News you can use...about your local library! (FALL & WINTER edition)



We have been open and doing lots of programming!!

If you have questions please call us at 715-446-3537 or watch the website (mcpl.us) for any and all updates.

THE HATLEY BRANCH HOURS

The library is currently open for all services. We are offering curbside services if needed but please call to set up an appointment at 715-446-3537. We will be closed Nov. 24th, Dec. 23rd, 24th and 26th and Jan. 2nd and possibly 16th... See website (mcpl.us) or posters on the doors for any additional closures.

Monday 1p-7p
Tuesday 10a-4p
Wednesday 1p-7p
Thursday 10a-4p
Friday 10a-4p
Saturday 10a-2p

Get your Library Card a free pass to all the library offers! If you don't have a library card, this would be a great time to get one... it is FREE and EASY. Ask about a library card on your next visit!

Grab and Go Kits are being phased out. This year they were quarterly but we do not know if they will continue into 2024

Come or call to say Hello... we would love to meet you and assist you with any of your Library needs. Or call Heather B., or Robin W. at (715) 446-3537.

PROGRAMMING

All programs listed below are scheduled to be in-person with the knowledge that they may change to being virtual or postponed.

WAOW Tornadoes, Weather and You with Brad Miller
Wednesday October 4th @ 5pm Join MCPL and News Channel 9
Meteorologist Brad Miller for a series of afterschool programs across
the county this fall!

Fire Safety Storytime Tuesday October 10th @ 10:30am

Children and their parents and caregivers are invited to the library for a special story time when we'll be joined by volunteers with the Hatley Area Fire & Ambulance District! PLEASE NOTE THIS MAY BE CANCELD LAST MINUTE IF THEY ARE CALLED OUT

Learn to Knit Monday October 16th @ 4:30pm

If you've ever wanted to learn how to knit, here's your chance at the library! We just ask that participants bring their own needles, and registration is required.

DIY Wine Cork Pumpkins Wednesday October 25th @ 3pmLearn how to create a unique fall-themed craft at the library this fall!
Registration required.

Create a Circuit Turkey Monday November 6th @ 5pm
Want a fun and unique fall craft? Stop at the library and create a cute lil' buzzing turkey with simple supplies and a closed circuit!

Winter Yarn Gnomes Wednesday December 6th @ 5pm

Tin Lid Ornaments Monday December 18th @ 5pm

Winter Escape Rooms December 22nd, 23rd, 27th, 28th, 29th, and 30th REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!

Family Story Time

Bring your family to story time! Children of all ages and their parents or guardians are encouraged to attend these 30-minute programs! We will be meeting in the Community Room every Tuesday @ 10:30am

MORE Programs are always in the works! Keep a look out for them on the Library Website: mcpl.us, in the newspaper, or for fliers.



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THE BUZZ OF WHAT'S NEW IN DOWNTOWN HATLEY.

With the closing of the Barrel Inn Bar and Restaurant in downtown Hatley in July, we were a Village with a

shrinking downtown. Thanks to Tyler Kiser, a local Hatley resident along with his partner Daniel Hoehn who purchased the property and went to work on an aggressive interior remodeling plan, the Hatley Hangout opened it's doors for business in early September. Lots of improvements have taken place in the interior of the building such as a new bar, new epoxy floor, new lighting, new kitchen and bar equipment, new walk-in cooler, fresh paint, seven TV's added, new bar stools, along with new dining tables and chairs. The bathrooms are scheduled for a remodel as well. The owners advise they are not done, plans are for an outdoor remodel, outdoor seating and improving the parking lot, lot's of improvements in a short time, with more on the way. The bar and restaurant opens at 10 a.m. on Friday, Saturday and Sunday and 11 a.m. the remainder of the week. The restaurant offers daily noon lunches and evening food specials served to 9 p.m. weekdays and 10 p.m. weekends. Some of the big hits are the Friday Fish Fry and the Sunday Broasted Chicken. Comments are also circulating about the yummy fall-off-thebone ribs on Thursdays. Take-outs and dine-in are available daily. Phone 715-446-5006. Local support helps keeps businesses open.

Mark Your Calendars!

October 27
Fall Clean Up

Tues. October 31
Trick or Treat
4:00-6:30pm

CONTACT YOUR VILLAGE BOARD:

David Narloch, President 715-446-3435

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Joan Wawrzaszek, Clerk 715-446-3139

Joe Szews, Treasurer 715-581-2259





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Hatley Area Senior Group Resume Monthly Activities

The Hatley Senior Group has resumed monthly get togethers at the Hatley Community Center activity room.

Get togethers are scheduled for October 4th, November 1st, and December 6th. Activities begin at 11 a.m. with a social hour, followed by Noon Potluck and Bingo.

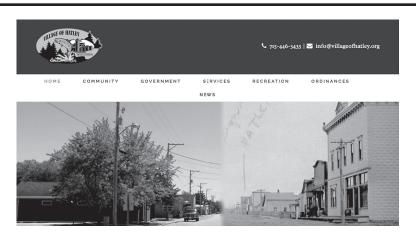
NO reservations are required. Bring a dish to pass and a \$1.50 wrapped bingo prize item. Dues are \$2.00 per meeting. Blood pressure screening is available.

The monthly meetings are open to ALL seniors in the Village of Hatley and surrounding area. Please help spread the word to friends and relatives.

The Village of Hatley Water and Wastewater plant operate under permits issued by the WDNR.

The permit renews every 5 years and prior to renewal an overall audit/review is conducted by the WDNR. The review pointed out our chloride count is rising. This is common to expect due to the hard water in the Hatley area and the growth the Village of Hatley has experienced in the last 10 years. Many homes have installed water softeners that use salt. The water softeners process the water through salt and the water is recycled through the wastewater plant, salt increases chlorides.

Tips on what each household can do that has a water softener include: (1) set softener on auto cycle; (2) do not plumb softeners in floor drains; (3) have the softener checked regularly so it runs efficiently and limits the use of salt; (4) when purchasing a water softener research buying a NO salt conditioner.



HATLEY IS ONLINE!

The Village of Hatley Code of Ordinances are on line along with other Village Information.

Visit www.villageofhatley.org. Board members listed on page one are also available for information.

VILLAGE UPDATES:

The refurbishing of the wastewater clarifier located in the wastewater treatment building was completed in early July by Process Equipment Repair Service (PERS) from West Bend, WI. Clarification is an essential step in the wastewater treatment process that operates 24/7 in the removal of floating and settleable solids prior to the release of the cleaned water into the soil. All moving parts of the system were inspected, cleaned and painted along with necessary part replacements made.

The Village of Hatley is applying to be designated as an ICE AGE TRAIL COMMUNITY. The Village Board along with members of the Ice Age Trail organization are discussing how we can help each other and the members that hike the trail. Additional information on the Ice Age Trail is available at the library or online at IceAgeTrail.org

MSA of Rhinelander, WI has been designated by WISDOT to do the engineering required for the Columbes Street Bridge Replacement in the Village of Hatley. Design work has begun on this project with construction scheduled for 2025.

FALL CLEAN-UP: FRIDAY OCT. 27

Villagers should use this opportunity to dispose of large items including furniture & appliances.

Items should be placed at your curb side by 6AM Friday, October 27.

Remember to remove doors from items such as refrigerators. Often several different trucks pick up various items, so all your items may not be picked up at the same time.

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED: TIRES • AIR CONDITIONERS

TVs • COMPUTERS • MICROWAVES

Please do not put these items out!

WINTER STREET PARKING REMINDER:

Parking is **NOT ALLOWED** on village streets from 2 AM to 6 AM November 1 - April 1

BUILDING PERMITS ARE REQUIRED FOR ANY WORK VALUED OVER \$500

Please be advised constructing fencing in your yard requires a permit. We have had some fences installed without applying for a permit. A permit must be acquired prior to starting installation of the fencing and must comply with the ordinance fencing codes.

Please contact Zoning Administrator
Bill Karschney at 446-3571 for your permit or to inquire if a permit is needed for your project.

All village residents are required to clean up after their dog.



If you are walking your dog outside your own yard, please clean up your dog's waste. Pet waste is unsightly and unhealthy. Please help keep our village clean.

Trick or Treat Hours for the Village of Hatley



4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 31

Please put on your outside light if you are participating in the tradition. Please be respectful of other's property while enjoying this Halloween tradition!

Halloween Safety Tips:

Stay in well lighted areas • Never go out alone Check all your treats • Carry a flashlight Go only to houses you know

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