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**Save The Dates**

- Fall Family Festival of Fun**  
Jackson Community Center  
October 18th - see pg. 4
- Trick or Treat in the Village**  
October 27th 5:30-7:30PM
- Christmas Tree Lighting**  
Jackson Municipal Complex  
December 6th 5:30-7PM

**Property Taxes**

Property tax bills will be mailed by December 15th. Residents may pay the first installment or full amount at the Jackson Municipal Complex Administration Offices no later than January 31st, 2025.

**Are you ready to vote in November?**

All voting for the November 5, 2024 General Election will be held at the Jackson Municipal Complex. You may check your registration, register to vote, or request an absentee ballot at [myvote.wi.gov](http://myvote.wi.gov). In-Person Absentee Voting will be facilitated during the following dates and times:



Oct. 22 8AM – 4:30PM  
 Oct. 23 8AM – 4:30PM  
 Oct. 24 8AM – 6:30PM  
 Oct. 25 8AM – 4:30PM  
 Oct. 26 8AM – 12PM

Oct. 28 8AM – 6:30PM  
 Oct. 29 8AM – 4:30PM  
 Oct. 30 8AM – 6:30PM  
 Oct. 31 8AM – 4:30PM  
 Nov. 1 8AM – 5PM

**SYSCO Expansion**

On September 21st, Sysco held a ribbon cutting ceremony to celebrate the recent expansion of the facility in Jackson. The expansion was \$90 million dollars and added 300,000 sq. ft. to the facility. Sysco's facility has now doubled its size from 2022 to 2024. When Sysco came to Jackson, the facility had 16 truck docks to send and receive product. After several additions in the last 30+ years they now host over 70 docks. Congratulations, Sysco!



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# The Jackson Quarterly

### **Water Main Flushing October 14th—18th**

The Jackson Water Utility has scheduled flushing the entire water system the week of October 14th through October 18th, between the hours of 7AM and 3:30PM. Flushing is performed to improve the overall quality of your water service. You may experience a brief interruption in service. If your service is off for more than thirty minutes, please call the Jackson Water Utility office at 262-677-0707.

### **K9 Update**

Thanks to astounding community support, K-9 Delta has been paired with Officer Trevarthen. They have already had a positive impact on our community. We are accepting donations to help with the ongoing costs of maintaining the program, and we have plushies available for purchase. Be sure to watch for K-9 Delta at community events!



### **JPD Drug Take Back October 26th**

The Jackson Police Department Drug Take Back will be on October 26th from 9AM to 12PM along the west side Police Garage doors at the Municipal Complex located at N168 W19851 Main Street. Officers will collect acceptable drug items with no questions asked. For more information regarding acceptable and unacceptable items for disposal, visit the JPD Facebook Page or call 262-677-4949.

### **Fall Brush and Bag Pick-up**

Fall season curbside brush chipping and bag pick-up occurs weekly October 7th through November 20th. Place raked leaves in a biodegradable paper bag at the curb for pickup. Raking leaves into street gutters is not allowed and subject to a municipal citation. Village Yard Waste Site Access Cards are available M-F 7:30AM-4PM at the Public Works building located at W194N16660 Eagle Drive.



### **Winter Parking Rules**

Beginning December 1st, on-street parking will be strictly prohibited between 2AM and 6AM, in order to facilitate rapid and economical snow removal. The seasonal parking ban ends April 1st. If you have any questions about parking, please call the Jackson Police Department non-emergency line at: 262-677-4949.



### **Pet Licensing Info**

Pet Licenses expire December 31st. Tags for 2025 for cats and dogs may be purchased when paying taxes. Remember to bring updated rabies information and payment to the Administration Office in the Municipal Complex. Cats unaltered/ altered are \$10/\$7 and dogs unaltered/ altered are \$15/\$10. Questions may be directed to 262-677-9001.

### **Keep Sidewalks Clear of Snow and Ice**

Property owners are reminded to keep all public sidewalks completely clear of snow and ice, along the full width and length of the sidewalk. Sidewalks must be cleared within 24 hours after snow or ice ceases to fall. Failure to maintain sidewalks in a clear and safe manner may result in the issuance of a municipal citation.



### **Auto-Pay & Email Utility Billing**

Did you know Jackson Utilities offers the option for bills to be emailed to you and to have your bill paid automatically by ACH? Forms for these options can be found online at [www.villageofjacksonwi.gov](http://www.villageofjacksonwi.gov). If you have questions, please call 262-677-0707.

### **HOLIDAY DECORATING SAFETY REMINDERS**

Indoor holiday trees should be at least 3 feet away from any heat source and should not block any exits. Keep the tree fresh by watering daily. Make sure the lights you use are not damaged and are rated for indoor use. Choose decorations that are flame resistant or flame retardant. Keep candles away from decorations and any combustible items. Do not over-connect light strands beyond the manufacturer's recommendations, and use clips, not nails, to hang lights to avoid damage to the cords.





## From the Desk of the Village President . . .

Greetings,

Smooth Sailing —That’s what goes through my mind when I drive down the newly resurfaced Highway 60. From all the new turn lanes, turn arrows, crosswalks, and the much needed roundabout at Eagle Dr, I’m excited with how the project turned out. I know the construction project was burdensome to our local businesses and our residents, but in the end, I hope we can all agree the new road is a huge improvement to what it was before. Over the last 2 years we’ve been through sewer and water utility repairs and upgrades, new streetlights and traffic controls, a new smooth railroad crossing, and of course, the brand new pavement from one end of the Village to the other. Enjoy the new road and use it to support our local businesses now just as we did while the road was under construction.

With the yard signs popping up, the never-ending ads on TV, radio, social media, text messages—do I really need to go on? It’s hard not to know there is an election coming up on November 5<sup>th</sup>! Voter turnout for the November 5<sup>th</sup> General Election is projected to be extremely high and there may be historic levels of voters coming to the polls to cast their vote. While there may be voting lines to wait in, do not let them deter you from coming out to vote. I’m excited that the Village of Jackson offers many hours of in-person absentee voting prior to November 5<sup>th</sup>. Expanded hours will be offered for three days until 6:30PM and a Saturday from 8AM until 12PM. Please look for more information on the cover of this newsletter. I also encourage all residents to monitor other Village platforms that keep the community informed such as our Village website, Facebook page, and the electronic sign in front of the Municipal Complex. I would like to thank our Village Clerk Jackie Schuh, Deputy Clerk Pam Wolf, and our staff of election workers in advance for the hard work it will take to make this highly anticipated election a success. Along with extended in-person absentee voting hours comes some additional costs to cover the wages of the election workers. I would like to thank Washington County Clerk Ashley Reichert for being proactive and introducing a County program which reimburses communities for additional election administration costs. Every vote counts, and we are trying to make it as easy as we can for Jackson voters to be heard. Please visit [www.villageofjacksonwi.gov](http://www.villageofjacksonwi.gov) or [www.myvote.wi.gov](http://www.myvote.wi.gov) for helpful election information.

In closing, it’s hard to believe this is my last community update for 2024. I would like to encourage all of you to stay up to date by following our Facebook page and monitoring the electronic sign in front of the Municipal Complex for exciting upcoming events through the end of the year including our Annual Christmas Tree Lighting event. Wishing you all a safe and happy holiday season.

Moving Jackson Forward,

Brian J. Heckendorf  
Village President

### Questions or Comments?

Email Administrator Jen Heidtke at [jen.heidtke@villageofjacksonwi.gov](mailto:jen.heidtke@villageofjacksonwi.gov) if you’d like to submit a question or comment related to the Quarterly. An expanded version of the Jackson Quarterly may also be found on the Village website at [www.villageofjacksonwi.gov](http://www.villageofjacksonwi.gov) under “Community.”

### Communicate With Your Elected Officials

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# JACKSON



## Parks & Recreation Fall 2024 Jackson Community Center



REGISTER FOR THE GLO RUN BY SEPT. 27 TO ENSURE T-SHIRTS AND MEDALS & A PRICE DISCOUNT!

### JACKSON FALL FESTIVAL OF FUN

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2024

One Night, Three Events.....

GLO RUN/WALK GHOUL GALA BEER GARDEN

**5K Family Run/Walk**  
**GLO RUN**  
The more you run, the more you glow!

FRIDAY OCTOBER 18, 2024  
WITH THE BEER GARDEN AT JCC!

Registration: JCC \$25, 12 years and older - until 9/27  
\$15 Under 12 (2:00-5:00 PM) - until 9/27  
\$60 Family Package (7:00-9:00 PM) - until 9/27

Includes: T-SHIRT, MEDAL & GLO STATIONS FREE AFTER GLO DANCE PARTY  
BEER GARDEN FUN  
GAMES, CONFESSIONS, BEER, HARD SELLERS & MORE AVAILABLE WITH REGISTRATION!

ONLINE REGISTRATION AT [jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com](http://jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com)  
or at the Jackson Community Center (262) 677-9665

Proceeds Benefit: JPR & The Friends of Jackson Parks & Recreation.

Register NOW, registration prices increase on Friday, September 27 to: Adults \$35, Child \$25 and Family \$60. Registrations received after September 27 may not receive a t-shirt or medal. **PLEASE register early!**  
For more information please call (262) 677-9665.



FRIDAY ONLY  
OCTOBER 18  
4pm to 9pm  
at the JCC

In conjunction with the GLO RUN/WALK and the GHOUL GALA!!

LIVE MUSIC by **TOTALLY NEON**  
with a black light dance party!!  
Wear white to GLO!!

**GHOUL GALA**  
Annual Family Halloween Party  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2024  
6:30 to 8:30 pm at the JACKSON COMMUNITY CENTER

Why not do the Glo Run/Walk in your costume? After, play games and dance!  
Best Dressed Family Contest winner will win a 2024 PRIVATE SPLASH PARK PARTY! (No costume contest for the kids)  
Maps for Halloween Outdoor Decorating Contest will be distributed for families.  
Game & Food tickets only .25 cent with fun prizes! (Games & concessions range from .25 to \$2.00.)  
Free Admission and Dance Party!  
Great For All Ages!

MasterCard

It's the last big event for 2024!  
So let's DANCE through our JCC construction dust!!

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### THINGS ARE GETTING EXCITING WITH THE JACKSON COMMUNITY CENTER EXPANSION!

The project is really taking shape thanks to the dedication of Zimmerman Architectural Studios, Moore Construction, Village Board, JPR Commission, outstanding staff & patrons, and our amazing Construction Manager Craig Robinson. Both additions will be sealed up soon and interior work will begin. By the next quarterly, we'll have more exciting pictures to share. But if you can't wait until then, please follow us on facebook for the most recent updates.



### JCC FITNESS CENTER MEMBERSHIPS

Affordable for Everyone! We have gift certificates that make great GIFTS all year long!

Yearly Resident Rates:

- \*\$120.00 single
- \*\$180.00 family
- \*\$75.00 seniors and students
- \*\$3.00 daily passes

GET ACTIVE, FEEL GREAT!



\*Monthly group equipment orientations are provided once a month with each membership to ensure you are getting the most out of your membership.  
\*Private/Personal Training sessions are also available by appointment. (Ask Our Monthly Payment Plans)

General Fall/Winter Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8am to 8pm  
Saturday 8am to noon

\*Please call during off hours. We may be open for rentals and then the Fitness Center is open as well!!!

**WELCOME**  
Froedtert Employees, Silver Sneakers, One Pass, Silver & Fit and RenewActive  
If your insurance company offers Silver Sneakers, One Pass, Silver & Fit or RenewActive, your fitness membership may be free! Inquire with your insurance company or at the JCC front desk.

### 2024-2025 FALL & WINTER ACTIVITY GUIDE

Check your online guide for many more opportunities! Printed copies are also available at the JCC and local businesses.

Call or email for your copy

(262) 677-9665 or [parkrec@villageofjacksonwi.gov](mailto:parkrec@villageofjacksonwi.gov)  
[jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com](http://jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com)

UPDATE



VILLAGE OF JACKSON  
**TREAT OR TREAT**  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27  
5:30pm to 7:30pm

### 2024 Village Christmas Tree Lighting Event

FRIDAY, DEC. 6<sup>th</sup>

5:30-7:00pm at Municipal Complex



**2024 PERSONALIZED ORNAMENTS**  
Order your personalized 2024 Village Tree Ornament to be displayed on the Village Tree. Just scan the QR Code on the right to order.



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