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# Kim-Talk

The Village of Kimberly Newsletter  
Summer 2016

## Enriched Beyond Our Vision

This is a bittersweet contribution to write as we near the retirement of our Community Enrichment Director, Al Schaefer. While we share our best wishes for Al and Sue in retirement, we know that his day to day interactions will be missed; Al brought many terrific things to the table to be sure.

When the decision was made to create the position of Enrichment Director, the Board could have never forecast the significant contribution the pioneer of the position would have made. The decision to hire was an easy one, as he carried his "Certified Leisure Professional" experience and hometown knowledge, back to his roots; Al was the perfect fit at the perfect time. Armed with experience in three previous communities, Al created relationships, established programs, and upped the game for all things considered park and recreation, while implementing programs that reached beyond the typical Park & Rec Directors purview. Al immersed himself in various organizations and made each one better. He was part of the Amphitheater design team, his long term "ad-hoc" position with the KRA board, his interaction with KBO, Cardinal Youth, and Seniors, to his time coaching track & field or calling bingo, Al made an impact that was positive and, well, enriching. Al's work was future thinking while maintaining the quaint feel of our great community. From the redesign and naming of the swim lake to updating signage in our parks, Al was always looking forward.

It is written in this section of the Kimtalk that our community is a great place to live, learn, work and play and Al Schaefer's personal and professional commitment to our community are significant factors in our being able to be so boastful. Thank you Al for all you have brought to the community and best wishes in retirement.

We also say thanks to Jim Roovers who plowed his last run this year, and has retired after 31 years of service. Also heading to retirement after 42 years of carrying on a family tradition, is Assistant Fire Chief Jim Hermus. Thanks gentlemen for your contributions to this community.

A couple brief updates on projects in progress....First, Kimberly Avenue. After sixty plus years, the much travelled main drag is receiving new life and not a day too soon. This major project will create issues and I offer our apology for the circuitous routes you will need to take to enjoy Sunset Park or visit our business friends along the

Avenue. We will do our very best to allow access at all times, but please know that it won't always be possible or pretty. Short term pain for long term gain is how I view it. To those of you living or running a business on the project, thanks for your cooperation and understanding. Please feel free to reach out to our staff if we can help you with access, trash and recycling etc.

Next, the Cedars at Kimberly project. While the view would lead anyone to believe that nothing is happening, I assure you that this is not the case. As I write this on May 2nd, final DNR approvals have just been shared regarding how the ground is "capped." This DNR approval was necessary prior to the grading of the site and building of roads. With this approval the work begins in "see-able" ways. The digging of the Memorial Park Pond will begin with the soils removed to build the pond (more on the pond project and specific contributions from our community ad-hoc committee members in design and amenities in the next edition) will be trucked across Maes Avenue to provide appropriate fill to construct said roadways. As this happens, please expect detours off of Maes Avenue to expedite the trucking in a safe and efficient manner. As streets are being built and Central Parkway area being filled in and shaped. The ground and black top in the old mill parking lot at Maes and Main will be removed and prepped for the first housing development which you should see structures being built this summer/fall...from there we expect things to fall like dominoes in development. So, sidewalk superintendents, you will be back on the job soon!

And finally—Thanks to our Kimberly Volunteer Firefighters! Not only did they recently take the initiative to control burn our storm water ponds allowing for vibrant growth of vegetation, they led the charge in securing donations to bring fireworks back to Kimberly! An amazing effort that we will all enjoy the benefits of. I know they will share the whole fund raising story; I just wanted to extend my thanks.

Summer is finally here, and aside from the orange barrels there are many great things to see and do in this great weather. Please make it a relaxing and safe summer as we continue our work in keeping Kimberly a great place to live, learn, work and play!

Chuck Kuen  
Village President



President's POINT OF VIEW

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## Village Offices & Departments

Web Site: [www.vokimberly.org](http://www.vokimberly.org)

### Kimberly Municipal Complex

|  |                          |                         |                          |
|--|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Village Administrator</b>             | Adam Hammatt             | 515 W. Kimberly Avenue  | <b>788-7500</b>          |
| <b>Assessment Information</b>            | Accurate Appraisal LLC   | ahammatt@vokimberly.org | <b>788-7500</b>          |
| <b>Municipal Court</b>                   | Judge Gerald C. Schumann | www accuratessessor.com | <b>920-749-8098</b>      |
| <b>James J. Siebers Memorial Library</b> |                          |                         | <b>788-7500</b>          |
| <b>Fire Department</b>                   | <b>EMERGENCY 911</b>     | non-emergency           | <b>788-7500 Ext. 120</b> |

### Street/Inspection Department Park & Recreation Department

|                                       |                        |                 |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Sunset Beach Swimming Facility</b> | 426 W. Kimberly Avenue | <b>788-7507</b> |
| <b>RAIN OUT LINE</b>                  | 426 W. Kimberly Avenue | <b>788-7507</b> |
|                                       | 1010 Fulcer Avenue     | <b>731-9299</b> |
|                                       |                        | <b>687-7890</b> |

### Water Department

|                                  |                 |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Plant - 404 N. John Street       | <b>788-7510</b> |
| Billing - 515 W. Kimberly Avenue | <b>788-7500</b> |

### Fox Valley Metro Police Department

|                      |  |                 |
|----------------------|--|-----------------|
| <b>EMERGENCY 911</b> | 200 W. McKinley Ave. Little Chute  | <b>788-7505</b> |
|                      | Web Site: <a href="http://www.foxvalleymetro.org">www.foxvalleymetro.org</a> |                 |

### Village Board Meetings

|                         |         |                  |
|-------------------------|---------|------------------|
| 1st & 3rd Monday Nights | 6:00 PM | Council Chambers |
| 2nd & 4th Monday Nights | 6:00 PM | Council Chambers |

|                           |              |                  |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|
| <b>Village President:</b> | Chuck Kuen   |                  |              |
| <b>Village Trustees:</b>  | Dave Opsteen | Lee Hammen       | Peggy Weber  |
|                           | Mike Hruzek  | Marcia Trentlage | Dave Hietpas |

[web site: www.vokimberly.org](http://www.vokimberly.org)

All Village Offices, Departments, and the James J. Siebers Memorial Library will be closed on **Monday, May 30th** in observance of **Memorial Day**, and **Monday, July 4th** in observance of **Independence Day**.

• **Memorial Day will have no effect on garbage collection**

• **July 4th will have no effect on garbage collection –**

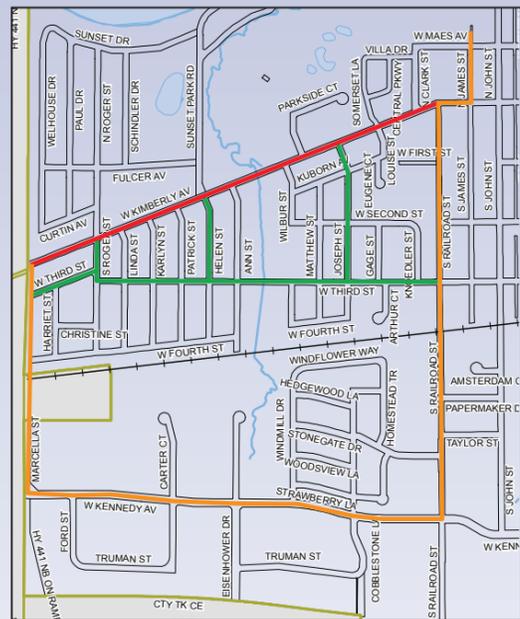
*however recycling for the week of July 4th will be delayed one day:*

*Monday's route on Tuesday, Tuesday's route on Wednesday and so on.*

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# CONSTRUCTION ZONE



- Project Work Zone
- Business Detour Route
- Detour Route

The Village of Kimberly has placed signs at each end of the construction area to detour traffic to businesses located on Kimberly Avenue to include access to Sunset Park. At times you may have to use an alternate route due to work being conducted on the cross road.

Please visit our website at [www.vokimberly.org](http://www.vokimberly.org) for Weekly Construction Updates.

## EMPLOYEES ANNIVERSARY'S

*Congratulations to the following employees for their years of service to the Village of Kimberly*

### CRAIG GERRITS -

20 years in February with the Water Department

### RICK VANDEN WYNGAARD -

20 years in April with the Street Department

### DAVE VAN BOXTEL -

40 years in March with the Volunteer Fire Department

## EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT

Congratulations to **JIM ROOVERS** who retired after 32 years of service at the Street Department.

It all started with a vision and desire from the Kimberly Fire Department, "Bringing the Fireworks Back to Kimberly". In the beginning their sights were set for the return to occur 2017, with Kimberly Avenue under construction it was not possible to hold the Fireworks at its previous location, Sunset Park. However with a substantial donation from **US Venture, Robert E. Thompson Memorial Fund** and **Kimberly Area School District**, their vision became reality for the fireworks to return in 2016. Along with these major sponsors, we would also like to thank everyone for their support that has either attended, donated or sponsored our fundraising efforts:

- Leah Wiesner
- The Reel Shot
- Tanner's Sports Grill and Bar
- Chefo's Pancake House
- G. Evers Enterprise
- Kimberly Eye Clinic
- Heart of the Valley YMCA
- Dave Weber
- Liberty Hall
- Ms. Esther Ermers
- Weyers Equipment Inc.
- Scheels
- Coffey and Evers Family
- Expert Real Estate Partners
- Adashun & Jones Real Estate
- Carol Wierschke

- Kathy Heier
- Kwik Trip
- Robinson's Florist
- Ademino & Associates Inc.
- Kimberly Dental Associates
- Dave's Barbershop
- Tiger's Tavern
- Cost Cutters
- Krieger Jewelers
- Team Winnebagoland
- Festival Foods
- Ed's Boat Sales & Service
- Kessler's Diamonds
- Midwest Restoration
- Romenesko Family Dentistry

We would also like to **THANK TLC Sign** for the donation of our tracking thermometer sign.



# Fox Valley METRO POLICE DEPARTMENT



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## FVMPD OPEN HOUSE

Fox Valley Metro Police Department will be hosting their annual Open House on **Wednesday May 25th from 4-6pm**. The Open House will be located in the parking lot of FVMPD located at 200 W. McKinley Ave. in Little Chute. Come meet your local officers, and enjoy all sorts of free activities and food. Activities include:

- Free bike helmets and bike rodeo**
- Bounce House**
- Squad Car/Police Department Tours**
- Free Popcorn and Culvers Ice Cream**
- Face Painting/Balloon Animals**



## Check out Fox Valley Metro's new website, Twitter & Facebook page!!!

Get all the latest crime alerts, crime prevention tips, and keep a finger on the pulse of what is happening in your community.

FVMPD's all new website: <http://www.fvmpd.org>

FVMPD Twitter: <https://twitter.com/FoxValleyMetro>

FVMPD Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/FoxValleyMetro>

## \*\*EMERGENCY ALERT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM\*\*

If you wish to receive emergency alerts, visit the below internet website and enter your information so that Outagamie County will be able to reach or notify you if there is an emergency. Law Enforcement alerts will be sent to people in areas that involve emergencies such as robberies/burglaries, missing person(s), severe traffic accidents causing closures or detours, etc. <http://platform.emtel911.com/reg/?client=outagamie>

## AVAILABLE PROGRAMS

Fox Valley Metro Police Department provides numerous programs for citizens. These include:

- Citizen Ride-along (Ride along with an Officer for a day)
- Key Box Program
- Bike Rodeos
- Vacation House Checks
- Neighborhood Watch
- Cub Scout/Girl Scout Tours

Also, if your civic group or business would like an Officer to speak to them on any police related subject, Officers are available to make presentations. For more information on these or any other programs, contact Community Support Officer, Michael Lambie at 788-7505 or e-mail at [michael.lambie@fvmpd.org](mailto:michael.lambie@fvmpd.org)

## UNSOLVED CRIMES

Fox Valley Metro Police Department is seeking public assistance in resolving unsolved crimes. Individuals providing information on crimes in our area can remain anonymous and receive a reward for the successful capture of suspected criminals by calling Crime Stoppers at 920-788-9090 or call Fox Valley Metro Police Department at 920-788-7505. E-mail [tips@stopcrimenow.org](mailto:tips@stopcrimenow.org).

## A little about Quad Communities Crime Stoppers

Quad Communities Crime Stoppers, Inc. is a four community organization that supports the efforts to fight crime in the communities of Combined Locks, Kaukauna, Kimberly and Little Chute; through a tip line by phone or email. We work closely with the local law enforcement agencies and the Kaukauna, Kimberly and Little Chute School Districts. Three representatives from each community make up the structure of the Quad Communities Crime Stoppers Board. We meet 5

## Summer Hours: Memorial Day through Labor Day

### James J. Siebers Memorial Library - Kimberly

Monday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Tuesday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Wednesday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Thursday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Friday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Saturday and Sunday closed



### Gerard H. Van Hoof Library - Little Chute

Monday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Tuesday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Wednesday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Thursday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Friday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Saturday and Sunday closed

Albert Einstein once said, "The only thing that you absolutely have to know, is the location of the library," and we agree! So many opportunities await you at your public library.

This article is being written during the 2016 Fox Cities Book Festival (April 18-24). During this special time of year, we find ourselves grateful to be a part of this community, serving the needs of residents, and inspiring and supporting lifelong learning and the love of reading. Bringing fabulous authors to the Heart of the Valley is exciting, as is seeing readers connect with writers.

As summer approaches we are immersed in preparing for the busiest time of year – and the most exciting! Our Summer Reading Program typically includes over 2,000 participants of all ages with a variety of weekly programs. It is thrilling to see the excitement of kids coming in for their weekly prizes, eager to share news about what they've been reading or what they've learned by completing one of the weekly challenges.

The Summer Reading Program is designed to be fun, but it's much, much more than that, too! The main reason to have a reading program at all is to prevent "summer reading loss." Studies have shown that children who don't read over the summer lose three months of reading comprehension. This loss is accumulative and is

a key factor contributing to the achievement gap between struggling and successful students. By the end of 6th grade, kids who do not read over the summer will be 2 school years behind their peers who did read.

Having access to books and having books in your home are essential to building strong readers! The library offers free reading materials to all and helps get books into the homes of kids who may not have their own. Make good use of your public library! We are here to help and love finding the perfect books for readers of any age.

This year's Summer Reading Program will begin June 6th and will run for 8 weeks. This summer's theme for all ages is On Your Mark, Get Set... Read. Library staff will soon be visiting area schools to promote the program and to get kids excited about reading over the summer. We hope you will be inspired to participate, whether on your own or as a family. Reading is important for ALL ages!

For more information about the library, please visit [www.kimlit.org](http://www.kimlit.org).



## BOARDS & COMMISSIONS

### The Village Board of Trustees approved the following appointments:

|                            |                         |  |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| <b>Fire Commission</b>     | Ken Hermus              | Five-year term due to expire May 2021  |
| <b>Board of Appeals</b>    | Ken Hermus              | Three-year term due to expire May 2019 |
|                            | Jon Semenuk             | Three-year term due to expire May 2019 |
| <b>Planning Commission</b> | Duane Biese             | Three-year term due to expire May 2019 |
|                            | Dean Schiesl            | Three-year term due to expire May 2019 |
|                            | Paul Hermus             | Three-year term due to expire May 2019 |
| <b>Joint Library Board</b> | Rosemarie Vander Velden | Three-year term due to expire May 2019 |

## RECYCLING INFORMATION



### SUMMER scheduled WEEKS for pick up are as follows:

|   |         |   |         |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| May   | 23 – 26 |   |         |
| June  | 6 – 9   | & | 20 – 23 |
| July  | 5 – 8   | & | 18 – 21 |
| (no pick up July 4th, recycle day moved by one day) |         |   |         |
| August  | 1 – 4   | & | 15 – 18 |

The customer service department at Inland Services, the provider of the recycling service for Outagamie County, requests that any customers with questions pertaining to their recycling pickup can call their office at (920) 759-0501.

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## LAWN HEIGHT & WEED NOTICE

### No Notice Given

Pursuant to the Village of Kimberly Code of Ordinances, notice is hereby given to each person who owns, occupies, or controls land in the Village of Kimberly, Outagamie County, State of Wisconsin, to destroy all noxious weeds and to cut or remove the accumulation or growth of weeds, grass, brush, or other rank or offensive vegetation which has grown to a height greater than eight (8) inches.

A minimum of one hour will be charged to cut noxious weeds or grass 8" or longer at \$75.00 per hour plus equipment usage.



## NEWLY PLANTED TREE CARE

New trees, which will be planted throughout the Village, need care. Please water these trees with *Five (5) gallons* every 4 to 5 days during dry spells.

When mowing and trimming around trees, please avoid hitting the base of the tree. There are quite a few terrace trees with bark torn from the base due to mowing and trimming too close to the tree. If this occurs too often, there is a good chance the tree will die. When a terrace tree dies, the replacement time could take up to 5 years, due to commitments in other areas of the community.

## WARNING

### DO NOT PLACE YARD WASTE OR RECYCLING IN YOUR REGULAR GARBAGE!!

In an effort to reduce organic waste and recycling in the landfill, Outagamie County has started to inspect the loads of garbage our drivers dump in the landfill. The Village will be issued a citation if grass clippings, yard waste, other organic materials, or recycling is found in our loads.

Our drivers will be keeping a closer eye on the hopper camera. Yes there is a camera in each of the automated garbage trucks so that they can see what is being dumped in the truck. If they detect any yard waste, grass clippings, or recycling coming out of your cart it will be tagged, and a written warning will be sent to the owner of the property. Any further violations will result in a citation being issued.

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## GRASS CUTTING REMINDER

When cutting your lawn near the street, try to make your first two passes with the discharge chute directed away from the street. Grass can clog up storm sewer catch basins, which doesn't allow the street to drain properly. Water that drains from the street and into storm sewers ends up in the river, along with all the grass clippings. Grass clippings also hold fertilizer and pesticides that contaminate streams, rivers, and lakes. The DNR encourages leaving grass clippings on your lawn, as they can act as good nutrients, as well as composting your lawn clippings. Residents who blow grass clippings into the street are subject to a citation per ordinance 430-168-430-17.



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# SUNSET BEACH

## Swimming Facility

1010 Fulcer Avenue  
731-9299

Sunset Beach Swimming Facility, located in Kimberly's Sunset Park, offers sand beach with extensive shallow water area, shallow water slides, a diving well featuring a drop slide, low and high diving boards, and a sand volleyball court. **Sunset Beach is staffed with Red Cross Certified Lifeguards.**

**FEATURES:** Unisex/Family Changing Rooms  
Lounge and deck chairs  
Concession Facility  
Sand rinse off area  
Tables with umbrellas  
Playground

**Coast Guard Approved type I/II/III life jackets are permitted on swimmers. No other flotation devices permitted except for noodles.**

Carry-ins are permitted, but **no** alcoholic beverages or glass are allowed.  
Inflatable objects and swimming aids are **not** permitted.  
**No Smoking**, including e-cigarettes, permitted within the facility.

### Open Swimming

**DATES** Saturday, June 4th thru Sunday, August 21st  
**TIME** 12:00 PM – 7:00 PM (Weather Permitting)

**DAILY ADMISSION FEE**

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Infant (Age 0 – 2)              | - FREE   |
| Child (Age 3 – 5)               | - \$2.00 |
| Youth (Age 6 – 17 Years)        | - \$3.00 |
| Adult (Age 18 – 61 Years)       | - \$3.50 |
| Senior Citizen (Age 62 & Older) | - FREE   |

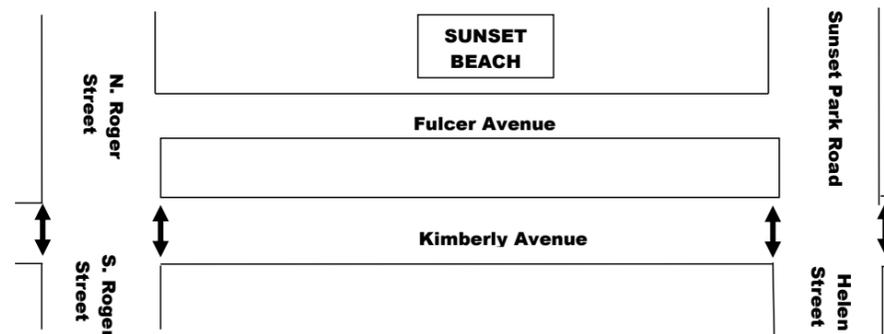
### Season Swimming Passes

| FEE |                           | Village Resident | Non-Resident |
|-----|---------------------------|------------------|--------------|
|     | Child (Age 3 – 5 Years)   | \$ 29.40         | \$ 50.40     |
|     | Youth (Age 6 – 17 Years)  | \$ 34.65         | \$ 55.65     |
|     | Adult (Age 18 – 61 Years) | \$ 45.15         | \$ 66.15     |
|     | Family                    | \$110.25         | \$152.25     |

A family pass includes all family members, except children age 18 & older.  
Passes are available Monday thru Friday - 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM at:  
**Park & Recreation Office** 426 W. Kimberly Avenue (Fridays till 3:00 PM)  
**Village Clerk's Office** 515 W. Kimberly Avenue  
and at **Sunset Beach Swimming Facility** beginning June 4th

### Sunset Beach Access for the Summer of 2016

Due to the construction of Kimberly Avenue in the summer of 2016, patrons will be able to access Sunset Beach by utilizing North Roger Street or Helen Street to Fulcer Avenue.



The Memorial Day Program will be held on Monday, May 30th with the festivities held at the **Kimberly Amphitheater** at 6:30 PM.

A social will be held at the Kimberly Municipal Complex following the services.

### COMMUNITY BAND SCHEDULE

Concerts at 7:00 PM at Kimberly Amphitheater unless otherwise noted

May 30.....Memorial Day Program  
June 4.....Cheese Fest Parade 10:30 AM (Little Chute)  
June 8.....Concert - Grignon Mansion  
June 11.....Flag Day Parade 2:00 PM (Appleton)  
June 15.....Concert - Amphitheater  
June 22.....Concert - Amphitheater  
June 29.....Concert - Amphitheater  
July 6.....No Concert  
July 13.....Concert - Amphitheater 6:30 PM  
July 20.....Concert - Hallmark Place  
July 27.....Concert - Amphitheater  
August 3.....No Concert  
August 10.....Concert - Amphitheater  
August 14.....Concert - Vet Home in King, WI (1:30 PM)  
August 17.....Concert - Amphitheater  
August 24.....Concert - Amphitheater  
September 18.....Fox Cities Marathon (8:30 AM)  
September 28.....Concert - Fox River Nursing  
October 26.....Concert - St. Paul home  
December 4.....Christmas Concert - Gerritts Middle School 2:00PM

Anyone interested in joining the Kimberly Community Band may contact Conductor Robert Kramer at 740-2806.

### SUNDAY AT THE AMPHITHEATER

Programs at 6:30 PM and are free to the public

June 12.....The Force of Habit Band – Variety  
June 19.....Randy Peterson - Children's Sing-a-long  
June 26.....Fox Valley Aires – Barbershop Music  
July 3.....NO CONCERT  
July 10.....Jerry Schneider Polka Band  
July 17.....County B Basement Boys  
July 24.....Jerry Voelker Orchestra – Polka Band  
July 31.....Classic Memories Variety Band  
August 7.....Home Made Brew – Bluegrass  
August 14.....Rodeo Deville - Variety String Band  
August 21.....OK Dance Band – Variety Music

# Paperfest

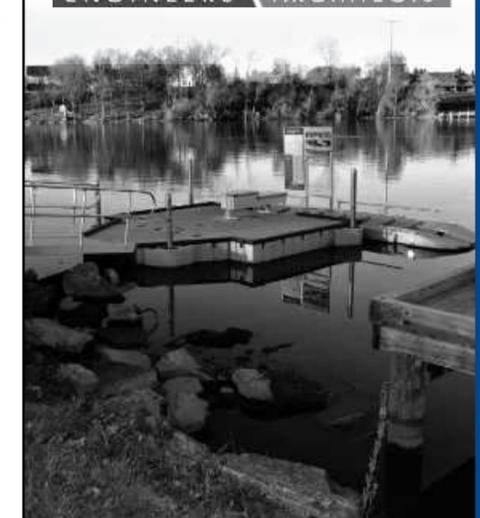
July 15 – 17, 2016

For a complete schedule of Paperfest 2016 activities go to:  
[www.paperfest.org](http://www.paperfest.org)

Due to construction on Kimberly Avenue, Paperfest is not able to hold their Annual Event at Sunset Park in the Village of Kimberly. This year Paperfest will be held at Memorial Park, Combined Locks located at 405 Wallace Street.

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# Kimberly Park & Recreation Department

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## Hunter Safety Program

A DNR Certified Hunter Safety Program is being offered with experienced Hunter Safety Instructors performing the instruction and certification. A class itinerary will be distributed at registration. Participants are required to attend all five sessions. Classes will be held at Kimberly Municipal Complex & Sunset Park. Instructor: Lee Hammen – 788-9024

**July 25:** 7:30-10:30 AM & 5:30-8:30 PM **\$ 10.00 per participant - Class limit 50 participants**  
**July 26:** 7:30-10:00 AM & 5:30-8:00 PM *prior to registering, call 1-888-936-7463 to obtain a DNR Customer Number*  
**July 27:** 7:30-9:30 AM

Advanced Registration begins: **Monday, June 13** at 1:00 PM at the **Park & Recreation Office**, 426 W. Kimberly Avenue  
*(A parent must be present to sign the registration form)*

## NEW! Craft Classes

The Kimberly Park & Recreation Department is partnering with Creative Juices Artisan Shoppe LLC to offer the following youth craft classes. Advanced registration is required with the Park and Recreation Department. Class minimum: 3 participants - Class maximum: 12 participants. All classes will be held at Creative Juices Artisan Shoppe LLC, 309 E. Kimberly Avenue.

**Card Making** (Age 8 and older) Mon. June 20 or July 11 1:00 - 4:00 PM  
 Create your own greeting card to say Thank You, Happy Birthday, and more. Whether you are new to card making or a pro, this class will give you the tools you need to create unique cards for all occasions. Fee: \$12.00/person/date

**Youth Beginning Knitting** (Age 10 and older) Tues. June 7, 14, 21 1:00 - 1:45 PM  
 In this 3 week class, students will learn the basics of knitting including casting on, knitting, purling, binding off and pattern reading! Fee: \$29.00/person

**Youth Beginning Crochet** (Age 10 and older) Tues. July 12, 19, 26 1:00 - 1:45 PM  
 In this 3 week class, students will learn the basics of crochet technique and pattern reading! Fee: \$25.00/person

**Creative Kids Workshops** (Age 7 & older) Fee: \$7.00/class 1:30 PM  
 Wednesday, July 13 - Soap Making,  
 Wednesday, July 20 - Design Your Own T-shirt \*\*\* bring your own T-shirt \*\*\*  
 Wednesday, July 27 - Wrist Accessories Workshop

**Beginning Genealogy** (Age 12 & older) Thurs. June 16, July 14, Aug 11 2:30 PM  
 Investigate your family history and create your own beginning genealogy workbook/scrapbook. Fee: \$ 17.00/person/date

## ATTRACTION TICKETS

Did you know the Village of Kimberly Park and Recreation offers reduced tickets to summertime attractions?

| ATTRACTION  | TICKET PRICE | GATE PRICE | SAVINGS  |
|---|--------------|------------|----------|
| SIX FLAGS GREAT AMERICA - Adult   | \$ 46.25     | \$ 70.03   | \$ 23.78 |
| SIX FLAGS GREAT AMERICA - Adult <small>(July 2 - 10, 2016 W/PRA Week)</small> | \$ 35.25     | \$ 70.03   | \$ 34.78 |
| NOAH'S ARK  | \$ 26.95     | \$ 42.68   | \$ 15.73 |
| MT. OLYMPUS Water & Theme Park  | \$ 10.00     | \$ 41.62   | \$ 31.62 |
| MILWAUKEE COUNTY ZOO - Adult  | \$ 10.50     | \$ 14.25   | \$ 3.75  |
| Child (Age 3-12)  | \$ 8.50      | \$ 11.25   | \$ 2.75  |

**Debit & Credit Card payments now accepted (service fee charged)**

Tickets may be purchased at: Kimberly Park & Recreation Office, 426 W. Kimberly Ave., Kimberly, WI 54136  
 Monday thru Thursday 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM • Friday 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM



# Fire Department

## FIRE DEPARTMENT RETIREMENT

On April 26th, 1st Assistant Fire Chief Jim Hermus retired from the Kimberly Fire Department after 42 years of service. We thank Jim for his dedication and passion for the Kimberly Fire Department, he will certainly be missed. We wish Jim good luck and look forward to his visits to the Fire Station.

## SKY LANTERNS PROHIBITED

A sky lantern, also known as **Kongming Lantern** or **Chinese Lantern**, is a small hot air balloon made of paper with an opening at the bottom where a small fire is suspended and are often released into the night sky for aesthetic effect. Once lit and airborne, lanterns can travel over a mile in distance and have a history of causing fires.

BE ADVISED - launching lanterns in the Village of Kimberly is prohibited and fall within the guidelines of the Open Burning Ordinance.

## CAMPFIRES IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD

It's campfire season! Please be considerate of your neighbors when having campfires, note the wind direction, the amount of smoke you are generating and the type of wood you are burning. Also, please be tolerant of your neighbor's campfires, they only wish to enjoy an evening outside. **As a reminder.....burning leaves, brush trimmings, construction materials, and recyclables does not constitute a campfire.**



## SUMMERTIME SAFETY TIPS

- Deep fry your fish and turkeys outside...not inside your garage
- Don't use or don't let anyone use gasoline to start a campfire (speak up!)
- Adhere to potential fire danger warnings during long dry periods
- Keep lighters and matches away from children (out of sight, out of mind)
- Keep your grills off of balconies and patios

**Mark your calendars, the Kimberly Fire Department open House is October 8th.**

## INFORMATION TO PET OWNERS



### IS YOUR DOG LICENSED?

Just a reminder that ALL dogs that reside in the Village of Kimberly are required to have an annual dog license. If you have not gotten a 2016 license yet, please stop by the Municipal Center. You must bring the current rabies vaccination certificate. Dogs not licensed will receive a \$124.00 citation and still have to pay to license their dog. **Please call 788-7500 with any questions**

### DOGS IN THE PARK

Recently the Village of Kimberly has received numerous complaints of people allowing their dogs to run freely in the parks.

No person shall permit any dog, cat or other pet owned by him to run at large in any park per ordinance 372-1. Citations will be issued in the event you don't have your dog on a leash.

### REMINDER

Per Ordinance 180-10: The owner or person in charge of any dog, cat, horse or other animal shall not permit solid fecal matter of such animal to deposit on any street, alley or other public or private property unless such matter is immediately removed therefore by said owner or person in charge. This section shall not apply to a person who is visually or physically handicapped.

# 2015 Consumer Confidence Report Data

## KIMBERLY WATERWORKS PWS ID: 44503426

The purpose of this report is to summarize the results of the water testing conducted on the Village of Kimberly water system during the calendar year of 2015. The report has been prepared to meet the requirements of the 1996 Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) adopted by Congress and to provide our customers with information about their municipal water system. We take pride in the quality of the drinking water supplied to our customers and continue to work diligently to assure the delivery of reliable and safe water. The Village of Kimberly Utility encourages public interest and participation in our Community's decisions affecting drinking water. For information on the water system, contact the Water Utility by telephone at (920) 788-7510 or by emailing to: [water@vokimberly.org](mailto:water@vokimberly.org). Regular Utility Commission public discussion meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month in the Council Chambers, located in the Village Hall at 515 W. Kimberly Ave, at 4:30 p.m. Please contact the Village Administrator Office at (920) 788-7500 to have an item placed on the agenda or to make arrangements for reasonable accommodation.

### Health Information

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791). Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791).

### Source(s) of Water

| Source ID | Source      | Depth (in feet) | Status |
|-----------|-------------|-----------------|--------|
| 1         | Groundwater | 760             | Active |
| 2         | Groundwater | 804             | Active |
| 3         | Groundwater | 740             | Active |

### Educational Information

The sources of drinking water, both tap water and bottled water, include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally- occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which shall provide the same protection for public health.

### 2016 Hydrant Flushing Schedule

Utility crews will be flushing hydrants this spring during the week of April 11th and the week of April 18th. Fall flushing date will be the week of October 10th and the week of October 17th. Flushing hydrants will accomplish two tasks: first it cleans the mains of mineral buildup and secondly, it ensures that all hydrants are in good operating condition. Residents are urged to avoid water use when the flushing occurs near their neighborhood, especially for laundry purposes, as it may stain clothing. Residents are encouraged to flush their lines with cold water for five minutes after crews have flushed hydrants in their area.

### Definitions

**Term Definition**  
**AL:** Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.  
**MCL:** Maximum Contaminant Level: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs



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are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

**MCLG:** Maximum Contaminant Level Goal: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

**pCi/l:** Picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity)

**ppm:** Parts per million, or milligrams per liter (mg/l)

**ppb:** Parts per billion, or micrograms per liter (ug/l)

### Detected Contaminants

Your water was tested for many contaminants last year. We are allowed to monitor for some contaminants less frequently than once a year. The following tables list only those contaminants which were detected in your water. If a contaminant was detected last year, it will appear in the following tables without a sample date. If the contaminant was not monitored last year, but was detected within the last 5 years, it will appear in the tables below along with the sample date.

### Health effects for any contaminants with MCL violations/Action Level Exceedances

#### Contaminant Health Effects: Lead

Infants and children who drink water containing lead in excess of the action level could experience delays in their physical or mental development. Children could show slight deficits in attention span and learning abilities. Adults who drink this water over many years could develop kidney problems or high blood pressure.

### Additional Health Information

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Kimberly Waterworks is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at [www.epa.gov/safewater/lead](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead). The Village of Kimberly water system did not monitor for cryptosporidium or radon in 2015, State and Federal drinking water regulations did not require them to do so.

### Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Safe, clean drinking water is what we expect when we turn on our faucets. The DNR Bureau of Drinking Water and Groundwater manages activities that affect the safety, quality and availability of drinking water to protect public health and our water resources. For more information please see: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/drinkingwater/>

| Contaminant (Units)                  | MCL          | MCLG | Level Found                 | Range                           | Sample Date (If prior to 2015) | Violation | Typical Source of Contaminant  |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|--|
| <b>Inorganic Contaminants</b>        |              |      |                             |                                 |                                |           |  |
| ARSENIC (ppb)                        | 10           | n/a  | 1                           | 0 - 1                           | 7/23/2014                      | No        | Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronics production wastes                                     |
| BARIUM (ppm)                         | 2            | 2    | 0.008                       | .001 - .008                     | 7/23/2014                      | No        | Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits   |
| FLUORIDE (ppm)                       | 4            | 4    | 1.2                         | 1.1 - 1.2                       | 7/23/2014                      | No        | Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories                  |
| NICKEL (ppb)                         | 100          | n/a  | 1.2                         | 0 - 1.2                         | 7/23/2014                      | No        | Nickel occurs naturally in soils, ground water and surface waters and is often used in electroplating, stainless steel and alloy products. |
| NITRATE (NO3-N) (ppm)                | 10           | 10   | 0.08                        | .03 - .08                       |                                | No        | Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits  |
| SODIUM (ppm)                         | n/a          | n/a  | 300                         | 140 - 300                       | 7/23/2014                      | No        | n/a  |
| <b>Radioactive Contaminants</b>      |              |      |                             |                                 |                                |           |  |
| GROSS ALPHA, EXCL. R & U (pCi/l)     | 15           | 0    | 3.6                         | 0 - 3.6                         |                                | No        | Erosion of natural deposits  |
| RADIUM, (226 + 228) (pCi/l)          | 5            | 0    | 4.4                         | 0 - 4.4                         |                                | No        | Erosion of natural deposits  |
| GROSS ALPHA, INCL. R & U (n/a)       | n/a          | n/a  | 3.6                         | 0 - 3.6                         |                                | No        | Erosion of natural deposits  |
| <b>Volatile Organic Contaminants</b> |              |      |                             |                                 |                                |           |  |
| XYLENES, TOTAL (ppm)                 | 10           | 10   | 0.0002                      | 0 - .0002                       |                                | No        | Discharge from petroleum factories; Discharge from chemical  |
| Contaminant (Units)                  | Action Level | MCLG | 90th Percentile Level Found | # of Results Above Action Level | Sample Date (If prior to 2015) | Violation | Typical Source of Contaminant  |
| COPPER (ppm)                         | AL=1.3       | 1.3  | 0.47                        | 0                               | 8/13/2014                      | No        | Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives                                     |
| LEAD (ppb)                           | AL=15        | 0    | 7                           | 2                               | 8/12/2014                      | No        | Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits   |