



MAY 2021

ELECTION RESULTS

Election results are in and your new members were sworn in! Congratulations to Mike Kampwerth, Village President, and Matt Kohlen, Curt Albers and Kim Peek as your new Trustees. Thank you to Dale Haukap and Larry Harper for the years of hard work, dedication and guidance within the Village.

The Park District also has new members.

Congratulations to Dennis Rakers, President, and new members Cindy Zurliene and Troy Kapp. Thank you goes out to Mike Toeben, Dirk Spears and Bob Schiefer (40 years on the Park Board) for their time and service to the community.

The Village will begin the process of replacing all water meters this summer. We are now asking for your help, as the property owner, to locate your water meter. If your meter is covered with grass, dirt, landscaping, etc, please uncover it. We will share more information on this process as it becomes available.

LOST AND FOUND

LeMotech adjustable survival bracelet, Timex men's watch, Petraimer remote, Catcher's mitt, black wooden Mizuno bat

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Per Village Ordinance # 14-5-2.21

The owners of residential or commercial property situated within the corporate limits of the Village of Aviston are hereby required to post, print, paint or otherwise affix the address or street number of said property on at least one building or major structure located thereon. Said address or street number is to be posted, printed, painted or affixed in such a way as to be easily visible from the closest thoroughfare or roadway that may pass in what would be considered the front of said building or structure. In the cases where numbers are not visible from the roadway, numbers should also be posted at the mailbox, or other such structure so as to be plainly visible.

This is also a requirement of the Clinton County 9-1-1 system so all emergency vehicles can find your home.

Please have these numbers posted on your buildings by June 1, 2021. After that, the police officers will be

making courtesy visits to ensure that the numbers get placed.

Please obey all traffic signs. We are still getting complaints about speeding on side roads as well as running stop signs.

Please do NOT blow grass out into the curb or street. It is illegal to do so. This is not only a Village ordinance violation but against State law.

As always, if you see anything out of place or suspicious, please call for help and our officers will check it out.

ACH DEBIT

(Authorization Agreement for Direct Payments): The Village is offering a one-time \$10 credit on your Village utility bill for new sign-ups to have your account auto-deducted (ACH) every month.

NEW/ADDITIONAL DROP BOX

For your convenience, a new/additional drop box has been added on the south side of the Village Hall in the alley. You don't need to get out of your vehicle to drop off any correspondence.

OFF ROAD VEHICLE (ORV) STICKERS

2021 ORV stickers are available for purchase. This is for renewals or if you recently purchased an ORV. You will need a sticker to legally drive it on village streets. The forms are available online and we appreciate it if you would provide a copy of your driver's license and a current insurance card at the time of submission. Cost is \$35 per permit and good through December 31, 2021.

ADDITIONAL DUMPSTERS AT VILLAGE SHED

There will be an additional dumpster at the Village shed on the weekend (May 8th)/following week of the city-wide garage sale for your disposal needs.

HOMETOWN HEROES

SAVE THE DATE: Hometown Heroes Community Event on September 11, 2021 at the Aviston Park. This event will kick off with the Aviston Grade School's Reagle Eagle Run starting at 9:00 a.m.

The Aviston Volunteer Fire Department will be giving demonstrations and have trucks out for all to see. The Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts will be selling food. There will be various ceremonies throughout the day with the Aviston Legion, Fire Department, and Scouts. The ACIC will be hosting live music by Blacktop Boulevard from 7-11 pm.

CERTIFIED FOOD PROTECTION MANAGER - CFPM CLASS

Renee Robertson with Safe Food 101 is offering classes at the Aviston American Legion hall downstairs from 8-4:30 on the following dates:

Monday – May 10th

Monday – June 14th

Monday – July 12th

If you have any questions or would like to register yourself or a team member(s), please contact Renée directly at 618-406-4077 or email her at renee@safefood101.com.

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH

St. Francis *“Journey of Blessings” Mission*

Difficult roads often lead to beautiful destinations. Due to COVID-19, the St. Francis “Journey of Blessings” Mission has been rescheduled again to September 25-30, 2021. Until then stay safe!

ST. FRANCIS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Theme: Rainforest Explorers

When: July 12-16th from 9 a.m. – 12 noon

Where: St. Francis Parish Center

Who: Kids going into K-5th Grade as of August 2021

- Registration forms are available on the church website: www.stfrancisav.org

Contact Janice Lampe @ 228-7709 or Sue Szoke @ 228-7811 for any questions

Deadline for forms: July 6, 2021

Masks will be required and COVID protocols will be followed.

AVISTON COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT CLUB

Upcoming events:

May 8 – City-wide Garage Sale

June 12 – Block Party in conjunction with Pedaling for Parkinson’s (Registration forms available at Village Hall, Deadline – May 26th) and T-ball kickoff. Band performance by Legends Undercover.

August 28 – (tentative) golf tournament

AVISTON ELEMENTARY

We are excited to announce that graduation has been set for May 20 at 7 pm in the gymnasium. This year's ceremony will be more traditional per the request of our 8th grade students. Details will follow as the date approaches to ensure we can have the best ceremony possible.

The final day of school is scheduled for May 26, pending any changes. We want to thank our parents, caregivers and students for working through the snow days as remote learning days so that our final day could be as early as possible.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Boy Scout Recycling: Any electronics can be dropped off any time with the exception of TVs. The electronic shed is open and can be accessed from the side door on the south side of the building. Leave your electronics

inside the shed. Consolidate boxes when dropping off. Leave a walkway in the shed for others to drop off. They accept TVs on the first Saturday of the even months from 8-10 a.m. There is a \$25 fee per TV. The next TV recycling day will be June 5th at the electronic shed.

Aluminum cans are picked up curbside the first Saturday of the month at 9 a.m. If they miss your cans or you would like to drop them off yourself, the Scout trailer is located behind (east) the American Legion.

They do not accept cardboard or paper. Those items can be recycled with your blue bin provided by the Village and picked up every other week.

If you have any questions, please email avistonbersscouts@yahoo.com.

EAGLE SCOUTS

Looking for all Eagle Scouts that were part of the Aviston Boy Scouts. If this applies to you/your son, please submit your name(s) and applicable dates to: avistonbersscouts@yahoo.com

OKTOBERFEST

Hello all, we are going to give the Oktoberfest another try this fall. Original plan was for last October but due to Covid it was cancelled. However, mark October 2, 2021 on your calendar. Plans for a German celebration to be held at Vintage Hall. There will be music, food, drinks and plenty of entertainment. T-shirts are available. Contact Connie Robben at 971-5511. Shirts are now at a discounted price of \$10, \$12 for 2xl.

ApexNetwork Aviston Physical Therapy

We're open! ApexNetwork Aviston Physical Therapy is open and ready to serve you. Operating hours are 8-6 Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 7-4 Tuesday, and 7-12 Thursday. We can treat with or without a physician script and strive to see and treat you the same day you call. Our therapists specialize in treating anything from minor aches, sprains, and strains, post-operative care, pre-operative rehab, sports injuries, vestibular/vertigo symptoms, and balance/fall prevention training. We offer dry needling for muscle pain, muscle tightness, or nerve pain. Most insurances are accepted. Hometown product Spencer Fuehne will be managing the clinic and is excited to be back helping the community. Spencer attended Aviston Grade School and Mater Dei High School, and now resides in Aviston with his wife Laura. Call us today to schedule your appointment: 618-574-1824

LEGION NEWS

Aviston American Legion will host the Memorial Day Service again this year on May 30th. The Legion is asking for all to join to help honor our fallen comrades.

We will attend the 9:30am Mass followed by a march to the cemetery and the march to the Legion for a flag raising ceremony and reading of the list of past members that have left us this past year.

Please come up and check out our new addition. We are asking if you served in the military and would like to join our organization to please come on in, we'd love to have you as a member!

AUXILIARY NEWS

Auxiliary members will be out collecting donations for the annual Poppy Drive May 28, 29 and 30. All donations support our veterans.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 2021

- 8 – City-wide Garage Sale
 - Additional dumpster at village shed
- 9 – Mother's Day
- 10- Safe Food Course at Legion
- 20 – Aviston Elementary Graduation
- 24 – Park District Meeting
- 25 – Zoning Board Meeting
- 26 – Deadline to register for Pedaling 4 Parkinson's
- 31 – Memorial Day (HOLIDAY)

JUNE 2021

- 1 – Deadline: Numbers must be posted on buildings
- 5 – TV Recycling
- 7 – Village Board Meeting
- 12 – Pedaling for Parkinson's
 - T-Ball Kickoff and ACIC Block Party
- 14 – Safe Food Course at Legion
- 28 – Park District Meeting
- 29 – Zoning Board Meeting

