

WHAT'S UP?

Rusk Area Chamber of Commerce Newsletter

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2024 Job Fair!

Dear Community Members,

Change in the community is never easy. After the news of the impending closure of a large employer in Rusk County, I have had the community members on my heart. Sleepless nights have been spent pondering how we can best support those affected by this unfortunate turn of events. It is with determination and hope that I announce our upcoming job fair on Wednesday, May 29th.

We are proud to host over 20 recruiters, spanning industries from manufacturing, production, and distribution to retail and beyond. This fair is not just about job opportunities, but about providing comprehensive support. Pioneer Financial Consultants will be offering a financial planning seminar to help navigate these uncertain times, and Bonny Nash will be leading a resume workshop to ensure our community members are equipped with the tools they need to succeed.

In the face of adversity, let us stand together and pave the way for a brighter future. Your Chamber of Commerce is here for you, and together, we will overcome.

Warm regards,

-Jenna Schostkewitz

Executive Director

*Rusk Area Chamber of
Commerce - Eat, Play,
Shop... Live Rusk County!*



Visit us online!



Interested in becoming a Community Investor? Email

manager@liveruskcounty.com

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2024 RUSK AREA JOB FAIR

JOB FAIR

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES, FINANCIAL RESOURCES, RESUME WORKSHOP

WHEN

**Wednesday
May 29th, 2024
1pm - 5pm**

WHERE

**RUSK COUNTY FAIR-
GROUNDS LOG BUILDING**
W8323 HWY 8 LADYSMITH WI 54848

**RESUME
WORKSHOP
3:00 PM**

**Financial
Planning
Workshop
2:00 PM**

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EMAIL
MANAGER@LIVERUSKCOUNTY.COM
WITH ANY QUESTIONS

Everyone is welcome to attend

Whether you are reentering the job market after a job loss, are experiencing a career transition, or entering the workforce for the very first time, we invite you to attend.

Entering and reentering the workforce is difficult. We hope to support and facilitate these life transitions.

- ◆ **20+ recruiters attending**
- ◆ **1:00pm to 5:00 pm**
- ◆ **2:00 pm "Preparing for your next chapter ...Making Smart Financial Choices After A Job Loss"**
- ◆ **3:00pm resume workshop**
- ◆ **Focus on manufacturing, production, distribution, and retail employers**

We currently have booth space available. For more information, email Jenna at manager@liveruskcounty.com

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COMMUNITY AWARDS

2024 RUSK AREA COMMUNITY AWARDS

WHEN
May 23rd, 2024
5pm Social Hour
6pm Dinner

WHERE
JS Supper Club
W9594 US Hwy 8
Ladysmith, WI 54848

PRESENTING • Small Business • Large Business • Green Award • Civic Organization • Youth Organization • Farm Family • New Venture • Volunteer • Youth Volunteer • Educator • Student • Friend of the Arts • Community Leader • Legacy

ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS WELCOME TO ATTEND

TICKETS
\$25 per plate
Meal selection and tickets available on our website
www.liveruskcounty.com



MEAL OPTIONS
Option 1: Stuffed peppers with rice and mixed vegetable (vegetarian and gluten free)
Option 2: Chicken Marsala with Cavatappi pasta and mixed vegetable
Option 3: Salmon with garlic mashed potatoes and mixed vegetable

NOMINATE :
HTTPS://WWW.SURVEYMONKEY.COM/R/WS9DNFF



Paper nominations:
Rusk County Library, Rusk County Visitor Center, SFB, Ladysmith Federal, CCF Bank, Superior Choice Credit Union



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[Submit Nominations! Click Here](#)

[Purchase Tickets! Click Here](#)

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Kentucky Derby
Costume Party!

Saturday May 4th
Miner Station
Pot luck at 2pm
Costume Contest after the last race



Mother's Day at
Miner Station

Party begins at 1 PM!
Snacks & drink specials all day
Awards at 3 PM for various MOM categories! All mothers over 21 qualify!



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January 6 th	9-12:30 pm
February 3 rd	Rusk County Senior/Youth Center (Fairgrounds)
March 2 nd	
April 6 th	
May 4 th	



Check our Facebook page for more information, including each month's vendors and educational presentation. FoodShare/WI Quest accepted.

ICAA is an equal opportunity employer and provider operating under an approved Affirmative Action Plan. As an equal opportunity employer, we encourage women, minorities, and persons with disabilities to apply.

ICAA FREE CHILD CARE PROVIDER EVENT

Provider Appreciation Get-Together

ICAA is hosting our first annual, "Provider Appreciation Get-Together." The 2024 event will have Wisconsin's required Abusive Head Trauma Prevention Training for Child Care Providers presented.

What to expect:

- Change of scenery
- Adult Interaction
- Drawings & Prizes
- Required Training



Gift Certificate to Adventures Resort, Tony WI
 Two Chances to win 30% OFF Gift
 Certificates to INKED HORIZONS
 Custom made items from PCW
 Even a chance to win handcrafted fishing baits

MAY 14, 2024

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

1000 College Ave. West,
Ladysmith, WI 54819

Call Aryn Sather at 715-532-5922 to attend!

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UPCOMING EVENTS

RCCF Estate Planning Seminar **The Power of Planning for the Future**

MAY

9

4:30 – 6:30 PM
Hors d'oeuvres &
refreshments

5:00 – 6:00 PM
Presentation

Worden Exchange
310 Worden Ave,
Ladysmith

Free Event

RVSP by April 30
Email info@rccfwi.org
or mail enclosed
RSVP card

715-210-4446 • info@rccfwi.org • www.rccfwi.org
RCCF is a regional affiliate fund of the Eau Claire Community Foundation

The Power of Planning for the Future

Learn from the experts:

- Reduce Taxes
- Avoid Probate
- Strategic Estate Planning

Presented by:



Cindy L. Hangartner
Attorney, Shareholder
Crivello, Nichols & Hall, S.C.

Sponsored By:



Andrew Schlafer
CFP, Director
Baird - Private Wealth
Management



**THE RUSK COUNTY
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION**

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Rusk County's 18th Annual

HONOR THE FALLEN RIDE

YOU DON'T NEED A MOTORCYCLE TO PARTICIPATE. COME FOR THE MEAL AND THE MANY RAFFLES. FREE BUS WILL FOLLOW THE BIKES FOR NON-RIDERS. MEET OLD FRIENDS, MAKE SOME NEW ONES.

MAY 11 & SEPT. 28, 2024
Veterans Memorial Association
Drop Zone Bar & Grill
 605 Summit Avenue, Ladysmith, WI

8:00 - 11:00 AM - BREAKFAST BUFFET *Served by Women with Courage*
 8:00 - 11:00 AM - RIDE REGISTRATION *Suggested Donation: \$15/person • \$25/couple*
 11:00 - 4:30 PM - 95 MILE RIDE, 2 STOPS
 4:00 - 6:30 PM - MEAL/RAFFLES/AUCTION

ALL PROCEEDS RAISED FROM THE RIDES ARE USED TO SUPPORT VETERANS' PROGRAMS, MEMORIALS AND THE COMMUNITY.

Vacho-Lybert Post 127
 Ladysmith, Wisconsin
 MISSION: To raise funds to support Post 127, pay tribute to fellow Veterans and support the local community

For more information, contact
 John Vacho
 715-415-4580 or
 john.vacho@yahoo.com

Find us on [facebook](#)

ACE HOME CENTER (Ladysmith)
Lampert Lumber OF LADYSMITH
FLAMBEAU AUTO EXPO
Flambeau River Outfitters
Ladysmith WOODLAND ASSOC. & INVESTMENTS
Walmart Distribution Center
SC (Sengstack Construction LLC)
DON JOHNSON AUTO GROUP
MINCOFF Meat Processing
Markquart MOTORS
Kwik TRIP
CEDAR LODGE
Musky Tales Resort
ESSENTIAL GOLFING SUPPLIES



DROP ZONE
BAR & GRILL
 605 SUMMIT AVE
 LADYSMITH, WI
 715-532-6772

Honor the Fallen Fundraiser and Motorcycle Ride

Fish Fry & Burger buffet style meal, Cold drinks, Raffles, Boards, Games, LIVE MUSIC.

Friday May 10th at 6PM

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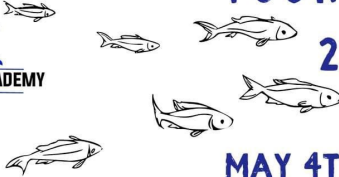


**8 seconds @
Ted's
Timberlodge
Saturday May
4th 2:30 - 6:30
PM**

May 4th @ Ted's
Timberlodge 2:30 to
6:30 pm Kentucky
Derby Hat & Best
Dressed Contest!
PRIZES! PRIZES!
PRIZES! Let us see
your Derby hats &
outfits!! Opening
Fishing weekend, stop
on in fisherman!

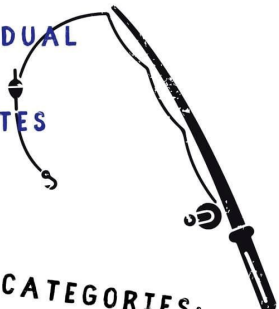


SPRING FISHING TOURNAMENT 2024



MAY 4TH - JUNE 2ND, 2024

**ENTRY FEE IS: \$10 PER INDIVIDUAL
\$25 PER HOUSEHOLD
OPEN TO ALL LOWER 48 STATES
YOU WILL SUBMIT YOUR
FISH DIGITALLY**



**CATCH THE
BIGGEST
FISH TO
CATCH THE
BIGGEST PRIZE**

**FISH CATEGORIES:
NORTHERN PIKE
BLUEGILL/PUMPKIN SEED
WALLEYE/SAUGER
CRAPPIE
BASS**



**EMAIL YOUR CONTACT INFO WITH
NAME OF PARTICIPATE(S)
AGE
MAILING ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER
TO IDAFISHINGCONTEST@GMAIL.COM TO RECEIVE
FISHING LOGO , RULES, TAPE MEASURE, AND
PAYMENT INVOICE**

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1ST ANNUAL FALCON OPEN

BENEFIT FOR THE FLAMBEAU FOREVER FOUNDATION

SATURDAY, JUNE 29TH • 11AM
TEE AWAY GOLF COURSE

\$200 PER TEAM (4 PERSON TEAMS)
CART RENTAL IS EXTRA

REGISTRATION OPEN TO FLAMBEAU ALUMNI UNTIL MAY 15TH

REGISTRATION OPEN TO THE PUBLIC ON MAY 15TH

- PUTTING GREEN GAMES
- HOLE PRIZES
- CASH DRAWINGS
- 50/50 RAFFLES
- BUCKET RAFFLES
- FOOD FOR PURCHASE
- BEVERAGE CART



REGISTER HERE!
18 TEAMS MAX!

BE A HOLE SPONSOR FOR ONLY \$50! CONTACT TED ALBERSON AT TED.ALBERSON50@GMAIL.COM TO SUPPORT OUR EVENT!



BUSCH LIGHT

6th Annual Hunter J Strop Memorial Scholarship Bass Fishing Tournament

Saturday, June 22nd

Tournament 6:00am to 2:00pm

Dairyland Flowage Community Park - Ladysmith, Wisconsin

Register at the park at 5:00am or at Flambeau River Outfitters prior to June 22nd.

- Registration - \$100 per Boat (80% Payout, 20% Goes to Scholarship)
- Trophies to Top 3 Anglers with Heaviest Weight
- Big Fish Pot - \$10 Payable the Morning of Tournament



PLAN ON SPENDING THE DAY!

ACTIVITY PROCEEDS WILL GO TO THE SCHOLARSHIP

Non-Angler Activities for the Whole Family

Noon to 5:00pm

- Stretch & Board Raffles
- Tournament T-Shirts for Sale
- Cornhole Tournament
- Games
- Food & Drinks

For More Information
(Tournament Registration, Rules or Questions)
Call Flambeau River Outfitters: (715)-532-0485

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The Aging and Disability Resource Center Presents

Memory Screening

A closer look at memory changes

A memory screen is a wellness tool to help identify possible changes in memory and brain health. It creates a baseline so that future changes can be monitored, it's free and takes only 10 minutes!

Get immediate results

The screen can be done in your home or at our office. At your request, we will mail the results to your health care provider.

Early detection is important

Like blood pressure, cancer, diabetes or stroke screening, memory screens contribute to prevention and better treatments.

Treatable Causes of Memory Loss

Some memory changes and confusion may be the result of nutritional and vitamin deficiencies, depression, thyroid issues, medication effects, and more.

Knowledge means more control

Dementia can often be treated with medications and future planning that preserve quality of life for a longer period of time. Memory screen results are a valuable tool in managing your overall health.



Please schedule your 10-minute appointment through the ADRC, 1:00-4:00 p.m.: (715) 537-6225

Thursday, May 23, 2024:

- Rusk County Community Library, Ladysmith
- Hawkins Area Library, Hawkins

Find us on @ADRCBarron and @ADRC Ladysmith



The Aging and Disability Resource Center Presents

Savvy Caregiver Training

Increase Your Confidence, Knowledge, & Skills



Are you caring for someone with Alzheimer's disease or other form of progressive dementia?

Savvy Caregiver is a proven curriculum developed by Dr. Kenneth Hepburn and colleagues at the University of Minnesota. Grounded in research this educational series teaches strategies, practical real-world skills, and helps to reduce stress, both in the caregiver and the person for whom care is being provided. Savvy Caregiver increases the caregiver's sense of competence, and well-being even though there may be little experience. The course will cover:

- understanding the career of caregiving
- different types of dementia
- how the decline in cognition affects behavior
- dealing with the feelings that arise while caregiving
- fitting tasks and activities to the person's abilities
- decision making skills

June 4th - July 9th, 2024

- 6 Tuesdays, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Please register online at the Aging & Disability Resource Center, www.adrcconnections.org/registrations

Location:

Rice Lake Senior Center
12 W. Humbird St. Rice Lake, WI

Presented by Trisha Witham
Dementia Care Specialist

Free event
For more information call the ADRC at (715) 537-6225

trisha.witham@co.barron.wi.us



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At CCFBank, we believe in supporting the growth and success of our local businesses, whether or not you bank with us. We're excited to extend a warm invitation to all business owners in the community to join us for an evening of relaxed conversation, appetizers, and drinks.

bankers + beverages

A HAPPY HOUR FOR BUSINESS OWNERS

HEART OF THE NORTH BREWING

Wednesday, June 5 @ 5pm

N4038 State Hwy 27
Ladysmith, WI 54848

Delicious Appetizers & Refreshments On Us

Heart of The North Brewing features innovative craft beers brewed right here in the heart of Northern Wisconsin. We'll also provide appetizers and wood-fired pizzas made from local organic ingredients.

RSVP REQUESTED

To ensure we are abundant hosts, we kindly request your RSVP by May 22. To do so, or for any inquiries, please contact:

Ronda Johnson
715.532.7279 press 0

Forge Local Business Connections

Our CCFBank Ladysmith team will be on hand to chat with you in a relaxed setting. Ask questions, share your challenges, or simply connect with fellow local business owners.

Zero Pressure

This happy hour is all about sharing knowledge, fostering connections, and supporting our local business community. There's no sales pitch—just good company.

EVENTS SCHEDULE 2024
APRIL/MAY

- FRI 26** **MAD BATTER FOOD TRAILER WILL BE HERE**
309 Worden Ave W, Ladysmith
- SAT 27** **SIP & SHOP WITH LILLA ROSE/CRAFTS & LOLA'S LUNCHBOX FOOD TRK**
309 Worden Ave W, Ladysmith
- SAT 4** **SHIP & SHOP BUMBLING CHAOS AND BEAUDIN BOTANIQUE**
309 Worden Ave W, Ladysmith
- SAT 18** **STOP DOWN AND CHECK OUT KEEP-R-CLEAN AND THERE REFURBISHED FURNITURE**
309 Worden Ave W, Ladysmith

MORE INFO: **WHAT'S BREWING AT JT'S**

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UPCOMING EVENTS

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FUN *in the* LOBBY

DURING ROAD CONSTRUCTION



Join Us!



MOTHER'S DAY DRAWING

April 29 to May 10

Drawing for a \$50 gift certificate to Cedar Lodge.

JUNE DAIRY DAYS

June 7

Cheese and Ice Cream for all customers in the lobby.

FATHER'S DAY DRAWING

June 3 to June 16

Drawing for a \$50 Gift Certificate to Ted's Timber Lodge.

ICE CREAM MONTH DRAWING

July 1 to 12 & July 15 to 26

Two drawings for \$25 gift cards to Dairy Queen.

NATIONAL SANDWICH MONTH DRAWING

August 5 to 16 & August 19 to 30

Two drawings for \$25 gift card to Subway.

BACK TO SCHOOL DRAWING

September 9 to September 20

Drawing for a cooler backpack filled with treats.

NATIONAL PIZZA MONTH DRAWING

September 30 to October 11 & October 14 to October 25

Two drawings for three pizzas of your choice from East Mart.

No purchase necessary for either or win. Drawings open to all residents. See branch for details.

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GriefShare®

Grief recovery groups

Join us:

Hope Lutheran Church 320 First St. S., Ladysmith, WI
 TIME: 6:00 -7:30
 DATES: Thursdays March 7, 14, 21 and Wednesday March 27. All Wednesdays in April and May except for April 17 (we'll meet on Thursday, April 18).

To register, call Hope Lutheran at 715-532-7739 or go to griefshare.org, click on "Find a group" and enter the 54848 zip code.

GRIEFSHARE.ORG

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LADYSMITH LIONS and SONS OF AMVETS SQUADRON 127
LEGACY LEAP ^{IN} TO ^{TO} SUMMER
FREE CONCERT at MEMORIAL PARK AMPITHEATRE

Featuring



Chris Kroeze Band
6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Dam Lincolns
3:00 pm - 6:00 pm



Saturday, June 1st, 2024
FOOD & REFRESHMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE
NO CARRY-INS APPRECIATED
BRING A CHAIR!

In the event of rain, the concert will be held at the Multi Purpose building located at the Rusk County Fairgrounds.



THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS:



Join us for our 8th season!

CHETEK FARMERS MARKET OPENING DAY!



SATURDAY - MAY 25, 2024
9:00 - 1:00

HOSTED BY:

The Pine Lodge Shop

UNIQUE FINDS, DÉCOR AND GIFTS

2420 6-1/4 AVENUE CHETEK, WI

1/4 MILE WEST OF CHETEK ON HWY I ~ EXIT 126 OFF HWY 53

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FLING!
Arts & Crafts Fair
 Main Street • Winter, WI

Saturday, May 25th, 2024
9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Vendors Galore & More!

- Crafters & Flea Market Booths
- Food & Beverage Vendors
- Hourly 50/50 & Flower Raffles
- Rhubarb Baking Contest, Pie Auction & Pie Raffle

1st Place \$100 Cash Prizes for both Pie Contest Categories!
 Winners announced at 11:00 with auction to follow.

- 25th Annual Winter Area Lions Club Classic Car Show at Winter School
- Pancake Breakfast at Zion Lutheran Church

Ladysmith Music in the Park
Summer 2024 Schedule

June 6 Marshal Star Band
June 13 The Unlucky 7s
June 20 Songa Trio
June 27 Stefan Geisinger Band
July 3 WEDS – Danville
SPONSORED BY FLAMBEAU VALLEY ARTS ASSOCIATION
July 11 South of 8
PRE-MARDI GRAS PARTY!

July 25 – Squirrel Cage
August 1 - Best in Class
 IN THE AMPHITHEATER


August 8th – Catalyst
New this year! Food vendors every show!
 All shows are Thursdays 6-8 pm, except for Weds July 3
 All shows are at the Veteran’s Memorial Pavilion
 except Aug 1 in the Amphitheater
Bring a chair!
In case of rain, event will be at Worden Avenue Exchange

LADYSMITH MUSIC IN THE PARK HOSTED BY: 

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ICE AGE TRAIL ALLIANCE

Ice Age Trail Crew – Trailbuilding – Hemlock Creek Segment, Barron and Rusk Counties

What You'll Do:

Help upgrade the Trail near the popular Murphy Flowage Recreation Area. Replace deteriorating bridges and boardwalks, refresh signage, and maintain tread.

All Talents and Abilities Welcome!

There's a role for volunteers of all ages and abilities. And no experience is necessary to participate in MSC events. Friendly Alliance staff and certified volunteer crew leaders provide hands-on training to get you started immediately.

Find out more at [Ice Age Trail Crew - Trailbuilding - Hemlock Creek Segment, Barron and Rusk Counties - Ice Age Trail Alliance](#)



Visit their web page : [Ice Age Trail Crew - Trailbuilding - Hemlock Creek Segment, Barron and Rusk Counties - Ice Age Trail Alliance](#)

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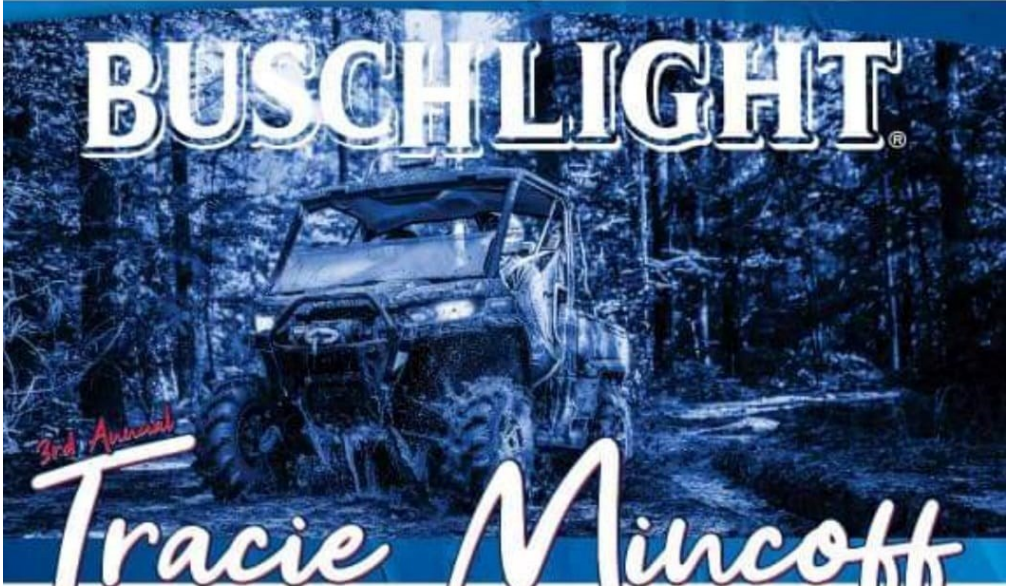
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3rd Annual
Tracie Mincoff
MEMORIAL RIDE

Saturday, May 18th 2024

ATV - UTV - VEHICLES

Everyone Welcome - Rain or Shine!

Starts & Ends @ East River Run Campground

\$10 Per Person

Stops include:

- The Loony Bin
- Ted's Timberlodge
- Flaters

*10:00 - 11:30 am - Registration
12:00 pm - Ride leaves*

Raffles and more at every stop!

*Food and Music following ride at
East River Run Campground*

LIVE MUSIC BY: The Dam Lincoln Boys



Proceeds go to benefit
Rusk County's Women with Courage
and the Rusk County Animal Shelter
in memory of Tracie.



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VETERAN'S MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

DROP ZONE BAR & GRILL
Fourth Annual



CAR & CYCLE SHOW

WITH 1950'S PIN-UP GIRLS ★ ALL MAKES, MODELS, & YEARS WELCOME



JULY 27



★ SHOW: 10:00AM-2:00PM

★ \$5.00 REGISTRATION FEE

★ REGISTRATION: 9:00AM-11:00AM
IN THE DROP ZONE PARKING LOT
605 SUMMIT AVE, LADYSMITH, WI 54848

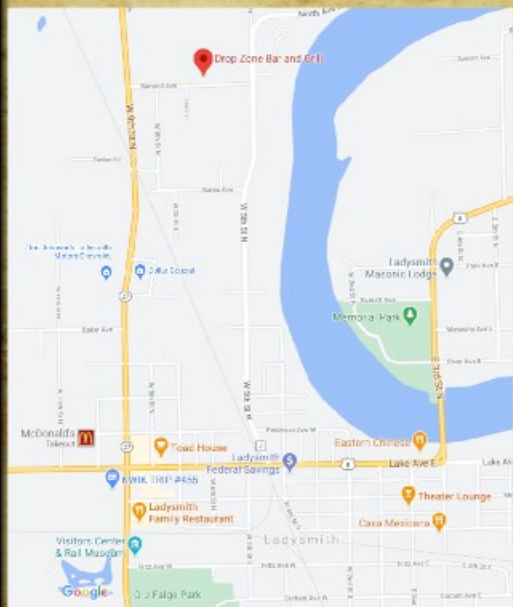
★ FOOD / DRINK AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE SHOW

★ 17 TROPHIES WILL BE HANDED OUT ★

★ DASH PLAQUE FOR FIRST 100 ENTRANTS

★ WINNERS FEATURED IN A 2025, 50'S PIN-UP CALENDAR AVAILABLE FOR PRE-ORDER/SALE

★ PARADE FOR AREA NURSING HOMES AFTER THE SHOW



Check out our other sponsors!

- AMVETS Post #127
- Sons of AMVETS
- CWI Automotive
- Cedar Lodge
- Small Town Auto
- Carquest
- Berg's Collision & Detail
- O'Reilly Auto Parts
- Apeiron North Fields
- Flambeau Monuments
- D.A.V. & D.A.V. Aux. Post #33
- Rocki Top Auto Recyclers
- Prolite Auto Glass

Questions? Contact the VMA/Drop Zone (715) 532-8772

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UPCOMING EVENTS - LIBRARY CORNER

2024 Storytime Schedule at the Rusk County Community Library

Baby and Toddler Storytime
for ages 0-3, older siblings welcome
Wednesdays at 10:30am
January 17, 24, 31
February 7, 14, 28
March 6, 13, 20, 27
April 3, 24
May 1, 8, 15, 22

Preschool Storytime
for ages 3-5
Thursdays at 10:30am
January 18, 25
February 1, 8, 15, 29
March 7, 14, 21, 28
April 4, 25
May 2, 9, 16, 23

Follow us on Facebook for updates:
Rusk County Community Library (WV)

Rusk County Community Library
Lego Club
Winter/Spring 2024

All ages welcome!
Two times each day
11am and 4:30pm

January 15
February 5
March 4, 18
April 1, 15
May 6, 20



Cookbook Club celebrating Cajun food and culture

May 19th 2:30pm
lower level of the Library
(East Room)



Friendly Fungi
Presentation by Patrick Miller, cofounder of Northwest Wisconsin Myco Enthusiasts

Join us for a fun and interactive spring wild mushroom class! Learn where to look, how to harvest, prepare, and store wild mushrooms...and which ones you should avoid.


May 2nd
6pm-7pm
Rusk County Community Library
(lower level)



2024 Teen Tuesdays
at the Rusk County Community Library

For ages 12-18
4:00-5:30pm

January 16, 30
February 13, 27
March 12, 26
April 23
May 7, 21



ladysmithnpl.org
715-532-2604
spooner@ladysmithnpl.org



[Click here to subscribe to the Rusk County Community Library's newsletter!](#)

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Thursday May 2

- ◆ Friendly Fungi at Rusk Area Community Library @ 6pm-7pm

Saturday May 4

- ◆ Last Winter Farmer's Market at Rusk County Senior/Youth Center @ 9am-12:30pm
- ◆ Kentucky Derby Party & Costume Contest at Miner Station @ 2pm
- ◆ 8 Seconds at Ted's Timberlodge @ 2:30pm-6:30pm
- ◆ Sip & Shop Bumbling Chaos at What's Brewing at JT's
- ◆ Music at Mikey's at Tee Away Golf & Events - 40 Fingers @ 8pm

Sunday May 5

- ◆ Music at Mikey's at Tee Away Golf & Events - Jeff White @ 2pm

Monday May 6

- ◆ Lego Club at Rusk County Community Library @11am-4pm

Tuesday May 7

- ◆ Teen Tuesdays at Rusk County Community Library

Thursday May 9

- ◆ Estate Planning Seminar at Worden Avenue Exchange @ 4:30pm-6:30pm

Saturday May 11

- ◆ Honor the Fallen Ride at VMA Drop Zone

Sunday May 12

- ◆ Mother's Day at Miner Station Party begins @ 1pm

Tuesday May 14

- ◆ Provider appreciation get together at Indianhead Community Action Agency @ 6pm- 8pm

Thursday May 16

- ◆ 5:05 Business Afterhours hosted by Artisans Inc & Fresh Market @ 5:05pm

Saturday May 18

- ◆ Tracie Mincoff Memorial Ride at East River Run Campground @ 12pm

Sunday May 19

- ◆ Cookbook Club at Rusk County Community Library @ 2:30pm

Monday May 20

- ◆ Lego Club at Rusk County Community Library @ 11am-4pm

Tuesday May 21

- ◆ Teen Tuesdays at Rusk County Community Library

Thursday May 23

- ◆ Rusk Area Community Awards Dinner at JS Supper Club @ 6pm
- ◆ Memory Screening at Rusk County Community Library and Hawkins Community Library (by appointment)

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Saturday May 25

- ◆ Chetek Farmer's Market Opening Day
- ◆ Arts & Crafts Fair in Winter WI Main Street

Wednesday May 29

- ◆ 2024 Rusk Area Job Fair at Rusk County Fairgrounds Log Building 1pm-5pm

Saturday June 1

- ◆ Free Concert at Memorial Park
Chris Kroeze Band 6pm-8:30pm
Dam Lincolns 3pm-6pm

Wednesday June 5

- ◆ CCF Bankers & Beverages Happy Hour for Business Owners at Heart of the North Brewing @ 5:00pm

Thursday June 6

- ◆ Ladysmith Music in the Park with the Marshal Star Band at Veterans Memorial Pavilion @ 6pm-8pm

Friday June 7

- ◆ Music on Miner at Theater Lounge (details coming soon)

Wednesday June 12

- ◆ 5:05 Business Afterhours hosted by What's Brewing at JT's @ 5:05pm

Thursday June 13

- ◆ Ladysmith Music in the Park with the Unlucky 7's at Veterans Memorial Pavilion @ 6pm-8pm

Saturday June 22

- ◆ Hunter J Strop Bass Fishing Tournament at Dairyland Flowage Community Park 6am-2pm

Saturday June 29

- ◆ 1st Annual Falcon Open at Tee Away Golf Course @ 11:00am

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Thursday May 16th @ 5:05 PM

Artisans Outlet

N5750 White St, Glen Flora WI 54526

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend!

What is a 5:05?

- An opportunity to network and socialize with other local professionals
- Build business connections in the community
- Promote your business or organization
- Enjoy complimentary hors d'oeuvres and beverages

Business Card Drawing & 50/50 Raffle at 6:25 pm

Event sponsored by:



THE Market
- AT LADYSMITH -

Are you interested in hosting or sponsoring a 5:05 event?

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Miner Avenue GIVEAWAY!

\$400 MONTHLY IN CHAMBER BUCKS TO BE GIVEN AWAY!

Winners pulled once per month, on the last day of the month.

Prizes will be mailed, please fill out full form for eligibility.

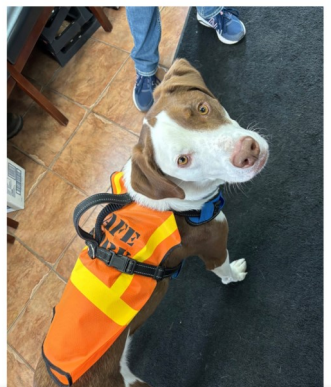
Forms available at many storefronts on Miner Avenue

Downtown Ladysmith is OPEN!

Miner Avenue reconstruction is officially underway! In this section we will be highlighting Downtown Ladysmith while it is under construction.

This will include any giveaway promotions, downtown events, sales, and happenings.

Please send information to manager@liveruskcounty.com to be featured here.



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