

HOLDINGFORD

"Gateway to the Lake Wobegon Trail"



From City Hall June 2019

This last month the city sent out letters to two areas in the city which we identified as having had a high volume of disposable wipes being flushed into the sewer system. We have also sent letters to city daycares and assisted living facilities. The objective is to get the word out to all residents about the wipes issue and its seriousness. This is crucial to help stop the skyrocketing costs to the city and taxpayers. Wipes continue to be a drain on city funds and manpower. Please dispose of wipes in the garbage and not through the sewer system. Thank you.

Warm weather, getting outside, enjoying the sunshine and doing lawn work, don't you love summer time! The city will have just a short season of road construction in the next few months. The second layer of tar will be put on County Road 17 by the school. Also, River Street past the water tower, will be getting the stretch of potholes taken care of.

Our Holdingford Daze celebration will be here before you know it, with a car show Friday night, July 12, and on Saturday a full day of fun events. Yeah! Enjoy!

Shop local, drive safely on city streets, watch out for our young children on bikes.

Have a safe summer.

Respectfully, Sue Marstein - Holdingford Mayor

Looking Ahead – Important Dates

- * July 4 - 5 City Hall Closed Independence Day
- * July 12 – 13 Holdingford Daze
- * July 15 Next City Council Meeting
- * Third Week of August is Holdingford's City Wide Garage Sales

For more community events, please see the Community Calendar at www.holdingfordmn.us/calendar

Holdingford City Clerk's Office Hours:

Monday	8 AM – 4 PM
Tuesday	8 AM – 4 PM
Wednesday	8 AM – 6 PM
Thursday	8 AM – 4 PM
Friday	Closed

Mayor's Hours:

Mondays	5:30 – 7 PM
1 st Saturday of the month	8 – 10 AM



FREE ICE CREAM CONES

June 14, on Main Street from 3 – 6 p.m. Please come down and get your cone! We look forward to seeing you!

2019 Holdingford Daze Parade Route

As we don't have construction this year, the parade will be back to the original route. If you would like to see the route go to our website or stop by city hall to get a copy.

<https://holdingfordmn.us/>



City Compost Site

The Holdingford City Compost Site is located by the Waste Water Treatment Plant behind the History Museum on the North side of town. There is a dumpster available for brush and branches (no tree trunks). When dropping off leaves, brush and grass clippings, please try to separate them and make sure they are free from trash. You can also pick up compost and wood chips for your gardens and landscaping needs.

Your Elected Officials

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Raccoon Sightings in Town

We have been getting reports of raccoon sightings in town. While these little bandits are cute, we do not want them roaming the city as they can be a nuisance in resident's garbage, carry diseases, and wreak general mischief. Leaving pet food outside can attract wild animals. Please DO NOT FEED THEM!

Leaf and Lawn Pick up

Pick up is the first Friday of each month and runs through November (weather permitting). Accepted items: Bagged leaves, lawn clippings and bundled sticks up to 4 feet long and no larger than 1 inch in diameter.

NOTE: BURNING LEAVES WITHIN CITY LIMITS IS PROHIBITED!



Recreational Fire Reminder:

All recreational fires within city limits shall be no more than 3 feet in diameter and must be contained in a fire ring or surrounded by non-combustible material such as stone, brick or ferrous metal. One recreational fire is permitted per property and must be monitored by an adult until extinguished.



Holdingford Daze CHRISTMAS IN JULY

July 12th & 13th, 2019

FRIDAY, JULY 12TH

- HELPING HANDS COFFEE CAKE/BAKE SALE 4PM
- MEN'S SLOWPITCH SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT 7:30PM
Fri-Sun, call Logan @ 507-530-1237
- LIVE MUSIC AT SOFTBALL PARK 8:30-11:30PM
- MUSEUM OPEN 4-8PM

SATURDAY, JULY 13TH

- 5K WALK/RUN & KIDS FUN RUN 8AM
7:15AM Registration, Pre-Register Online
- CO-ED VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT 9AM
Veteran's Memorial Park, Call 320-746-0987
- MEN'S SLOWPITCH SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT 9AM
Fri-Sun, call Logan @ 507-530-1237
- TRACTOR BLESSING & FUN RUN 9AM
Registration at High School
- HELPING HANDS COFFEE CAKE/BAKE SALE 11:30AM-3PM
- MUSEUM OPEN 12-4PM
- GRANDE PARADE 7PM
- FIREWORKS @ DUSK
- LIVE MUSIC
Street Dance "Gregory James Band" 9pm-12:30am

- BINGO AT THE LEGION 12-2PM
Helping Hands
- ATV/LAWNMOWER TRACTOR PULL 12-3PM
Next to Museum
- SURREYS AVAILABLE TO RENT 12-4PM
Helping Hands
- BEAN BAG TOSS TOURNAMENT 1PM
Main Street, call Mike @ 320-746-0064
- OUTDOOR MASS @ ST. HEDWIGS 4PM
- RAFFLE WINNERS ANNOUNCED SATURDAY BEFORE BAND
Helping Hands and Lions Club Raffles
- KIDS ACTIVITIES
Inflatables & Games
10am - 6pm
Petting Zoo (Trail Garden)
10am - 1pm
Kids Pedal Tractor Pull
2:30pm

For the most up to date schedule and registration forms, visit www.holdingforddaze.com


