

INDIAN CREEK NEWSLETTER

December 2024

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Water Hydrant Flushing Schedule – 2024

The six water hydrants located in Indian Creek subdivision will be flushed on the dates listed below. Water hydrants are flushed in order to reduce the build-up of sediments in our water system. This is an important process for improving water quality. Our water operator will flush one hydrant at a time and allow it to run for 10-15 minutes (the next in line hydrant is opened concurrently for a brief period to keep water flowing through the system). Water pressure in our system's lines is maintained by the 35,000 gallons of water in our tower, however, pressure in home lines will be reduced during flushing much like when multiple faucets are opened in your homes. Flushing the hydrants will also stir up sediments so please follow the procedures listed below:

- Do not run water during the flushing time period.
- Following flushing, run water through faucets until clear. We recommend this be done by-passing any treatment/filtering system in your home because of the increased sediment stirred up during the flushing process.

Please mark your calendars with the date listed below. Flushing will be done between 5:30 a.m. and 6:30 a.m. weather permitting. **Hydrants will not be flushed in freezing conditions or other inclement weather.**

Monday, December 30

Jim Larson – ICHWA Water Chairperson



Towanda American Legion



PANCAKE BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

**Saturday, December 14, 2024
8:00-10:00 a.m.**

Pancakes, Sausage, Drink & Treats

Free - Donations Appreciated

Thank you for your continued support!

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Towanda Library

The Towanda District Library has a festive lineup of events this December to help you get into the holiday spirit! Adults can enjoy a relaxing evening of creativity during **Adult Craft Night** on December 3 at 5:30 PM.

Weekly **Storytimes** take place on Wednesdays and Fridays at 10:30 AM, with two special **Storytime with Santa** events on December 16 at 2:30 PM and December 20 at 10:30 AM (*registration required*).

Homeschool families are invited to a creative **Pointillism Homeschool Event** on December 9 at 2:00 PM. On December 14 at 12:00 PM, children can create a cuddly keepsake during the **Build a Christmas Buddy** event (*registration required*) while book lovers can join the **Book Club** discussion on December 17 at 5:30 PM.

Please note the library will be closed on December 24, 25, 31, and January 1. Be sure to visit and celebrate the season with us!



TOWANDA DISTRICT LIBRARY

DECEMBER 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Pointillism Homeschool Event- 12/09 @ 2:00 pm  Storytime with Santa* 12/16 @ 2:30 *Sign up only	Adult Craft Night 12/03 @ 5:30 pm  Lego Club 12/10 @ 2:30 pm  Book Club 12/17 @ 5:30 pm	Storytimes @ 10:30 am 		Storytimes @ 10:30 am  Storytime with Santa* 12/20 @ 10:30 am  *Sign up only	Build a Christmas Buddy* 12/14 @ 12:00pm  *Sign up only

The Library will be closed the following days in observance of the Holidays

- December 24
- December 25
- December 31
- January 1

The Ecology Action Center Announces New 2071 Endowment Fund

The Ecology Action Center (EAC) has a new avenue for legacy giving. The 2071 Endowment Fund, named to honor the 100th year of the organization that got its start as a one-day recycling drive, was developed to provide greater financial stability for environmental services for generations to come. The fund serves as a safety net for unanticipated economic downturns and reflects the EAC's prioritization of long-term stability and financial viability. The 2071 fund additionally reduces the EAC's dependence on public funding. Donors contribute to the principal of the fund which will allow for annual disbursements of interest to support local environmental efforts; the principal will not be spent, but rather will continue to grow and provide benefits in perpetuity.

The Ecology Action Center is a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization and contributions are deductible to the extent allowable by law. The 2071 Fund also accepts donations in the form of IRA required minimal distributions, stocks and charitable gift annuities. Donations to the 2071 Fund can be made online at <https://ecologyactioncenter.org/2071fund/>.

The Ecology Action Center is a not-for-profit environmental agency with a mission to inspire and assist residents of McLean County in creating, strengthening and preserving a healthy environment. The EAC acts as a central resource for environmental education, information, outreach, and technical assistance in McLean County



Towanda 4-H

The Towanda 4-H Club will meet on Tuesday, December 3rd, 2024 at 5:30 pm at the Towanda Community Building. We will be having a Christmas party, and there will be pizza and games. We will be decorating the Christmas tree and the community building, as well as making Christmas cards for a senior citizen retirement home.

At our last meeting, we had a guest speaker from Pet Central Helps where they discussed fostering dogs and cats.

For more information contact Carrie Vogel [309-825-6248](tel:309-825-6248) or Jeanie Wager [309-728-2852](tel:309-728-2852).

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For Hire:

Millie Harmon is available for both pet sitting and babysitting. Millie has experience pet sitting, is a member of the Junior Zoo Keepers at Miller Park zoo, and is part of the equestrian team at Lone Ridge Farm. Millie has completed a safe sitters course and enjoys being with children. She can be reached at 309-665-9053 (Millie) or 309-530-5360 (parent).

Lydia Lueschen is available for babysitting. She has completed a babysitting course along with being CPR certified. Please call or text her mom - Dallas Lueschen- at 309-826-1868.

Aubrey Thomas is available for childcare and pet care. She has taken the Safe Sitter course and is experienced with taking care of several animals. Aubrey will be attending Heartland beginning in Fall 2023. Please call or text her at 309-532-7522. References available.

Jaeden Proesel - Age 16 is willing to do odd jobs such as dog walking, pet sitting, lawn care, etc. Please reach out! 309-310-7470