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SPRING NEWSLETTER 2023

HAPPY BIRTHDAY HELEN

Happy Birthday to our own village centenarian. Helen (Duester) Wransky turned 100 years old on April 10, 2023!!

2023 PROJECTS

Last fall the waterwheel at **Waterwheel Park** failed and caused the stream to disappear. Immediate remediation was necessary and the stream was rerouted. The Village of Suttons Bay has hired GEI, an environmental engineering firm who has extension experience, to assist in the creek restoration and creation of a cascading creek at Water Wheel park. In addition, 270 feet along the 300 block of **South Shore Drive** is scheduled for pulverizing and replacement of asphalt to assist with drainage improvements. No set dates have been scheduled for work to be done but keep an eye on our website for updates.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 15 Boat Launch Closed for Training Exercise
- April 18-28 Spring Leaf and Brush Pickup-Brush not to exceed 6 feet in length
- April 24 -28 Hydrant Flushing/Chlorination
- May 1 Bio Bag Pick-up First Monday of each Month
- May 13 Farmers Market each Saturday thru Oct. 21
- May 15 Marina Opens
- May 20 Township annual drop off
- June 24 Inland Seas Celebration
- July 8 Harry Goldson Memorial Jazz Fest-Marina Park
- July 21 Tour De Tart
- Aug 5-6 Suttons Bay Art Festival
- Sept 11 Fall Curbside Pick-up
- Sept 29 Suttons Bay Homecoming Parade
- Oct 2-6 Hydrant Flushing/Chlorination
- TBD Fall leaf pickup will be scheduled to align with weather and leaf drop conditions.
- October 15 Marina Closes
- Dec 1-March 30 Snow Removal-No parking on Village Streets

VILLAGE MEETINGS

- The Village Council meets the third Monday of each Month at 5:30 pm.
- The Village Planning Commission meets the second Wednesday of each month at 5:00 p.m.
- The Zoning Board of Appeals meets on the third Wednesday of the month only on an *as needed basis* when an application for a Zoning Amendment, variance or an interpretation is requested.
- The DDA meets four times per year on the second Wednesday of the month at 9:00 a.m.
- Council Committee meetings are held the first week of each month. Check our website for dates and times.
- For Agenda or packet information visit our website at www.suttonsbayvillage.org.

DID YOU KNOW?

- That you need a permit to erect buildings, fences, decks, sheds, driveways etc., on your property?
- That we have reached a cap on short term rentals and only those that have been permitted are allowed?
- That our boat launch located at North Park requires a launch fee and annual passes are available?
- That the Marina allows for transient slip reservations?
- That Bahle Warming Hut is available for lease for your special occasion?

VILLAGE OFFICE INFORMATION

Village Office	271-3051
Water/Sewer Billing	271-3051
Zoning Administrator	271-3051
Marina	271-6703
Water/Sewer Maintenance	271-1032
DPW/Parks/Streets	271-1032
Water Sewer Emergency	866-0151
Sheriff Department	256-8800

GET INVOLVED!

The Village has been working on its Master Plan. A Master Plan is **a document and policy guide designed to help communities create a vision of what they want to look like in the future**. Master Plans help guide communities in their decisions on land use development and preservation. The Final draft is available on-line for review on the Village's website. A public hearing will be scheduled in the coming months. Keep an eye on our website for details.

Are you interested in serving on Village Boards and Commissions? Do you have a green thumb and would like to volunteer in the rain gardens? The Village is seeking individuals wanting to serve our community. Please send a letter of interest to the Village of Suttons Bay, PO Box 395 or email to suttonsbay@suttonsbayvillage.org describing your background and reason for getting involved. For those desiring to serve on boards or commissions, the Village offers educational opportunities to those wanting to learn the laws and procedures.

In an effort to foster communication with all of our residents and property owners, we would like to offer you the opportunity to sign up for E-Updates. Please send an email to sbvresident@gmail.com and we will be happy to add you to our growing list of those residents wishing to be informed of what is happening in the Village. By signing up, you will receive our newsletters and important updates as they occur in real time. Also, please check our website for information. We try to keep it updated so you can keep updated!

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