

WOOD LAKE COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR

- 08/2024 – Senior Citizens – 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Every Tuesday in the month of August
Wood Lake Community Center
- 08/2024 – TOPS – 7:30 AM – 8:15 AM – Bar Room
Every Wednesday in the month of August
Wood Lake Community Center
- 08/2024 – Ladies Coffee Group – 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM
Bring your own Beverage
Every Wednesday in the month of August
Wood Lake Community Center
- 08/2-4 – Hanley Falls Threshing Show – See pg. 2
- 08/06 – Public Accuracy Testing – 8:30 AM
Wood Lake Community Center
- 08/12 – Council meeting 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
Wood Lake Community Center
- 08/13 – Primaries – 7:00 AM – 8:00 PM
Wood Lake Community Center
- 08/16 & 17 – Echo Day's 2024 – Check out City of Echo
Website for their schedule.
- 08/17 – Woody's Rib Cook Off
Main Street Blocked off. See pg. 3
- 08/19-21 – WOOD LAKE FAIR. See pg. 5
- 08/28 – Deadline for September's newsletter at Noon
- 08/30 – Utility bills due by 10 AM

AUGUST 2024

BIRTHDAY'S

- 6 – Brian Bresson
7 – Sarah Hansen
8 – Allen Chrisman
10 – Andrew Bot
10 – David Jeseritz
11 – Rylee Preuss
14 – Amanda Hansen
14 – Becky Remiger
14 – Colton Schlenner
15 – Gary Raddatz
17 – Jared Bot
17 – Tim Helgeson
17 – Donald Mock
17 – Don Quasdorf
19 – Jen Hubbard
19 – Diana Phinney
20 – Dennis Preuss
20 – Tom Slettedahl
22 – Paulette Grieger
24 – Korey Herrick
24 – Carol Hinz
24 – Maureen Knutson
25 – Beth Schwerin
27 – Amy Torke
29 – Jane Schaffran
30 – Myron Hagelstrom
30 – Kendall & Kallee Phinney
31 – Jeff Bot



HAPPY 60TH ANNIVERSARY
Gary & Merle Ann Hartke
1964 - August 8th - 2024

HAPPY 60TH ANNIVERSARY



Dean & Judy Ristau
1964 - August 15 - 2024

ANNIVERSARIES

- 4 – Keith & Tammi Mueller
7 – Andy & Ashley Frank
8 – Gary & Merle Ann Hartke
8 – John & Tami Jeseritz
10 – Paul & Terri Frank
14 – Jon & Pam Redetzke
15 – Dean & Judy Ristau
16 – Pete & Betsy Lavin
19 – Ben & Jen Hinz
21 – Richard & Shannon Fiene
24 – Korey & Amy Herrick
25 – Shane & Jen Hubbard
29 – Bruce & Kris Helgeson



School starts August 21st please watch out for Children when they are waiting for the bus and when they are getting off the bus.

St. Luke's Lutheran Church
5597 130th Ave - Wood Lake, MN
LCMS

Pastor David Tilney

Church Office: 507-485-3527
Cell Phone: 218-206-5825
Sunday Morning Divine Service: 9:30 AM
Bible Study: 10:30 AM

St. John's Lutheran Church
26 3rd Street South – Wood Lake, MN
WELS

Pastor Johann Caauwe

Cell: 507-828-5136
Office: 507-485-3362
Sunday Divine Service 9:00 AM
Wednesday night service 7:00 PM
Men's Bible Study Thursdays 6:00 AM
Friday: Matins 8:00 AM
www.stjohnswoodlake.com
Visit us on Facebook:
View our devotions on our YouTube channel
St. John's Lutheran Church Wood Lake, MN

United Methodist Church
2nd Avenue & 4th Street- Wood Lake, MN

Rev. Mickson Deronvil

Sunday services: 8:30 AM
Phone: 507-782-9072
micksonderonvil@icloud.com



WOOD LAKE BLOOD DRIVE
2 Day Drive

Wednesday, August 28th – 1 PM – 7 PM

Thursday August 29th – 9 AM – 2 PM

Wood Lake Community Center

88 – 2nd Ave W

Wood Lake, MN 56297

To schedule an appointment, go to
redcrossblood.org or you can call Melinda Schmidt at
507-485-3242 or 507-530-5098 to register

PIONEER POWER, INC
49TH ANNUAL

THE GOOD OLD DAYS & THRESHING SHOW

HANLEY FALLS, MINNESOTA –

AUGUST 2 - 4, 2024

FRIDAY, August 2nd 5:00 pm – Tractor Drive

SATURDAY & SUNDAY – Parade 1:30 pm – All drivers
under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

EXPO BUILDING WITH DISPLAYS, CRAFT SHOW, &
FLEA MARKET

ANTIQUA TRACTOR PULL – PRE 1960

SATURDAY 3:30 pm – NO TRUCKS

Prizes will be awarded – Registration & weigh in will
begin at 2:00 pm. (No stroked in stock class)

Information phone – 507-828-9130

SUNDAY – 8:30 am Sunday Worship Service

FOR THE KIDS – Pedal Tractor Pull Sunday 10:00 am

For kids 5 years – 12 years

Registration 9:30-10:00 am only.

**ARE YOU LOOKING TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN
YOUR COMMUNITY? ARE YOU INTERESTED IN
LEARNING MORE ABOUT YOUR LOCAL
GOVERNMENT?**

THE CITY OF WOOD LAKE WILL HAVE 3 OPEN
OFFICES ON THE CITY COUNCIL
MAYOR.....2-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER...4-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER...4-YEAR TERM

CANDIDATES MUST BE AT LEAST 21 YEARS OF
AGE, A QUALIFIED VOTER IN THE STATE OF MN,
A U.S. CITIZEN, AND A RESIDENT OF THE CITY FOR AT
LEAST 30 DAYS BEFORE THE ELECTION.

AN AFFIDAVIT OF CANDIDACY
FOR THE ABOVE OFFICES MAY
BE FILED AT THE CITY OFFICE
JULY 30TH – AUGUST 13TH



WOODY'S 18TH ANNUAL

RIB COOK-OFF

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17TH

ENTRY FEE - \$25 with 100% payback

Pre-register by August 1st and your \$25 entry fee will include ribs provided by Woody's. All entries after that date will need to supply their own ribs.

CASH PRIZES FOR 1ST – 3RD (the more teams we have the further we would pay back.)

JUDGING AT 5:30 PM

SOME ELECTRICITY AVAILABLE

ALL COOKING MUST BE DONE ON SITE

CALL HARV @ 507-485-3389 FOR INFO TO SIGN UP



WOOD LAKE FAIR – AUGUST 19 – 21, 2024

The Wood Lake Community Club Facebook Page will have lots of additional information about what's happening at the Fair. Check often to see added information.



Come & join us for our
Back to School
Carnival

Sunday, August 18 - 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
At CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH YARD

(inside if inclement weather)

FREE ENTRY

ENJOY

CARNIVAL GAMES

FACE PAINTING

TREATS

PRIZES

FUNDRAISER FOR THE LAKEVIEW BACKPACK PROGRAM

SUGGESTED DONATIONS:

Spaghetti sauce and pasta

Pancake mix and syrup

Granola Bars

Cereal Bars

Animal crackers (in small individual bags)

Fruit cups

Applesauce

Pop tarts

Mini cereal boxes

SpaghettiOs

Rice cups

Instant potato cups

Or

Cash or check is also accepted





PIE & ICE CREAM SOCIAL

At the Wood Lake United Methodist Church
Sponsored by:
The Methodist Church and St. Luke's Church
August 20th and August 21st
4:30 – 8:30 PM
During the Annual Wood Lake Fair
"HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE"



WOOD LAKE AREA FIRE HALL SWEEPSTAKES

\$20 A TICKET! \$12,000 IN PRIZES!

Drawing to be held by Fire Hall Monday,
August 19, 2024 starting at 6 p.m.

Get your ticket(s) from any Fireman or
First Responder!

Tickets ARE available

Dunk tank will be open all three nights of the fair.



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WOOD LAKE FAIR

AUGUST 19, 20, 21, 2024

MONDAY, AUGUST 19*****

Scavenger Hunt

4:00 Pick up rules at Hamburger Stand
Join in any time – Ends Wed. at noon

Little Scrapper's Children's Tractor Pedal Pull

6:00 Registration – 6:30 Start time

Exhibit Hall

5:30-7:30 Entry Day – Community Center

Wood Lake Fireman's
Water Fights/Raffle Drawings
6:00 By the Fire Hall

Coloring Contest

5:30 – 7:30 Drop off colored pages
at Community Center

“Music by Brandon Miles”
8:00 – 10:00 Beer Garden Area

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20*****

Exhibit Hall

4:00 – 7:00 Open in Community Center

Pie & Ice Cream Social

4:30 – 8:30 Methodist Church/St. Luke's Church

Game Show – Deal or No Deal

7:00 – 8:00 Community Center

Wing's Axe Company – Ax Throwing

7:30 – 9:30 By Methodist Church

“The Resistance”

8:00 – 10:00 Beer Garden Area

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21*****

Scavenger Hunt

12:00 Scavenger Hunt Ends
Turn in sheets at Hamburger Stand

Exhibit Hall

4:00 – 6:00 & 7:30 - 8:30 open in Community Center

Pie & Ice Cream Social

4:30 – 8:30 Methodist Church/St. Luke's Church

Kiddie Parade (see website for additional info)

5:45 Registration – 6:00 Start time
Line up is behind St. Johns Church

Grand Parade

6:30 Line up is north of RR tracks by elevator

“Livin' Rich Entertainment”

6:30 – 10:30 DJ/Karaoke in Beer Garden Area

EVERY NIGHT*****

Midwest Rides Carnival

6:00 – 10:00 Bracelet night all 3 nights
Advance Ride Tickets at local Businesses

Hamburger Stand

11:00 am – 11:00 pm

Lakeview Booster Club Bingo Stand

6:30 – 10:30

View often the Wood Lake Community Club Facebook page for additional info and details about events.

Wood Lake Firemen Dunk Tank

6:00 – 10:00

Woody's Bar – Beer Stand

6:30 --

The Wood Lake Fair is sponsored by the Wood Lake Community Club