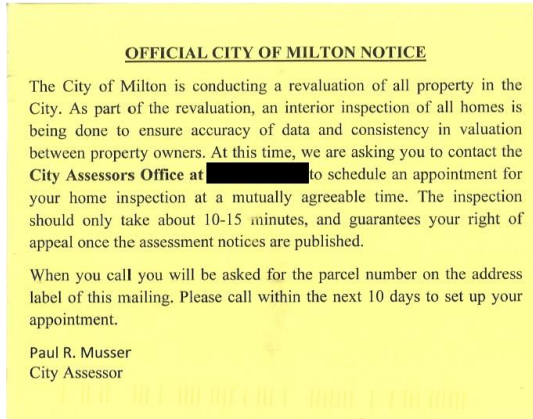




Property Revaluation Update

Have you received a postcard like this in the mail? This postcard is being sent to all properties in the City of Milton in batches of 200 in conjunction with the city-wide property revaluation to schedule an interior inspection with the city assessor. Every property over the course of the summer will receive a postcard. This yellow postcard will be followed up with a pink postcard if an appointment is not made with the assessor for an interior inspection. If you have not received a postcard, you do not need to make an appointment yet. If you have questions, contact Musser Appraisal at (608) 712-0236. The number to schedule appointments on the postcard is different than the number to contact Musser Appraisal for general inquiries.



Summer Reminders from the City of Milton

Pools – Pools that hold more than 30 inches of water depth need a permit and must have a 5 foot high fence with a locking gate. Purchase your permit at the Public Works Facility, 150 Northside Drive.

Yard Waste – Yard waste bins are open at the Public Works Facility, 150 Northside Drive, for leaves, grass clippings, weeds, really small twigs, etc. Please do not dispose of branches larger than the diameter of your finger in the yard waste bins.

Grass Clippings in the Street – Grass clippings in the street are not allowed per city ordinance. Please sweep or blow clippings back onto your lawn or collect and drop off at the yard waste bins at the Public Works Facility, 150 Northside Dr. This helps to keep the City's storm drains and ditches free of debris preventing flooding and ditch maintenance.

Curbside Brush Pickup – Brush collection occurs periodically throughout the year. The next collection is July 15-23 followed by August 12-20. Refer to the brush collection schedule on the City's website for additional dates (www.milton-wi.gov/CollectionSchedule).

Clean Sweep – Residents who need to dispose of hazardous materials should call Rock County at 608-754-6617 ext. 101 or ext. 118 to register for the Rock County Clean Sweep or check them out online at <https://www.co.rock.wi.us/land-conservation-clean-sweep>.

Splash Pad – The Goodrich Square Splash Pad is open for the season. The splash pad runs daily 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. through Labor Day (weather dependent). The concession stand is open Noon to 5 p.m. daily through August 31st.



Park Rentals – Lamar Park, Central Park, and South Goodrich Park are available to rent for \$50 for residents or \$100 for non-residents. The Milton Community House is available for \$120 for residents or \$220 for non-residents. All park rentals also require a \$100 security deposit. Contact City Hall at (608) 868-6900 ext. 2 for more details.

New! City of Milton on Instagram



The City of Milton recently established an Instagram account: www.instagram.com/milton_wi. Follow the City of Milton to see updates on street projects, events, and more!

Important Dates to Remember:

Offices Closed:

- September 4, 2017 – Labor Day

2016 Water Quality Report:

The 2016 Water Quality Report (CCR) is available to view on the City's website www.milton-wi.gov/2016CCR. This is an annual drinking water quality report from the Milton Water Utility which tells users where the water comes from and what's in it.

New City Hall Hours:

City Hall will be open Monday – Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Friday, 8 a.m. to Noon.

City of Milton Department Phone Numbers:

- City Hall - 868-6900
- Fire Dept.: 868-2842
- Library – 868-7462
- Police Dept. –868-6910
- Public Works –868-6914

City Meeting Schedule:

- July 17, 6 p.m. – Parks & Recreation Commission
- July 18, 4 p.m. - Plan Commission
- July 18, 5:30 p.m. – Public Works Committee
- July 18, 6 p.m. – Public Safety Committee
- July 18, 6:30 p.m. – Personnel & Finance Committee
- July 18, 7 p.m. – Council
- July 19, 7 p.m. – Joint Fire Commission
- July 26, 7 p.m. – Library Board



Story Gardens at the Milton Public Library

The Parks & Recreation Commission is working with the Library Board, Library staff, and community volunteers on developing the outdoor space at the Milton Public Library into Story Gardens.

The mission for Story Gardens is “to educate and enrich the community through exploration in an outdoor garden. Story Gardens is an open air branch of the library that promotes literacy

Library

KIDS

Yoga Storytime, Tuesday, July 18, 6 p.m.

Join us for a special Storytime that incorporates a variety of yoga poses. Storytime will be led by Chris Bourgeois from Premier Tennis & Fitness. Ages 8 and under. Registration is required.

Story at the Splash Pad

Every other Thursday from 11-11:30 a.m. June 22, July 6, July 20, August 3 & August 17 Come listen to a story, play games, and do crafts. Ages 8 and under.

StoryWalk®, Monday, August 14, 3 - 5 p.m.

Stroll through the library neighborhood and read a story as you go. Ages 8 and under.

TEENS

Write On: Writing Workshop, Tuesday, July 18, 3:30-5 p.m.

Join others for a fun, creative, and welcoming writing workshop. Spend the hour and a half writing based on different prompts and share what you’ve written with others. Bring a laptop if you wish, but notebooks and pencils will be available. Snacks, coffee, and other beverages also provided. Registration required. For ages 12 to 17.

Afterhours @ The Library, Friday, August 4, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Come to the library afterhours to play video games on the library’s Wii U, computer games such as Drawful and Fibbage, and a variety of board games, including Superfight, Apples to Apples, Exploding Kittens, and more. Registration is required. For ages 12 to 17.

and life-long learning through its literature-based themes and outdoor library programs.”

The groups are looking for design ideas from the community. Forms to submit ideas are available at City Hall (710 S. Janesville Street), Milton Public Library (430 E. High Street), and online at www.milton-wi.gov/StoryGardens.

Reading Rebels Book Club, Wednesday, August 2, 5 - 6 p.m.

Read and discuss young adult books that are frequently banned and challenged in schools and libraries. Explore why they were challenged and the importance of freedom to read. Copies of the month’s title will be available at the library. Snacks and beverages will be provided. For teens ages 13 to 18.

ADULT

SPARK: Etched Wine Bottle Vase, Monday, July 17, 6 p.m.

Cut and etch an empty wine bottle to turn it into a personalized flower vase. All supplies provided, but you may bring your own empty bottle if you desire. For ages 18 & up. Space is limited and registration is required.

SPARK Parents: Chills & Thrills, Monday, July 31, 6 p.m.

Beat the summer heat with some icy fun. We will discuss all kinds of ice-based activities to do with the kids and maybe even play with some dry ice. Also try your hand at making ice cream in a bag for a cool treat. For ages 18 & up. Space is limited and registration is required by July 28.

AUGUST FOOD TRUCK RALLY

Over 12 food trucks will be at the library offering regional cuisines at the August 27th Food Truck Rally for the Renovation, from 10:00 am until 2:00 p.m. Sample plates will be available in addition to the regular menus, so everyone can try food from various trucks.

City Meeting

Schedule (continued):

- July 27, 8:30 a.m. – Tourism Development Committee
- August 1, 4 p.m. – Plan Commission
- August 1, 6:30 p.m. – Public Works Committee
- August 1, 7 p.m. – Common Council
- August 2, 5:30 p.m. – Historic Preservation Commission
- August 15, 6 p.m. – Public Safety Committee
- August 15, 6:30 p.m. – Personnel & Finance Committee
- August 15, 7 p.m. – Common Council
- August 16, 7 p.m. – Joint Fire Commission
- August 21, 6 p.m. – Parks & Recreation Commission
- August 23, 7 p.m. – Library Board
- August 24, 8:30 a.m. – Tourism Development Committee
- September 5, 4 p.m. – Plan Commission
- September 5, 6:30 p.m. – Public Works Committee
- September 5, 7 p.m. – Common Council
- September 6, 5:30 p.m. – Historic Preservation Commission
- September 18, 6 p.m. – Parks & Recreation Commission

Dates and times for meetings may change. All agendas and minutes are posted on the City of Milton website (www.milton-wi.gov).

***Do you have an idea for information to include in the next newsletter?
Contact City Hall at
(608) 868-6900 ext. 5.***