24- 27</i>
<i>MBA Movie Night in Village Park</i>	<i>August 14</i>
<i>27th Annual Pumpkinfest</i>	<i>October 18</i>
<i>Christmas in the Village</i>	<i>December 6</i>
<i>Christmas at the Museum</i>	<i>December</i>

Current Calendar available at www.mishicot.org

Other Village Dates to Remember

<i>Craw Fish Boil hosted by Mishicot Youth Wrestling Club</i>	<i>May 31</i>
<i>Holy Cross Parish Picnic</i>	<i>June 1</i>
<i>Hannahville Potawatomi Pow Wow Trip</i>	<i>June 21</i>
<i>Youth Sports Tournament</i>	<i>June 26 – 29</i>
<i>National Pink Heals Tour</i>	<i>July 26</i>
<i>4th Annual PJ's Walk for Life</i>	<i>July 27</i>
<i>Ice Age Trail Project</i>	<i>July 23-27</i>
<i>Andercraft Woods Garden Party</i>	<i>August 16</i>
<i>Good Times Restaurant Car Show</i>	<i>August 16</i>
<i>Bluegrass Under the Pines</i>	<i>August 31</i>
<i>Mishicot Cares Enough to Wear Pink</i>	<i>October 25</i>
<i>Small Business Saturday</i>	<i>November 29</i>
<i>Social Nights @ Main Street Coffee Haus & Bistro</i>	<i>3rd Thursday of each Month</i>

Did you Know...?

The Romy Gosz All Star Reunion Band was created by "Tuba" Dan Jerabek, longtime polka & big band leader from the Fox River Valley. With the permission of the Gosz Family, the band plays Romy's music.

The band consists of well-known band leaders from throughout Northeastern Wisconsin including Mark Jirikovec, Jerry Schnieder, Dan Jerabek Jr., Elmer Hayes, & several others. The band members share a love of the music of the "Polka King" Romy Gosz

On the Mishicot High School grounds: 660 Washington Street
 Inclement weather: inside O.H. Schultz Elementary School
 510 Woodlawn Drive

2014 10th Anniversary **Summer Concerts**

Date	Time	Band	Concessions
June 11	6: 30 PM	Mishicot Melody Makers	Ladies of Holy Cross 5:30 PM
June 18	6: 30 PM	Luxemburg/Casco Community Band	Knights of Columbus 5:30 PM
June 25	6: 30 PM	 Kiel Municipal Band	Girl Scouts 5:30 PM
July 2	6: 30 PM	132 nd Army Reserve Band	Two Rivers Band Members 5:30 PM
July 9	6: 30 PM	Mark Jirikovec Band	Knights of Columbus 5:30 PM
July 16	6: 30 PM	Two Rivers Municipal Band	Pink Heals 5:30 PM
July 23	6: 30 PM	Debbie Rohr and Friends	Kettle Range Snow Riders 5:30 PM
July 30	6: 30 PM	The Del Rays 	Two Rivers Band Members 5:30 PM
August 6	6:30 PM	Rod Scheuer and Friends	Ladies of St. Peter's 5:30 PM
August 13	6:30 PM	Brass Factory Big Band	TBA 5:30 PM
August 20	<u>6 PM</u>	Newtonburg Brass Band	Zion United Methodist Church 5 PM
August 27	<u>6 PM</u>	Romy Gosz All Star Reunion Band	Boy Scouts 5 PM
September 3	<u>6 PM</u>	The Dorf Kapelle	Melnik Presbyterian Church 5 PM

Please note that no alcohol or tobacco products are allowed on school grounds.
 Please support our service organizations' concessions—no carry-ins.

 <u>Thank you to our Sponsors</u> 		
Alan & Kathy Beranek	Fox Hills Resort	Mishicot Dental
Andercraft Woods	Good Times Restaurant / Banquet Hall	Mishicot Subway
Badger Bowl/Cozy Corner Café	Green Acres Lawn & Garden Center	Mishicot Veterinary Clinic
Bank First National	Heyroth Mini Storage/Richard Heyroth	Pathways Photography
Brian Benzinger Builders	Jon Sprang Renovation	REMAX Port Cities Realtors
Brickners Parkside Auto	Kadow Plumbing & Heating	RiverEdge Galleries
Chillers Bar/Embers Restaurant	Lambert Eckert Funeral Home	Round 'Em Up Saloon
CENEX & Mishicot Country Store	Machuts Supper Club of Two Rivers	Shipbuilders Credit Union
DFC Computers	Main Street Coffee House & Bistro	Sun Sations Tanning Salon
Fat Boyz II of Tisch Mills 	Mishicot Auto Sales	Trendsetters Salon/MT Cup
	Wisconsin Nationwide Transportation	

Thank these loyal sponsors: Shop Local !

Village News

New Police Officer

Officer Thomas Develice has taken a new position and will no longer be in the Mishicot Police Department. However, Chris Kaminski has joined the department. Chris served as a reserve deputy for the Manitowoc County Sheriff's office since 2010. He graduated from LTC with an Associate Degree in Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement and has earned state certification in 2012. Chris is a 1985 graduate of Manitowoc Lutheran and a Marine Corps veteran. He is employed at Jagemann Stamping and is a father to Costner, Morgan, and Madison, as well as being an active Boy Scout leader. His goals are to serve the Village and ensure the safety and best interests of the community. He looks forward to meeting more people in our community and would like to thank everyone he has met in the village and express his appreciation for the warm welcome he has received.



*Village President, Bernie Samz, welcomes
Chris Kaminski to the
Mishicot Police Department*

New Village Employee

John Tulachka is our new DPW/Utility Maintenance employee. He was hired in anticipation of future retirements in the village DPW/Utility departments. His first day on the job was February 3. He has been working with the crew learning his new job and is currently working hard on his water and sewer certifications. He is doing a great job, and we are glad to have him here. John comes to us from Country Visions Cooperative. He loves farming and the outdoors. John was born in Two Rivers and raised in the Tisch Mills area and graduated from Kewaunee High School in 2004. He has one brother and one sister; and is also engaged to Lorinda Schleis. John and Lorinda own a home here in the village. When you see him around the village, be sure to give him a big welcome!



Child ID Event

The public was invited to have their children fingerprinted and DNA cheek swab taken. This information, plus identification cards were provided to parents for safekeeping. In the event of an emergency, this information can be given to authorities to assist in finding the child. Each ID kit contained a DNA sample, fingerprints, photo, vital identifying information, and dental records. This free service was provided by the Mishicot Police Department in March.



*Thomas Develice, Kelly Scheuer, Chris Kaminski, and Chief Paul
Granger at the O.H. Schultz Elementary School
At the Child ID event*

Kelly Scheuer Leaves Dept.

Kelly started for the village in March of 2000.

She worked for the Police Department and for the village until July of 2013 when she began to work solely for the Police Department. Kelly will be missed by those who worked with her and by the many people who were greeted by her each day. The Village of Mishicot thanks Kelly for her years of service and wishes her well in her future endeavors.



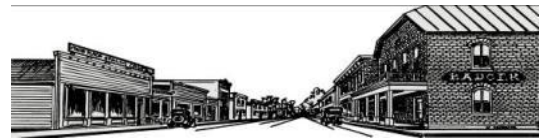
Kelly Scheuer

Newly Elected Village Board Members

Congratulations to the newly elected village board members Don Haack, Melvin Kliment, and George Krause who join current members Rod Scheuer, Cheryl Valenta, John Franz, and Village President, Bernie Samz.

Dog Licenses

Village residents who own a dog, are required to have the pet licensed. The deadline is April 1. If you have not obtained your dog license, you should do so as soon as possible. The licenses are in effect from January 1 to December 31.



School News

Two Mishicot teachers were among nine honorees at Silver Lake College's annual Alumni Awards Dinner recently. Mary Mowrer received the Distinguished Alumni Award. Mowrer is a special education teacher for the Mishicot School District, where she has been employed since 1995. She also has spent many years coaching basketball, softball and volleyball. Mowrer received an associate's degree from UW-Marquette, a BSE from Silver Lake College and her master's degree, in the area of At-Risk, from Marian University. Through her education at Silver Lake College, she obtained initial certification in Elementary Education and Learning Disabilities. Mowrer also obtained additional certification at Silver Lake College in the area of Learning Disabilities for the secondary level.



Mary Mowrer received the Distinguished Alumni Award from Silver Lake College President, Dr. Chris Domes



Theresa Hruby received the Outstanding Recent Alumni Award from Silver Lake College President, Dr. Chris Domes

Theresa Hruby received the Outstanding Recent Alumni Award. Hruby has been a special education teacher for the Mishicot School District since 2001. She also teaches fourth-grade religious education for Holy Cross Parish. Hruby received her BSE from UW-Oshkosh and her MA in special education at Silver Lake College. She obtained the following certifications through coursework taken at Silver Lake College: Cross Categorical, Learning Disabilities and Visual Impairments. She also works as an advocate for the Manitowoc County Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Center. She worked for nine years for the Manitowoc County Human Services Department as a social worker and a birth-to-3 early intervention special education teacher. For five years, Hruby and her family have hosted a child in the summer from Mississippi through the Project Self-Help and Awareness program. The Hruby family also has hosted exchange students from Pakistan and France.

Summer Reading Program

This year's summer reading program is only offered through the Mishicot School District. The Two Rivers Library will no longer meet in the village park during the summer. Feel free to attend the O.H. Schultz reading program on June 18, 26, July 15, August 12, and 21 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. in the elementary school library. If you would like to be a guest reader or provide a fun activity, please contact district librarian, Tamara Schacht at 755-3350.





Mishicot's Yesteryear

This is the first of a series on Mishicot homes written by Jim Sustman.

Office and home of Justice of Peace Isaac Craite (1858-1918) at 435 Elizabeth Street. The house was built in the late 1880's by Isaac Craite. Isaac served Mishicot as a Justice of Peace and town clerk from 1880 - 1884 out of his combined small home and office on Elizabeth Street. It is the only mansard roof home in the village—a typical French style roof. Craite was born in the town of Manitowoc Rapids in 1858; the second oldest of ten children of Euseb Craite and Zoe Ruell Craite. At age 13, in 1871, the family moved to Mishicot and operated a farm in the area of east Willow Street. Isaac had a strong ambition for education, attending Mishicot common school and later Oshkosh Normal to become a teacher. He taught a number of years at Pleasant View School in the town of Mishicot and while teaching also became town clerk and Justice of the Peace. He served in that capacity until his election as the first municipal judge of Manitowoc County in 1891. Isaac was self-taught in law and passed his bar exam earlier that year. He and his wife, the former Adeline Fortier, moved to 1129 S. Seventh Street in Manitowoc. They had no children. In 1918, he suffered a stroke at a function at the Manitowoc Hotel. He died at his home a few days later where a huge funeral was held. He is buried in Evergreen Cemetery next to his wife who died some 23 years later. His parents and a number of his siblings are buried here in the Holy Cross cemetery.



Hon. Isaac Craite



Today's News

Contributed by Cindy Lemmens, Office Manager



Before Remodeling

Mishicot Dental recently made improvements to its hygiene operatories to provide a more private setting. The improvements involved removal of old cabinets that were serving as room dividers, putting in 9-foot walls as room dividers, removing old lighting, placing false ceilings for new lighting and to dampen sound. The new rooms got a fresh coat of paint and new cabinets. The clinic is very excited about this improvement and happy to improve patient privacy.



After Remodeling

Garden Remedies

Contributed by Pamela Rabas ND

Spring is time to get those gardens going. How about planting some herbs? Aside from using herbs for their culinary uses, there are some very common herbs that can remedy certain physical illness. I like to tell my clients these come from "God's Pharmacy." Here are some suggestions:

- Try Basil as it will cool down a fever, especially when used as a tea. It also helps nausea and indigestion.
- Dill will help with colic, heartburn, and/or gas. The word dill comes from the Old Norse word *dilla*, meaning to lull or soothe. Just chew it or make a tea of it.
- Deflate with Parsley. Diuretic herbs such as parsley prevent problems such as kidney stones and bladder infections. They keep the body's plumbing running smoothly. They also relieve bloating during menstruation. And there is a reason it is on the edge of your dinner plate, it is an effective breath freshener because it contains high levels of chlorophyll.
- Sage is effective for symptoms of menopause like hot flashes and night sweats because of its estrogenic action and because it has tannins that can dry up perspiration. Dash it in food, or try it as a tea, making it as strong as needed to relieve symptoms.
- Rosemary helps keep blood vessels dilated and so help with headaches. Sip as a tea. Rosemary is also historically known for remembrance.
- Turn to Thyme if your sinus secretions are not clear or white, you need a warming, drying herb. Thyme is a traditional remedy for respiratory infections and is strongly antiseptic. Drink as a tea for sinus pain and pressure.
- The genus Capsicum includes red and green chili peppers, cayenne, paprika and bell peppers. Cayenne normalizes the circulation and is very well suited for those who have high or low blood pressure. Taken as a daily tonic it is of benefit for the heart and circulation.



This is just the tip of the tip of the iceberg! There are so many other herbs to use for your health and even the ones I've mentioned do so much more as all of them are full of vitamins, enzymes and minerals which is exactly what our bodies run on! Plant these natural safe plants to get well and stay well!

This information is for educational purposes only. It is not prescribing or diagnosing. Seek appropriate help from a competent health practitioner for all serious or persistent illnesses.

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Mishicot Business Association

Easter Egg Hunt & Pick an Egg Contest



*Mishicot Dental hosted the Easter Egg hunt
at the VFW on April 12*



*Colleen Thibert
of Wauwatosa*

Contest Winners



*Heather Schultz
of Two Rivers*



*Becky Armbruster
of Two Rivers*



Annual Memorial Day Celebration

Contributed by Kay Benzinger, Ladies Auxiliary President-Post 7753

The Memorial Day celebration begins with a parade at noon on May 26 that will lead from the Mishicot High School to the public cemetery on Main Street where a commemorative service will take place at approximately 12:30 p.m. A luncheon sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary Post 7753 at the VFW will offer hamburgers, brat patties, hot dogs, and desserts from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Two grocery basket raffles will be held. The Mishicot Melody Makers will play from 1 to 3 p.m. A dedication ceremony begins at 2 p.m. to acknowledge the major improvements made to the grounds and to dedicate the new flag pole courtyard that was installed last year. Cake will be served after the ceremony.

Special thanks to Mrs. Bette LaRose and family whose generous donation and project design initiated the flag pole project in memory of Bill LaRose. Bill worked many years for the Village of Mishicot and Mishicot Utility. Flag pole donations were also received from the Mishicot Kempen-Staudinger-Terens VFW Post 7753 and the Mishicot Area Growth and Improvement Committee. Major design, labor, and materials were provided by the following:

Mead & Hunt – River Access Project Design and Engineering

Solutions 101 – River Access Project Construction

Brian Benzinger Builders – Flag Pole Project Construction

Koeppel Transfer and Electric – Flag Pole Project Electrical Service

Jerome Puta – Flag Pole Project Coordinator and Labor

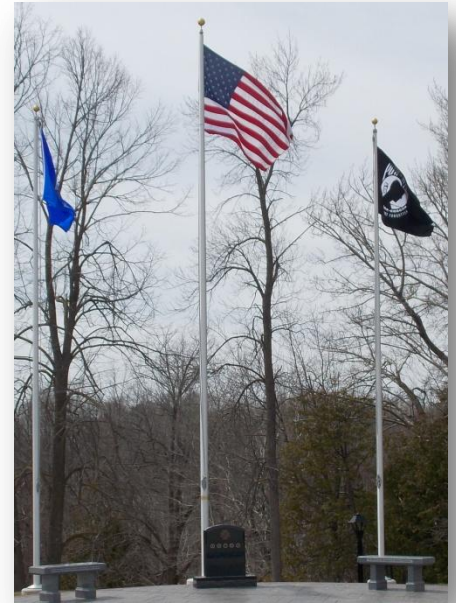
Hank and Allan Flentje – Flag Pole Project Landscaping

Village of Mishicot Employees – Labor

Hofmann Monuments – Monument and Benches

Fly-Me-Flag and Unique Flying Objects - Poles & Flags

All funds and expenses for both the river access and flag pole projects were matched by a total of four Urban Rivers and Recreational Trails grants through the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.



VFW News

The Ladies Auxiliary has adopted five soldiers—men from Wisconsin between the ages of 20-30—who are currently serving in Afghanistan. Care packages are sent overseas for these soldiers and if you would like to contribute to this effort, please bring donations to the VFW before the start of the dedication ceremony. Suggested donations include: gently used books, current magazines, foot cream, face scrub, antibacterial hand gel, deodorant, insect repellent, disposable razors, foot powder, Q-tips (small package), lip balm, lotion, sun screen, wet wipes.

Flag Fund

The Village of Mishicot has established a Flag Fund in an effort to keep all of the U.S. flags flying at the municipal locations throughout the community in good repair. Donations to the flag fund can be dropped off at the Mishicot Village Hall during regular business hours.



Ice Age Trail Alliance

The Ice Age Trail Alliance has scheduled a project for the Mishicot



area this summer from July 23 – 27 to create a new path. Volunteers may work as many or as few days as their schedule allows. Work hours are from 8 a.m. to noon daily. The trail work will take place northwest of Mishicot along the east Twin River between Rockledge and Hillview Roads. The Ice Age Trail Alliance provides food, tools, and campsites free to all volunteers. Volunteers are encouraged to register online and find out more details about the project at <http://mobileskills.iceagetrail.org/east-twin-river-segment>. More information is also available by contacting Brad Crary at brad@iceagetrail.org or 608-798-4453.

**East Twin River
Segment
Project Area**



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OUR MISSION

To support the historical preservation, growth, and development of the Mishicot Area.

NEWSLETTER CONTRIBUTIONS

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*Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy.
You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer,
you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in.*

~Unknown~