

July 28, 2023

# Beloit Report



*National Night Out 2022*

## National Night Out Celebrated in Beloit on Wednesday, August 2, 2023

Residents are invited to attend the National Night Out kickoff event hosted by the Beloit Police Department at 5:00 p.m. at Telfer Park on Wednesday, August 2, 2023.

National Night Out is designed to:

- Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and Police-community partnerships
- Generate support and participation in local anti-crime efforts
- Send a message to criminals letting them know neighborhoods are organized and fighting back

Residents throughout Beloit are asked to turn on outside lights and spend the evening outside with neighbors and Police.

Please click [here](#) for a fillable block party application. Block party applications are also available at the Beloit Police Department from 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

[Learn more](#)



## Regina Dunkin Day, August 9

In 2006, the Beloit City Council declared August 9th to be "Regina Dunkin Day" in recognition of her dedication, service and contribution to the citizens of Beloit.

Regina continues a tradition of inviting residents to celebrate her "day" by contributing to various charitable organizations.

This year, she has selected the Stateline Boys and Girls Club to be the recipients of tax-deductible donations in honor of Regina Dunkin Day. This agency enables all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.

If you would like to participate in honoring Regina Dunkin, your donations can be sent to

Stateline Boys and Girls Club, c/o Mark Rand, CEO, 202 Maple Avenue, Beloit, WI 53511. Donations should be sent by August 9th.

On August 15, Culver's and/or the Rock Bar and Grill will donate 10% of proceeds to the Stateline Boys and Girls Club, a United Way Agency.

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## Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement Task Force

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:

- August 4, 12, 18 and 26

During this additional enforcement, 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.

[Learn more](#)

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## Cooling Shelters in Beloit

The City of Beloit has two locations serving as "cooling shelters" for residents.

- Beloit Public Library, 605 Eclipse Blvd., 9:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Mondays - Thursdays and 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.
- Beloit Transit Transfer Center, 225 Shirland Ave., 5:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Mondays through Fridays.

Neither of the above are overnight shelters.

Outdoor cooling locations:

- Splash pads at Vernon Park and Summit Park are open 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
  - Krueger Pool hours:  
<https://www.beloitrecreation.com/krueger-pool/>
  - Turtle Island's water feature is on in Riverside Park.
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## Temporary Outage of "Text-to-911" Services

The Rock County Communications Center announced a temporary outage of "Text-to-911" services in Rock County, that began on July 26, 2023.



## NEWS RELEASE

Rock County Communications Center  
Text to 911 Service

Rock County is beginning a readiness testing period to merge their phone system with NextGeneration911 technology. During the cutover period, the ability to text 911 in Rock county will be unavailable. The ability to call 911 and the Non-Emergency number (608-757-2244) will be operational as usual.

The expected completion date is August 17, 2023. Once all work has been completed and the systems are functional, information will be shared indicating such.



## City Launches New Utility Payment Site

The City of Beloit is using a new provider to process utility payments online and over the phone, designed to be user friendly and simpler to access and pay bills.

The online bill pay link is available at:  
<https://www.invoicecloud.com/CityofBeloitWI>

You may also make a payment by phone or check your account balance 24/7 with our automated phone service. Call 877-317-0464 to make payments over the phone.

[Learn more](#)



## Transportation to Krueger Pool Offered

The City of Beloit Parks & Recreation Division is introducing a new playground program to get kids ages 6-14 to swim at Krueger Pool!

The summer playground staff will supervise the children, who will be transported from neighborhood parks to the pool via a bus. Transportation is free; entry to the pool through this program is \$2/child.

“We are looking for ways to engage neighborhood youth at the pool this summer,” said Recreation Supervisor Nicole Yost. “We hope that offering transportation and supervision will help welcome kids from throughout the city for an enjoyable afternoon of swimming and recreation.”

### Days

Wednesdays, August 2, 9 and 16

### Times and Locations

- Telfer Park: noon pickup/3:50 pm drop-off
- Summit Park: 12:20pm pickup/3:30pm drop-off
- Vernon Park: 12:40 pm pickup/3:10pm drop-off
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