

May 19, 2023

Beloit Report

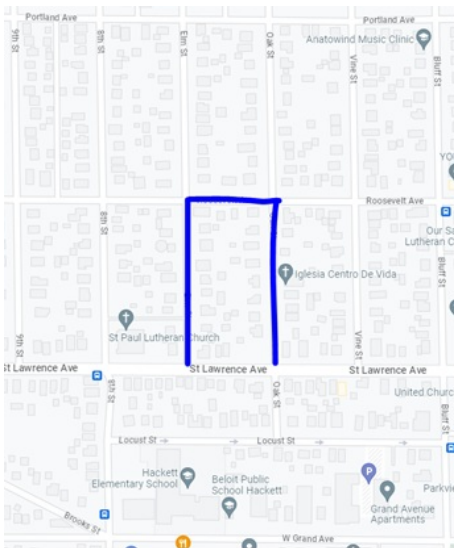


Beloit Celebrates Public Works Week

The community is invited to join the Public Works Department from 8am to 1pm Saturday, May 20, 2023 as we kick off National Public Works Week at the Beloit Farmers' Market.

This year's theme is: "Connecting the World Through Public Works." We will be bringing all of the big equipment for kids (big and little) to explore.

[Learn more](#)



Construction Starts in Westside Neighborhood

The Elm, Oak and Roosevelt reconstruction project is starting Monday, May 22. The roads will be closed except to local residents, and street parking will be limited. The project is expected to be completed by September, weather permitting.

This project will impact:

- 700 block of Elm Street
- 700 block of Oak Street
- 500 block of Roosevelt Avenue

[Learn more](#)




beloit public library


Beloit Public Library Summer Program Guide

Beloit Public Library has events planned for kids, teens, and adults throughout the year, and their summer program guide is now available. Events are free and open to the public, although some require registration. Registration can be done by visiting <https://beloitlibrary.org/how-do-i/register-for-a-program/> or by calling (608)364-2897. For all programs, note that children ages 8 and younger should be accompanied by an adult or caregiver at all times.

[Learn more](#)

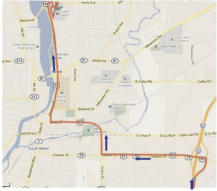


**12th Annual VetsRoll
Victory Parade**
Wednesday, May 24, 2023
Tentative Arrival 9:30 - 9:45 pm
Join us at the Victory Parade Celebration inside the Beautiful Eclipse Center, Beloit, WI



LET THE KIDS STAY UP LATE FOR THIS ONE!!
Help us welcome home our Veterans!
Spectators are encouraged to bring signs for their loved ones, consider dressing to the '40s period' and arrive early for parking and viewing.

Welcome Home Celebration for our Heroes after the Fireworks. Join us inside the Eclipse Center for the celebration.



Join us at the Welcome Home Celebration at the Eclipse Center!

Parade Route Details
Tentative arrival time in South Beloit: 9:30-9:45 pm. The caravan of 10 coaches and a support van will exit 1:00 at Exit #1 (IL Hwy 75W).

The procession will head west on IL Hwy 75W (Gateway St) to IL Hwy 251N. They will then turn north and follow IL Hwy 251N to the Stateline (becoming US Hwy 51N for the duration of the route). Next they will veer left and head west on Broad St. The caravan will turn north on Pleasant St. Then proceed north past the Ironworks Hotel and the beautiful Ironworks Restoration, through the Parked Mile on the picturesque banks of the Rock River to Henry Ave. They will turn right and head east on Henry Ave, up the hill to the Eclipse Center.

Follow Our Complete Trip on Facebook
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www.vetsroll.org

VetsRoll Victory Parade

Join VetsRoll and welcome home our veterans with a celebration at the Eclipse Center.

The group tentatively plans to return around 9:30-9:45pm Wednesday, May 24, 2023. The celebration will include fireworks and a welcome home inside of the Eclipse Center.

Learn more about VetsRoll at <https://www.vetsroll.org/>.



Memorial Day Parade

The United Veterans Memorial Day Parade Committee members have been hard at work planning this years parade. It will be held on Memorial Day, May 29th and proceed from South Beloit into Beloit.

The route will start on Blackhawk Blvd., proceeding north into Beloit on State Street, turning east on E. Grand and ending at Horace White Park. Bushnell Street will be closed to traffic near Horace White Park for bus parking. The City of Beloit is partnering with South Beloit for enhanced safety and security along the parade route.

While the parade is grand fun for the whole family, please remember the reason for the parade is to honor the men and women who died while serving in the U.S. military.

[Learn more](#)



Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement

Law enforcement officers from several Rock County agencies will be looking to prevent impaired driving. Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement Task Force is deploying on the following days:

- May 19, 2023
- May 27, 2023

During this additional enforcement, the participating agencies will have more officers on

patrol to discourage people from driving while impaired. There will be zero tolerance for driving under the influence, open intoxicants, seatbelt violations and improper use of child safety restraints.

The goal of this high-visibility enforcement is to encourage drivers to make an alternative plan so they don't drive while drunk or high.



Wootton Park Courts Temporarily Closed

The pickleball and tennis courts at Wootton Park have temporarily closed for resurfacing. They will re-open with all new pickleball courts in approximately one month, weather permitting.

Tennis players are reminded there are several other tennis courts in Beloit that are open for play. Wootton will be the only spot in Beloit for outdoor pickleball.



Seeking Community Input on Housing Development Project

Northernstar Companies LLC, has invited City Councilors and the community to give input for a proposed multi-family affordable housing development project to be built at 1642 6th St. in Beloit.

The meeting will be held on May 20, 12-2pm at the Stateline Boys and Girls Club, 202 Maple Ave. The public is invited to attend to talk about what designs you prefer and what you would like to see.

The developer is Northernstar Companies. You can contact the company with questions at 414-379-8922 or via email at james@northernstarcompanies.com.


Learn more about the developer here: <https://www.northernstarcompanies.com/leadership>



Grinnell Hall Plant Sale


Grinnell Hall Senior Center, 631 Bluff Street, is holding their annual Spring Plant and Nellie's Nook Sale, May 24-26, 9am - 3pm. Indoor and outdoor plants, including ferns, hostas, vegetables, flowering, exotic and succulents will be available. Plant enthusiasts will be on hand to help and guide you in finding the plants that suit your needs and care style.

Nellie's Nook offers new and gently used items for all ages. Purses, scarves, jewelry, house decor, greeting cards and more are affordably priced.



Power of 50 Plus
A Publication of the City of Beloit Senior Activity Center
Open to both Wisconsin and Illinois residents.

The Mission of the Beloit Senior Center is to strive to fulfill the diverse interests and needs of mature adults, enrich their quality of life, maintain their independence and offer educational and volunteer opportunities.



June 2023
Grinnell Hall Senior Activity Center
631 Bluff Street,
Beloit, WI 53511
608-364-2875
Hours
7:30am-4:00pm
Debbie Kraus
Senior Center Manager
krausd@beloitwi.gov

Grinnell Hall Newsletter

Grinnell Hall Senior Center publishes a monthly newsletter called "Power of 50 Plus." The June publication is now available and contains information on programs, calendar of activities, Rock County Nutrition meals, and more.

[Learn more](#)



**Rock County
Clean Sweep**
9-11AM Saturday, June 24, 2023
2351 Springbrook Court, Beloit

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED;
FEES APPLY**

Rock County Clean Sweep Registration

Registration for Rock County's Clean Sweep, an annual drop-off for hazardous chemicals, is now open. Due to high demand and limited events, advanced registration is required.

A local event will be held in Beloit from 9-11am Saturday, June 24, 2023, at City of Beloit Public Works, 2351 Springbrook Court. For more information about registration, fees, and to learn what is accepted, visit

<https://www.co.rock.wi.us/departments/land-conservation/clean-sweep>

The City of Beloit is proud to partner with Rock County on Clean Sweep.



Dirty Dash Registration Now Open

Children and teens ages 4 - 18 are invited to participate in the Beloit Dirty Dash, scheduled for Saturday, August 19, 2023. Family Run will take place following the children/teen dashes.

The 8th annual event will take place at Big Hill Park, 1201 Big Hill Run.

Register online at [Eventbrite](#) or in person at the City of Beloit Parks and Recreation Division, 2351 Springbrook Court, from 7am - 4pm Monday - Friday.

[Learn more](#)

2023 Summer/Fall Recreation Program Guide Available

The City of Beloit Parks and Recreation Division recently released the 2023 summer/fall program guide. Activities, adventure and events await all ages! Download the guide and start making plans



Summer/Fall 2023
 Program & Activities Guide

to have some fun!

[Learn more](#)

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FRIDAYS PARK

in the

Enjoy Lunch & Live Music
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 First National Bank Plaza, Corner of State Street & Grand Avenue

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JUNE 02 BACKPACK ACOUSTIC PERFECTLY SEASONED	JULY 07 STARLINE FLORISTS MERRILL & HIGDON'S STEAK SHOP	AUG 11 ELECTRIC RED BELOIT COLLEGE ROCK ABBEY	SEP 08 KEVIN WY TRO COO'S SMILES LUNCH
JUNE 9 ELECTRIC RED CHECKLEAD BREWING	JULY 14 SOFT SHINE SHUFFLERS HOMERIDGE OOLY LAB	AUG 18 TIMELESS TRO BELOIT SKY CAMP	SEP 15 GARY THE BAND DOWNTOWN WOMEN'S OWNED BUSINESSES
JUNE 16 TRIED & GINGER FRISK	JULY 21 RUBENASO WINEBAR LUCKY'S 547 BURGER SHOP	AUG 25 FRID & GINGER PROJECT 16-49	SEP 22 FRANK & CO. BAND VEGET BUFFALO
JUNE 23 SOFT SHINE SHUFFLERS COO'S SMILES	JULY 28 BACKPACK ACOUSTIC BELOIT SKY CAMP		

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Have an impact on your community!

We are looking for a few volunteers to serve on our City Boards, Committees, and Commissions. If you would like to volunteer, [download the application on the city's website.](#)

Have questions? Contact communications@beloitwi.gov or call 608-364-6682.

City Meetings

All public meeting agendas and minutes are posted online at www.beloitwi.gov.

- Monday, May 22, 4:30 p.m. - Police and Fire Commission, City Hall Forum
- Monday, May 22, 5:30 p.m. - Parks Tour with City Council and Park, Recreation & Conservation Advisory Commission
- Wednesday, May 24, 4:30 p.m. - Community Development Authority
- Thursday, May 25, 10:00 a.m., Downtown Beloit Association Board of Directors, 557 E. Grand Ave.
- Thursday, May 25, 5:30 p.m. - Equal Opportunities Commission Workshop, City Hall 1st Floor Conference Room
- Thursday, May 25, 6:00 p.m. - Equal Opportunities Commission Meeting, City Hall 1st Floor Conference Room

We're Hiring

The City of Beloit is hiring for various positions. Job openings and applications can be found online at

www.beloitwi.gov. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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