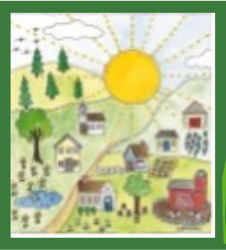


April 2026



Brownsville Village News

Brownsville Fire Co.



Thank you to everyone who attended or ordered from the Soup Sampler! The event sold out of all 24 soups, totaling 120 gallons in just over 2 hours. With your support, the BFC was able to raise over \$7,000! See you there next year!



The BFC continues to raise funds through their capital campaign having collected over \$3,300,000 so far! Please speak to Chief Kelly Thomas (contact info below) if you'd like to donate and help them reach their goal.

A reminder that the Fire Company is always looking for new volunteers! Serving your community as a volunteer is one of the most rewarding experiences you will ever have. If interested please talk with Chief Kelly Thomas 715-204-0488, BrownsvilleFireCo@gmail.com



Save the date for BFC's Annual Fire In The Hole Golf Outing

Sunday, May 17th at Mayville Golf Course

Please watch for postings for sign up, volunteering, sponsorships and more!



Village Wide Rummage Sales

The Village wide rummage sale are weekends of May 2nd and October 10th!



Bulky Pick-up

Bulky pick-up for Village residents is scheduled for Wednesday, May 6th and October 14th. Please place all items, big or small, at the curb by 6 a.m. Items that will NOT be collected: All electronics, appliances, tires, yard waste, concrete and large quantities of building materials in excess of 1/2 cub. yard, hazardous waste items such as paint thinners, paint (paints may go in the garbage if they are hardened), gasoline, vehicle batteries, and motor oils. Please see post listed or on the Village website for further details.

Open Book & Board of Review

Open Book will take place Wednesday, April 8th at 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Call our Assessor Jodi Paulson at 920-517-1593 or email jodi.paulson@catalisgov.com before the end of Open Book Commercial properties by phone or email only. Contact Dwight Frame at dwightframe@catalisgov.com or 262-253-1142

The Village's assessment roll – which lists all the property values – is open for examination. During Open Book a property owner may informally discuss their property value with our local assessor Grota Appraisals. Grota Appraisals—262-253-1142, may also be called if you wish to discuss your properties value. 2026 assessment values may be viewed on website: www.assessordata.org

If a property owner is not satisfied with the assessment (best to talk to the assessor first), they can bring their concerns to the Board of Review Thursday, May 14th from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Brownsville Community Center, 871 Main St. The Board hears assessment appeals from property owners. This formal appeal includes the requirement of the property owner to file an objection form 48 hrs. prior to the meeting, for complete details on board of review appeal, contact the clerk's office by phone 920-583-4087 or email: clerk@brownsvillevi.gov. Grota Appraisals may be contacted with questions on your assessment at 262-253-1142

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From the Marshal's Desk . . .

Now that spring has arrived, I would like to remind you that the arrival of warmer weather brings new potential safety concerns with it.

- * It is time to make sure to watch for children playing near the streets and on the sidewalks. Pedestrians, when walking on streets, need to walk facing traffic. State law requires all motorists to yield to pedestrians crossing in a crosswalk. Also watch for bicyclists.
- * Persons walking dogs are reminded to clean up after your dog. Dispose of dog feces in proper container.
- * Many of you are cleaning up plant debris from the winter. Burning of yard and plant debris is prohibited in the Village. Yard debris may be taken to the Village composting site at Dale R. Michels Park.
- * Just a reminder; the speed limit for operation of ATV/UTV's on Village streets is 15 mph. Headlights and tail lamps must be operating when driving on Village streets.
- * Is your driver license coming up for renewal? You can renew your driver license up to 1 year prior to expiration via the WisDOT DMV website <https://wisconsindot.gov/> . Many persons can self-certify no change to their vision and avoid needing an eye test to renew their driver license.

If you need additional information or assistance from the Police Department, email marshal@brownsvillewi.gov
- *Marshal Kurt Stuckart*

Well #2 Replacement

Very soon, Monday April 13th, we will be replacing the pump in our main well, which will switch our water source to our emergency well. As a result, you may notice a change in your water's hardness. Our current water has a hardness of about 13 grains per gallon, and the new source will have a hardness of approximately 24 grains per gallon. This is still safe drinking water that meets state and federal standards. The main difference you'll see is that soap may not lather as easily, and you might notice more scale buildup on fixtures and appliances. If you use a water softener, you may want to manually regenerate or increase salt usage. We appreciate your understanding during this regular scheduled maintenance and will keep you updated as the project progresses.

The timeframe for the change is from Monday April 13th to Monday April 27th. Following successful replacement and safe water samples, the water utility will conduct spring fire hydrant flushing the last week of April. Flushing will remove all water from the less than ideal source and replace it with normal water from Well #2.

Again, thank you for your understanding and patience.

For more information, including Lab Reports of the emergency source water, please visit our website and clicking water & sewer utilities under the Services tab.



April Showers bring reading hours at the Brownsville Public Library



Join us monthly for recipe club, Adult/young adult book discussion and book club.

Pick up the spice of the month. A new spice, with recipe suggestions, is available the 1st Monday of the month. (Quantities are limited.)

April 6-12 is "Money Smart Week". Stop in to receive a free money smart children's book. (One per family, while supplies last.)



Have you had a chance to stop in and play in our new kitchen area?



Watch for information on our summer reading program.

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