# October, 2023 City of Two Rivers Newsletter





### DOING OUR BEST TO STAY IN TOUCH

In addition to this monthly utility insert, distributed since August 2018, the City is working to share information with the community through numerous channels, including:

- The City website, www.two-rivers.org
- Facebook pages for City Hall, Parks & Rec, Senior Center, Police, Fire, Library and Two
   Rivers Water & Light
- Our comprehensive, go-to site for events and activities: www.exploretworivers.com
- Instagram: two\_riverswi
- Live-streaming of City Council meetings on Two Rivers, WI, City Hall Facebook page and the City website **two-rivers.org/meetings**



Fall 2023 Classes: Register today! Call (920)793-8888. All supplies provided.

### **Pet Ghosts**

# Friday, Oct 27 • 10:30 AM-noon • 8+

There are ghosts in the air! Do you have what it takes to catch one? Build a habitat for a friendly glow-in-the-dark ghost. Children 12 and younger need a grownup.

### **Autumnal Tins**

# Thursday, Nov 16 • 6:00-7:30 PM • 18+

Use a tin can, chalk paint and ribbon to make a pretty container for a fall floral arrangement. Class conducted by expert handicrafter Carolee Crabb.

### **Giant Snowflakes**

# Friday, Dec 8 • 1:30 PM • 18+

Use zip ties to magically morph plain plastic hangers into stunning outdoor décor to last the season.

### NEW PLAYGROUND AT NESHOTAH PARK

Construction is underway and will be completed in early October on a major new playground at Neshotah Park. There will be a dedication event on Sunday, October 15, from 10:00 AM to noon. The playground occupies the infield area of the park's ball diamond, which has been taken out of service. It will be surrounded by sidewalk, with benches and trees positioned around the perimeter. The first local playground to feature poured-in-place resilient surfacing (no more wood chips), it will also be handicapped accessible.

This \$400,000 project is the first major project implementing the Master Plan for Neshotah Park, which was developed by the City's Advisory Recreation Board and Parks/Rec Director Mike Mathis and staff, aided by significant public input, and adopted by the City Council in May 2023.

Future improvements addressed in the plan include: walkways for improved access into and through the park; pollinator gardens in some areas that are now mowed turf; new trees; installing some form of beach hazard advisory system, upgrading park restroom and concession facilities; evaluating a possible shuttle system to transport people between the beach and outlying parking areas, downtown and local hotels during peak use times.

To view the Neshotah Park Master Plan, go to two-rivers.org/parksrec and click on "documents."





