

**VILLAGE OF BIRNAMWOOD
WINTER NEWSLETTER**

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We have an **opening for Village Trustee**. Contact a Board member if you are interested in serving your community.

Village Board meetings are held the 2nd & 4th Monday of every month at the Matsche Center at 7:00 p.m. The Board welcomes your comments and suggestions, but these must be given in the venue of a Board meeting, where they can be acted on in the proper manner. Attending meetings gives you a voice!

KEEP THEM CLEAR

If there's a fire hydrant near your house? Do your part to keep it accessible this winter. Remove any snow and ice. Clear a 3 foot perimeter around the hydrant for firefighters to work.

Clear a path from hydrant to street.



DO NOT FLUSH!!!

Tissues & napkins soft, silky surface makes them harder to dissolve.

Paper



Napkins

Tissues

Paper Towels designed for absorbency will not break down.



Flushable Wipes



Flushing anything besides toilet paper can result in blockages and expensive home plumbing problems and costly repairs to the Village Sewage System.

ICE SKATING

The ice rink is located at the south end of Main St. next to the Sewer plant. A warming house and ice skates is provided for patrons use. Please respect property and leave the area as you found it so others can also experience the fun! Donations of skates are welcome!



GARBAGE COLLECTION & RECYCLING

Garbage collection is Tuesday of each week. Recycling is gathered every other week. Only put out recycling on collection dates as listed below! Please follow recycling guidelines on the back of this letter.

January 12th & 26th

February 9th & 23rd

March 9th & 23rd

April 5th & 20th

May 4th 7 18th



Starting March 1st, Harter's Fox Valley Disposal will be collecting our garbage. Watch for a letter and new dumpsters from them.

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday & Wednesday

2:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday & Thursday

10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Saturday

9:00 a.m. – noon

715-449-3120

Watch for Grab-N-Go kid's crafts & Teen Kits available at all Shawano County Branches until gone. A fun way to use the library resources. Details can be found at www.shawanolibrary.org. Call to arrange a pick-up time.



Check the Village **Website** for board minutes, notices and events! It's new and improved. If you would like your business listed on the site, contact the village clerk. Villageofbirnamwood.home.blog

ATV/UTV Ordinance

The Village has adopted an ATV/UTV ordinance effective April 22, 2019. ATV/UTV's are allowed on all Village Streets except Hwy 45. To see the entire ordinance visit the Village website or contact the Village Clerk. This ordinance may be enforced by any law enforcement officer authorized to enforce laws of the State of WI, Shawano & Marathon Co., and the Village. Please follow rules respectively. Ordinance can be suspended or revoked by the Village Board at any time.



The Matsche Center is available for rent to host your events. Contact the Village Clerk to make your reservations.



HOME REPAIRS

You can get a 0% interest, deferred loan and no monthly payments for needed improvements through the Village Community Block Grant. Call Barb at 715-752-4620 for more information.



REMEMBER TO VOTE!

Primary Election
February 16th

Spring Election
April 6th

At myvote.wi.gov you can register vote, check your voter registration status, find your polling place, see what's on your ballot & request an absentee ballot.

Contact the Village Clerk with additional questions.

CURBSIDE RECYCLING GUIDE

Plastic

Accept – all plastic bottles, cups & Containers, household bottles, jars & jugs, Dairy containers & lids, produce, bakery & deli containers & lids (empty, rinse & replace caps & lids)

Do not accept- plastic bags, wrap or film, motor oil bottles, Styrofoam

Paper

Accept – newspapers & inserts, cardboard & paperboard (food boxes), milk, juice & Soup cartons, office & school paper, junk mail & catalogs, phonebooks, books & magazines (shredded paper in a paper bag & staple shut, flatten & cut boxes 2'x2')

Do not accept – tissue paper, pet food bags

Metal

Accept – aluminum bottles & cans, steel & tin cans, empty aerosol cans (empty & rinse)

o not accept – aluminum pans or foil, empty paint cans, scrap metal

Glass

Accept – Food & beverage bottles & jars (empty & rinse)

As **COVID** continues to circulate through our area **SUPPORT OUR LOCAL BUSINESSES- EAT OUT**

Chet & Emil's
Delightfully Dished Coffee Shop
Diane's Soft Serve
Linda's Bakery
Truck's Family Restaurant



CATS & DOGS

Must be licensed for 2021 by April 1st! A copy of rabies vaccination is required with fee of \$5.00 for spayed/neutered animals or \$10.00 for unspayed/neutered. After April 1st a \$5.00 late fee will be added and a list of unlicensed animals will be sent to Shawano County and fines will be imposed!

If you would like serve your community, the **BIRNAMWOOD AREA EMERGENCY SERVICES** is looking for emergency medical responders. They pay on-call hourly wages and hourly wages for responding to calls. Cost of training is covered! Contact Ron Bauch at 715-216-3299 to learn more.

