November 2023

homecoming court



2023 Homecoming Court Freshmen Representatives

Jazzmine Walters and Nolan Reed -Mullikin
Sophomore Representatives
Natalie Wright and Clint Mitchell
Junior Representatives
Elizabeth Wright and Brett Wagner
Senior Representatives
Ally Wall and Ben Bird
King and Queen
Cameron Hurda and Alex Manning

SWS Football

Blue-Golds v Chieftains The Blue-golds won \(\frac{Y}{2} \)

PBIS ASSEMBLY

We held our October PBIS assembly for elementary. We recognized our September Students of the Month and our classroom winners for the Buzzing Broom, Silent Slipper, and Golden Spoon awards. Lastly, we introduced our Behavior Buddy for the month of October, Independent Owl. We talked about how it is important to try new things, solve problems, and do things on our own if possible, without asking for help first.

Elementary Students of the month

Makena Huber (daughter of Bob and Jen Huber). Makena has shown in Kindergarten during the month of September how to listen to directions the first time they are given. Makena has also shown in the classroom how to follow our classroom rules and expectations. She knows her job at school and does it very well. She is a very good helper and role model to her peers in the classroom.





Everly Stluka (daughter of Derrick Stluka and Samantha Stluka). Everly comes in every day with a positive attitude and is excited to learn. She is a great friend to everyone in our class and follows rules inside and outside of the classroom. She is a great listener and participates in class. She loves learning new things and helping others.



Elijah Bartels (son of Jeff and Kari Bartels). Elijah is off to a great start in second grade. He is a great listener and is always willing to participate during lessons. Elijah is a responsible student who manages his time wisely. He is respectful and treats everyone with kindness. Elijah is a great classroom role model.

Peyton McCullick (daughter of Mathew McCullick and Lacy Shulka). Peyton has a positive attitude in the classroom and is always willing to nelp others when it is needed. She has a great sense of humor as well and is kind to all she encounters. She is always coming to school prepared and on time with her work completed with great quality which demonstrates great responsibility. She does an excellent job taking on responsibility for her own learning by asking questions when more explanation is needed for understanding. When given time in class to work, she always makes the most of that time and gets to work without having to be redirected and works with great stamina. She always follows the PBIS expectations where she is safe, responsible, and respectful which sets a very nice example for all. She is the spitome of a great role model and is very deserving of SOTM Honors!





Sierra Zeeh (daughters of Nick and Stephanie Zeeh). Sierra has been very helpful in the 4th grade classroom this year. She is a great resource for the substitute teachers. If the teacher has a question, Sierra is able to answer it for them honestly and she is very responsible and respectful during class. She is always prepared, follows directions, and has stepped up as a student leader.



Natalie Wojciechowski (daughter of Lucas Wojciechowski and Elizabeth Ramos) Natalie works hard in all areas. Selfless, caring, and hardworking are just a few ways to describe what a great student Natalie has been so far this year. She consistently puts the best interest of others ahead of her own. She is a friend to all and offers a helping hand to any student or teacher in need. Mrs. Martin is proud to have Natalie represent her fifth grade class as our Student of the Month for September.

The Golden Spoon was awarded to the 1st Grade for positive behavior in the lunchroom (using quiet voices, being respectful, listening to those in charge, always saying please and thank you, and clearing up after yourselves).





The Silent Slipper was awarded to the 3rd Grade for positive behavior in the hallway (being patient when waiting in line, walking quietly, minding personal space, and using polite words).

The Buzzing Broom was awarded to the 4th Grade for keeping a neat and tidy classroom, putting materials away, throwing trash away in the garbage can and recycling items.



MS/HS Students of the month

Kendra Mitchell (7th Grade), daughter of Matt and Shelby Mitchell. Kendra is always someone you can count on to get things done. She is extremely organized and always willing to lend a helping hand to her peers and her teachers. Kendra does well to balance her extracurriculars and keep up with her schoolwork. She consistently treats others with kindness and respect.

Elyse Sims (8th Grade), daughter of Christine and AV Roth and Robert Sims. Elyse has come into school this year with a positive and energetic attitude. She jumped into the leadership role of 8th grade class president and has done a great job taking charge, leading, and getting things done, especially for homecoming. She is maintaining good grades in her classes and is a good role-model for her peers.

Avery Kilburg (9th Grade), daughter of Kevin and Kelly Kilburg. Avery does great work. Her work is always very high quality and she puts a lot of thought into her work and is always trying to be better.

She consistently sets the bar high in all classes.

Emma Wall (1th Grade), daughter of Pat and Jackie Wall. Emma is always going above and beyond in the classroom. She submits everything on time and to a high degree and makes sure she gets caught up on anything she misses. She is kind and respectful to everyone and she is a hard worker.



WAUZEKA-STEUBEN SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS 2023-24

October 23rd	6:30pm	Budget Hearing/Annual Meeting//Special Meeting Hornet's Nest
November 20th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
December 18th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
January 15th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
February 19th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
March 18th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
April 22nd	6:30pm	Regular/Library
May 20th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
June 17th	6:30pm	Regular/Library

School Board agendas will be emailed to radio stations WPRE and KADR, to the District's website manager, and to the Clerk of the Village Board of Steuben for posting. Copies of the agenda will be posted at the front and rear doors of the school, at Peoples State Bank, the Wauzeka BP, and the faculty/staff lounge. The meetings will also be noticed in the school newsletters.

The above are scheduled school board meetings. Special meetings will be called as needed and posted locally.

National Principals Month

This month around the US it is National Principals Month. This is a month to celebrate and to thank our principals for everything they do for us.

Let's show our principal that we appreciate her for the dedication and commitment that she has provided to the success of our school. Thank you to Mrs. Tiffany Dums for being an incredible Principal and helping with students and staff. Mrs. Dums Graduated in the year 2000 from Wauzeka-Steuben High School.



Mrs. Dums has been a Principal at Wauzeka-Steuben School for many years and has done so much to improve this school. She is welcoming to newcomers and is a very positive person. She always wants the students to smile and overall have a successful education.

Principals want their students to be engaged in a positive learning environment and provide them with a safe space to develop skills. They are responsible for daily school activities and leading the staff for a positive experience for student development. Principals have the most challenges to face, they have to make sure that the school is a safe place for students, making sure that their students are learning, and that the teachers are teaching. Overall this month is all about appreciating and thanking our principal for everything she has done to keep us safe and for providing us with a comfortable learning environment. Thank you Mrs. Dums for being the support we need to achieve our goals at the Wauzeka-Steuben School



Celebrating National Principals Day

Cross Country News

Conference Cross Country Meet

On October 12, the conference cross country meet was held in River Ridge. It was rainy, cold, and slippery, but the runners did well. For the girls, Isabella Bunders earned first team all-conference. Natalie Wright, Emma Udelhoven, and Emma Wall all earned second-team-all-conference.

For the boys, Brett Wagner earned first team-all-conference and Nolan Reed earned second team-all-conference. The girl's team took home second place while the boy's team took home fourth place. Congrats to all runners!



Field Trip To UW-Madison Meet



On October 13, the cross-country team took a field trip to Madison to watch the Nuttycombe Invitational, a DI college cross country meet. There they got to watch some of the best runners in the nation compete. It was an eye opening experience and everyone had a lot of fun despite the rainy, cold weather.

CONGRATS TO THE 2022-2023 YEARBOOK TEAM!

Wauzeka-Steuben Named Jostens 2023 National Yearbook
Program of Excellence

Wauzeka-Steuben program recognized for dynamic and engaging yearbook.

(Wauzeka, WI) – (September 25, 2023) – Jostens, the leading producer of yearbooks and student-created content, today announced that Wauzeka-Steuben's yearbook program has achieved the Jostens 2023 National Yearbook Program of Excellence award at the Gold Level. The National Yearbook Program of Excellence recognizes engaging yearbooks that reflect a broad representation of the student body while helping students develop 21st century skills such as communication, collaboration, and information and communication technologies (*ICT*) literacy.

The 2023 Wauzeka-Steuben award-winning yearbook program was led by Grace Zinkle, Emerson Baka, Caydon Lomas, Carson Redman, Logun Bunders, Cameron Hurda, Morgan Berger under the direction of Anna Seamans, Wauzeka-Steuben yearbook adviser.

Jostens' National Yearbook Program of Excellence Awards are presented twice a year, in spring and in fall based on the yearbook's arrival date at the school. The award was presented to the Wauzeka-Steuben yearbook program for achieving defined criteria in between one and three of the following categories: creating an inclusive yearbook, generating school engagement, and successfully managing the yearbook creation process.

"Jostens is proud to recognize those individuals who have created an exceptional yearbook for their school and community," said Tammy Whitaker, Jostens VP and COO Yearbook Division. "These schools did an exceptional job on multiple levels, despite the challenges presented by this school year. Yearbooks are a critical part of capturing and telling a school's story, and Jostens is dedicated to supporting yearbook staff members as they do their important work."

Founded in 1897, Jostens has produced school yearbooks for over 60 years. Schools rely on Jostens and their local Jostens representatives to provide a combination of journalism education and technology tools to deliver a learning experience that helps students develop 21st century skills in journalism, photography, writing and design, leadership and business while creating the permanent record of the school year. Jostens invests in state-of-the-art technology, best in class service, educational curriculum and award winning print manufacturing platforms to plan, design, build and produce yearbooks. Jostens is a trusted partner in the academic and achievement channel, providing products, programs and services that help its customers celebrate moments that matter. The company's products include yearbooks, publications, jewelry and consumer goods that serve the K-12 educational, college and professional sports segments. Founded in 1897 and based in Minneapolis, MN, Jostens is a subsidiary of Platinum Equity and can be found online at www.jostens.com.



Wauzeka-Steuben hosts Honors Choir

The annual Six Rivers West Honor Choir is an event when all of the 7 schools (Wauzeka-Steuben, Potosi, Highland, Shullsburg, River Ridge, Casseville, and Belmont) bring middle and high school students to come together and sing. The choirs work with a clinician all day preparing 4 songs for an evening concert that takes place the same day. Students are able to meet other choir students from the area and have the opportunity to expand their music knowledge. It is a great experience for all the choirs to be able to work together in a mass choir, since most schools have small music programs. This year, Wauzeka-Steuben hosted the honor choir, and it was a great success as all the choral students and directors came to create music together.







Wauzeka-Steuben Hornet House is proud to present:

DISNEY BEAST THE BEAST

Music by

Lyrics by

Howard Ashman & Tim Rice

Book by

Linda Woolverton



"Be Our Guest" for a "Tale as Old as Time"

At The Doll Gymnasium

Tickets Available in the District Office



Thursday

Friday

Saturday

9 10 11

7:00 PM Each Night

Admission: \$5.00 4 & Under: Free

Directed by

Assistant Director

Stage Manager

Music Director

Shawn Zeeh

Shannon Millin

Shelly Mainwaring

Perry Leffler

Performed by Wauzeka-Steuben 3rd -12th Grade Students

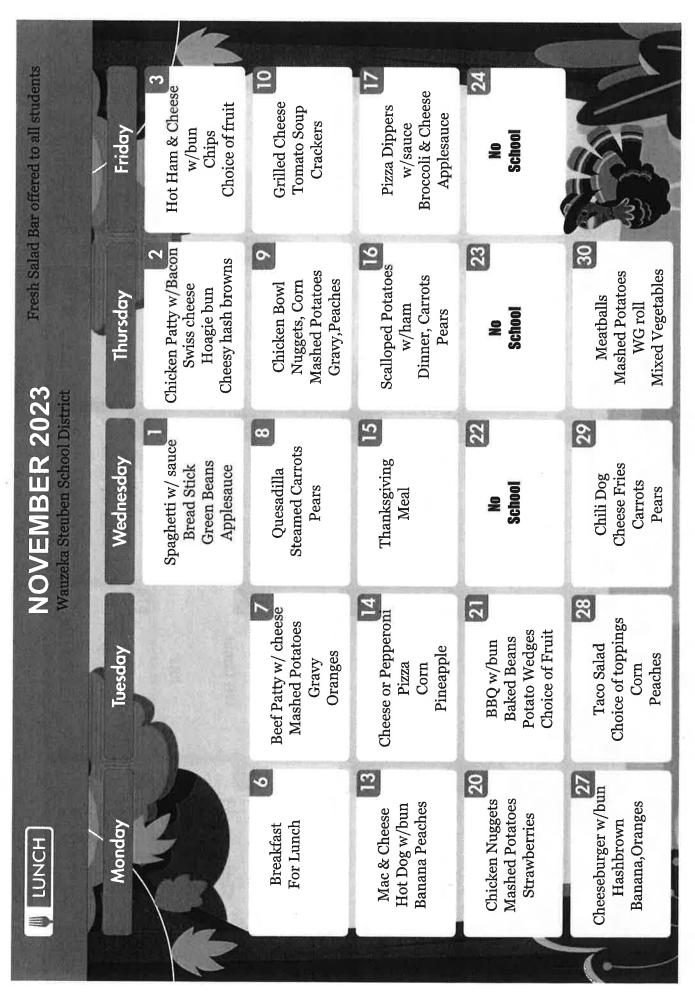
Disney's *Beauty and the Beast JR*. is presented through special arrangement with and all authorized materials are supplied by Music Theatre International, New York, NY 212-541-4684 mtishows.com

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November Activities Calendar	Wednesday	₹		ω	15.	22. No School	29.
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	Monday			6. HSGB-1st practice MSBB @ N.C. 6:00 PM	13. HSBB-1st practice	20. HSBB @ PDC Scrimmage 5:45 PM	27.
	Sunday			5.	12.	19.	26.



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Cereal, Fruit, Juice available daily with breakfast



This Institution is an equal opportunity provider

October - Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Cancer is a disease controlled by abnormal cells that grow healthy cells in the body. Breast cancer starts in the cells of the breast.

Facts

- 1 in 8 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime
 - · Breast cancer doesn't always come in the form of lump
- Drinking glasses of alcohol daily can up your breasts cancer risk
- Maintaining a healthy weight can reduce your breast cancer risk

Lower your risk

- · Keep a healthy weight and exercise
 - Don't drink alcohol
- Breastfeed your children if possible
- If you are taking hormone replacement therapy or birth control pills, ask someone about your risk.

Symptoms

- A lump on the armpit or breast
- Thickening or swelling part of the breast
 - Irritation of breast skin
- Redness or flaky skin in the nipple area or the breast



COMMUNITY NEWS

301 E Main St. Wauzeka, WI 53826

November 2023

MINUTES OF WAUZEKA TOWN BOARD MEETING October 2, 2023

The regular monthly meeting for the Town of Wauzeka was called to order at 6:30 pm on Monday, October 2, 2023 in the Town Meeting Room by Chairman Tom Jazdzewski.

Verification was made that the meeting was properly posted at the Town Meeting Room, Bush Hollow Road, Horseshoe Tavern, Oak Lane, and on WPRE Radio Station.

Roll Call was taken with Mike McGuire being absent.

Casey Reising made a motion to approve the minutes of the last meeting, seconded by Tom Jazdzewski. Motion Carried.

Tom Jazdzewski made a motion to accept the treasurer's report, seconded by Casey Reising. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Tom Jazdzewski to approve the monthly bills, seconded by Casey Reising. Motion Carried.

Roads - Still working on Culverts on Bush Hollow Rd.

Building Permits: No Building Permits

Public Comments: No Public Comments

A motion was made by Tom Jazdzewski to adjourn the meeting at 6:49pm, seconded by Casey Reising. Motion Carried.

Shawna L. Walz Wauzeka Town Clerk

VILLAGE OF WAUZEKA BOARD MEETING

September 5, 2023

The meeting was called to order by President Travis Lomas at 6:30 pm. Verification of proper posting was given and roll call was taken with Ryan Bunders absent. A motion was made by Randy Mara and seconded by Tom Mullikin to approve the minutes of the August 7, 2023 public hearing and regular board meeting. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Bill Kapinus and seconded by Tom Mullikin to approve Resolution #2023-04 Authorizing the Issuance and Sale of up to \$436,708.00 Water System Revenue Bonds, Series 2023, and Providing for other Details and Covenants with the Respect Thereto, and Approval of Related \$1,091,770.00 Financial Assistance Agreement. Motion carried. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting yes.

A motion was made by Tom Mullikin and seconded by Randy Mara to authorize Travis Lomas and Phyllis Groom to sign all bond related documents. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Shawn Zeeh to approve the Department of Natural Resources Financial Assistance Agreement (FAA). Motion carried.

Nick gave the waterworks report.

A motion was made by Bill Kapinus and seconded by Randy Mara to approve an operator's license for Rachel Huber. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Tom Mullikin to pay the bills as approved by the finance committee. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Shawn Zeeh and seconded by Tom Mullikin to adjourn at 7:28 pm. Motion carried.

Phyllis Groom, Village Clerk

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October 2, 2023

The meeting was called to order by President Travis Lomas at 6:30 pm. Verification of proper posting was given and roll call was taken with Ryan Bunders and Tom Mullikin absent. A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Randy Mara to approve the minutes of the September 5, 2023 regular board meeting. Motion carried.

Nick Zeeh gave the waterworks report. A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Bill Kapinus to purchase a motor for the skid steer snow blower. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Shawn Zeeh to complete village park improvements to include concrete flatwork and a retaining wall. Motion carried.

A replacement truck bed has not been found. We will look again in the spring.

The Century Hall parking lot has been completed. Phyllis will contact Iverson Construction to discuss the issues with it including the soft spot, the seam, the low spots and that it was done while it was raining.

A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Bill Kapinus to pay the bills as approved by the finance committee. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Randy Mara and seconded by Shawn Zeeh to adjourn at 7:16 pm. Motion carried.

Phyllis Growm, Village Clerk

Pyllis Grown



WAUZEKA - STEUBEN SCHOOL DISTRICT



Notes from



- It's that time of year when the weather is changing from day to day so please dress your children accordingly. Jackets and sweatshirts are good for layering and for some days hats and gloves are going to be needed. Thank-You Wisconsin!
- Just a reminder to all parents; if your child is sent home from school due to illness they must be feeling well and fever free for 24 hours without any type of fever reducing medications before returning to school or participating in after school activities.
- Influenza vaccinations were provided by Crawford County Public Health on October 9th for all students with a signed parental consent. If you would still like your child(ren) to receive a free influenza vaccine from the health department please call 608–326–0248 and set up an appointment. They will not be returning to the school. This year's vaccine, like most years, helps to protect against four different influenza viruses, two type A and two B. In the United States, at this time over 80% of confirmed cases are type A. The influenza vaccine is readily available this year at many locations including; your medical provider, WalMart, WalGreens, Boscobel Pharmacy and more.
- In November we will be completing VISION SCREENING using the PLUS OPTIX Vision Screener. As in years past the Lions Club volunteers will be assisting with this.
- We would like to THANK Dr. Colleen McCurry, Gundersen Boscobel Clinic, for again volunteering for being our school district Medical Advisor.
- Please remember any student that is needing to take medication at school, **prescription or nonprescription**, are required to have a medication consent form signed by a parent/guardian. For a prescription medication your medical provider must also sign this form or provide another document stating the name of the student, date of birth, medication name, dose and time. These forms are available on the schools website. This information may also be faxed to the school. All medications need to be provided to the school in their original container and be appropriate for age/weight.

STUDENTS MUST BE "HEALTHY" TO BE EDUCATED AND "EDUCATED TO BE HEALTHY



Michelle L Breuer RN, BSN Wauzeka-Steuben School Nurse

SACREDIFICART BREAKFAST

Come support the youth raising funds to adopt families for Christmas.

Pancakes, biscuits and gravy, eggs, meat, sweet rolls, applesauce, juice, milk, coffee

QUILT RAFFLE

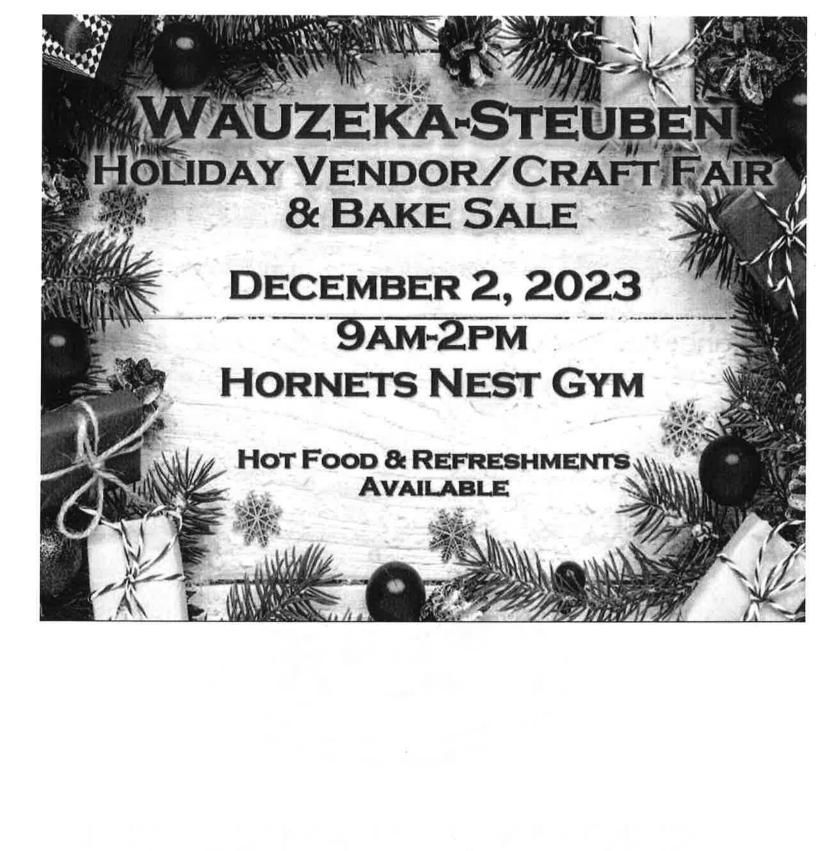


BASKET RAFFLES

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH

7:30 - 10:30 A.M.

SACRED HEART CHURCH HALL, WAUZEKA







Mark Your Calendar

For the Wauzeka Methodist Church





at the village hall in Wayzeka 213 E Front St B, Wauzeka

8am - until the cookies are gone **December 2nd**

District News & Information

301 E Main St. Wauzeka. WI 53826

November 2023

School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, in accordance with Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972 and other Federal and State regulations, hereby declares that it is committed to the principle of equal education and employment opportunity and, accordingly, does not discriminate as to sex, race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, or physical, mental, emotional, or learning disability. Any inquiries or complaints alleging non-compliance with Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972 or other Federal and State civil rights or nondiscrimination regulations shall be referred to District Administrator Mr. David Alexander at the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, 301 E. Main St., Wauzeka, WI 53826, (e-mail) alexadav@wauzeka.k12.wi.us (call) 608-875-5311 ext. 214 and/or Jamie Nutter, Title IX Coordinator of the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, at Cooperative Educational Service Agency #3, 1300 Industrial Drive, Fennimore, WI 53809, (call) 1-608-822-2148 (e-mail) inutter@cesa3.org.

Note: All career and technical education opportunities will be offered on a nondiscriminatory basis (without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, disability, etc.) All students in qualifying grades are eligible for enrollment. For further information please contact District Principal Tiffany Dums (608)875-5311 ext. 211 or dumstiff@wauzeka.k12.wi.us.

Wauzeka Angels Fitness Center

Monthly Rates

\$10 per adult W-S School District/Non District Resident plus \$10 for key fob

Annual Membership Rate

\$100 per adult W-S School District/Non District Resident plus \$10 for key fob

*Rates are to cover maintenance and supervision expenses.



Substitutes Needed

State law has recently changed allowing more flexibility on the requirements people need to be a substitute teacher or support staff. If you are interested in being a substitute please contact District Administrator Dr. Gary Albrecht via email: albregar@wauzeka.k12.wi.us or by phone (608)875-5311 ext. 214.

Substitutes needed:

- Food Service
- Bus Drivers
- Para professionals



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Wauzeka-Steuben Buzz

Send community events that you would like to be included in the newspaper to:
Alissa Mullikin at mulliali@wauzeka.k12.wi.us
Or drop off any information in the district office.
Next Submission Date: **November 17th**

Steuben, WI 54657

The Wauzeka-Steuben School District is utilizing a community-wide Resource Officer. Officer Liz Volten of the Crawford County Sheriff's Department will be available to the District during regular District hours. Officer Volten will also be available to the community and homeschooled families of the District on Wednesdays at the BP gas station from 1:00-2:00 p.m. Officer Volten can be reached via email at evolten@crawfordcountywi.org or via phone at 608-412-5184. In case of an emergency, please call 911.







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