

Club 55 Senior Center

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I guess we can safely say that our 2022 Spring weather has not exactly been what we consider a 'normal' year. The farming community needs more rain...but...not all at once. They would also appreciate a bit more sunshine to warm the soil to get crops growing once the rain arrives. Our tourist community depends on predictable (if such a comment can be made) weather based on several years of keeping good records. It seems that our family communities have learned that if there is a wedding, graduation, birthday, or family reunion scheduled to plan for all alternatives. I will repeat that "We Wisconsinites are sturdy beings!" Toss your winter jacket in the backseat, just in case.

Attention pickleball players: I was asked to remind you that pickleball is still on for Mondays at 10:00 and Wednesday afternoons at 1:00. Bingo is held on Wednesday one week (June 8) and Pickleball is held the next week. The next pickleball Wednesday is June 15. My source mentioned that you can play in 'climate-controlled conditions'. This game has a lot of folks anxious to play whenever they can...a great way to get your exercise.

If you are looking for a less active way to enjoy a game come in and look over the great selection of board games that are available. It is a great way to spend an hour or more enjoying learning a new game or enjoying a favorite, as well as meeting new people and making new friends. We have new games of Scrabble just waiting for someone to use them. It seems that our dominoes group needs some new players to get this game up and going again. Feel free to come in and see who would like to play your favorite game.

Club 55 Senior Center, the Lake Mills Recreation Department, and the Rock Lake Activity Center will participate in the Town and Country Parade again this year on Saturday, June 25. We are inviting anyone that would like to participate to march with us on the parade route. We are also asking for donations of wrapped candy that can be handed out along the way. Check with your family, neighbors, and grandchildren to see if they would also like to walk along and hand out goodies.

This parade is a favorite and makes a lot of memories for many people.
Questions: Call Club 55 at 920-728-2176.

The Bia/Crawfish Junction Meal for June 15 is Meatloaf, Smashed Potatoes, Veggie and Dessert. Your order must be in by Friday, June 10 and can be made online at <https://www.lakemills.k12.wi.us/recreation/bia-meal-program.cfm> or by calling 920-728-2176. You may also stop in at Club 55 and fill out an order form. Meals are delivered at 2:30 on Wednesday to Club 55 for pick up.

Bingo will be held this Wednesday, June 8th, in the gym at RLAC from 1-2:30. Come join us for an afternoon of fun and prizes, all for free! Our next bingo on June 20th is scheduled to be held in Commons Park downtown. Let's hope the weather cooperates so we can enjoy being outside and still having a fun activity. You can shop the Farmers Market after the game. If the weather does not cooperate for us to be in the park, we will play in the gym at RLAC.

The Daydream Believers Books and Gifts Store at 130 East Lake Street, will hold their Grand Opening Party this Saturday, June 11, from 9-5. Stop in and see what a fun shop it is to have in our community.

The first Lake Mills City Band Concert is scheduled for this Wednesday, June 8th at 7pm in Commons Park. New this year is that in case of inclement weather the concert will be postponed until next Wednesday. It will not move to the Municipal Building as in the past.

Pat Forest will be at Club 55 this Thursday, June 9th at 10:45 to lead us in making Father's Day cards. All materials will be provided but bring a favorite scissors and a glue runner if you have it. Hand made greeting cards are especially nice to receive and mean that someone made an effort to show they care about you!

The Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) survey is now open. Surveys will be collected through June 27th. You may access the online link at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Dodge> Jefferson Community Survey. This important survey will help decide where resources are directed in the future. We need everyone's input.

