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Mission Statement

Wayzata Together aims to do just that, bring Wayzata together by showcasing our community with thoughtful content, local photography and sharing Wayzata's history, honoring the past and focusing on our bright future

From the Editor

Fourth of July is a day for Americans to reflect on the freedoms our country offers.

The genesis was a letter written nearly 250 years ago declaring that this country would not be ruled by another.

Freedom has another meaning this year.

Our country has been occupied by a hostile invader called COVID for more than a year.

We gave up many of our freedoms to defeat this enemy.

Those sacrifices were painful.

Vaccinations have given us the upper hand and our enemy is waving a white flag.

This year, freedom means we are free to shake hands, give hugs, see others smile, visit friends and relatives.

This year, we can celebrate freedom, together.

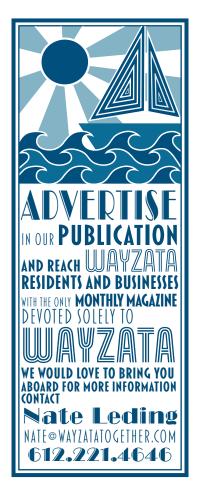
About the Editor

Wayzata is my hometown. I grew up here, walking to Widsten Elementary School Kindergarten through 6th Grade. Widsten is where I initially met my wife. I have so many memories growing up – J.J. Hill Days, the 4th of July bike parade along Broadway Avenue, skating at Klapprich Park, and spending countless summer days at Wayzata Beach. My grandmother came to Wayzata in the 1930s. My grandfather was coaxed away from the Iron Range to become the first manager

of the Wayzata's new municipal liquor store in 1947. My great uncle was the commander of the Wayzata Legion. It's an honor to be the publisher of Wayzata Together. Wayzata is my hometown and as a current resident, living here with my wife, daughter, dog and cat, I'm thrilled to share this wonderful community with you.







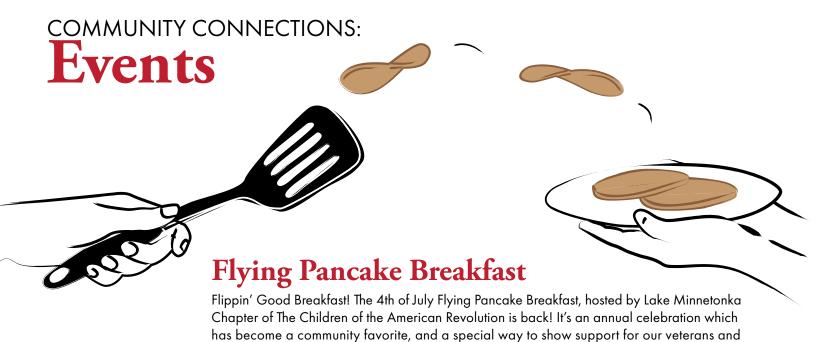


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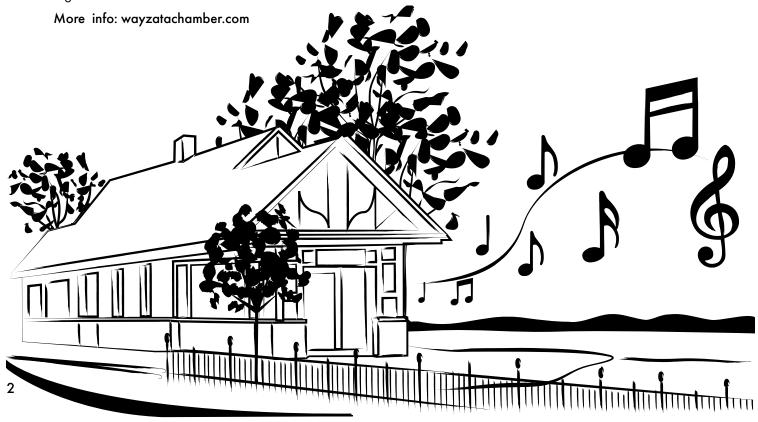
Wayzata Historical Society (Depot), 402 Lake St E, Wayzata, MN 55391

Music by the Lake

Dates: 7/7, 7/14, 7/21, 7/28

Wayzata's Music by the Lake is a free concert series presented by The Wayzata Rotary Club located at The Depot.

The area is transformed into a fun and active place on Wednesday's in July with free live music from local and regional bands.



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS:

Wayzata Parks

Bell Courts Park

340 Park Street E Wayzata, MN 55391

Big Woods Preserve

1223 Wayzata Boulevard E Wayzata, MN 55391

Broadway Docks

Broadway Ávenue & Lake Street Wayzata, MN 55391

Children's Garden

620 Rice Street E Wayzata, MN 55391

City Hall Park

620 Rice Street E Wayzata, MN 55391

Great Lawn

851 Lake Street E Wayzata, MN 55391 Heritage Park at Batson's Corner

1106 Wayzata Boulevard E Wayzata, MN 55391

Klapprich Park & Field

340 Park Street E Wayzata, MN 55391

Margaret Circle Park

320 Margaret Circle Wayzata, MN 55391

Post Office Pocket Park

228 Minnetonka Avenue S Wayzata, MN 55391

Shaver Park

220 Grove Lane E Wayzata, MN 55391







COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS:

Lake Life

According to the folks at Wayzata Bait & Tackle (15748 Wayzata Blvd, Wayzata, MN 55391 | (952) 473-2227) this is the latest fishing information for Lake Minnetonka: (as of 6/20/21)

Bass, walleye, northerns are all along the deep weed lines. It's a fine line - don't go too far into the weeds or stay too far off the weed line.

Crappies are suspended at 10 feet in about 25 feet of water.

All species are hitting spinners and minnows.

Warmer water is certainly helping!

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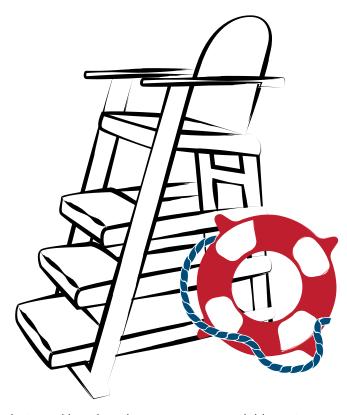
You need to buy a Minnesota fishing license if you're 16 or older. Annual licenses allow you to fish from March 1 to the last day of February the following year. In most cases, Minnesotans don't need a license if you're fishing in a state park.

More fishing info: www.dnr.state.mn.us/fishing

Wayzata High School Fishing Team Sunday, June 14 following a tournament on Lake Minnetonka.



(LtoR) Bill Olson, Pete Ice, Chase Olson, Nate Ice, Chad Schliemann, Evan Schliemann, Rick Markham, Griffin Markham.



Wayzata Beach Parking Permit

A permit is required to park in the spots closest to Wayzata beach. Annual beach parking permits are available at Wayzata City Hall for Wayzata residents only. For more information about beach parking, contact Wayzata City Hall at 952.404.5300.



ImportantDATES

City of Wayzata

City Hall Closed - 7/5
City Council Meeting - 7/6, 7/20
Planning Commission Meeting - 7/7, 7/19
Parks & Trails Board Meeting - 7/21
Energy & Environment Committee - 7/27
More info: www.wayzata.org

Independence Day

Flying Pancake Breakfast 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Excelsior Fireworks

Events

Wayzata American Legion Ribfest 7/25 Roger Miller Golf Classic 7/26

Key Dates: SAILING

July 3......Around The Island Race

July 10.....Wayzata Yacht Club Big Island Series #7

July 16.....Wayzata Sailing School Mike Plant Regattas

July 17.....Wayzata Yacht Club Big Island Series #8

July 24.....Wayzata Yacht Club Big Island Series #9

July 24.....Just Try It! Let's Go Sailing (after race)
July 31.....Wayzata Yacht Club Big Island Series #10

July 31 Wayzata Sailing School Slocom Family Regatta









Hope Chest

Hope Chest for Breast Cancer is celebrating 20 years this year. Since November 2001, it has been a source of hope for local breast cancer patients and their families.

Hope Chest helps women going through breast cancer treatment by alleviating some of the financial burdens.

"The most rewarding part is knowing with absolute certainty that we are making an immediate difference of the lives of women and their families living in our community and state," said Executive Director Jamie Flaws.

The organization helps patients stay in their homes and puts food on the table. Hope Chest assists with transportation and childcare so patients can attend cancer treatments.

There is also the Hope Chest Resale Shop which is open seven days a week. It sells all sorts of merchandise at a fraction of the cost. It can do this through generous donations.

"We do hear from some of the patients we have helped. Some of them become frequent shoppers of the store, some attend our fundraising events or become donors," said Flaws.

There have been so many special women and stories throughout the years.

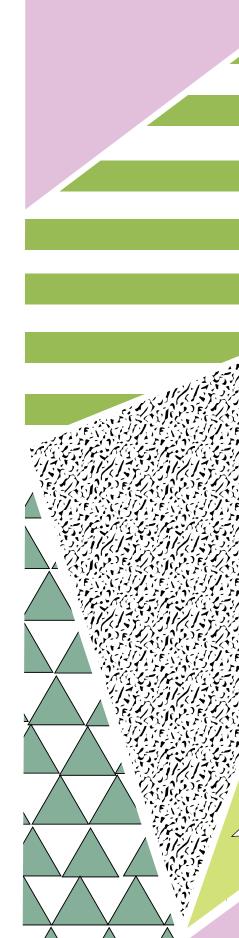
Hope Chest for Breast Cancer founder Barbara Hensley lost her two sisters to breast cancer. She witnessed firsthand the financial challenges that breast cancer patients and their families face.

In 2001, Barbara resigned from her corporate executive position and founded Hope Chest for Breast Cancer. The first Hope Chest for Breast Cancer Resale Shop opened in Orono, Minnesota in November, 2002.

One of Hope Chest for Breast Cancer's current campaign is \$20 for 20 years. The idea is that if Hope Chest receive enough \$20 donations, it will have funding for the next 20 years.

"We would like to increase the general public's understanding of just how significant the financial burden is for patients undergoing breast cancer treatment – it can be so staggering that many people choose between continuing their care or delaying care due to the costs," said Flaws. "That is a choice that no one should ever have to make."

You can learn more and donate to Hope Chest for Breast Cancer at www.hopechest.com





Changing of the Guard

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New Commander Trish Diersen

There is a change in leadership at the Wayzata American Legion Post 118.

Buck Doran is stepping down as Commander after eight years.

He has been replaced by the first female commander at the Wayzata Legion, Trish Diersen.

Diersen is originally from Iowa. Upon graduating high school she enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps.

She attended basic training in Parris Island, South Carolina in 1987. In 1988, she was selected as a military police officer while attending the Joint Law Enforcement Academy in San Antonio, Texas.

Diersen served on special detail of Marine One under President George H.W. Bush.

She finished her Marine Corps career as a base military police in Quantico, Virginia.

Diersen later got her degree in Criminal Justice in 1995.

For the past 13 years, she has served in military security on the 133rd Minnesota Air Guard Base.

Diersen has a son, Keith.

Her first big assignment as the incoming commander was to preside over the legion's Memorial Day services.

Wayzata American Legion patio is festive for the 4th of July holiday. Come enjoy the new expanded patio.



The Legion is forever grateful for Buck Doran's long service as commander, his service in the Navy and decades of support to Post 118.

Fortunately, the Legion is in great hands as Diersen leads the organization into the future.

The Wayzata American Post 118 originally held meetings above the city hall on the corner of Manitoba and Lake Street. The group began meeting at Hart's Café in the 1940s. In 1948, the Post got its own building which still stands today.

Fundraising is a big function of the Legion. These campaigns allow the Post to make donations to local charities – toy drives, schools and hospitals all benefit from the Legion's year-round fundraising efforts.

One of those is Hope Kids. Each June, the Legion teams up with the Lake Minnetonka Power Squadron and puts on a summer picnic on Big Island for kids.



New Commander Trish Diersen being sworn in



Past Wayzata American Legion Post 118 Commander Buck Doran

Buck Doran recently retired as Commander of the Wayzata American Legion Post 118.

He held that position for eight years.

Buck is battling pancreatic cancer and is currently doing chemotherapy treatments.

Post 118 is rallying behind Buck with a raffle fundraiser with proceeds covering part of his medical expenses.

Tickets are \$10 each and the raffle will take place August 28 at the Wayzata American Legion after bingo.

Stop by the Legion to purchase raffle tickets.

The cash prizes are as follows:

1st - \$1,500 2nd - \$900 3rd - \$300 4th - \$200

5th - \$100



Bob's Shoe Repair



Pictures from top to bottom: Talking about Wayzata with Editor Nate Leding Shoe store at Colonial Square Bob at his shoe repair shop in 2011

NEIGHBORHOOD SPOTLIGHT:

Bob Fisher

hen you sit down with Wayzata resident Bob Fisher's favorite spots, Caribou Coffee on Lake Street, you're in for a candid, honest conversation. He's down to earth and not likely to toot his own (shoe) horn.

Although it has been years since he owned it, the shoe repair shop in Colonial Square still bears his name – Bob's Shoe Repair.

Countless Wayzata residents have had their soles saved at the repair store over the years.

Although he's lived in Wayzata for decades, Fisher is not originally from these parts.

He's originally from Anoka and lived in both St. Michael and Montrose growing up.

STICK-TO-ITIVENESS

He'll never forget a lesson he carried all his life learned in an elementary school classroom.

One day, his teacher, also a nun, began writing a five-syllable word on the chalk board.

The word was stick-to-itiveness. Yes, it's actually a real word and it means dogged perseverance or tenacity.

"She said that was the most important word you'll ever learn," said Fisher.

"When you're working on something, don't give up, never, ever quit. Stay with it."

NAVY SERVICE

After graduating high school, Fisher was flip-flopping about what he wanted to do.

He tried to learn carpentry.

He then enlisted in the U.S. Navy.

"One of the best things that ever happened to me." said Fisher.

Fisher learned many life lessons while serving.

He was based in southern California and while off duty, he got a severe sunburn on his legs.

When he returned to his ship, he asked if he could do his job standing because of the sunburn.

Instead of making an accommodation for Fisher, he was threatened with a court martial for damaging Navy property.

"That's when I learned I was no more important to the United States Navy than a can of paint, or a screw, or a bolt," said Fisher. "If I was going to survive, it was totally up to me."

In November of 1970, Fisher got out of the Navy.

FINDING HIS FOOTING

Not too long after that, he got into the shoe business.

His first job at a shoe store in Anoka paid \$0.25 per hour plus room and board. Despite being on a shoestring budget, he managed to pay his car insurance and go on an occasional date.

Later on, he would drive to different towns, pick up shoes, repair them, and deliver them back to the customers.

Fisher developed a relationship with the folks at the Foursome clothing store in Wayzata and fate would bring him to Wayzata fulltime where he found his footing and established roots.

From 1972 until 1980, Fisher managed the Foursome shoe repair which was in the old Bay Center shopping mall.

In May of 1980, Fisher bought the shoe repair from the Engels.

28 years later, the Bay Center was set to be demolished. Getting booted from that spot had a silver lining. Fisher found the perfect spot just up the hill at Colonial Square.

Five years later, Fisher sold his business and retired.

BEST PLACE ON EARTH

Fisher has been involved in the Wayzata community for nearly 50 years.

He finds Wayzata as warm as welcoming as when he first came to town.

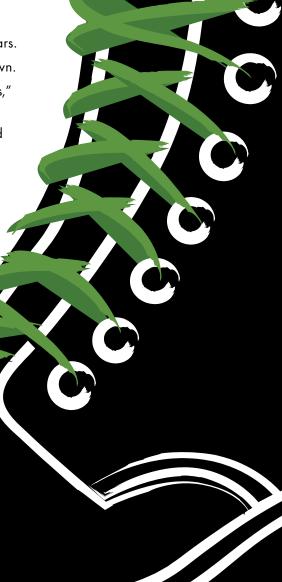
"They'd come into the shoe repair shop and treated me like a million bucks," said Fisher.

He encourages anyone who is not familiar with Wayzata to come visit and see how special it really is.

"Come get to know the place. Walk around. Say 'hi' to people. Walk in the stores, get to know the managers. Get to know the people in the community. It's just the best place in the world."

He admits things have changed in Wayzata over the years: new buildings, a different landscape, new neighbors. But he rejects the idea that the town is totally different.

"The heart and soul of Wayzata has not changed a bit," said Fisher. "It's the same loving, kind, wonderful place. It's still sacred, it hasn't changed. We build all this stuff, we do all this stuff, but it is still holy ground."



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A HISTORY OF:

the Boat Works



Joanie Holst and Aaron J. Person, Wayzata Historical Society

Royal C. Moore started Moore Boat Works at the foot of Barry Avenue in 1887. Moore was a prolific builder of many types of boats, including sailboats, rowboats, fishing boats, canoes, hunting boats, launches, and yachts. By 1900, it was estimated that three-quarters of the boats on Lake Minnetonka had been built by Moore and his crews.

The first Moore Boat Works building burned to the ground in February 1902. The building was a total loss, but it was soon rebuilt and reopened in April 1902. Moore continued his boat building business until November 1912, when he sold to a syndicate of businessmen including W.H. Bovey, J.E. Ramaley, Franklin Crosby, James F. Bell, and W.P. Hallowell. At this time, the company's name changed to Ramaley Boat Company.

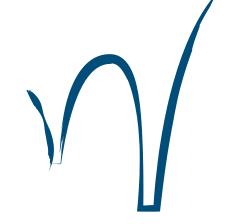
In September 1929, Ramaley Boat Company merged with two other local boat builders (Wise Boat Works of Wayzata and Walker Boat Company of Deephaven) to form Minnetonka Boat Works. Boat sales plummeted after the stock market crashed that October, however, and Minnetonka Boat Works was soon building bus bodies for the company later known as Greyhound.

During World War II, the federal government commissioned Minnetonka Boat Works to build "storm boats" for the U.S. Army. These were small landing craft that were used by troops crossing the Rhine River in Germany. The boats were built of plywood and were destroyed once the troops crossed the river so enemy forces couldn't benefit from them.

After World War II, Minnetonka Boat Works was purported to be "one of the five largest distributors of Chris-Craft boats in the world." The Boat Works also began producing Tonka Craft motorboats in the mid-1950s and distributed them across the country. Production of wooden Tonka Craft ended in 1958, but Minnetonka Boat Works continued selling and servicing boats until 1985. The building was later expanded and converted into a mixed-use office and restaurant building in the 1990s.









Wayzata Beach

The Wayzata Parks and Trails Board is presenting the preliminary concept designs for new playground equipment and surfacing at Wayzata Beach.

The current playground has been there for nearly 15 years.

The new playground will be ADA accessible and qualifies as Play On! National Demonstration Site for implementing research-based best practices for promoting physical activity through active play.

Share your feedback at this website https://forms.gle/ro88HyejfTrgxsYW7









Reimagined









Winnie (Houston) age 6 months...owner, Katie Oberg

If you haven't noticed, Wayzata is very pet friendly. Each month, Wayzata Together will feature furry friends around town.

Do you know of a picture perfect pet? Email a pic to nate@ wayzatatogether.com

Important NUMBERS

Wayzata Public Schools 284 763.745.5000

Wayzata City Hall 952.404.5300

Wayzata Library 612.543.6150

Wayzata High School 763.745.6600

Wayzata West 763.745.6000

Wayzata Central 763.745.6000

Gleason Lake Elementary 763.745.5400

Blake Highcroft Campus 952,988,3550

St. Bart's Catholic School 952.473.6189

Redeemer Lutheran School 952.473.5356

Benilde-St. Margaret's 952.927.4176

Providence Academy 763.258.2500

Breck School 763.381.8100

The Blake School 952.988.3420



Wayzata is home to the Greater Wayzata Chamber of Commerce.

The chamber is an integral part of our community promoting, connecting and supporting members.

"We look for opportunities large and small for Wayzata area businesses and the community to come together to work, live, shop, eat, and enjoy Wayzata," said Chamber President Becky Pierson.

If you are a business owner or simply a community member and are interested in joining the Greater Wayzata Chamber of Commerce, you're encouraged to visit its website wayzatachamber.com.







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Accidents and injuries resulting in low back pain happen, but in many cases disabling low back symptoms could be prevented. Good ergonomics and lifting techniques, as well as not rushing and hurrying when lifting can prevent many unnecessary low back injuries.

A good chair with proper lumbar support is a must for people sitting for extended time at work. The new stand-up desks can be a life saver for backs. Being able to change the sitting posture to standing for part of the work day helps a lot of backs!

Good core muscle strength helps to support the spine and creates a protective muscle wall around the low back. Yoga, Pilates or other core strengthening is a great idea for everyone. Not being overweight and having a "pot belly" helps the back a lot. Carrying abdominal fat increases the low back curve (lordosis) and creates undue stress on discs and sensitive nerves.

If you are a low back pain sufferer, don't resort to covering up the pain with medication. These are functional, mechanical problems that are not corrected with pills! Most cases of persisting low back pain respond very well to chiropractic care.

A large survey found that 25% more people are satisfied with chiropractic treatment of low back pain than through a physician.

If you suffer from low back pain and are unsure if there are other options than medication or possibly surgery, give us a call at The Brost Clinic and schedule a complimentary consultation to discuss your options.

Your Local Home Report

Home Sales in the Wayzata area from 04/15/21 to 06/15/21

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Address	Neighborhood	List Price	Sale Price	Sold Date	DOM	Beds	Baths	SqFt
205 Barry Avenue S #111	Wayzata	\$224,975	\$220,000	05/14/2021	4	1	1	724
627 Harmony Circle	Wayzata	\$445,000	\$452,000	04/23/2021	20	4	3	2,536
1700 Holdridge Circle	Wayzata	\$500,000	\$500,000	06/15/2021	0	3	2	2,140
15810 Holdridge Road E	Wayzata	\$574,900	\$593,000	05/05/2021	10	4	3	2,637
115 Ridgeview Drive	Wayzata	\$575,000	\$598,500	04/16/2021	0	5	3	3,102
121 Edgewood Court	Wayzata	\$689,900	\$690,000	06/02/2021	44	2	4	2,204
228 Waycliffe Drive N	Wayzata	\$725,000	\$700,000	04/15/2021	78	3	3	3,429
528 Wayzata Boulevard E	Wayzata	\$749,900	\$700,000	05/20/2021	164	2	2	2,499
875 Lake Street N #211*	Wayzata	\$795,000	\$780,000	04/16/2021	0	2	2	1,250
460 Waycliffe Drive N	Wayzata	\$844,000	\$850,000	05/27/2021	2	3	3	3,270
935 Lake Street E #310	Wayzata	\$950,000	\$910,000	06/11/2021	99	2	2	1,230
240 Manitoba Avenue	Wayzata	\$1,050,000	\$1,300,000	04/16/2021	0	3	3	2,137
303 Hampton Street	Wayzata	\$1,150,000	\$1,200,000	05/07/2021	0	4	4	2,922
534 Wayzata Boulevard E	Wayzata	\$1,299,000	\$1,265,000	06/15/2021	43	4	4	2,990
398 Margaret Circle	Wayzata	\$1,399,000	\$1,426,532	05/04/2021	7	5	5	5,228
875 Lake Street N #304*	Wayzata	\$1,500,000	\$1,625,000	05/17/2021	1	2	3	2,260
1820 Crosby Road	Wayzata	\$1,695,000	\$1,500,000	05/07/2021	132	5	7	6,941
875 Lake Street N #402*	Wayzata	\$1,750,000	\$1,650,000	04/15/2021	0	2	2	2,100
644 Indian Mound Street	Wayzata	\$1,799,900	\$1,675,000	05/25/2021	38	2	4	3,329
935 Lake Street E #205*	Wayzata	\$1,800,000	\$1,725,000	06/01/2021	96	2	3	2,348
935 Lake Street E #306*	Wayzata	\$1,925,000	\$1,880,000	05/28/2021	150	2	3	2,350
510 Locust Hills Drive	Wayzata	\$2,350,000	\$2,125,000	05/27/2021	43	4	4	4,095

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