

City of Amery Newsletter

July 11th, 2019



Dates to Remember

July 31	2nd Half Taxes Due to County
Aug 15	Water Bill Due
Sept 2	Labor Day, City Hall Closed
Sept 12-15	Fall Festival
2nd & 4th Wed or Fri	Recycling Day
1st & 3rd Sat	City Landfill Open 9am-Noon
1st Wed of Month	City Council Meeting 5pm

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WATER CONSERVATION NOTICE

The City of Amery's well #3 is currently non-functional. Well #4 is still operational. The well should be back in service by mid-July. We are asking that you please limit water usage.

There are a few simple things you can do at home to ease the burden on your local water supply and save money in the process:

- Keep lawn watering to a minimum.
- Turn off the faucet while brushing teeth.
- Only run the washing machine and dishwasher when you have a full load.
- Use a low flow shower head and faucet aerators.
- Fix leaks.
- Install a dual flush or low flow toilet or put a conversion kit on your existing toilet.
- Install a rain barrel for outdoor watering.
- Plant a rain garden for catching stormwater runoff from your roof, driveway, and other hard surfaces.

These water saving measures can have a big impact on water demand here in Amery. While saving money, you also have the opportunity to get involved in the community, protect the water in the local waterways so you can enjoy their recreational benefits.

HIGH FLOWS AT THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT

The city is currently working to prevent storm and groundwater from entering the waste water system and prevent a costly plant expansion for utility payers in the city. Tap water should be the only thing that goes into the sewer. If you have a sump pump, please ensure it is not draining into the sanitary sewer, but into a yard or open area. If you feel that your sump pump is running constantly, please feel free to contact the city to have the city crew help you to adjust it.



Fall Festival: September 12-15

Schedule of Events*

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24TH:

7pm Queen's Talent Show (High School)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH:

4-9pm Earl's Rides near the "Big Bobber"

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH:

3-11pm - Earl's Rides Carnival

6pm - Pie Bake Off at Soo Line Park

6-9pm - *Kar Jackers Entertainment*

DJ under the Tent at Soo Line Park

7pm - Bean Bag Tournament (Soo Line)

9pm-12am *County Line* under the Tent

plus Photo Booth and Beer Garden

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH

7:30am Walk/Run (7am Registration,

7:30am Kidz Race, 8am Walk/Run)

9am-3pm Arts & Craft Fair at Michael Park

9am-5pm St. Joseph's Quilt Show

10am-5pm Fine Arts Show at

Northern Lakes Center for the Arts

10:30am Grand Parade

FOLLOWING PARADE:

Food Stands at Michael Park with music

provided by *Kar Jackers Entertainment*

11am-11pm Earl's Rides Carnival

12pm-2pm Music by *Jim Armstrong*

12pm-1am Beer Tent at Soo Line Park

2pm Tractor Pull on Center Street

2pm Bean Bag Tournament (Soo Line)

2-6pm Music by *Kar Jackers* under the Tent

3pm Apple River Race on Bridge Street

6-9pm *The Groovin' 60's* under the Tent

7pm Queen Coronation at High School

9:30pm-1am *The Dweebs* under the Tent

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH

8:30am-12:30pm Pancake Breakfast at the

Amery Community Center

9am-3pm FFA Toy Tractor Show at the

Amery Middle School

10am-3pm Quilt Show at St. Joseph's

11am-2pm Car Show on Harriman Avenue

* All times and events are approximate and subject to change. Please watch for posters and local advertising closer to the event!

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Information & Forms can be found at ameryfallfestival.org

Amery Area Public Library - ADULT Programs

BOOKS & BREWS: August 1st, September 5th, and October 3rd

Always at 6 PM at Amery Ale Works. Join us for lively book discussions while we enjoy all that Amery Ale Works has to offer!

STELLAR Summer Learning Program: Monday, June 10th to Saturday, August 10th Fill out a raffle ticket for every book you read or listen to and enter to win one of nine weekly prizes and be automatically entered into our Grand Prize drawing! More information on our website.

The Man Who Painted the Universe: Wednesday, July 31st @ 5:30 PM Follow the story of Frank A. Kovac, Jr. from his childhood fascination with stargazing to repeated attempts to build his own planetarium in the North Woods of Wisconsin.

Women Who Stargaze: Thursday, August 8th @ 5:30 PM John Heasley takes us on a journey to explore the rad women who defied stereotypes and made lasting impacts into our understanding of the Cosmos!

Third Thursday Crafting: 5:30 -7 PM at the Amery Area Public Library.

Thursday, August 15th: Essential Oils for Household Cleaners

Thursday, September 19th: Fall Mason Jar Lanterns with the Cricut

Thursday, October 24th: DIY Gratitude Journals

FREE, but you must REGISTER on our website to ensure your space in the class.

AMERY AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY Kids and Teen Programs

Family Performance Series 2019

(!)Launch and Light: 1:00 on Wednesday, July 31st at the Community Center, 608 Harriman Avenue S. Sponsored by Process Technology / Dynatronix.

Compas Teaching Artists Afoutayi Dance: 1:00 on Wednesday, August 7th at Golden Age Manor, 220 Scholl Street. Sponsored by Friends of the Amery Public Library.

Fall Programming

Family Storytime: Wednesdays 10:30 (starting Sept. 25th) Stories, music, and action rhymes for kids & caregivers. We'll wrap up the fun with a craft at the end!

Teen Tuesdays: First Tuesday of the month 4:00 (starting Sept. 3rd) Craft, play a game, or do an activity. Snacks provided! Grades 6-12. **Registration required** (amerylibrary.org/teens).

Art Club for Kids: Second Monday of the month 4:00 (starting Sept. 9) Make some cool art in this club just for kids. Grades 1-5. Registration for September date begins August 12. **Registration required** (amerylibrary.org/kids).

Homeschool Club: Second Friday of the month 9:30 (starting Sept. 13) Open to all homeschool families! Storytime and a craft/activity from 9:30-10:30. Tween/teen activity from 10:30-11:30.

Library Hours:

Monday through Thursday	9-7
Friday	9-6
Saturday	9-2
Sunday	Closed

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Farmers Market at Soo Line Park

Mondays 3-6pm

Saturdays 9-Noon

Polk County Fair, St. Croix Falls

July 25-28 www.polkcountyfair.com

Music on the River 5:00-9:30pm

Michael Park - Car Show & Food

Friday, July 19 **Lamont Cranston**

Friday, August 16 **GB Leighton**

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Get more event details at
amerywisconsin.org

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