

From President Gitter

After the second Board meeting in April, my term as Village President will come to a close. Looking back, it has been both rewarding and difficult at times.

To sum it up, I would say that we have made significant progress. Others have described these efforts as gaining momentum, creating an environment that residents and business owners want to be a part of. I touched on 2014 improvements in the winter edition of the Village Voice.

I have been fortunate to have an excellent group of Board members around me, along with a dedicated and hardworking Village staff. Numerous organizations including Youth Sports and the Fox West Chamber, along with the Hortonville Area School District have also been very active in our community. With short and long range planning in place, and the core group of Board members and Village staff intact, the Village of Hortonville is poised to continue these efforts, working to improve the quality of life for those who live and work here.

I thank you for your trust and support of me, and most importantly, your ongoing support of our community.

Andrew Gitter, Village President



ARBOR DAY CEREMONY

Saturday, 5/9/15 - 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

NEW LOCATION!

Municipal Services Center, 531 North Nash St.

EVENTS, MUSIC & FOOD

Free trees to the first 50 children attending!

Come join us for a fun and educational day with the Trees! We will be educating kids on nature, planting flowers around the flag pole, and bringing in a spaded tree to beautify our new

facility. Come join us in the planting! Learn correct planting and pruning techniques and see the newly created Tree Identification Walk around the new Municipal Services Building. There will be a brat fry and hanging baskets for sale by Foxglove Farms sponsored by the Friends of the Hortonville Library. Girl Scouts will be making milk jug bird houses and decorated seed pots you can fill and plant. A ceremony honoring those grantors who helped us fund the reforestation of the Hortonville Tree Canopy this past year will be at 10:00.

If you have a green thumb or just would like to help with planting and beautification efforts around the municipal building and in other public areas, please contact Carl McCrary at 779-6011. We are looking for more members on our committees and would love your help and ideas!



Hortonville Village-Wide Rummage Sale

Saturday, May 9th, 2015

To place your ad fill out and mail in the special form that you can find in upcoming issues of the New London Buyers' Guide & New London Press Star 416 W. North Water St., New London, WI 54961

OR call the New London office

at 920-982-2511 for more information

or to place your ad over the phone.

(they do accept Credit/Debit Card payments over the phone)

Expect full page ads with large maps similar to what New London does each year! All costs and revenues are handled by the Buyer's Guide. In addition, the Buyer's Guide will provide the Village with maps and papers for distribution.

Please feel free to pick up maps at the Hortonville Municipal Services Center, 531 N. Nash Street on Friday May 8th or at the Arbor Day event on Saturday May 9th.



BUILDING PERMIT FEE REDUCTION

NEW HOME BUILDING PERMIT FEE TEMPORARILY REDUCED!

Through December 31, 2015 the Village of Hortonville is offering building permit and plan review fees for a flat fee:

- ✓ Single-Family Home
\$999.00
(will be \$4,136.00 on 1/01/2016)
- ✓ Two-Family Home
\$1,315.00
(will be \$5,036.00 on 1/01/2016)
- ✓ 4-family
\$2,685.00
(will be \$5,643.00 on 1/01/2016)
- ✓ 8-family
\$3,685.00
(will be \$7,243.00 on 1/01/2016)
- ✓ 12-family
\$4,685.00
(will be \$8,843.00 on 1/01/2016)

Includes municipal water and sewer connection fees.

The residential incentive program reduces permit fees by approximately 75% for 2015. In addition, \$300 of the fee is fully refundable when no extra inspections are required.

Save money with the new building permit fee program.

www.hortonvillewi.org or (920) 779-6011
for more on obtaining a permit.

Paul Hanlon, Hortonville Building Inspector
To contact Paul: (920) 878-0024

BUILD IN HORTONVILLE NOW!

FOX WEST CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

www.foxwestchamber.com

Spring is the time where life begins and grows again anew. Our community is no different. The Loose Wheel is now open and a regular spot for great food and conversation. Sentry is open for business and Gilbert's old location will be a hardware store soon. And our very own Wolf River Community Bank will be opening a third branch nearby in Greenville.

If you do business in the Grand Chute, Greenville, and Hortonville area and are not part of the chamber, consider checking us out. We meet the first Thursday of each month and rotate between the Grand Chute Town Hall, Greenville Town Hall, and the new Hortonville Municipal Service Center. Upcoming meetings will be held at Hortonville Municipal Services Center on Thursday, April 2nd and at the Greenville Town Hall on Thursday, May 7th from 11:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. We would love to have you come visit and see how you can increase your business!

Don't forget to mark your calendars for the chamber sponsored Chocolate Fest on Saturday May 30th. There is a ton of family entertainment, a vendor village, an artisan showcase, and plenty of food!

