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Berlin Business News

NEW BUSINESS



Olson Legal Group, LLC

Owner: Nathan P. Olson, Attorney at Law
141 W. Huron St., cell 920-573-7139
Office 920-361-1181
Email: nate@olsonlegalgroup.co
www.olsonlegalgroup.com

NEW BUSINESS



Ripon Medical Center, Berlin Clinic

165 W. Huron St.
Dr. Paul Boeder, OB/GYN &
Karen Fredrick, WHNP 920-361-1400
Dr. Steven D. Pals, Orthopaedic Surgeon
920-361-4000
www.riponmedicalcenter.com

NEW BUSINESS



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Order placement, pick-up, returns &
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catalogs.
www.jcp.com

NEW BUSINESS



LB Hair Design

Inside Uptown Hair

Owner: Lisa Buhrow
107 S. Wisconsin St. 920-361-4011

NEW BUSINESS



All In One Insurance Group

Owner: Phil Pik
168 W. Huron St. 920-361-0908
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Offering Auto, Home, Life, Health
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insurance products.

NEW NAME



Ripon Medical Center Foot, Ankle, & Wound Clinic

Formerly Berlin Family Foot Care Clinic

Dr. Glenn F. DeVries DPM
Dr. Ryan Mackey DPM
322 Broadway 920-361-3036

NEW NAME



Grede (Berlin foundry)

Formerly Citation

242 S. Pearl St. 920-361-2220
Casting Integrity

NEW LOCATION



Liberty Counseling & Wellness Center

Char Groves, LMFT 920-290-0107
Mark Stahl, LPC, SAC 920-729-0277
151 E. Park Ave.

EXPANDED BUSINESS



Fox River Beef

Ice Cream & Candy Shop Now Open

Owner: Doug Coker
106 N. Capron St. 920-658-1020
Email: doug@foxriverbeef.com
Website: www.foxriverbeef.com

***** See Inside Cover For Calendar of Events *****

Berlin Chamber of Commerce can be contacted by calling 920-361-3636

June

2nd and 4th Sundays- Berlin Historical Museum is open from 1pm to 4 pm or by appointment call 361-2460

05 - Annual VFW Poker Run. Shotgun Style Start at 11am, register 9am. Two or four wheels - ALL WELCOME! Contact Butch Rhodes at 361-1252.

09 - CHN Charity Golf Classic, at the Golf Courses of Lawsonia in Green Lake, 11am start. Contact 920-361-5480 for info.

09 - Berlin Rotary Club Choirs in the Park at 6:30pm., Nathan Strong Park. No admission. Contact Bob Young 920-748-4721

09 - Cute Kidz Contest display premieres at CHN Golf Classic at Lawsonia.

12 - 1st Annual Horse Pull sponsored by The Lions Club of Berlin across from R&M Motors, grounds open at 11am, food and refreshments available contact Chuck Teske 987-5824

16 - Berlin Chamber of Commerce sponsored COMMUNITY Steak Fry 4pm to 8pm - The Great Berlin Grill Out! To make reservations call the Chamber 361-3636.

21- Berlin Boys and Girls Club Drivin' Fore The Club Golf Outing 11:30 shotgun start at Mascoutin Country Club, Berlin. Contact Mandi McConnell 294-0430

July

2nd and 4th Sundays- Berlin Historical Museum is open from 1 pm to 4 pm or by appointment call 361-2460

16 & 17 - Fox River Days Family Fun w/live music, karaoke & 3 on 3 Basketball, and many other activities. Organized by Fox River Days Foundation, sponsored in part by the BID. Contact Mary Lou Neubauer 361-5402.

17 - Berlin Chamber of Commerce sponsored Pig Roast @ Fox River Days. Contact Harry 361-3636.

17 - Annual Sidewalk Sales. Sponsored in part by the BID – SHOP BERLIN!!!

29 - Chamber Business After 5 at Badger Mining. Public Welcome.

31 - Annual Bugle Mouth Bass Tournament at Riverside Park 9am. Contact Mark VanOrnum 229-2424

August

2nd and 4th Sundays- Berlin Historical Museum is open from 1 pm to 4 pm or by appointment call 361-2460

7 & 8 - Cruzin' America Daze Annual Car Show & Memorial Cruise @ Riverside Park. Memorial Cruise, live music & fire-works on Saturday evening. Car Show on Sunday. Contact Street Cruzers, Inc. at 361-0843 or visit www.streetcruzers.org

18 - Berlin Chamber of Commerce Annual Golf Outing 11am start. Contact the Chamber 361-3636.

22 - Jeff's on the Square 36th Annual Anniversary Bash

28 - Berlin Blue Knights Annual Bruce Williams Memorial Ride & Co-ed Softball Tournament. Contact Kevin 361-4237.

27 & 28 - CHN BBQ Competition "Burning Down The Fox" at Princeton School Grounds. www.burningdownthefox.com

Meeting Schedule

CommUNITY Team - First Wednesday of the month at 8 AM at City Hall.

BID - Second Wednesday of the month at 5:30 PM in City Hall Council Chambers. All BID members encouraged to attend.

Chamber - Third Thursday of the month at Noon. Chamber members please.

For a complete listing of meetings go to 1berlin.com or watch channel 97 (digital 990).

Kid's Day in Berlin

Article written by Harry Kwidzinski, Berlin Chamber Executive Director

We are still looking for help and support in organizing a "Kid's Day" in Berlin. Bernie Phillips from WISS Radio has been working hard to try to organize a kid's day in the park. We all would love to see this come together, but could use some help in organizing the event. There seems to be support on the youngster's part, but we still need volunteers from adults. We would like to have a special day for kids of all ages. Please give me a call at 361-3636.

Salute To Our Seniors

Saturday, June 19th, held at the High School starting at 6:30 pm. Join in this fun, family, and free event - showing generations of talent all on one stage. This talented all-volunteer group of entertainers will express in a very educating, enlightening, program that the real values and need of volunteerism is at every age. Laugh a lot with four generations.

Chamber Chat

Article written by Harry Kwidzinski, Berlin Chamber Executive Director

A recent call from a concerned citizen brought an issue to the forefront. The caller told me of a client of theirs from out of town that drove through our main street while in town. This client expressed to him how dingy the downtown looks. That's disappointing to me, and I would imagine to you also. It saddens me that an outsider comes to town and observes our city as being unkept and dingy.

I think WE look, but don't see. We look at our town everyday, but do we really see it? Little things like newspapers at doors that have been there for weeks, litter that could be easily picked up, perhaps garbage cans or dumpsters that could be put away or out of sight, a coat of paint needed, or just pulling a few weeds. Maybe try an inexpensive alternative to better lighting to the main street, as the example in front of the 1st National Bank building on S. Capron and Huron St., or make the inside of vacant buildings a little more tidy and inviting to a new business, and perhaps fasten a loose board on the exterior of a building. I'm sure you have looked at many things downtown and haven't seen the things that an out-of-towner has seen in a simple pass through. These visitors get an impression that is hard for them to forget, and easy to pass on. These small things, plus many more that you can see, are easy things to fix. We can fix these things together, and give people passing through or stopping by a good positive impression. Some are so easy to do, just bend over to pick up litter or old newspapers! Let's make a pledge to make a difference. Let's do it together. COMMUNITY PRIDE!

Some reminders for June are on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month the Berlin Museum will be open from 1 PM to 4 PM, or by appointment by calling 361-2460. These hours will run thru August.

On June 5th the VFW will host their annual Poker Run, there will be a shotgun style start at 11am. You can register starting at 9am at the VFW Hall, located at 410 N Wisconsin St. Two or four wheel vehicles are welcome; of course the public is invited to attend. Special steak dinner prices for anyone in uniform.

BID Bulletin

Article written by Doug Coker, BID Board Member

With the new emphasis on building façade improvements in the downtown, the task force has been meeting weekly and hand delivering the information to retailers and building owners along the main street. If you have not yet received your information packet, you can download the program details and application from the city website <http://www.1berlin.com/2ndBusinessImprovement.htm>

Building Address Check-Up

As we all enjoy more time outside this summer, please take the time to make sure your house has your house number displayed in a visible location. Adequately displayed house numbers are essential especially when dealing with emergency

Then on June 9th CHN will host their Golf Classic at the Lawsonia Golf Club in Green Lake. The golf outing starts at 11am. For more information call 361-5480. Also, on that same day, the Berlin Rotary Club Choir will be in Nathan Strong Park for a free concert starting at 6:30 pm

On June 12 the Berlin Lions Club will host their First Annual Horse Pull. This will take place across from R & M Motors; grounds to open at 11am with food and refreshments available.

Don't forget about the Chamber of Commerce Steak Fry at the North Shelter House located in Riverside Park. This is a great chance to gather with family and friends and enjoy grilling your own 16 oz. rib eye steak, or just relax and have one of our helpers cook it for you. Then before or after you eat, enjoy a ride on the Fox River. This year again we will feature pontoon rides on the Fox for all you grill out participants. Please set the date for the Chamber of Commerce Great Berlin Grill Out. Public is always welcome.

Mark on your calendars a couple more dates for the entire family. One is Fox River Days on the 16th and 17th of July and the other is August 7 & 8 for Crusin' America Daze Car Show and Memorial Cruise. For more information on Fox River Days call Mary Lou at 361-5402 and for Crusin' America Daze call 361-0843.

July 29 Badger Mining will host a summer Business After 5, the public is always welcome to these events that start at 5pm, and we hope you can attend. The BA5 will take place at the Badger Mining Office located on Hwy 49 South. Badger Mining has been a long time supporter of the Berlin community and we are proud to have them as a big part of Berlin. We are looking for hosts for an October and November Business After 5. If interested please call 361-3636. It's a great chance to show us what you have.

For a full schedule of summer activities please check the community calendar found on the inside cover of the COMMUNITY Newsletter.

Additional BID packets outlining the programs can also be picked up in the Chamber of Commerce office or from City Hall.

If you are planning on applying for a grant, applications must be received by June 15th with awards being announced at the July BID meeting.

situations and are required. House numbers are available at City Hall FREE of charge. Stop in and get a replacement set if yours are missing. See Mary Lou Neubauer.

W. C. Russell Moccasin Co.

285 S.W. Franklin St. 920-361-2252

Interview and article by Bobbie Erdmann

Spotlight

By the middle of the 19th century, the river town of Berlin had already become a leading trade center for furs and leather. Shortly after the Civil War, the Putnam Shoe Co., which started in 1854, was very successful making boots for loggers in Wisconsin. The Wright Shoe Co. acquired Putnam in 1885 and the combined company, now located behind Wright's Mill continued to make logging and other rough boots. Then in 1898 William C. Russell, brother of the successful glove manufacturer, Frank Russell, acquired the assets. It was his idea to make moccasin boots for hunters and other outdoorsmen. In 1910 two employees, Teofil Luzinski and Tony Oelcheski, developed an overlap seam for moccasin construction which the company patented. It was a pivotal breakthrough, rendering Russells not only stronger and more waterproof but also distinctive. It was called the "Never Leak" seam.

M.G. 'Bill' Gustin joined the company as a salesman in 1922 and by 1928 bought control of the company. Through the years Gustin increased the product line and increased worldwide sales. Ralph 'Lefty' Fabricius joined the firm in the late 50's after his marriage to Judy Gustin. Today the couple own and operate this historic business along with their children with the help of about 38 employees.

Styles of boots and moccasins that customers have known and loved can still be ordered today. About 70% of the compa-

ny's sales come from their mail order catalog or from its website. About 30% of the sales are through wholesale dealers both here and overseas. Japan is a huge contingent of the overseas market. Attendance by the staff at Safari Club Shows also keeps the company's name at the forefront and brings more customers.

Visiting the W.C. Russell Moccasin factory on S.W. Franklin St. is like walking back in time. Each of the orders that leave the factory have been custom made for the person who ordered them and hand-trimmed, hand-molded and hand stitched by the master crafts men and women who sit at cobbler benches creating their masterpieces. Footwear can be produced in over 110 different leathers and a variety of colors. Since they are all custom made, irregularities in a person's feet can be accommodated. Every customer who has ever purchased footwear from Russell has a customer card on file with all their shoe size information. Re-orders and multiple orders are common with some customers. The company also specializes in repair of their products. It is not unusual to have a pair of boots, several years old, returned to have soles replaced or a rip repaired.

The company's slogan in the earlier years was "Can't wear 'em out" and they stand by that standard today.

**Home Based Business****Tastefully Simple**

Amy Boese Vetrone, Consultant

Interview and article by Bobbie Erdmann

Spotlight

Founded in 1995 in Alexandria, Minn., Tastefully Simple is the original national home taste-testing company. With over 50 delicious and convenient gourmet foods and gifts, we can offer you "the food you love" that also saves you time, according to Amy Boese Vetrone, a local consultant for the company.

Vetrone started with the company about six years ago. Sales are made through home taste-testing parties and through reorders. It is a "try before you buy" experience for the attendees at her parties. Each Consultant will plan out a menu for the party

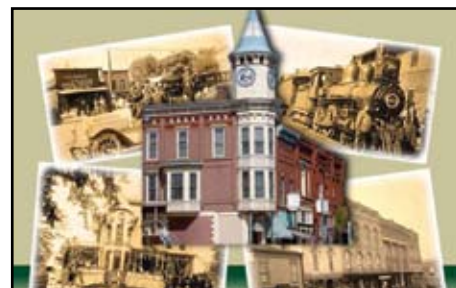
with the hostess using a variety of the Tastefully Simple products. It is also a way for attendees to get some new menu ideas.

The number to call to book a party or place an order is 920-379-0435. Amy can also be reached by email at: eav05@hotmail.com. Visit the 'Tastefully Simple' website for information on becoming a Consultant and other items of interest. Amy stated that "it is a product that sells itself and a way to have fun while making money."

City website - www.1berlin.com - A Great Resource!

Need information on something in the city? A business phone number, mailing address or web address? An event? School info? City staff contact info? Alderpersons? Reference an ordinance? Election/voting info? Meeting minutes? Local worship options? City department info? Chamber of Commerce? Civic organizations? So much more!

Visit www.1berlin.com and find what you're looking for.



Heaven's Touch Photography

151 S. Adams Ave. 920-361-4270

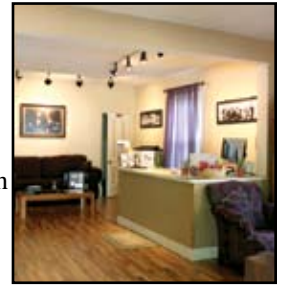
Interview and article by Bobbie Erdmann

In March of 2008, Mandy Lindemann came back home when she and her husband, Jeff, purchased the Sponholtz Photography business and building. The couple previously ran a successful photography studio in Waukesha. They continue to offer the quality service customers came to expect from the popular studio.

The Lindemanns specialize in portraits of all kinds: individual, family, pets and 'senior' portraits both in the studio or on location. School class pictures and sport groups receive their special attention along with business head shots and photo ID cards. Always popular are wedding photos taken at the church, on location, at the reception and formal shots of the wedding party. The studio can produce pictures on a variety of materials such as metal, canvas, and special papers, as well as presentations.

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The couple offer their services in doing data recovery from corrupt flash or memory cards and can produce digital reproductions of a customer's slides.



Heaven's Touch holds a 'Cute Kidz' contest to benefit the CHN Foundation as another way to give back to the community. Pictures are taken in the early months of the year and then displayed around town for citizens to vote on their favorite photo. Winners of the contest will be announced this year during Fox River Days.

The hours of operation are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and other times by appointment. You can learn more about them and see samples of their work at www.heavenstouchphotography.com or visit them on Facebook.

Retail Business

Dollar General

289 S. Church St. 920-361-0441

Interview and article by Bobbie Erdmann

Dollar General celebrated their 5 year anniversary in Berlin at the beginning of the year. The Goodlettsville, Tenn.-based Corporation is the nation's largest small-box discount retailer according to their website. They have 8,800+ stores in 35 states with \$11.8 billion in sales in fiscal 2009.

The stores carry an assortment of the most popular brands, besides their own brand, of everyday products and sundry items along with a selection of groceries at low prices. Doug Kowalewski, manager, stresses that customer service is key to their store. There are currently 6 employees at the Berlin facility. They are open from 8 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. seven days a week.

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Besides Berlin, there is also a store in Redgranite and another will soon be opening in Princeton. The stores are typically about 7,100 square feet in size. The corporation strives to provide an ideal foundation of basic work skills for their employees with competitive wages and benefits.

One of Dollar General's missions is charitable outreach and they have helped thousands of individuals achieve literacy, a general education diploma or English proficiency through their programs.



Green Lake Country Visitors Bureau (GLCVB)

Article written by Sue Knoke

The GLCVB, as you know, is the joining together of Markesan, Ripon, Green Lake, Princeton, and Berlin. At the April meeting the group had decided to tour each individual community. The first on the list was Berlin. The Berlin tour took place on May 21st and was a great learning experience for those in attendance.

I for one am excited to learn what our neighboring communities have to offer. We drive through these communities on our way to and from other destinations but never really understand all of the great amenities within.

The GLCVB attends several Sports Shows in the winter months. Now, after we tour each one of these communities, we will be that much more informed on the seasonal offerings,

shopping and dining choices, overnight accommodations, and much more, I'm sure.

Nicole Chase, GLCVB Executive Director, is a strong advocate for supporting our neighboring communities. She's right. Not only do we need to Shop Local, we also need to Play Local, Volunteer Local, and support each other.

Today's economy is so fragile that if we don't do these things, we may not have much in our great little communities to take care of in the future.

If you can, stop and think before you drive out of town to do business or spend your fun money. Keep it local when you can. Make a greater effort to volunteer in your community.

COMMUNITY Pride! Keep it strong.

Inside City Hall

Article written by Berlin Mayor, Dick Schramer

We are well on our way to another busy summer of events. Fox River Days, Bugle Mouth Bass, Street Cruiser's car show, just to name a few. There's a common thread that runs through these events, and that is the Fox River. We have Fox River Days that raises funds for waterfront improvement projects, Bugle Mouth Bass and the car show both held at Riverside Park. The City has also been focusing on making improvements to the waterfront. We now have an approved waterfront plan and a project management team in place that meets bi-monthly. One local waterfront business, the Family Restaurant, is also planning improvements by making a sizable addition to their current location that includes a deck that overlooks the river. We have it all here in Berlin, from winter sports, where our local snowmobile club has successfully

obtained a grant and recently completed a snowmobile bridge for the state corridor 9 trail, to fishing and recreational boating where the Berlin Boat Club is active once again and supporting the reopening of the Eureka Lock. We have a beautiful park that has river frontage, camping area, a boat launch, and even a nine-hole Frisbee golf course. Nearby, the beautiful Mascoutin Golf Course that sports a challenging 27 holes that also borders the Fox River. We have an active Business Improvement District, with a goal to improve the downtown store fronts, and the City Council is pursuing improved street lighting for the downtown as well. At the center, we have the Community Team that brings all the groups together to discuss what each other is doing to help coordinate everyone's efforts. I am proud to be a charter member of the COMMUNITY Team.

'Building Communities' Webinar Series

A Prepaid Educational Series For Every Business Owner, Community Leader, and Concerned Citizen

****All Webinars will begin at 11 AM and will be held at The Goose Blind in Green Lake*

Final of the Series: June 15, 2010 – Engaging the Community to Develop Sustainably

Community Development Specialist Randy Stoecker, University of Wisconsin-Extension Center for Community & Economic Development and Community Development Specialist Jerry Hembd, University of Wisconsin-Superior/Extension Northern Center for Community & Economic Development

Is there any way to rebuild our local economy and better prepare for the inevitable economic downturns ahead? How do we chart a new course for our community that represents the interests of all its members? We'll discuss the essential approaches to building a consensus for the community's future growth and development—and we'll focus on an approach that holds greater promise for lasting, positive economic development.

CodeRED

Article submitted by Green Lake County Sheriff's Department

Green Lake County has contracted with Emergency Communications Network, Inc., of Ormond Beach, Florida, for its "CodeRED" high-speed telephone emergency notification services since January 2009. The CodeRED system gives county officials the ability to deliver pre-recorded emergency telephone notification/information messages to targeted areas or the entire county at a rate of up to 60,000 calls per hour.

This system could be used to notify residents of a missing child, a gas leak, flooded areas or even of a county-wide emergency. These situations are immediate and CodeRED allows us to contact a large number of people in a short period of time. Sheriff Mark Podoll cautions that such systems are only as good as the telephone database supporting them. "If your phone number is not in the database, you will not be called."

The CodeRED system not only offers faster calling rates and improved message delivery, it gives individuals and businesses the ability to add their own phone numbers directly to the system's telephone database. Podoll emphasizes that this is an extremely important feature.

To ensure no one is omitted, Podoll urges all individuals and businesses to log onto the Green Lake County Sheriff's Department website, <http://www.co.green-lake.wi.us> and follow the link to the "CodeRED Residential and Business Data Collection" page. Those without Internet access may call Green

Lake County Sheriff's Office, (920-294-4134 x 8) Monday through Friday, (8AM-5PM) to give their information over the phone. Required information includes first and last name, street address (physical address, no P.O. boxes), city, state, zip code, and primary phone number, additional phone numbers (optional).

No one should automatically assume his or her phone number is included, Podoll said. All businesses should register, as well as all individuals who have unlisted phone numbers, who have changed their phone number or address within the last year, and who use a cellular phone as their primary home phone.

Podoll explains that the "CodeRED system is a geographical based notification system, which means street addresses are needed to select which area will receive emergency notification calls in any given situation. The system works fine for cell phones too, but we have to have a street address." People who have recently moved but kept the same listed or unlisted phone number also need to change their address in the database.

Podoll says, "CodeRED gives those who want to be included an easy and secure method for doing so. The information will only be used for emergency notification purposes". Questions should be directed to the Green Lake County Sheriff's Office, 920-294-4134 x 8.

Fox River Days - A True Community Event

Article written by Doug Coker, BID Board Member

The 8th annual Fox River Days celebration is just over a month away with an awesome entertainment line-up. Friday & Saturday, July 16 and 17, the center of downtown Berlin will showcase three bands - Past Blue Rhythm, Country Storm, and the Spicy Tie Band, will provide a great variety of food from Berlin Kiwanis/KC, Berlin Chamber, Boys and Girls Club, Rotary, Berlin Sr. Center, All Saints, and the Arts and Humanity Council, and has the FRD Foundation providing beverages. In addition, a great line up of local singing competition with the Berlin Idol on Friday night and Saturday night; the Jr. Idol on Saturday afternoon; the Boys and Girls Club Duck Race; a new 2010 event Man vs Truck – a human truck pull; and 3 on 3 basketball and kids games. The day also starts out with sidewalk sales throughout the downtown.

This great line-up is a huge annual fund-raiser for our vendors who give back to the community in many ways. Whether

it be youth activities or expanded opportunities for the elderly, profits realized by these organizations are essential for their continuation.

Direct sponsorship of the event, and raffle ticket and beverage sales all contribute to the FRD Foundation which direct the proceeds to the Downtown Waterfront Initiative Project. Slated for “between the bridges” and the immediate area on the north side of Huron Street, conceptual diagrams of the potential riverfront development in the downtown will be on display at FRD this year. The hope is to begin an area project within the next couple years to develop the Fox River area in the downtown.

Watch for those bright green flyers to appear throughout the Community in the upcoming weeks. With all this entertainment available, check out “the downtown” on July 16th and 17th.

Green Lake County Fair

Article submitted by Green Lake UW Ext office

Ahoy Mateys! The Green Lake County Fair is gearing up for a jolly swashbuckling good time! The Fair will be held August 5-8 this year and if you haven't already guessed, the theme is pirates – “Adventure on the High Seas.” As always, county residents are able to showcase their projects and compete for blue ribbons, trophies and bragging rights in categories that range from pie baking to photography to livestock. Fairbooks and entry forms (Junior and Open Class) are ready and can be picked up at any county Library or the UW-Extension Office in Green Lake. You will want to make sure to catch the wide

array of entertainment lined up this year. Along with LIVE PIRATES GALORE, the schedule includes Bounding Main, The Bassmeister, Paul Knight- Hypnotist, UB The Band, Science is Fun Show, Jolly Giants, the 3 Privateers and much, much more.

The Fair would like to thank the 2010 Community Involvement Program (CIP) participants for their support this year. For more information regarding CIP and/or the Fair, please call the UW-Extension Office at 920-294-4033 or check out the Fair's website at: <http://www.uwex.edu/ces/cty/greenlake/GreenLakeCountyFair.html>. We hope t' be seein' ye there!

ATM Fees and Overdraft Notices

Article submitted by Angie Fralish, HR/Marketing, Farmers & Merchants Bank

Financial institutions are facing many government regulation changes. One of the most recent regulation changes is regarding Regulation E. The final rule restricted banks from assessing overdraft fees to cover automated teller machine (ATM) and one-time debit card transactions on a consumer's account without the customer's consent or election to opt into such a payment for those transactions.

New Federal Reserve rules gives debit and ATM card users additional options regarding overdrafts. In the coming months,

banks, credit unions, and other financial institutions must offer the ability to make decisions about overdraft services for transactions made with your debit or ATM cards.

Those that have not opted in by July 1st, 2010, will no longer receive the benefit of having your overdrafts covered, and any transaction that would overdraw your account would be automatically declined.

Contact your local financial institution for further details.

City of Berlin Ordinances, Friendly Reminders

Curfew Ordinance

No one under 18 years of age shall be in any public place in the city unless accompanied by a legal parent or guardian after curfew hours.

Memorial Day – Labor Day: Sun. – Thurs. 11 PM – 5 AM

Labor Day – Memorial Day: Sun – Thurs. 10 PM – 5 AM

Year-round: Fri. & Sat. Midnight – 5 AM

Skates/Skateboards Ordinance

Skateboarding is allowed on the paved parking surfaces of the North and South shelterhouses at Riverside Park and on residential sidewalks. All other areas are prohibited, including commercial sidewalks.

When using in-line skates upon a public roadway within the city, you shall proceed in single file only.

Child Safety Zone Ordinance City of Berlin has adopted a Child Safety Zone Ordinance that regulates registered sex offenders and their ability to be near certain parks, schools, churches, etc. For further information contact the Police Department at 361-0444 Also see www.familywatchdog.com and www.offender.doc.state.wi.us/public/

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**Help Us Keep
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Up-To-Date**

Have a new address?
Email?

Would you like your
business website link on
the City website?

Please call 920-361-5401
ext. 5456 or email
sknoke@dotnet.com
to ensure your
information is current.

Family Trips Available in Berlin

Tuesday, June 22 ~ **Aldo Leopold Nature Center & US-Madison Geology Museum**
\$25/person, Bus departs at 8:30 AM.

Saturday & Sunday, July 17 & 18 **CHICAGO** ~ family style ~ visit Jelly Belly factory, Lincoln Park Zoo, Shedd Aquarium, Medieval Times, Navy Pier, Museum of Science & Industry, & Millennium Park.

\$295 1st Adult, \$250 2nd Adult. \$195 1st child, \$175 2nd Child.

Call 800-236-5511, tell them you are booking through the Berlin Senior Center.

Saturday, July 24 ~ **Cave of the Mounds & Henry Vilas Zoo**
\$25/person, Bus departs at 7:30 AM

Thursday, August 12 – **Brewer Game** with coach bus and ticket to game.
\$40/person, Bus departs at 9 AM

All trips are sponsored through the Parks & Recreation Dept. / Senior Center. Children must be accompanied by an adult. \$30 paid at time of reservation guarantees your spot. Full payment of trips under \$30 are requested at time of reservation. CALL 361-5422 to make reservations.

ITALY! 9 Days! October 13th. Venice, City of Verona, Florence, Chianti & Assisi, Vatican City!

Saturday, October 30th ~ **GPS Mystery Trip**

Coach bus leaves Berlin Wal-Mart at 9:15 AM. Transportation, meal, and tickets are included. There will be some Halloween fun with this trip. Bring money along to fully enjoy the fun. GPS Lovers - here are your clues: N4070 30th Dr., Pine River, N4398 St Rd 49, Poy Sippi 2312 N. Richmond St. Appleton, 2626 N. Oneida, Appleton. ?????????? It's a Mystery!