

Message From The City Council

If Memorial Day is the unofficial start of summer, then summer started beautifully this year. The outdoor Memorial Day program at NYA Legion Park was a wonderful tribute to our fallen heroes. The guest speaker, Major Emily Cano shared her personal connection to Memorial Day, which included a listing of the Carver County veterans who did not return from the Vietnam War. Thank you to the VFW Post 1783 and the American Legion Edward Born Post 343 for a beautiful and well attended program!

Now that summer is finally here, it is a wonderful opportunity to enjoy the sights and sounds of children and adults enjoying our amazing community. Have you driven by the West Carver Community Pool — the only outdoor pool in Carver County — and heard the children and adults laughing, squealing, and splashing? The pool is now open and lessons have started!

Have you driven by or stopped at the many fun playgrounds around our community? If you have young children, consider visiting all the different playgrounds around town ... Friendship Park, Legion Park, Prairie Dawn Park, Lions Park at the NYA Sports Complex and Willkommen Memorial Park. Add some extra exercise by biking to the parks using the many beautiful trails around our community. Take time to enjoy the outdoors while the sun is shining!

For the adults in town, you can also enjoy the beautiful sidewalks and trails around our community. Whether you walk, jog or bike, the approximately 13 miles of trails are designed to give you a safe way to enjoy the community. While you are out and about, don't forget to stop and enjoy the murals on the north and south side of town and the high school murals within the underpass. Thank you to District 108 Community Ed for organizing the Music in the Park series at NYA Legion Park on Thursday nights this summer. There are so many wonderful sights to see and sounds to hear when you take the time to stop and enjoy!

Living in a small community is truly a blessing — particularly when you live in a community that values aesthetics. There are so many amazing gardeners in our community! As you move through town, take a minute to appreciate the hard work and green thumbs of our residents. From the amazing garden plots in our Community Garden to the flowers in our parks to the front porches of our many beautiful homes, there is much to see and appreciate!

There is clearly something for everyone in our community who wants to enjoy some time outdoors. Being outside can generate a multitude of positive emotions, such as calmness, joy, creativity and reduce anxiety and depression. Hopefully, you will take some time this summer to enjoy the opportunities available — **Norwood Young America is more than a place, it's our home and we have a lot to offer!**

Did you know....

Imagine it is 1871, you have just settled in the area. You need a place to safeguard your money. You stuff it in a straw mattress because there is no bank. Ten years later in 1881 the founder of Norwood, James Slocum organized the first bank in town. The building this bank did business in still stands south of the railroad tracks on Union Street. It is a large white building with apartments, closest to the tracks. It was known as The Norwood Bank or Slocum's Bank. The Norwood bank closed during the depression in 1934.

The State Bank of Young America was founded in 1900. The original brick building can be seen at 205 East Main in Young America. The bank started with \$10,000 of capital. It did not close during the Depression because it was in great financial shape. A new bank was built in 1964 at 102 East Main Street. This is now the home of the Willkommen Heritage Center and Food Shelf. In 1993 Young America State Bank built a new bank at 800 Faxon Road. It became Klein Bank in 1997, then in 2018 became Old National Bank.

Citizens State Bank was organized by Peter Effertz in 1914. It was located at 214 Elm Street East. In 1963 the bank was remodeled with a glass and brick front. Today it houses SLS Tax and Accounting Services. The most recent Citizens State Bank of Norwood of Norwood Young America opened in 1984. It is located at 409 Faxon Road. The "C" logo signified citizens growing, living and changing.

Submitted by the Willkommen Heritage & Preservation Society



The annual Springfest Artisan Fair was held on Saturday, June 3rd from 9am-3pm on Historic Downtown Norwood. The event featured creative vendors, car show, live music, quilt show, photography contest, kid events and more! Springfest was organized and sponsored by the NYA Area Chamber of Commerce and local businesses.
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West Carver Community Pool Open Swim
Mon-Thurs 1:00pm-4:30pm, 6:15pm-8:30pm
Fri-Sun 1:00pm-7:00pm
Fridays are subject to change for lesson make-up days.
to 1:00pm-4:30pm, 6:15pm-8:30pm

NYA City Happenings & Info



Arbor Day Tree Planting Success

On Thursday, June 1st, over thirty residents of Norwood Young America, including City Council members, Park & Rec Commissioners, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and City public service workers helped to plant new trees around the basketball court at Prairie Dawn. Kids enjoyed playing at the park, yard games, and coloring sheets. Participants all took home a free sapling.

Watering Ban in Effect

During summer months water usage can be over 4 times that of winter usage. The City of Norwood Young America follows the water conservation program by enforcing water restrictions year-round. Follow the odd / even rule by address to calendar day. If your address ends in an odd number (ex. 1475) you can water on the odd numbered calendar days, 1st, 3rd, 5th, etc. If your house number ends in an even number (ex. 1474) you can water on the even calendar days, 2nd, 4th, 6th, etc.

There is to be no watering by any address between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. This time frame will allow the water towers to refill and it is also the hottest time frame when a majority of the water evaporates. Visit the City's website to reference City Code, Chapter 9, Section 920.15. <https://www.cityofnYA.com/document-center/#citycode>

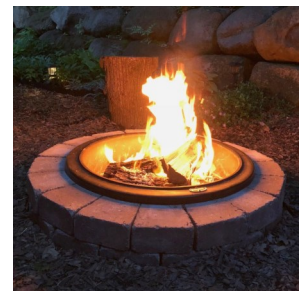


What Can I Burn? When Can I Burn?

What is considered a Recreational Fire? "Recreational Fire" shall mean a fire set with approved starter fuel, that is no larger than three feet in diameter by two feet in height, using dry, clean wood; producing little detectable smoke, odor or soot beyond the property line; for recreational, ceremonial, food preparation or social purposes; extinguished completely before quitting the occasion; and respecting weather conditions, neighbors, burning bans, and air quality so that nuisance, health or safety hazards shall not be created. No open burning is allowed except recreational fires within City limits. Mobile cooking devices such as manufactured hibachis, charcoal grills, wood smokers and propane or natural gas devices shall not be defined as recreational fires.

How can I start a fire? "Starter Fuels" can be used to start a fire: dry, untreated, unpainted kindling, branches, or cardboard, or charcoal fire starter. Paraffin candles and alcohols shall be permitted as starter fuels and as aids to ignition only.

What can I burn? NOT GARBAGE OR LEAVES! You CAN burn wood: clean fuel only such as twigs, branches, limbs, "presto logs," charcoal, cordwood or untreated dimensional lumber. "Wood" shall not include wood that is green, with leaves or needles, rotten, wet, oil soaked, or treated with paint, glue or preservatives, nor, leaves and needles.



Minimum Requirements for Recreational Fires:

- Recreational fires must be at least 25 feet from all buildings, structures, and combustible materials. Combustible materials are things such as wood, paper, and plastics.
- Conditions which could cause a fire to spread within 25 feet of a structure shall be eliminated prior to ignition.
- Recreational fires must be constantly attended until the fire burns out completely or is extinguished.
- A minimum of one portable fire extinguisher complying with Minnesota State Fire Code or other approved on-site fire extinguishing equipment, such as dirt, sand, or garden hose shall be readily available at all times until the fire is extinguished.
- Recreational fires must be immediately extinguished if they pose a fire safety risk, if they are not in compliance with the above, or when directed to do so by a law enforcement officer, firefighter, fire warden, or DNR officer.

When can I burn? No recreational fire or open burn shall be permitted when the city, county, DNR, or local designated authority has officially declared a burning ban due to potential hazardous fire conditions or when the MPCA has declared an Air Quality Alert. Information regarding burning bans shall be obtained from the local fire department, DNR, or the MPCA before starting a permitted fire. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine and/or imprisonment.

2023 Carver County Resources

When you have a problem, it is nice to know there is someone to help you. The resources listed are for Carver County residents who may be experiencing problems with stress, depression, anxiety, family, or marital conflicts, physical or sexual abuse, alcohol, or other drug problems. The following information is provided to you by Carver County www.co.carver.mn.us

Emergency Crisis Lifeline

Carver County Sheriff's Office:

- Non-Emergency
- Administration

Chaska Police Dept

**911
988**

952-361-1231
952-361-1212
952-448-4200

**Emergency 911
Crisis Lifeline 988**

Mental Health

First Street Mental Health Center, Waconia
Carver County 24-Hour Mental Health Crisis Program
Crisis Lifeline
Mental Health MN
MN Crisis
Peer Support

952-442-4437
952-442-7601
988
1-800-862-1799
Text "MN" to 741741
844-739-6369

Emergency Care

Ridgeview Medical Center, Waconia
St. Francis Regional Medical Center, Shakopee
Two Twelve Medical Center, Chaska

952-442-2191
952-428-3000
952-361-2447



Public Health
Prevent. Promote. Protect.

Physical, Sexual Abuse and Neglect

Minnesota Adult Abuse Reporting Center (MAARC)
Carver County Sheriff's Office
Carver County Child Protection:

- Reporting
- After Hours

Chaska Police
Cornerstone (24/7) - Bloomington Office
Domestic Violence - MN Day One Crisis Line
Lewis House
Link/Safe Harbor (under age 24)
Sex. Assault Hotline
Sexual Violence Center in:

- Carver County
- Southern Valley

1-844-880-1574
952-361-1231

952-361-1600
952-442-7601
952-448-4200
952-884-0376
1-866-223-1111
952-985-5300
612-232-5428
1-800-656-4673

952-448-5425
952-873-4214



Alcohol and Drugs Assessment and Treatment

Carver County Health and Human Services
Northstar Regional
The Haven, Waconia

952-361-1600
1-833-677-4673
952-442-6227

Self-Help Groups *(Call for a meeting nearest you)*

Alcoholics Anonymous
Adult Children of Alcoholics (ACA)
AI-Anon/Alateen
MN Problem Gambling Helpline
Narcotics Anonymous

952-922-0880
763-574-0903
952-920-3961
1-800-333-4673
1-877-767-7676



Deaf/Hard of Hearing MN Relay Service

1-800-627-3529 TTY or HCO (Voice)
1-877-627-3848 STS (Speech-to-Speech)



Senior Community Services

Senior LinkAge Line
Senior Community Services (seniorcommunity.org)

1-800-333-2433
612-770-7005

Other Resources

CAP Agency
CAP Crisis-Nursery
His House
Launch Ministry
Legal Aid:

- Minneapolis
- Shakopee

Love INC
MyHealth Teens & YA
Parents Helping
Runaway Hotline
Salvation Army
Social Security Office
TreeHouse ·Chaska
United Way 2-1-1
VINE/Victim Info
WIC (Women, Infants & Children)
A Better Society

952-496-2125
612-839-5101
612-325-4693
952-235-7141

612-334-5970
952-402-9890
952-448-3261
952-474-3251
612-354-9794
1-800-786-2929
952-767-3901
1-800-772-1213
952-368-2813
651-291-0211
1-877-664-8463
952-567-8229

www.abettersociety.org/get-help

Housing

Housing Helpline
Bridge for Youth
Carver CDA
Families Moving Forward
Hope House
Metro Shelter

952-442-4496
612-377-8800
952-448-7715
952-767-0708
612-900-2077
1-888-234-1329

Transportation

Smartlink Transit
Waters Edge (medical)
WeCAB

952-496-8341
952-442-7022
1-844-743-3932

Food Shelves

Chanhassen
Chaska
Norwood Young America

- Open Tues 12:30-5:30pm, deliveries available

Shakopee
Waconia
Watertown
Victoria:

952-937-9120
952-556-0244
952-467-1870

952-496-2125
952-442-3878
952-955-1980

www.humanityalliance.org

Carver County

CareerForce
Court Administration
Health & Human Services
Home & Community Based Care intake
Law Library
Public Health
Veteran Services

www.co.carver.mn.us

952-361-1711
952-361-1420
952-361-1600
952-361-1999
952-361-1564
952-361-1559
952-442-2323





Blood Drive

Sponsored by
Central High School Student Council
Willkommen Memorial Pavilion
21 E. Main Street, NYA

Thursday, June 22, 2023
1-6pm

Call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit
RedCrossBlood.org and enter:
Central HS NYA to schedule an appointment.

NYA Lions Club Pork Burger Drive Thru At Willkommen Park Thursday June 22nd Serving 4-7pm

Meal \$10
Pork Burger, Fancy beans, chips, pickle,
cookie and water
Extra burger \$4
All proceeds go to the community



2023 National Night Out

Norwood Young America
Tuesday, August 1, 2023
from 6:00pm-7:30pm
NYA Legion Park, 320 Reform
Street

****Free Food & Fun!!****

- Build a healthier and safe community
- Get to know your neighbors
- Strengthen community/police relations
- Fire Trucks, Police, Music, Games, Princesses!

Sponsored by the
NYA West
Carver Lions



We Serve

NYA LIONS CORN FEED Thursday, July 20, 2023 Time: 5:00-7:30 Legion Park-NYA FREE CORN

Join the NYA Lions on Thursday, July 20th
for their popular, annual
free sweet corn feed!
Hamburgers/Porkburgers-
\$4.00.
Water & Pop- 1.00
Music by the Jolly Ramblers



Neighbors Helping Neighbors

Let's start something new in Norwood Young America! Gather a group of people from your work, church or social group and bring together teams of volunteers to help individuals across the City of Norwood Young America. We all know someone that needs help with small service projects. **Make sure you get their permission first!** Some non-professional service projects include small painting projects, raking leaves, washing windows, cleaning gutters, or other yard work to help our neighbors clean up their property. It is incredible the difference one day can make when we work together.



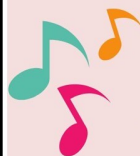
**Free Pop-Up
Produce Market
This Summer**

**WILLKOMMEN MEMORIAL PARK
PAVILION**
21 MAIN ST. E.,
NORWOOD YOUNG AMERICA
THURSDAYS
3:30-5 PM

**MAY 18 -
AUGUST 17**



Sponsored by Carver
County Public Health
and Southwest Carver
County Food Shelf



MUSIC IN THE PARK

LEGION POOL PARK IN NORWOOD YOUNG AMERICA
Presented by Central Public Schools Community Education

JUNE 22 ~ CZECH AREA CONCERTINA
SPONSORED BY CHURCH OF PEACE

JUNE 29 ~ CASTAWAYS
SPONSORED BY PEACE VILLA & NYA SENIOR ADVISORY COMMISSION

JULY 13 ~ EVERETT SMITHSON
SPONSORED TBD

JULY 20 ~ JOLLY RAMBLERS
SPONSORED BY THE NORWOOD YOUNG AMERICA LIONS - CORN FEED

JULY 27 ~ SWINGING COUNTRY
SPONSORED BY SCHMIDT CHIROPRACTIC CENTER

AUGUST 3 ~ UP SOUTH
SPONSORED BY BEYOND THE YELLOW RIBBON

FREE FOR ALL!
MUSIC BEGINS AT 6:30 PM



**CENTRAL
PUBLIC SCHOOLS
COMMUNITY ED.**



more than a place, it's home.

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952/467-1800

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The NYA Economic Development Commission is looking to fill two commissioner seats.

This Commission advises the City Council on issues concerning commercial and industrial development within the City. The Economic Development Commission is a nine-member commission composed of two City Council members, one Planning Commission member, and five members from the local community representing local businesses and industries. The Commission also assists the City in the preparation of marketing plans, programs, and strategies.

For more information, contact City Hall at 952-467-1800.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN NYA

June

Thurs, June 22: Music in the Park @ NYA Legion Park 6:30pm

Mon, June 26: City Council/Work Session @ City Hall 5pm

Thurs, June 29: Music in the Park @ NYA Legion Park 6:30pm

July

Tues, July 4: NYA City Hall Closed

Wed, July 5: Planning Commission @ City Hall 6pm

Mon, July 10: City Council @ City Hall 6pm

Wed, July 12: NYA Food Distribution @ City Hall 12:30-1:30pm

Wed, July 12: Economic Development Commission @ City Hall 6pm

Thurs, July 13: Music in the Park 6:30pm

Tues, July 18: Parks & Rec Commission @ City Hall 4:45pm

Thurs, July 20: Senior Advisory Commission @ City Hall 9am

Thurs, July 20: Music in the Park 6:30pm

Thurs, July 20: NYA Lions Corn Feed @ NYA Legion Park 5pm

Mon, July 24: Work Session/City Council @ City Hall 5pm

****NO July Fare For All at All Saints—next event Aug 3**



162nd Stiftungsfest

Thursday, August 24th-Sunday, August 27th

Willkommen Memorial Park

Watch for updates or visit www.stiftungsfest.org for the full event schedule

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PAID
EDDM Retail

*****ECRWSSDDM****

Postal Customer
NYA, MN 55397 and 55368

NYA Food Distributions through 2023 NYA City Hall Parking Lot 2:00-3:30pm

- Wed, July 12th (*)
 - Wed, August 2nd
 - Wed, September 6th
 - Wed, October 4th
 - Wed, November 1st
 - Wed, December 6th
- (* changed due to holiday)

Drive-thru event while supplies last.

Sponsored by
CAP Agency, Carver Co Public Health, and City of NYA



Friendly Reminders

Golf Cart/ATV Permit

Chapter 7 of the NYA City Code allows for a person to drive a Golf Cart or Class 2 ATV on City streets as long as a City permit is obtained and the operator has a valid driver's license. There is an annual permit fee of \$10.00 for these recreational vehicles. Applications can be filled out right at City Hall or found on the City website at www.cityofnya.com.

Toilet Paper Only Please!!

Flushable wipes are NOT flushable! These wipes do not break down or disintegrate. They can actually cause sewer backup into resident's homes along with clogging pumps with city sewer equipment—which is costly to taxpayers. Please do not flush wipes—throw them away.

Lawn Maintenance

Yard grass must be maintained at no longer than 6" high. Please ensure your grass clippings do not blow onto the street. The clippings cause the storm sewer to clog, which may cause flooding in your home or your neighbor's home.

Sump Pump Regulations

All sump pumps must be day-lighted into your yard or into the storm sewer—NOT into your neighbor's yard or a public sidewalk. Sump pumps should also not be connected into the sanitary sewer. Doing so results in the treatment of unnecessary amounts of water, putting additional strain on the treatment system and raising prices for everyone.

Love them. Leash them. License them.

Dogs continue to be a welcome site on the trails and in the parks throughout our community. However, city code bans dogs from athletic fields and playgrounds (defined as the space covered by wood chips in our parks). This allows our ballfields and playgrounds a cleaner space for people to enjoy. A few more pet-owner reminders:

- ⇒ You must have your pet licensed annually with the city—\$5/year per pet. Bring in a copy of up to date vaccine papers.
- ⇒ Always have your pet on a leash or restraint when walking.
- ⇒ Please be a responsible dog owner and clean up after them!

Any complaints about barking dogs, animals running at large, and other pet nuisances, please review City Code Chapter 5. Animals. Do not call City Hall with a pet nuisance. Call the Carver County non-emergency line at 952-361-1231. The City of NYA contracts with the Carver County Sheriff Department to send out CSO (Community Service Officers) to remedy nuisance situations.

