

City of Amery Newsletter

April 14, 2023



Dates to Remember

May 15	Utility Bills Due
May 29	Memorial Day, City Offices Closed
June 3	Airport Fly-In/Drive-In Pancake Breakfast
June 16 / July 21	Music on the River—Michael Park
June 30	Giant Ice Cream Sundae
July 4	Independence Day, City Offices Closed
1st Wed of Month	Council Meeting at 5PM
3rd Wed of Month	Committee of the Whole
1st & 3rd Saturday	Landfill Open 9AM - Noon

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EVENTS AND INFORMATION

Please check Facebook pages and websites at www.amerywi.gov and www.amerylibrary.org for the most current and up-to-date information.

AMERY FARMERS MARKET

The Amery Farmers Market is open June to October at **Soo Line Park** on Mondays from 3:00-6:00 pm AND Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. until Noon.

SEVERE WEATHER

If you need shelter during severe weather you may come to the north entrance of the Amery Police Department and shelter will be available in the basement of the Amery Public Library. The police department and library can both be found at 104 Maple St W with access through the north door.

NEWS FROM THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

The City is always working to prevent storm and groundwater from entering the waste water system. 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 your yard or open area.

Please be sure to blow **grass clippings and yard waste** back into your own yard only and NOT into the street.

The City Dump is open for yard waste only (leaves and branches) every 1st and 3rd Saturday from 9:00 a.m. until Noon. Contents must be removed from plastic bags. Trash and household items must be brought to Waterman Sanitation.

RECYCLING COMMITTEE

"They say I don't need to recycle because no one else does"

"They say it is so inconvenient"

"They say it doesn't matter, plastic doesn't hurt the environment"

"I say we need to recycle more, because it does make a difference"

"Plastic is the number one culprit, it stays and does not dissipate"

Do your part, so that future generations can live safely.

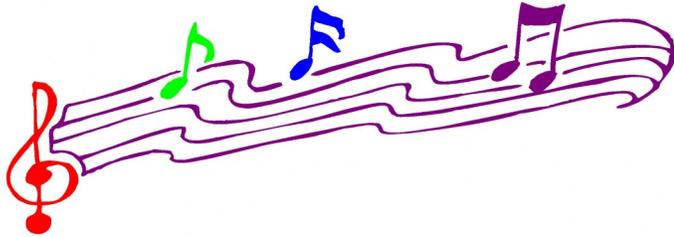
OTHER REMINDERS

GARAGE SALE PERMITS are available at City Hall. City ordinances limit garage sales to three (3) per year. The cost is \$5.00 per sale for the first 2 sales and \$15.00 if you hold a third sale.

BURNING PERMITS ARE REQUIRED in the City of Amery and surrounding townships. City Hall no longer issues burning permits. You **MUST** go online at www.amerywi.gov and click the **Submit A Request** button. A burning permit does not allow for the burning of leaves, pine needles or rubbish in the city limits, as this is against city ordinance.

MUSIC ON THE RIVER AT DANIELSON STAGE

June 16	5-7 pm	TBD
	7pm	Frank Busch & The Names
July 21	5-7 pm	TBD
	7pm	Belfast Cowboys
August 18	5-7pm	TBD
	7pm	Chris Kroeze



SUMMER WEDNESDAY'S AT DANIELSON STAGE

June	7	Hope Alive-Churches of Amery annual open house
	14	Cat Tail String Band
	21	Corey Medina & Brothers Rockin/ Blues Band
	28	JoyAnne Parker-Midwest Queen of Soul
July	12	Sean & Ian Okamoto-Classic Sing A Longs from the North Shore
	19	R Country Gals-the amazing quartet reunited
	26	Roe Family Singers BlueGrass
Aug	2	Don Scott Blues Band
	9	Samantha Grimes Band
	16	The Memories-the Midwest's #1 Oldies duo
	23	Jumbalya Louisiana Boogie Band
	30	Patchouli-folk music legends

News from the Amery Police Department

The Police Department will be conducting monthly tornado siren testing throughout severe weather season on the first Thursday of each month at approximately 1:45pm. The drills will go through September. We ask that each household formulate a plan for your family in the event of severe weather.

As always, if there are any questions or concerns, please give us a call at 715-268-7411.

News from the Amery Area Public Library

Happy Spring, everyone! I don't know about you, but this felt like a never-ending winter, and I love every minute of daylight we've been getting with Spring. We recently celebrated one year in our new building, and if you haven't visited yet, come by and check it out-we love giving tours. In other news, start keeping an eye out for our shiny new book bike! We will soon be roaming the streets of Amery, visiting nursing homes, the Amery schools, events, festivals, parks, and more. There is one really important thing that is missing though: a name! In April we will kick off a community naming contest for our new ride, so stay tuned to our website, Facebook, and Instagram for details.

All the best,

Heather Wiarda

Library Director

New Friday hours: Big news! After studying the survey results and listening to community input, we have decided to extend our hours on Fridays to 6 PM! Starting on Friday, May 5th, we will be open 9 AM to 6 PM every Friday. We will keep these hours for an entire year, track circulation and foot traffic, and then re-evaluate in 2024. To recap: starting in May, library hours will be Monday-Friday 9 AM to 6 PM, and Saturdays 9 AM to 1 PM.

Email Newsletter: We are starting a weekly newsletter! The newsletter will go out every Friday. This is an opportunity to learn about upcoming events, new materials, and our staff. You can sign up on the homepage of the library website (amerylibrary.org).

Books & Brews: Join us at Amery Ale Works every first Thursday at 6 PM. We discuss different books each month, ranging from nonfiction to mysteries to the newest bestsellers. All are welcome to join! Check our website, Facebook, and Instagram for details.

Book Subscription: Get a hand chosen set of books, a snack, and other goodies each month when you join our book subscription program! Sign up now on our website to pick up the first week of April. Adults can register on the adults' page, kids on the kids' page, and teens on the teen page!

Become a Serial Reader Book Club – Oliver Twist: Starting Monday, April 3rd we will be reading Charles Dickens' Oliver Twist in 24 installments over twelve weeks. Email trichards@amerylibrary.org for details.

