

M.A.G.I.C.

Mishicot Area Growth & Improvement Committee

NEWSLETTER

SPRING 2023

MAGIC 2023 Annual Banquet

The Mishicot Area Growth and Improvement Committee's 38th Annual Banquet was held on April 2, 2023 at Par 5 Resort. Members of the community—volunteers, organizations, and businesses—were recognized for their 2022 contributions to the village. We had a great turnout and thank you to everyone who attended our banquet and congratulations to all of our winners! We would also like to thank all of the businesses and individuals that donated door prizes for this event.

The following awards were presented:

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SPECIAL LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD: Presented to an individual who has volunteered and served the community over a number of years —

ROD SCHEUER

GENIE AWARD: Presented to an outstanding volunteer –

AUDREY AND JESSE NAAB

RED CARPET AWARD: Presented to an organization providing outstanding service to our village – **KALBERT'S GARDEN & GIFTS (formerly Green Acres Lawn & Garden)**

ABRACADABRA AWARD: Presented to a business that has provided outstanding leadership and service to our community –

<u>Mishicot FFA – KATIE KOEPPEL AND JAMIE PROPSON</u>

DESIGN AWARD: Presented to a village business that has completed an outstanding restoration design –

CHAMPS ON STATE

COMMUNITY RECOGNITION AWARD: Presented in recognition of their outstanding service to the Village of Mishicot –

<u>DEBRA AND JON SPRANG AND</u> GRANDDAUGHTER, KAMBRYA CHRISTOFFEL

SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD: Presented to an individual for outstanding service to the Village and surrounding communities –

LISA STEINHAUER



2023 Summer Concerts

2023 Summer Concert Series - "2023 MAGIC Concerts at the School Music Series!" Wednesday Evening outdoor concerts held on the grounds of Mishicot Middle School, at 660 Washington Street in Mishicot! Bring a blanket or lawn chair and enjoy wonderful live music in the good old summertime! June and July concerts run from 6:30-8:00 pm with concessions provided by local non-profit groups, starting at 5:30 pm. August and September concerts run from 6:00-7:30 pm with concessions starting at 5:00 pm. As always, a HUGE thank you to our loyal and dedicated sponsors! Rain location will be at the Mishicot Elementary School located at 510 Woodlawn, Mishicot, WI.

June 7th –July 26th - concerts start @ 6:30 PM August 2nd—August 30th - concerts start @ 6 PM

JUNE 7 -	Mishicot High School Alumni Band (Concessions by	y Mishicot Band Booster Club))

JUNE 14 - Eddie Larsen Orchestra (Concessions by Mishicot Cub Scouts)

JUNE 21 - Dr. Bombay (Concessions by St. Peters Lutheran Church)

JUNE 28 - Manitowoc Marine Band (Concessions by Mishicot-Two Rivers TREP)

JULY 5 - Jerry Voelker & the Jolly Gents (Concessions by Knights of Columbus)

JULY 12 - The Sugarbush Boys (Concessions Mishicot Lions Club)

JULY 19 - The Modern Day Drifters (Concessions by K of C's & Kolaches from Melnik Church)

JULY 26 - The Sapphires (Concessions by MBA/Pink Heals)

AUGUST 2 - Romy Gosz All Star Reunion Band (Concessions by Mishicot Boy Scouts)

AUGUST 9 - Newtonburg Brass Band (Concessions by Zion Methodist Church Ice Cream Social)

AUGUST 16 - Robby Vee Rock N Roll Caravan (Concessions Holy Cross Altar Society)

AUGUST 23 - The Del Rays w/Classic Cruise Car Show) (Concessions by Two Rivers Comm. Band)

AUGUST 30 - Dorf Kapelle (Concessions by Mishicot Community Athletic Complex-MCAC)

If you would like a schedule mailed or emailed to you, send an email to <a href="mailed-emaile

Home Delivered Meals Seniors

(Contributed by Kim Loose, Nutrition Program Coordinator; Aging & Disability Resource Center of the Lakeshore)

Manitowoc County offers a wonderful service to eligible individuals that many may not be aware of, a delicious, hot, home delivered meal. Home Delivered Meals are available anywhere in the County. In Mishicot and its surrounding areas, meals can be delivered up to 5 days a week. Eligibility guidelines are as follows:

A person aged 60 years of age or older who is frail and essentially homebound (does not leave home
under normal circumstances, flexibility is allowed for appointments), or a spouse of an eligible persor
regardless of age or condition.
A disabled individual under the age of 60 who resides at home with an eligible older individual

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Meals are available	to all	qualifying	individuals	on a	a donation	basis,	regardless	of income	or a	ability	tc
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For more information about eligibility and how to get signed up, please feel free to contact the **Aging & Disability Resource Center of the Lakeshore at 920-683-4180**.



VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED FOR HOME DELIVERED MEALS-

For a few hours a day, you can help a homebound individual receive a nutritious meal they otherwise wouldn't receive. Volunteer as little or as much as you would like. We are also looking for substitute drivers. Training is available. If you are interested contact our Volunteer Coordinator at the **Aging & Disability Resource Center of the Lakeshore at 920-683-4180**.

<u>MISHICOT AREA MEALS ON WHEELS</u> – Individual Volunteers are needed for the Mishicot area -- 1 day or more per week needed -- They have a daily route Monday through Friday open -- Meals are picked up at the Two Rivers Senior Center -- Utilizing social distancing practices -- Mileage reimbursement available -- Must be 18 years or older. If interested or for more information please contact: Kim Loose, Nutrition Program Coordinator -- ADRC of the Lakeshore -- 920-683-4180 or kimloose@co.manitowoc.wi.us

MEALS ON WHEELS/ADRC OF THE LAKESHORE

The ADRC of the Lakeshore is reaching out with an exciting opportunity to serve your community. Many of you know that the ADRC of the Lakeshore supports the elderly and homebound through Meals-On-Wheels in our community. The Meals-On-Wheels serves Mishicot and the surrounding areas 5 days a week solely through the help of incredible volunteers. As our population continues to age, the need becomes greater and the demand for volunteers increases. Currently, our volunteer needs have drastically changed given the COVID-19 pandemic. That's where you come in! They are looking to partner with businesses for 2-3 hours a month to help us maintain our services in the Mishicot area. We need 2 people *just once a month* – or more if you are interested – to deliver meals to the homebound. We have opportunities available 5 days a week but the greatest need exists on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 10:15 am – 12:15 pm. If you're concerned about social distancing and precautionary measures, please rest assured that we have developed a great system which ensures the safety of both you and the participant.

As an invested partner, there is a short application form to fill out for those who would like to volunteer and a brief background check. After that, we move on to a quick training and send you out for your first deliveries! If it sounds simple, it really is! We only ask that you refrain from soliciting of your business. Feel free to wear clothing that represents your business and share photos of yourself delivering meals to promote your community involvement but to maintain confidentiality we ask that we never include a participant in those photos.

If you believe you have a few hours to spare or have more questions, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator at (920)683-4180 today! We can't do it without you so consider a donation of your time to the many in your community who need it most!

LITTLE LIBRARIES

Due to the overwhelming support of the little libraries, the Mishicot Village Hall will no longer be accepting books for the little libraries inside of Village Hall, but there is a library located on the East side of the Village Hall. Anyone wishing to add books should either check the Individual libraries to see if there is room for more and deposit them directly or contact Bob Shimek of the Mishicot Lion's Club at 920-973-4577. The Village of Mishicot appreciates the generosity of all those who have donated books. Thank you!

MISHICOT FARMERS' MARKET -- The Mishicot Farmers' Market will be held both in the mornings from 8am to 12pm and again from 3pm to 7pm every Wednesday, starting on May 24th in the Village Hall Parking Lot. If you would like to sign up to be a vendor at either one or both, please contact Kim at 920-755-3411. Registration forms can be picked up at the Village Hall or I can email the form to you. Contact magic@vi.mishicot.wi.gov with your information. Cost is \$25.00 for one session or \$30.00 for both.



MISHICOT VILLAGE-WIDE RUMMAGE SALE – 2023

The Village-Wide Rummage Sale for Mishicot will be held on **Friday, May 12, 2023** from 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm and **Saturday, May 13, 2023** from 8:00 am until 3:00 pm. The Registration form is included in this Newsletter on the last page and can also be found on www.vi.mishicot.wi.gov. If you would like your address listed on the map, please return the Registration Form no later than May 3, 2023 to MAGIC, at PO Box 237, Mishicot, WI 54228, or email to magic@vi.mishicot.wi.gov or drop off at the Mishicot Village Hall at 511 East Main Street, Mishicot, WI 54228. Maps will be available around the first week in May at local businesses, including Mishicot Village Hall, Mishicot Country Store and Cenex Gas Station. Call MAGIC at 920-755-3411 if you have any questions.

Fry-Outs during Village Wide Rummage Sale

MCAC – Friday May 12 – Fry Out at Mishicot Country Store (150 E. Main St) 9:30 until sold out Mishicot Lion's Club – Saturday May 13 - Fry Out at Cenex (114 E Main St) 9:30 until sold out

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, RANDOLPH STREET, MISHICOT -- Invites all children in the area to attend our 2023 Vacation Bible School! July 24th through the 28th, 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Call Kathy Koeslin at 920-755-3026 for more information or to RSVP. You can also check out the "St. Peter's Lutheran Church Mishicot" website (mishicot-stpeter.org) or Facebook page (St. Peter's Lutheran Church – Mishicot) for more information and download the registration form.

ZION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, JACKSON STREET, MISHICOT, WI for 2023 –

Invites children through 8th Grade to our Vacation Bible School, Monday through Friday, July 31st through Friday, August 4th from 9:00 a.m. – 11:30.a.m. each day. Theme for the week will be "Heroes from the Bible". Bible lessons, songs, games, crafts, and snacks will be provided each day. To register, call Marilyn Rohr at 920-755-2216.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MISHICOT--

Does your student athlete need a sports physical?

Sports physicals will be offered on Wed 7/12/2023 at Aurora in Mishicot. Cost is \$30 and the money is donated back to the Mishicot Athletic department. All athletes in grades 5-12, playing school sports, must have a current physical on file.

Call Nicole at 755-3291 to schedule a physical on 7/12/23 or to check the date of your last sports physical. If you prefer to go to your primary care physician, please make sure to take a WIAA physical form with you! https://www.wiaawi.org/Portals/0/PDF/Forms/PPE-form.pdf

CITY OF KEWAUNEE INFO -

ATTENTION: we are excited to announce the new City of Kewaunee website. Please follow this link https://cityofkewauneewi.gov/ to check it out. It is a work in progress, no website should ever be completely finished, we are hoping that you like it and can find what you're looking for.

One new enhancement, you can subscribe to be notified when changes are made to the website, new agendas/minutes, announcements and more. Just scroll down the main page and see the area where it states "subscribe to receive city updates", fill in your name, email and phone number, it's that easy.

We hope to add some photos of the city, stay tuned, we may be asking for submittals confidence of course photo credit will be given if chosen. Thanks for checking it out.

Are you planning a vacation out of the country for spring break? Did you know that the Kewaunee County Clerk's Office is a full-service passport facility? From application forms to the photo- we have you covered, and there's no waiting in line! Please give us a call (920-388-7133) before stopping into the Clerk's Office @ 810 Lincoln Street, though, as passport applications are by appointment only, M-F from 8AM-4PM.

For more information on passports please visit our webpage: https://www.kewauneeco.org/.../general.../passports/



COUNTY OF KEWAUNEE INFO FOR BOATERS --

The 2023 inland boat launch passes are already becoming a hot ticket! Only \$30, this sleek little laminated card gets you onto all 5 inland lakes in the county of Kewaunee (East & West Alaska Lakes, Krohn's Lake, Shea's Lake, & Heidmann Lake) all season long. Daily launch fees would be \$5 otherwise.

To get yours, stop by the Promotions & Recreation Dept. (E4280 County Rd. F, Kewaunee) or call them @ (920) 388-0444.

GROW IT FORWARD: Spring is upon us and here at Grow It Forward for the month of April we have some great monthly specials. Our drink specials include Iced Chocolate Covered Orange Latte and Blue Sky Boba. Our café monthly food special is our Spring Wrap with chicken, fresh greens, bok choy mix, red pepper, red onion, carrots, cucumber, sliced almonds and a triple citrus vinaigrette. It's like a burst of freshness with 2:00pm. We are located at 1501 Marshall St. Come in and check out all that we have to offer!

PINK HEALS MANITOWOC COUNTY is an all volunteer, non-profit organization that assists people battling cancer in Manitowoc County. It has been in existence since 2012 and originated in Mishicot by the Ambulance and Fire Department. Our mission statement is "to financially and emotionally assist men, women and children battling any type of cancer in Manitowoc County." From 2013 through December of 2022 Pink Heals has financially assisted 466 Manitowoc County residents battling cancer for a total of \$395,321.64 given out.

You may have seen our pink ambulance and fire truck at events in the area. They are our moving memorials to those who are battling cancer or who have lost their battle. Our fire truck is named Colton after a little boy who lost his battle with cancer and our ambulance is named Alayna after a little girl who won her cancer battle. We invite anyone who has been touched by cancer to write a message on our vehicles. Pink Heals has two major fundraising events each year. Our two main events are our Golf Outing which is going to be on 6/19/23 at The Golf Course at Branch River and Our Cares Enough to Wear Pink Walk/Run will be held in October. Please keep these two events in mind as we would love to have strong community participation. We also attend community events we are invited to in the county, and we will also have several brat frys at Festival Foods in Manitowoc. We host a cancer support group which is being held the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm at the Manitowoc YMCA.

We accept any and all donations for our Direct Care Assistance Program which provides all the money we use for the financial assistance we provide. We also sell merchandise at various community events and use those funds to maintain our vehicles. We invite our fellow Manitowoc County residents to join Pink Heal Manitowoc County in this important work of supporting our neighbors and friends in their cancer battle.

The Amanda Krueger Golf Outing - is scheduled for Monday, June 19th, 2023: This year there will be an 18 hole event at the Golf Course at Branch River, 3212 N. Union Road, Cato, WI 54230. If interested in this golfing event, please contact Jerry Brickner at 920-905-3206, or go to the website www.pinkheals.us for more information. If anyone is interested in donating something for the raffle buckets, please let Jerry Brickner know and he or Jeff can stop by and pick it up. Thanks in advance for your help!!



MISHICOT VILLAGE CLERK NEWS

FROM THE CLERK'S OFFICE - KATHY REISSMANN (920) 755-2525

<u>Building Permits</u> – Before you start that home improvement project, be sure to contact Village Hall to see if you need a building permit. Building permits are required for most projects, including fences. If your project is an exterior project, please submit a site plan with your lot line measurements for your project or your permit could be delayed. For questions on what to include in your site plan, contact the Village Hall at (920) 755-2525.

<u>Website and Social Media</u> – The village has a website (<u>www.vi.mishicot.wi.gov</u>) and a Facebook page (Village of Mishicot). Check them both out when you have a chance. There's lot of good information on the website along with a link to pay your utility bill online. We also post on our Facebook page important news, so like our page to be notified when there is a new posting.

<u>Comprehensive Plan</u> - The Village of Mishicot has finalized its Comprehensive Plan. You can read the new plan at https://drive.google.com/file/d/1P4bt5vh6HbQwZ5IL9AlaInub22nX9-9l/view?usp=share_link. You can also read it on our website at vi.mishicot.wi.gov.

MISHICOT AREA AMBULANCE SERVICE - Mishicot Area Ambulance Service was formed in 1979 as a non-profit, volunteer based, intermunicipal program between the Towns of Two Creeks, Mishicot, Gibson, Two Rivers and the Village of Mishicot. The Town of Kossuth joined in 2003. Those six local governments realized the value of working cooperatively to provide prompt, professional emergency prehospital care to its residents. Mishicot Area Ambulance Service would also like to thank everyone that comes out and supports us at our annual fundraisers. Please email mishicotfd@gmail.com!!



The above number (920-755-2345) does not answer. Please use email information above!!!



MISHICOT HISTORICAL MUSEUM AND RESEARCH CENTER--

Gale and Pam Kronforst are the new Museum coordinators for the Mishicot Historical Museum. Gale and Pam are also trustees on the board of the Mishicot Area Growth & Improvement Committee (M.A.G.I.C.). If you see Gale and/or Pam, wish them good luck with the Museum. The Museum is looking for volunteers on a Saturday or Sunday afternoon during June, July, August and Labor Day weekend. Please contact Gale Kronforst @ 920-676-4097 or Pam Kronforst @ 920-639-8795.

The Mishicot Historical Museum needs your help. We are looking for volunteers to act as a host for four hours on a Saturday or Sunday afternoon. No experience is necessary, just an interest in history or people. The whole family can act as host or just you and a friend. We will train. If interested, please call Gale Kronforst at 920-676-4097 or Pam Kronforst at 920-639-8795. If you would like to volunteer in any way, please call us. It would be a shame if the museum had to close due to a lack of volunteers. The purpose of the museum is to preserve the history of Mishicot for future generations of Mishicot and visitors. The Mishicot Area Growth and Improvement Committee (M.A.G.I.C.) of 1988 to 1990 worked hard to established this museum. As the new coordinators of the museum, we are looking forward to improving and updating exhibits and adding new items. During the village wide rummage sale (May 12& 13), the museum will be having an open house to meet our neighbors. As one of the coordinators of the museum, I am not from Mishicot, so I would like to meet more of the citizens of Mishicot.

We have a list of volunteers back from 2020, that we would like to update. Any volunteer please stop in and say hi and get current information.

Some changes are being made and we would like your feedback. If anyone wants to visit during the week because the weekend doesn't work, call and make an appointment. During May, we will be having school kids coming to visit. Please call Gale Kronforst @ 920-676-4097 or Pam Kronforst @ 920-639-8795 for more information.

<u>Museum collection continues to grow-- by Michael Steeber and Michael Jindra --</u> A surprise package of photos that recently arrived at the Mishicot Historical Museum is believed to be the best

collection of early (turn of the twentieth century) Mishicot photos found so far. These photos may have been lost if not for Laurel G. Brandt, 78, of Sparta WI who discovered his grandpa's scrapbook and donated it to the museum. His grandpa, Gustave Vater, was the pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Mishicot from 1902 until 1908. It was during his time in the village that high waters swept through the streets. The flood, which likely occurred in late March 1904, "completely submerged" much of Mishicot and forced many families adjacent to the river to leave their homes, according to The Manitowoc Daily Herald. Pastor Vater walked a circle around the village with his camera, capturing photos from all directions. His pictures reveal large sheets of ice floating through the village past buildings and trees. Water threatens to wash out the South Main Street bridge, and deserted streets lie eerily silent. The flooding is certainly unlike anything Mishicot has experienced in recent memory. The scrapbook also contains street scenes from Mishicot and Rockwood (where he also pastored), surrounding farms, local villagers, postcards, and Confirmation classes at St. Peter's Church, totaling more than one hundred photos. Gustave Vater (1875–1953) was originally from the Milwaukee area and attended Lutheran seminary before coming to Mishicot. He married Emma Ida Kloszinski, the daughter of a Rockwood area farmer, at what is now Rockwood Lutheran Church. The museum is beginning to publish historical materials online and is interested in creating a digital archive of our village's history. The 1904 photos of Mishicot's flood are annotated and available to view at: https://archive.org/details/@mishicot_history The village is always in need of volunteers to maintain and promote the museum. If you're interested in helping out, contact MAGIC.

If anyone has old historical photos or films, please contact Gale or Pam Kronforst, and we can have them digitized and return the originals back to you. Please see contact information above.



News from the Mishicot Police Department

Mishicot Public Safety Cadets always welcoming new members

The cadet program is for area youth that are interested in a law enforcement or public safety career. Joining the Mishicot Police Department's Cadet Program allows youth the opportunity to train with police officers firsthand and learn how to be a police officer. This will give students an advantage when in college. The Cadets attend local and state law enforcement conferences and competitions, have the opportunity to compete at a national level, and attend leadership training. In addition to training, the Mishicot Public Safety Cadet Program will also offer other opportunities such as community service activities, first aid training, and college scholarship opportunities. This is a great way to start your career early while still in High School.

We emphasize to our cadets the importance of giving back to the community. February 24th our Cadets assisted OH Schultz Elementary School with their annual dance by fingerprinting children and completing Child ID Kits for the parents. March 31st our cadets assisted the Mishicot Area Ambulance and Fire Departments with their annual fish boil fundraiser. April 1st our cadets supported the Mishicot Business Association's Easter Eggstravaganza by running a game for children and providing treats as prizes.

In January 2023 our cadet post competed in a state competition, against communities far larger than Mishicot such as Milwaukee, Appleton and Green Bay, and they came home placing in 1st, 2nd and 3rd place out of 5 scenarios. Also, one of our cadets took 5th place in an individual physical agility competition. Job well done; this is a testament to the dedication our cadets have put into their training.

We greatly appreciate the support from the citizens, business community, school district and our local elected officials which has allowed this program to excel.

This program is sponsored by the Mishicot Police Department through an organization called Public SafetyCadets (<u>publicsafetycadets.org</u>). You can also learn more about us by liking and following our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/MishicotCadets/.

Requirements to join:

- Age 14-20
- Currently enrolled in school & in good standing (does not have to be Mishicot)
- Pass a background check

Any questions or interest contact (920) 755-4041 or mishicot.wi.gov to speak with Chief Paul Granger, Officer James Brooks or School Resource Officer Richard Ladwig

Respectfully,

Chief Paul Granger



Our goal is to advocate for, support, and promote local business in Mishicot and the surrounding area.

Membership includes: monthly networking meetings, email communications, event advertising opportunities & discounted marketing/promotions, business to business referrals, opportunities to host open houses and events, and *post sharing on our Facebook page with over 700 followers*.

MBA Membership Application Information

Membership Runs July 1st 2022 - June 30th 2023

Date of Membership Application	
Business Name	
Contact Name	
Business Address	
Business Phone	Cell Phone
Email Address	
Type of business/Product	
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Mishicot Community Athletic Complex Mishicot Area Growth and Improvement Committee, Inc. – Pledge Form

501(c)(3) Non-Profit Organization EIN: 39-1553388 Wisconsin Charitable Organization Number 19897-800

Name:		
Physical Address:		
Telephone:		
Contact Email:		
I/we hereby pledge \$ as a donation to be used for the development of the new Mishicot Mishicot Area Growth and Improvement Committe request. My pledge shall be paid as follows:	Community Athletic Complex. I und	erstand that the
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Representative, Mishicot Area Growth and	MAGIC – MCAC	
Improvement Committee, Inc.	611 Randolph Street	
	Mishicot, WI 54228	

Recognition for Donor Commitment Levels

Please see our website for more in depth details https://www.vi.mishicot.wi.gov/home/pages/mishicot-community-athletic-complex

Complex Naming Rights: \$500,000 Pavilion Naming Rights: \$250,000

Field Naming Rights Sponsor (4): \$100,000 Scoreboard Naming Rights (8): \$25,000

Dugout Sponsor (16): \$20,000 Bleacher Sponsor (16): \$15,000 Batting Cage Sponsor (8): \$12,000

No Hitter Club: \$10,000 Homerun Club: \$5,000 Triple Club: \$2,500 Double Club: \$1,000 Single Club: \$500 RBI Club: \$250

Double Play Club: \$100 Friend of the Program: \$50



The Mishicot Community Athletic Complex is seeking to acquire funds for an athletic complex in the Village of Mishicot. This will be self-funded by our organization and the Village of Mishicot. This investment will benefit hundreds of youth who will be provided with additional opportunities to participate in baseball and softball. The economic impact will be felt throughout Mishicot with the large amounts of people drawn to the area.

The Mishicot Community Athletic Complex Committee has been active in creating a development plan for a complex that will provide the opportunity for over 200 youth, ages 6-18, to participate in baseball and softball. The complex will consist of four diamonds that will allow multiple games to be played simultaneously, with one of the diamonds being a regulation baseball field. There will also be a sizable concession stand with large bathrooms. The facility is handicap accessible to fit the needs of the large number of people attending the games, which will allow this facility to support multi team tournaments.

When complete, this project will serve softball and baseball teams throughout Northeastern Wisconsin, and far beyond. Because we have consistently experienced a great demand for additional tournament space, we will be able to attract more than enough teams for at least six tournaments every season with 50 or more teams per tournament. We anticipate that our new sports complex will serve teams from at least 33 surrounding communities. The Manitowoc Area Visitor's Bureau estimated that these tournaments would draw a conservatively estimated 15,750 players, coaches, and their families to our community each season.





The Manitowoc Area Visitor & Convention Bureau's Economic Impact study for our project finds that the financial impact resulting from its successful completion will result in approximately \$640,695 inserted into our local economy every season, or \$106,782.50 per tournament hosted. This amount of revenue injected into our community each year would save the economy of Mishicot and pave our way to a successful and tourism-rich future.

The Mishicot Community Athletic Complex works through MAGIC (Mishicot Area Growth and Improvement Committee), which is a 501(c)(3), whose mission is to promote economic growth in Mishicot and provide opportunities for youth and the community of Mishicot to thrive. This complex will not only expand our community, but aid in teaching our youth skills such as teamwork, collaboration, and time management.

Thank you for taking the time to consider this request. Go to www.vi.mishicot.wi.gov and click on the Community icon at the top of the page. Mishicot Community Athletic Complex has a link with information provided. Mishicot Community Athletic Complex also has a Facebook page.

Any questions can be directed to: Bob Shimek: 920-973-4577. mcacplayball@gmail.com





To Whom it may Concern:

Mishicot Community Athletic Complex is working on a fundraiser for our new athletic complex that is in the works to be built. A four diamond softball/baseball complex in Mishicot has been long overdue and eagerly anticipated. Although our teams have had great successes and our players have achieved many impressive accomplishments, our true potential has been held back by the status of our current fields. They often get flooded out and are insufficient and unreliable for tournament use. Given our deep culture of softball and baseball, these tournaments are exactly what we need to restore our town's economic activity as Wisconsin emerges from the COVID-19 pandemic.

Mishicot has a rich culture of softball and baseball; the sport is our lifeblood. There are about 225 youth ages 6-18 years old who play softball and/or baseball through several clubs, groups, leagues and associations. Everyone, old and young, comes out to watch the games. It truly unites our community and has become a great point of pride. Our softball/baseball success has put us on the map.

In order to continue to make this rewarding experience a reality for our youth, we are reaching out directly to area businesses, family and friends, and offering the opportunity to help by becoming an event sponsor. We will be hosting a "Bands for a Ballpark" event October 7th at Par 5 resort. We do have our bands lined up for the day. The day of music will consist of Patrick Murphy Acoustic, Spicy Tie Band, Eight Second Ride, and night will end with Nashvilles' own Natalie Brady & The Nite Owls. Natalie was on the TV show "The Voice" and has since made her own music with her band as well as doing covers. The sponsorship will help us cover the cost of the bands so we are able to use the monies from the event for our construction of fields. We would like for this event to be a huge success for Mishicot and the community.

Our Mission

MAGIC is a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization. We envision the Mishicot Community Athletic Complex (MCAC) as a safe place where softball and baseball players of all skill and age levels can come together to share their love of the sport with our community and beyond. It will be a point of pride that will create a significant new revenue source for our village and the surrounding area for years to come.

Sponsorship levels available to support Music for a Ballpark!

- 1. Single Sponsorship Level: \$250 Cost
 - a. Business logo on Facebook Event.
- 2. Double Sponsorship Level: \$500 Cost
 - a. Business logo on Facebook Event.
 - b. Business logo on poster by raffle tables.
- 3. Triple Sponsorship Level: \$1000 Cost
 - a. Business logo on Facebook Event.
 - b. Business logo on poster by raffle tables.
 - c. 10 tickets for the event.
- 4. Home Run Sponsorship Level: \$1500 Cost
 - a. Business logo on Facebook Event.
 - b. Business logo on poster by raffle tables.
 - c. 15 tickets for the event.
 - d. Business logo on our 4 x 6 event banner.
- 5. Grand Slam Sponsorship Level: \$2000 Cost
 - a. Business logo on Facebook Event.
 - b. Business logo on poster by raffle tables.
 - c. 20 tickets for the event.
 - d. Business logo on our 4 x 6 event banner.
 - e. Business logo on event t-shirts.

If you are interested, please return the completed form on the next page and check by June 30, 2023. Checks can be made out to MAGIC - MCAC.

If you have a company logo that you can provide us with please email it to brookelynn11918@gmail.com

Mail To:

Music for a Ballpark Attn: Brooke Gauger 3012 Prairie Street Two Rivers, WI 54241

We appreciate the opportunity to share the passion we have in the building of a ballpark for the children!

Music for a Ballpark Sponsorship

Company Name:
Contact Person:
Contact Email:
Contact Phone Number:
Address:
Website:
Sponsorship Level:
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☐ Triple Sponsorship \$1000
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☐ Grand Slam Sponsorship \$2000

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John Franz

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M.A.G.I.C.'s new email address is: magic@vi.mishicot.wi.gov

Mark your Calendars for the upcoming 2023 Events!!

EVENT	DATE
2023 Village Rummage Sale	May 12 & 13, 2023
2023 Farmers Market	May 24 thru September & Pumpkinfest-October 21st
2023 Mishicot Riverfest	None in 2023
Mishicot Summer Concerts	Wednesday nights @6:30 PM – June 7 th through August 30th
September 8th & 9th	Kick Ball Tournament/Kickin' Addiction-w/Great Bike giveaway on Sept 9th
2023 Mishicot Pumpkinfest	October 21, 2023
Mishicot Trick or Treating	Date To be Determined
Christmas in the Village	December 2, 2023 (Location TBD)

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PROGRESS LAKESHORE

Progress Lakeshore will now be offering free business start-up & small business expansion consulting at Mishicot Village Hall on the 2nd Wednesday morning of every month. Email Ann Flad-Jesion at ann@progresslakeshore.org or call (920) 482-0540 with questions and to set up an appointment. Make an appointment to talk about the next steps in your business journey. Progress Lakeshore is a public-private non-profit economic development organization serving Manitowoc County. Efforts include business start-up consulting and training, business expansion assistance, site assistance, benefit and wages surveys, and other activities. Special office hours are offered for municipal partners such as the Village of Mishicot to help further business development in town. More information can be found on their website: www.progresslakeshore.org.

Ann Flad-Jesion Director of Entrepreneurship & Business Development Progress Lakeshore 202 N. 8th St., Suite 101 Manitowoc, WI 54220 920-482-0540 x 101

REGISTRATION FORM FOR:

Mishicot's 32nd Annual Village –Wide Rummage Sale

<u>Friday, May 12: 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.</u> <u>Saturday, May 13: 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.</u>

To be included in the map and flyer

Send Registrations to:

M.A.G.I.C. PO Box 237

Mishicot, WI 54228

by May 5, 2023

To request an on-line version of the registration form-email your request to magic@vi.mishicot.wi.gov

NO COST TO LIST YOUR SALE

Donations are greatly appreciated to help offset printing costs!

Make checks payable to MAGIC.

Questions? Call Kim at MAGIC at 920-755-3411

Mishicot Village-Wide Rummage Sale Registration Form

Cut at line and mail or request an electronic registration form by emailing magic@vi.mishicot.wi.gov *PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE:*NAME

Address		
Phone Number		
Please circle the letter of the categorategories, please indicate sizes.	ries you would like listed after your addre	ess on the map. If you select clothing
A-Infant/Toddler Girl's Clothes	B -Infant/Toddler Boy's Clothes	C-Girl's Clothes 4-6
D – Boy's Clothes 4-6x	E-Girl's Clothes 6 & up	F –Boy's Clothes 6& up
G – Men's Clothes (include sizes S-XXL)	H – Women's Clothes (includes sizes S-XXL)	I – Baby Furniture
J – Furniture	K – Children's Toys/Games	L – Bikes
M – Crafts	N – Antiques/Collectibles	O – Household Items
P – Tools	\mathbf{Q} – Appliances	R - Plants/flowers
S – Fishing & Hunting	T – Miscellaneous Items	



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