



Sunset Village Voice

Your Neighborhood Newsletter

Spring 2023

Sunset Village Community Assoc.
quarterly meeting:
Wednesday, May 17, 6:30 p.m.
at Sequoya Library

Dear Neighbors

We are looking forward to a fun-filled spring and summer in and around Sunset Village. Music venues abound starting with Make Music Madison in June, followed by music events sponsored by both Midvale Heights and Westmorland neighborhoods. The Capitol City Band continues to entertain us Thursday evenings and don't forget Opera in the Park.

Sunset Village is again sponsoring a Red Cross Blood Drive at Sequoya Library on July 13. Watch for more information to come. We strongly encourage your participation both as a volunteer and as a donor. If you are able to contribute some time or some baked goods, please let us know via our SVCA email listed in this issue.

The SVCA Ice Cream Social on August 5 will again bring together neighbors for good company and tasty treats. It is not too early to think about preparations for our annual neighborhood garage sale August 11-12. SVCA will take care of advertising.

Please let us hear from you. Bring your questions, suggestions and topics for discussion forward. Join us for the next meeting on May 17 at Sequoya Library. Stay well and stay in touch.

Your Co-Presidents,
Ulrike Dieterle & Jonathan Becker



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Save these dates!

Make Music Madison on June 21

Vacant Church, indie rock band, 6:30-8:00 p.m., across from **Lucia Crest Park**

Geneva Campus Church, meet our new neighbors at 401 N. Blackhawk Ave, early evening, with refreshments



Ice Cream Social

Lucia Crest Park, Saturday, **August 5**, 1-4 p.m. Luigi's pizza, Chocolate Shoppe ice cream,

Great Dane beer

Neighborhood Garage Sales

Friday, **August 11** and Saturday, **August 12**. Sunset Village Community Association will take care of advertising through print and online sources. Contact ulrike.dieterle@gmail.com

Sunset Village Neighborhood and Nearby Project Updates

Midvale Blvd (University Ave to Mineral Point Rd) Safe Streets Improvements

This section of Midvale Blvd has been identified for review with the goal of improving overall traffic safety and improving walking and biking connections. To gather more information and discuss potential improvements, Traffic Engineering will hold a virtual meeting via Zoom on Wednesday, May 3 at 6 p.m. Meeting Registration and Online Feedback Form here: www.cityofmadison.com/trafficEngineering/CurrentSafeStreetProjects.cfm

2023 South Owen Drive Reconstruction

The purpose of this project is to reconstruct S. Owen Drive from Hillcrest Drive to Regent Street. Proposed work includes replacement of the asphalt pavement and road base, replacement of the sanitary sewer main and laterals, replacement of the storm sewer and private storm connections, installation of new curb and gutter, and replacement of sidewalk and drive aprons as needed. The Estimated Schedule is 04/10/2023 to 08/04/2023. See the website for details as well as the October 20 Zoom public meeting: www.cityofmadison.com/engineering/projects/south-owen-drive-reconstruction

University Avenue 2022 and 2023 Road Construction

A detour of the multi-use path on the north side of University Ave. between Shorewood Blvd. and Highland Ave. is anticipated to begin on April 19. Electronic signs will be placed on the path and detour signage will delineate the route. A map of the detour route will be on the website: www.cityofmadison.com/engineering/projects/university-avenue

Blackhawk at University Intersection Improvements & Bike Connections

Safety improvements are still under consideration for the intersection of University Ave at N. Blackhawk Ave.

Proposed design and survey are at: www.cityofmadison.com/trafficEngineering/CurrentSafeStreetProjects.cfm

Smoky's is Gone and Construction has Begun at 3005 University Avenue

www.cityofmadison.com/dpced/planning/development.cfm?record=LNDUSE-2022-00004

Construction is in Progress at the Former Kwik Trip at 3734 Speedway

See Project Plans, maps, comments, and more on the Plan Commission Legistar site: <https://bit.ly/3wErAdg>

Capital High School Construction is Underway at the Former Hoyt School and MSCR Building

See current and upcoming construction activity at: bit.ly/3VYxu1K

Willow Creek Watershed Study

The purpose of the watershed study is to identify causes of flooding in the Willow Creek Watershed, which includes Sunset Village, and to craft potential solutions to reduce flooding. The Willow Creek Watershed Draft Final Report is available on the project webpage: www.cityofmadison.com/engineering/projects/willow-creek-watershed-study

Glenway Woods Planning Study

The City of Madison Parks Division is developing a Management and Sustainability Plan for Glenway Woods.

Stay up to date at: www.cityofmadison.com/parks/projects/glenway-woods-planning-study

Schmitt Place Reconstruction

The project will consist of the reconstruction of Schmitt Place from University Avenue to Harvey Street and Harvey Street from Ridge Street to Schmitt Place. The project will include new asphalt pavement, curb and gutter, driveway aprons and new sidewalk. The project will also include the replacement of the sanitary sewer and storm sewer improvements. A public information meeting was held on March 6 via Zoom. Estimated construction dates are August 1 to October 31. More info at: www.cityofmadison.com/engineering/projects/schmitt-placereconstruction

Project Location



Television & Computer Recycling is Free at Streets Division Drop-off Sites

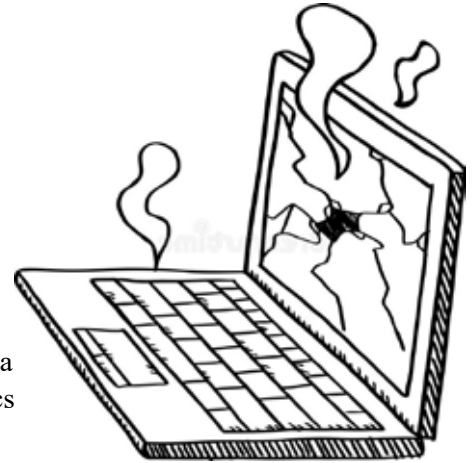
submitted by Bryan Johnson, City of Madison Streets Division

Hello, Madison Recyclers

The Streets Division will stop charging the recycling fee for laptops, monitors, computers, and televisions. This change will be in effect until the end of the year 2023. You still have to bring them to a drop-off site, but we will stop requiring the \$15 fee for televisions and the \$10 fee for monitors, computers, and laptops.

Why are televisions, computers, laptops, and monitors now free?

The City of Madison contracts with Universal Recycling Technologies (URT) to accept and recycle electronics collected at Streets Division drop-off sites. Fees are charged by the City to allow the City to recover its costs to provide this service. In a separate agreement with URT, Samsung has agreed to cover the costs for electronics recycling for 2023. This means that the City will incur no electronics recycling costs in 2023.



How to Recycle Your Televisions, Computers, Laptops, and Monitors

If you are a City of Madison resident, simply take these items to a Streets Division drop-off site. You will not need to fill out a large item work order or pay a fee for these items. The hours and locations of the drop-off site can be found on the Streets Division's drop-off site page, www.cityofmadison.com/DropOffSites.

Do not place televisions, computers, laptops, or monitors to the curb. These contain hazardous items like lead or mercury, and can also hold sensitive information. If you place a television at the curb it will be subject to removal by city staff, and if such a removal occurs you will receive a special assessment from the Streets Division for administrative costs. Additional details can be found at the Streets Division's electronics recycling website, www.cityofmadison.com/eCycle.

Contact: Bryan Johnson, 608-267-2626, streets@cityofmadison.com



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Midvale Lincoln Rummage Sale!

Saturday, April 22 from 8am – 1pm at Midvale School, 502 Caromar Dr. DONATE gently used items like furniture, housewares, books, clothing, electronics, sporting goods, other miscellaneous items, paper grocery bags; and individually wrapped baked goods for the bake sale. Please note, we cannot take cribs, car seats, mattresses, computers, monitors, or TVs.

Donation drop off: Thursday, April 20 from 4pm - 7pm and Friday, April 21 from 8:30am-6pm

VOLUNTEER before, during, or after the sale.

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Upcoming Neighborhood and Nearby Events (see also front and back pages)

Westside Community Farmers Market - IN A NEW LOCATION (with ample space & parking)

Saturdays, 7:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m., **April 15-November 4**, University Research Park, 505 S. Rosa Road.

- Westside Community Market on Facebook: www.facebook.com/WestsideCommunityMarket
- Website - includes a vendor map, vendor list and purchasing options: www.westsidecommunitymarket.org
- Sign up for the market e-newsletter

Hilldale Farmers Market

Wednesdays and Saturdays: 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., **May 6-October 28**, behind L.L. Bean, off Segoe Rd.

For more information, contact the Farmers Market Manager at hilldalemkt@gmail.com or call 608-238-6353.

Updates at: www.facebook.com/HilldaleFarmersMarket and <https://hilldale.com/about/farmers-market/>

Earth Day Challenges on Saturday, April 22

Quarry Park – Trash pickup and garlic mustard pulling from 9:00 a.m. to noon

Hoyt Park - An Earth Day Work Day will begin at 10:00 a.m., Main Shelter

Sunset Garden Club Plant Sale

Hardy perennials, ferns, and wildflowers from members' gardens, Saturday, **May 13**,

8:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m., 417 S. Midvale Blvd. Contact Mary Ross, 833-8315, rossfm@chorus.net

Make Music Madison on the Summer Solstice, Wednesday, June 21

Vacant Church indie rock band, 6:30-8:00 p.m., across Owen Dr. from **Lucia Crest Park**.

Geneva Campus Church (401 N. Blackhawk Ave), early evening, with refreshments

Bethany Church, uncertain at this time, check website: <https://bethanymadison.org/>

55th Season of Capitol City Band Concerts in Rennebohm Park

Opening concert Tribute to the Troops on June 29, continuing Thursdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m., through August 24, <https://mmqccb.org>, and www.facebook.com/capitolcityband

Madison School & Community Recreation Art Cart in Neighborhood Parks

The Art Cart is a free, traveling art program that provides creative, outdoor art-making experiences to children ages 3+ and their families. See the Art Cart schedule for appearances at Lucia Crest, as well as Rennebohm and Westmorland Parks: www.msqr.org/our-programs/youth-arts-enrichment/art-cart

Madison School & Community Recreation FIT2GO-Youth in Lucia Crest and Sunset Parks

The MSCR FIT2GO Van is a mobile source of physical activity and education that provides fitness programs throughout Madison. Drop-in programs are free for the whole family! See the FIT2GO schedule of appearances at Lucia Crest, Sunset, Rennebohm, and Westmorland Parks: www.msqr.org/our-programs/youth-sports-fitness/fit2go.

Midvale Heights Community Association Baseball

MHCA Baseball is a fun league for kids from 3 to 9, running from the week of June 5 to the week of July 24. We have T Ball on Tuesday, Major Coach Pitch on Wednesday, and Minor Coach Pitch on Thursday. Games are played at Piper and Segoe Parks and Midvale School. Players receive a t-shirt, hat and baseball. Cost is \$50 for the first child and \$40 for the second. Apply online at: www.midvaleheights.org. Contact Mike Pressman: 288-0993 or mmpressman@charter.net.

Summer Nights at Segoe Park on Fridays in July

6:30-8:30 p.m. July 7: Gin, Chocolate & Bottle Rockets (Pop, Rock, Blues); July 14: Onadare (Irish Music);

July 21: Cajun Strangers (Cajun, Zydeco Music); July 28: Madtown Mannish Boys (Chicago-Style Blues)



Sunset Village Community Association February 16, 2023 Quarterly Meeting and Resolution to Support Continuous Sidewalk on Harvey Street

Rich Kedzior (Lucia Crest) made the case for continuous sidewalk on at least one side of Harvey Street between North Blackhawk Avenue and Ridge Street. The draft resolution was passed by those attending, with one opposed. It has been submitted to the City of Madison Engineering Division as well as the Transportation Commission. Read salient points from the resolution below.



- The off-street pedestrian network is incomplete in north Sunset Village and the Hoyt Park area, presenting safety risks and access impediments for those who do not drive, especially children and the disabled.
- Harvey Street is the only east–west public right-of-way connecting N Blackhawk Avenue to Ridge Street between Quarry Park and University Avenue, and provides access to businesses and services.
- Harvey Street lacks continuous sidewalk on either side between N Blackhawk Avenue and Ridge Street, requiring pedestrians to walk in the street.
- Completing the sidewalk on the east side of N Blackhawk Avenue between the University Avenue and Harvey Street would also improve pedestrian safety and access.
- The Hoyt Park Area Joint Neighborhood Plan calls for “improvements for safer movement of pedestrians” on Harvey Street.
- The Sunset Village Community Association supports, and calls on the City of Madison to pursue, construction of continuous sidewalk on Harvey Street between N Blackhawk Avenue and Ridge Street and on N Blackhawk Avenue from University Avenue to Harvey Street, in a manner that preserves mature trees to the utmost extent practical and reduces stormwater impacts.

Friends of Hoyt Park News and Events

submitted by Anne Badey Raffa

Our Saturday work day in April will align with Earth Day, April 22. Please meet by the main parking lot at 10:00 a.m. The Madison Chapter of the group called “The Wild Ones” (www.wildones.org) will sponsor a nature walk that day as well. The Wild Ones encourages and promotes the use of native plants in landscaping, gardening, naturoscaping and land restoration for purposes of preserving biodiversity and ecosystems and personal enjoyment.

Both of our rangers, Andy and Lee, will be returning this summer. They worked on the management of invasive species, particularly garlic mustard and buckthorn; ongoing work in park maintenance; refreshing fireplaces; and the introduction of native plants to the park. They will continue this work along with additional projects.



The Friends of Hoyt Park have reached an agreement to establish a fund with The Madison Parks Foundation so that funds donated by members can be used to purchase additional plants for the Bagley border area.

Please consider becoming a member of Friends of Hoyt Park. We host several family gatherings each year. We also maintain the many trails throughout the park and have two beautiful shelters and many working fireplaces for you to enjoy as well. Please visit our website www.hoytpark.org for more updates.

What Can Young Learners Do at UW–Madison This Summer?

source: <https://precollege.wisc.edu/explore-programs/>

Just about anything. Badger Precollege offers an array of academic programs for students ages 6-18 — from advanced learning programs and STEM classes to music clinics. And consider the many sports camps, leadership summits, field trips, and other youth programs, including Badger Sports Camps, Wisconsin 4-H, the Language Institute and others.

just a few of the Badger youth programs:

- Badger Sports Camps
- Greater Madison Writing Project
- Fun with Chemistry Camp
- Madison French Camp
- Photo Poetry Camp
- Wisconsin Institutes for Discovery – Field Trips
- Summer Music Clinics



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The University of Wisconsin West District Plan – Learn About it and Get Involved

Our large neighbor to the east is in the process of developing a plan for the West Campus—the area of campus bounded by Willow Creek on the east, University Hospital/Highland Avenue on the west, Campus Drive on the south, and Lake Mendota/Far West Fields on the north. A statement from the West Campus District Planning Team reads:

“West campus, as with all of UW-Madison, is closely intertwined with the broader Madison community historically, physically, and socially. This area also has essential elements that contribute to the university’s mission while also benefiting the surrounding communities. With a world class hospital, diverse community and beautiful natural areas like the lakeshore nature preserve, the potential exists to make this space even more valuable and vibrant.



Ideas and input from community members will be vital to reimagining the area to meet university and community interests, needs and concerns. Both district occupants and the broader community will directly inform the final plan and the physical development of West Campus.”

Learn about the current design concepts and share your feedback:

<https://www.vc.wisc.edu/westcampus/>

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Enroll Today in the Award-Winning Master Recycler Course

source: Bryan Johnson (City of Madison Recycling Coordinator), March 23, 2023

Per a 2022 sort of the city's recyclables about 17.6% of what is in our green carts is actually trash that shouldn't be in the recycling at all. Plus, there are plenty of misunderstandings about what can and cannot be recycled, and our packaging material always seems to be changing. We all can certainly recycle better.

And here's how you can help: Become a master recycler with our award-winning program in partnership with the City of Madison. Learn the ins and outs of our local recycling system and get your recycling questions answered. The program will give you the tools you need to teach your family, neighbors, friends, and coworkers how to improve recycling and community sustainability. Topics include: what makes recycling work and why we do it, local recycling basics, barriers to recycling, other waste streams, low waste living, & how to champion recycling in your community.

The second opportunity to take the Master Recycler course is in July. The Master Recycler course is two sessions of 90 minutes apiece. The classes will be held online via Zoom. People enrolled should attend both sessions. Sustain Dane charges a small tuition of \$15 for the course, but scholarships are available.

Wednesday, July 5, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 12, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Over 700 people have taken the Master Recycler course since it began. And their outreach projects have reached nearly 67,000 residents of Dane County. The design of your outreach project can vary to meet your audience and comfort level in teaching others. Past projects ranged from newsletters to neighborhood social media posts to presentations to a video a grandmother made with her grandchildren and shared with her family and friends.

www.eventbrite.com/e/master-recycler-tickets-525912136357

Questions? Contact Program Manager Lorenza Zebell at lorenza@sustaindane.org.



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Know Your Ordinances – the Amended Family Definition

As many of you probably know, the Madison City Council passed, 13-6, an amendment to the zoning restrictions on unrelated tenants which had existed in about 1/3 of the city, including Sunset Village. This story has been covered in local newspapers, alder blogs, Nextdoor, Wisconsin Public Radio. The City made its case on the Family Definition website: www.cityofmadison.com/dpced/bi/family-definition-revision/3897/. A review of the arguments in opposition can be found with a search of the Nextdoor neighborhood network website.

All of Sunset Village that is zoned for residential use is in one of the Traditional Residential – Consistent Districts. In TR-C districts no more than two unrelated tenants could live in a home not occupied by the owner. In the rest of the City up to five unrelated tenants can live in a home whether or not it is owner-occupied. With the amendment, up to five unrelated adults will be able to live together in Sunset Village.

If you just can't get enough of the City of Madison zoning ordinances, you can explore the municipal code website: https://library.municode.com/wi/madison/codes/code_of_ordinances

CHAPTER 28 – ZONING CODE ORDINANCE and CHAPTER 29 – BUILDING CODE

More fun: One way to find out which residential zone you live in is to use the City of Madison Zoning Districts map or the Property Lookup map at <https://cityofmadison.maps.arcgis.com>. The Property Lookup map has a link to Property Details on the City of Madison Assessor's Office website, with much more information about a property.



Madison BCycle Station at Sequoya Library has a Spring Promotion

Madison BCycle has partnered with the Madison Public Library Foundation to bring a new BCycle station to the Sequoya Library. The new station opened to riders beginning on March 15, 2023. New riders can sign-up in the app for a free one-month pass using promo code: SPRING; promo ends April 30, 2023. Download the BCycle App and begin riding for the 2023 season!

<https://madison.bcycle.com/nav/Join-now>

Don't forget, any Madison Public Library member is also eligible to check out the BCycle Community Pass, which provides FREE BCycle trips for up to a week



Red Cross Blood Drive: Sponsored Again by Sunset Village Community Association

SVCA sponsored a very successful Red Cross blood drive on December 1 at the Sequoya Library, and now we're doing it again, on July 13. We are looking for neighbor volunteers to work the registration table from 11:30-2:30 and from 2:00-5:00; the snack table from 12:00-2:00 and from 2:00-4:00; help Red Cross staff to pack up from 4:00-6:00. You can also help by bringing treats (cookies, muffins, etc.) both regular and gluten-free. If you can help with any of these, please send your name and contact information to: info@sunsetvillagecommunity.org

Sequoya Library, Meeting Rooms A and B combined
Thursday, July 13, 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The Red Cross encourages donors to answer screening questions on the day of their donation through Rapid Pass: redcrossblood.org/RapidPass



Set-Out Dates for Brush Collection

You can learn the exact dates when you should set brush out for pickup on the Streets Division's website, www.cityofmadison.com/brushcollection. Enter your address into the form to see the five Sundays for 2023 when you can set out your brush. Collection of your brush will occur during the work week following the set-out Sunday. All City residents will have five curbside collection opportunities this year.

Set-Out Dates for Sunset Village residences:
Sunday, April 9, 2023, Sunday, May 14, 2023
Sunday, June 25, 2023, Sunday, July 30, 2023
Sunday, September 17, 2023 - Final Set Out Date

Also, yard waste Set-Out Dates for Sunset Village are:
Sunday, Apr. 23, 2023
Sunday, May. 14, 2023 - Final Spring Set Out Date



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Hello Neighbors!

My name is Gene Van Buren, and I've been a Broker Associate with Restaino & Associates Realtors and a resident of Sunset Village for over 18 years. I love our neighborhood, and consider it to be one of the best places to live in the world. You'll have a hard time finding a bigger enthusiast for our community, Madison, and Wisconsin in general. We are very lucky to live where we live.

I graduated from Memorial High School, and then from UW Madison where I majored in Communication Arts, with a focus on Interpersonal Communication, Conflict Management, and Alternative Dispute Resolution. I am an expert in real estate contracts, negotiation, pricing, and real estate marketing. My concentration is on Single Family, Multi-Family, and Condominium homes.

I encourage you to reach out anytime if you or any of your neighbors or loved ones are looking for assistance buying or selling real estate. I work in all of Dane County, and the nearer parts of our surrounding counties. With several hundred transactions under my belt, I have experience in all of these areas over the last two decades. It would truly be my honor to help you, or anyone you know who needs help with the buying or selling process.

I have learned from living a life in service professions that providing skilled and selfless care for others is what gives me meaning. If you have questions or want to talk, please feel free to reach out. I'd be honored to help in any way I can.



My best to you all.

Your neighbor,
Gene Van Buren



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Sunset Park Ice Rink Update

submitted by Brant Olson and Jason Symes

Like many ice rinks in the area, this winter was a real challenge for the Sunset Park Ice Rink! The rink was set up right before the first cold snap - perfect timing! - and optimism was running high for a great skating season. Unfortunately, a leaky liner and a roller coaster of unseasonably warm temperatures made it impossible to open the rink to skaters this year.



The Sunset Ice Rink is a community-owned asset, and a group of families in the neighborhood handle the setup, take-down, frequent ice resurfacing, and most importantly, funding for the rink. The water bill for filling and re-surfacing the rink runs between \$200-\$300 per season, and parts occasionally need to be replaced. This year, a new liner was purchased to replace the old leaky one at a cost of \$700, which should last us 4-5 years. Up to this point, the costs of the rink have been carried by these individual neighborhood families and a VERY generous neighbor who has donated the water for filling and resurfacing for several years.

Going forward, our goal is to create a financially sustainable ice rink built off small donations from the Sunset Village Neighborhood. Between water and replacement parts (needed more frequently as the rink ages), we can operate the rink comfortably for \$400-\$500 annually. 50 families donating \$10/year will help keep this great community asset viable! Our hope is that we can continue to support kids learning to skate, pickup hockey games, winter outdoor activities, and another gathering space for the community in the winter. If you share these goals for our neighborhood, please consider donating!



A Venmo account has been set up for the Sunset Ice Rink fund, and you can donate by scanning the Venmo QR code. We'll also have this QR code on a sign near the rink next season, along with a lock box for old-fashioned donations. If you'd like to contribute but don't use Venmo, or are interested in helping out with the rink in other ways - we can always use more "human Zambonis!" - please contact brantolson@hotmail.com. Thank you! from Jason and Brant

What to do About a Chronic Nuisance Property Nearby

We all hope our neighbors will not have chronic junk, trash and debris on property, loud parties, and illegally parked cars, and so on. And that they are agreeable when approached neighbor to neighbor with concerns. But sometimes they are not. Sometimes the Plan B recourse is to use the Report a Problem form on the City of Madison website, to describe the problem and upload a photo if desired:



www.cityofmadison.com/reportaproblem/

Note that if your neighbors have illegally parked cars, they can park legally in 2 Hour Parking zones with permits which are available for residents at: www.cityofmadison.com/parking-utility/permits/residential-parking-permits

Garlic Mustard – Pull it, Bag it, Toss it

Garlic mustard is a biennial herb that invades and spreads rapidly in wooded areas, such as Quarry Park; the DNR terms it “ecologically invasive.” Garlic mustard is most easily recognized when it blooms in early May, and is controlled by pulling in April and May, before it goes to seed. It can be identified by its cluster of small white flowers at the top and its round toothed leaves.

If your yard backs onto Quarry Park or Hoyt Park, please pull the garlic mustard in your purview—and don’t pile brush and yard waste over garlic mustard stands! (Dumping in city parks isn’t a good idea anyway.) And anywhere you live, please pull garlic mustard in your yard—the small seeds are spread into our natural areas on our shoes, bike tires, or Fido’s paws. Plants should be pulled, getting the root below the crown, and then bagged for disposal; un-bagged plants may still form seed from the flowers. Bags of garlic mustard may be disposed of in regular trash.

- <https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/Invasives/fact/GarlicMustard.html>
- <https://hort.extension.wisc.edu/articles/garlic-mustard/>



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Summer Swim Lessons at the West Side Swim Club

Members enjoy free swim lessons for whole family
Ask about new member discount rates
Try us for FREE on Memorial Day Weekend!

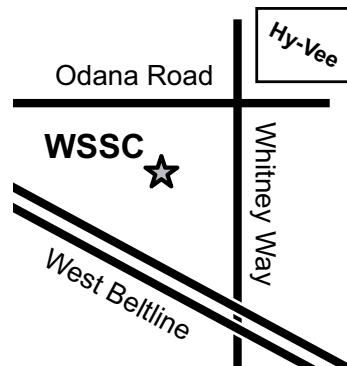
Member Benefits:

9 weeks Mon-Fri swim lessons
Daytime and evening lessons available

Open swimming
Adult lap swim lanes
Water aerobics
Water ballet
Swim & dive teams

Deck chairs waiting for you

Gas grills for cooking
Movie nights and parties



5533 W. Odana Rd. www.westsideswimclub.com

NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS

SVCA Fall Quarterly Meeting

Wednesday, May 17, 6:30 p.m.
Sequoia Library

Farmers Markets

Hilldale-Wed. and Sat., 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

May 6-Oct. 28, behind L.L. Bean, off Segoe Rd.

Westside-Sat., 7:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

April 15-Nov. 4, 505 S. Rosa Road

Make Music Madison on June 21

Lucia Crest Park @ Owen Dr., 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Geneva Campus Church, 401 N. Blackhawk

Capitol City Band at Rennebohm Park

Thursdays, 7-8:00 p.m., **June 29 to August 24**

Westmorland July 4

Tuesday, **July 4**, Westmorland Park

Summer Nights at Segoe Park

Four Fridays in July, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Westmorland Summer Nights

7/1, 8/12, 9/3, 9/23, approx. 4-8:30 p.m.

Red Cross/SVCA Blood Drive at Sequoia

Thursday, **July 13**, noon to 5:00 p.m.

Ice Cream Social at Lucia Crest Park

Saturday, **Aug. 5**, 1-4 p.m., Luigi's Pizza

Chocolate Shoppe Ice Cream, Great Dane Beer

Neighborhood Garage Sales

August 11 & 12, ulrike.dieterle@gmail.com

Hoyt Park Events & Work Days

www.hoytpark.org

Advertise in the Village Voice!

Reach 1100+ households, area businesses and the Sequoia Library.

Business Card size (3.5x2):

\$30 for 1 issue and \$110 for 4 issues

Quarter Page size (3.5x4.5):

\$60 for 1 issue and \$210 for 4 issues

Half Page size (7.5x4.5):

\$90 for 1 issue and \$320 for 4 issues

Deadline for newsletters:

January 5, April 5, July 5, October 5

Send ads as jpgs or pdfs to Clark at
clarkkellogg65@yahoo.com

Mail contributions, dues, or ad payments to:
SVCA, P.O. Box 5635, Madison, WI 53705

NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES

Pet Sitting, Babysitting

Ella Klodd: H.S. age, experienced at babysitting and pet sitting; neighborhood references available; please call (608) 238-2859

Pet Sitting, Babysitting, House Sitting, Yard Work

Hi! My name is Alexa Klodd. I am a junior at UW-Madison. I am interested in babysitting, pet sitting, house sitting, and yard work. Please feel free to reach out to me if you are looking for someone for any of these roles! My number is (608) 215-9616 (texting is preferred).

Babysitting (preschool and up) / pet-sitting /dog walking

Completed Red Cross babysitting course.

Contact Dane (age 14) 608-354-4102

Pet Sit, Dog Walk, Babysit

Finnoulay Kaump Luedtke is 14. She is an experienced dog handler of both bully and small breeds. She is available for dog walking and pet sitting services. Finnoulay is also completing her American Red Cross Babysitters course and available for baby/Kid sitting! She can be reached at 773.426.1123 or Cynthia.Kaump@gmail.com

Pet Sitting, Babysitting

Fun, responsible, 14-year-old, West High freshman in Sunset Village available for babysitting and pet sitting. American Red Cross certified in Babysitting and Child Care. Experienced camp counselor. Loves kids! References available. Text or call Charlie at 608-209-3765.

Leaf Raking and Snow Shoveling

Owen and Jasper are ready to tackle your leaf raking and snow shoveling needs. Call them today at 608-238-2859.

Book Club

Meet your neighbors, enjoy great conversation, and discuss a wide range of books. Contact Linda Fahy, lbfahy_27@hotmail.com

Your neighborhood info:

Co-Presidents: Ulrike Dieterle 233-9151 & Jonathan Becker
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& Clark Kellogg 770-2156, clarkkellogg65@yahoo.com

Neighborhood Website: www.sunsetvillagecommunity.org

Online Message Board: https://groups.google.com/g/sunsetvillagecommunityassociation

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608-616-0669, www.cityofmadison.com/council/district5/

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