

LAKELAND NEWS

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July 2016

**New City Hall
“Shared Vision”
Community Meeting
Saturday July 16, 2016 at City Hall
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.**

*Please join us and provide
input on the new city hall project!*

Information will be available regarding the
13 public meetings held on the city hall project.

The city hall community survey presentation from
August of 2015 and the recommendations from the
City Hall Task Force which was formed in early
2015 will be available for review as well.

Information from EAPC Architects will be available
for review and comment and you will see
first hand the status of the new city hall project
and proposed building plans.

So, please, stop by on Saturday morning July 16th
to share your thoughts and ideas!
Coffee, juice, bagels and fruit will be served.



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July 4, 2016
Independence Day
City Offices Closed

July 9, 2016
Brush Site Open
8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Aggregate Industries

July 11, 2016
New City Hall Project
Meeting at EAPC Offices
4:00 p.m.
539 Bielenberg Drive
Suite 115
Woodbury, MN

July 13, 2016
Recycling Pickup

July 16, 2016
Community Meeting
Shared Vision
for City Hall
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
City Hall

July 19, 2016
City Council Meeting
6:00 p.m.

July 20, 2016
Lakeland Garden Club
6:00 p.m.
Jeri Ryan's Home

July 27, 2016
Recycling Pickup

August 2, 2016
Night to Unite
5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Afton-Lakeland School

August 6, 2016
Brush Site Open
8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Aggregate Industries

August 9, 2016
Primary Election
Afton-Lakeland School

August 10, 2016
Recycling Pickup

Election 2016

Afton-Lakeland Elementary School is the New Polling Place for the 2016 Primary and General Elections for Lakeland Residents.

Primary Election
General Election

Tuesday, August 9, 2016
Tuesday, November 8, 2016

The City of Lakeland election will include the following municipal offices:

Mayor (1)	Two Year Term	2017-2018
Council Member (2)	Four Year Term	2017-2020

FILING PERIODS FOR CITY OFFICE: The filing periods for municipal elections open August 2, 2016 and close August 16, 2016, with August 18, 2016 the last day to withdraw.

File at city offices located at 1190 St. Croix Trail South in Lakeland.
Monday through Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



Afton 4th of July Parade

The annual 4th of July Parade begins at noon on main street (St. Croix Trail) in Afton. 2016 Grand Marshal is Dave Dahl of KSTP. Parade will also feature the River City Rhythm Drum line, Chicks On Sticks stilt walkers and much more.

Following the parade, everyone is invited to Town Square Park for a festive celebration featuring live music, food booths, guest vendors, a Fat Tire beer tent, a bounce castle, kids crafts, and more.

For additional information, check out the parade web site for details and parade rules: www.aftonparade.com.



Being a responsible and respectful pet owner

Owning a pet is one of the great joys in life.

Whether walking them down St. Croix Trail or enjoying them in the backyard there are certain responsibilities that go along with pet ownership.:

- ⇒ Pets must be leashed when not on your property. This ensures the safety and well being of other people, other animals as well as your own pets.
- ⇒ When out on city trails, parks and streets with your pets, always pick up after them. Not doing so is not only unsightly but is a hazardous health condition as well.
- ⇒ Vaccinate your pets against rabies. Rabies vaccinations are required in the City of Lakeland.
- ⇒ Do not allow your pet to bark excessively—this makes it nearly impossible for your neighbors to enjoy a peaceful existent.

Health and Safety for the Swim Season

Practice these steps to protect yourself and those you care about from recreational water illnesses:

- ◇ Do not swim when you have diarrhea
- ◇ Keep your head out of water or use nose clips
- ◇ Do not swallow pool, lake or river water
- ◇ Practice good hygiene and shower before/after swimming
- ◇ Wash your hands thoroughly after restroom visits
- ◇ Take children to restrooms and change diapers often
- ◇ Do not change diapers at poolside or beach
- ◇ Avoid stirring up sediment in shallow freshwater areas
- ◇ Don't swim or submerge your head in stagnant warm bodies of water when air temperatures are high and water levels are low
- ◇ Follow beach, lake and pool safety rules when posted



Recreational water illnesses are caused by germs that can contaminate swimming areas. For more information visit www.cdc.gov/healthywater/swimming

Lakeland Garden Club

The next meeting of the Lakeland Garden Club will be held on Wednesday, July 20, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Jeri Ryan located at 16036 Quality Court South. Invasive weeds/shrubs and beneficial native plants will be the topic for discussion.



Above Photo: Garden Club members crafting a bird bath using large leaves and concrete.



Above Photo: The finished products: Concrete leaf –shaped bird baths for the garden.

Please join us! For additional information: Please contact Jeri Ryan at 651.436.5598 or jryan@ci.lakeland.mn.us

State, County and Community News



ANNUAL NATIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD NIGHT OUT!

**CITIES OF LAKELAND & LAKELAND SHORES
INVITE ALL RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES
TO JOIN IN THIS IMPORTANT COMMUNITY EVENT!**

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 2ND, 2016
5:30 PM TO 8:30 PM**

AFTON-LAKELAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

**NIGHT TO UNITE
IS A STATE-WIDE EVENT
THAT BUILDS AND FOSTERS COMMUNITY
BONDS BETWEEN RESIDENTS, BUSINESSES,
PUBLIC SAFETY ORGANIZATIONS
AND ELECTED OFFICIALS
TO PROMOTE SAFE COMMUNITIES.**

THE CITIES WILL PROVIDE THE MAIN MEAL AND THE FUN!

***BRING A DISH TO PASS, BEVERAGES,
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LOWER ST CROIX VALLEY FIRE DEPARTMENT CPR CLASSES 2016: Your Year To Save A Life

Do you have the necessary skills to save a life?
Investing as little as three hours in education could mean the difference between life and death for someone who is choking or in cardiac distress!

Sign-up today:

- * **Basic Lifesaving for Healthcare Providers**
- * **Heartsaver CPR and AED**
 - * **Infant CPR**
- * **Friends & Family CPR**

Classes range in price from \$20 to \$50 per person and include instruction by a certified trainer as well as course certification card (valid for 2 years). All classes will be taught at the Lower St. Croix Valley Fire Department.

Call (651) 755-1584 to register
Private groups and industry classes may be scheduled upon request.

City Business

Automatic Bill Pay

Sign up for auto pay!
Obtain a form on our website at www.ci.lakeland.mn.us or stop by city offices for the convenience of automatic bill pay. Late payments will be assessed a late fee. Please do not place cash in the drop boxes.

Building

Department

MNSPECT can be reached Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for building plan, permit questions or to schedule an inspection please call (952) 442-7520 or email info@mnspect.com. MNSPECT Building and Safety staff are available at Lakeland City Offices on Tuesdays from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

The city encourages you to reuse, reduce and recycle whenever possible. Go to www.rethinkrecycling.com for additional information.



Celebrating the 4th of July

It is a day for many that provides for a little downtime from work obligations and likely includes time spent with friends and family. The United States declared the Fourth of July or Independence Day an official federal holiday in 1941 but the actual Declaration of Independence was adopted on July 4, 1776. The Fourth of July is an important day marking the birth of American Independence! But BE CAREFUL!

240 people on average visit emergency rooms with fireworks-related injuries and deaths the month surrounding the fourth of July (www.cpsc.gov). Please don't let yourself or a loved one be one of them!

- Never allow young children to play with or light fireworks.
- Avoid fireworks packaged in brown paper as this is often a sign they were made for professional displays and could pose a danger to consumers.
- Always have an adult supervise firework activities—children suffer injuries from sparklers which burn at temperatures of about 2,000 degrees which is hot enough to melt some metals.
- Never place your body directly over fireworks device when lighting the fuse and back up to a safe distance immediately after lighting.
- Never try to re-light or pick up fireworks that have not ignited fully.
- Keep a bucket of water or hose nearby in case of fire or mishap.
- Make sure fireworks are legal before buying or using them.

For additional safety information visit the U.S. Consumer Products Safety Commission's website at <http://www.cpsc.gov/fireworks>

Community WhatzUp?

Would you like your monthly newsletter emailed? Please contact us at city@ci.lakeland.mn.us or call at 651.436.4430 to be added to our monthly e-list. Electronic newsletters save on mailing and printing costs.

Aggregate Brush Site—No Charge to Residents

The Brush Day Schedule for this year is from 8:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. as follows:

July 9 *	August 6
September 10 *	October 1
November 5	

* change due to holiday schedule

Aggregate no longer accepts any construction lumber - brush only.

Please stay in your vehicle while on-site except for in the dump area to facilitate removal of brush from your vehicle or trailer.

June 2016 Building and Septic Permits



Address	Permit
157 Quamwell	Siding
1381 Old Toll Ridge Road	Sump Pump
780 Quixote Ave N	Furnace, AC and Gas Line
16416 5 th Street Court N	Windows
174 Quehl Ave N	Roofing
499 Quinlan Ave S	2 Fireplaces and Gas Line
16438 5 th St Ct N	Gas Stove and Gas Line
16438 5 th St Ct N	Windows and Door
620 Quality Ave N	Windows and Patio Door
16233 5 th St S	Air Conditioner
568 Quinnell Ave N	Remodel
16438 5 th St Ct N	Kitchen Addition & Gas Stove
1747 Rivercrest Road	Detached Garage
176 Quant Ave N	Deck
780 Quixote Ave N	Remodel/Detached Garage
1381 Old Toll Bridge Rd	Septic

Washington County Valley Branch Library

Monday, Friday, and Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Closed on July 4, 2016

July Events

<i>A Home for Fairies</i>	July 8th at 11:00 a.m.
<i>Preschool Dance Party</i>	July 11th at 10:30 a.m.
<i>Rad Zoo</i>	July 13th at 4:00 p.m.
<i>Preschool Storytime</i>	July 18th at 10:30 a.m.
<i>Play, Baby, Play!</i>	July 18th at 11:30 a.m.
<i>DIY Day</i>	July 20th All Day
<i>I Survived the Shark Attack</i>	July 21st at 2:30 p.m.
<i>Steam Storytime</i>	July 25th at 10:30 a.m.
<i>Dog Gone Reading</i>	July 26th at 4:00 p.m.
<i>Spy Training Day</i>	July 27th at 3:00 p.m.
<i>Book Club</i>	July 28th at 5:00 p.m.



Read a good book today!

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To become involved in the Yellow Ribbon Alliance Lower St. Croix Valley please contact



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Xcel Energy

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City Website: www.ci.lakeland.mn.us

Please visit the city's website for application forms, city code updates, public notices, meeting information and community news, etc. Please submit community photos for the online community showcase photo gallery to city@ci.lakeland.mn.us

County and State Contact Information

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