Ledges Summer Party

LEDGES PROPERTY OWNER'S / GATEWAY COMMUNITY BANK GOLF OUTING & SUMMER PARTY

The Ledges Property Owner's Association and Gateway Community Bank, with the co-operation of the Ledges Pool Association and the Winnebago County Forest Preserve, will be hosting a Summer Party on Saturday, August 5, 2006.

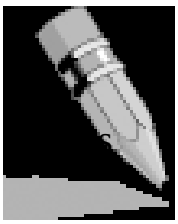
The Ledges Property Owner's Association is excited to have Gateway Community Bank as a co-sponsor for this year's event. Gateway Community Bank's support of this year's event will help greatly in providing an excellent day of fun activities for everyone. The Ledges Property Owner's Association welcomes and thanks Gateway Community Bank for their support. The party is open to all Ledges residents and Ledges pool members and their guests.

Activities will kick-off at 11 a.m. with a golf outing. The swim party and pig roast will begin at 5 p.m. Dinner will be served at around 6 p.m. Bob Prosser and his staff from the Hoffman Clubhouse Restaurant will once again be providing the roasted pork with all the trimmings.

Entertainment will include a visit by Pickles the Clown. There will be magic show and some games for the kids.

We are confident the live entertainment will be enjoyable. Juelane & Gid-e-yup will provide the live music for the evening. Come and join us this year for a fun filled day at the Ledges. Look for more details inside the newsletter.

We need volunteers for a variety of things from set-up to clean-up. If you are interested in helping out give Mark Anderson a call at 623-6391.



Mark Anderson President, Ledges Property Owner's Association & Allen Brewer Executive Vice President, Gateway Community Bank

The Ledges Property Owner's Association recently hired Steve Ambrose from Ambrose Greenhouse to do some landscaping around 3 of the 5 Ledges signs. The landscaping work has been completed and looks great.

Funds for this project came from the Ledges sign fund. The sign fund was created through donations from Ledges residents starting in 1994. Over the years the donations have provided thousands of dollars to have the signs built and maintained. The recent landscaping of the signs greatly improves the appearance of the Ledges signs.

The Ledges Property Owner's thanks Ambrose Greenhouse for the great job they did & the discounted price they offered to the Ledges for the job.

A new well is being drilled at the Ledges Golf Course for the purpose of watering the golf course. The well is being drilled next to the 7th green. The well will be 1000 feet in depth and will not draw water from residential water supplies. If you have any questions regarding this issue contact Thomas Hartley or Mike Durand at the Winnebago County Forest Preserve office at 877-6100.

There is a group of residents in the West Ledges that have recently petitioned the Illinois Toll Way to do some type of noise barrier wall along I-90. The barrier would help to reduce noise levels due to the new traffic patterns after the construction project at the South Beloit Toll Plaza is completed. The Toll way has constructed a noise barrier wall from McCurry Road to the south a short distance. The residents on Westgate Court and Love Road feel that some type of wall should be constructed further to the south.

Keeping in mind our mission statement "To promote and protect the interests of the Ledges Community", the Ledges Property Owner's Association has reviewed this situation and supports their efforts. A letter to the Illinois Toll Way Authority was recently sent, hoping to help with some type of resolution to the problem.

McCurry Road Bridge over I-90 should be completed and opened to traffic by the middle of July. The original completion date was July 1st.

Bridge Anyone? Couples who play bridge once a month from September through April are always looking for additional couples to join the group. For more information call Earl Ustruck at 389-0901.

Follow the Law! ATV's can't be operated legally on local roads and highways and if operated on private

property, the rider must have the permission of the property owner. Check the Winnebago County web Site for more details or call the Sheriff's Dept.

Stateline YMCA Event

The Stateline Family YMCA Roscoe / Rockton branch is sponsoring a 2006 Anniversary Run on June 24th, 2006 at 8:00AM,"Rain or Shine." It will feature a 5K and 10K run and a 1 mile Fun Walk. Also, a half-mile Kids Fun Run for boys and girls 10 and under will begin immediately after the adult races. Race and age divisions for men and women .The YMCA is hosting an open house after the race featuring a BBQ with hot dogs and hamburgers, a clown for the children's entertainment, and music provided by a local band. T-shirts will be given to all pre-registered participants. The cost: $20.00 if registered by June 20th (tell them you are a Ledges resident) for adult 5K and 10K racers and $25.00 after the 20th, $10.00 per walker, and $7.00 for the Kids fun run. Sign up at the YMCA at 9901 Main St. Roscoe, IL. Come on out for a fun time. Support your local YMCA, building Strong Kids, Strong Families and Strong Communities.

Garden Walk

The Ledges Property Owner's Association is hosting a garden walk on Saturday, July 15, 2006. A few of your Ledges neighbors have graciously opened their gardens for you to come and view and share in their knowledge about gardening.

The idea for a garden walk came about a short time ago. We realize many residents in the Ledges have very nice backyard gardens. We thought we would try a garden walk this year with a few homes and see what kind of response we get. If anyone would like to have their garden in this years garden walk give Laurie Nelson a call at 623-2003. If not this year, why not next year?

The following gardens will be open for your viewing from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 15, 2006:

Harold & Lavina Bates - 11548 Southgate Road
Mike & Laurie Nelson - 11803 Warblers Way
Gary Neu - 11868 Southgate Road
Bruce & Susan Peterson- 11611 Moore Woods Road
Gene & Muriel Boyd - 6845 Lynnhurst Lane

Featured Business

Bruce and Susan Middleton, both of Roscoe, Illinois, have kept a family tradition of installing Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning systems in residential, commercial, industrial and institutional facilities. They have advertised in our newsletter and directory for several years. Their grandfather, William Middleton installed the first gas fired forced air furnace in Rockford, Illinois. LM Sheet Metal was established by their parents, Lee and Sue Middleton in 1981.

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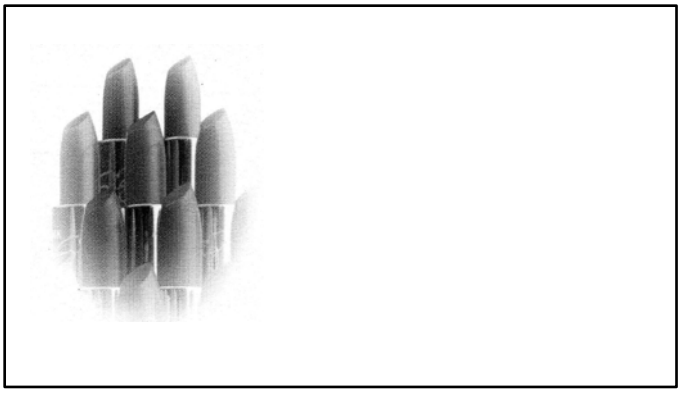
They welcome an opportunity to assist you on any of your needs. Normal business hours are Monday through Friday 7:00 AM to 4:30 PM. Bruce and Susan can always be reached by phone at 815-654-1837 or by fax at 815-654-0007. If you prefer to e-mail our address is lmshtmtl@aol.com. You can also visit our website at www.LMSheetMetalinc.com.

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