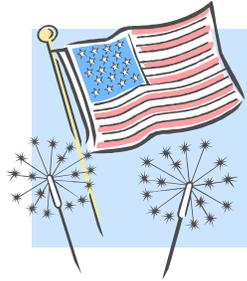


City Report

July 2014

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Mayor Pete Buttigieg

Deputy Mayor Mark Neal



Dear Employees,

With summer now well underway, the long, hard winter seems a far away as we enjoy all the outdoor activities the City has to offer:

- * Kennedy Water Playground is open daily. Hours are Monday-Saturday 11 am-5 pm and Sunday 12-5 pm.
- * Potawatomi Pool, open from 12-6 pm daily, offers aqua aerobics weekdays.
- * The East Race Waterway is open for rafting and kayaking on weekends, 12-5 pm Saturday and 12:30-4:30 pm Sundays. The East Race also offers a climbing wall.
- * South Bend Parks and Recreation also presents two free Sunday concert series—the East Race/Seitz Park Concert Series from 5-8 pm through August 24, and the Potawatomi Park Concert Series from 7-8 pm, also through August 24.
- * Fridays by the Fountain helps kick off the weekends with a free concert from 11:45 am to 1:15 pm every Friday through August 29 at the Jon R. Hunt Plaza in front of the Morris Performing Arts Center. Food is available from vendors including the Morris Bistro.

Helping to make sure all of South Bend's kids eat a healthy meal at least once a day, a free summer meal program runs through August 8. The program is a joint effort by the South Bend Community School Corporation, South Bend Parks and Recreation, and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Children ages 1 to 18 are eligible. For a list of program sites and times,

visit <https://www.edline.net/pages/SouthBendCSC>.

The sixth annual South Bend Community Olympics for residents 50 years and older will be held August 9-19 at the Howard Park Recreation Center. Events include 5K and 1-mile walk and run, horseshoes, softball, billiards, bowling, and more.

Have a safe and happy Fourth of July and a wonderful summer around the Bend.

Sincerely,

Deputy Mayor Mark Neal

Keith Crain, Director of Information Technology, was the Administration & Finance Department's winner of the Penguin Award for June. Keith started with the City in December of 1999 and will be leaving July 18. He has accepted a position at the Vineyard Church in Mishawaka. His primary responsibility will be growing their Groups Ministry. Keith has done a tremendous job with the IT Department and has made many friends in his years with the City. Please give Keith your best wishes when you see him around the City!



Change of Pace

May 2014

Shane Anders.....Police Communications from Communications Specialist I to Communications Specialist II
James Burkus..... Fire from Firefighter First Class to Pump Engineer/First Driver
Todd Howard.....Animal Control from Animal Control Officer to Assistant Animal Shelter Manager
Audrey Raymond..... Police from Communications Supervisor II to Assistant Director of Communication Center
Amy Ziots Police Communications from Communications Specialist I to Communications Specialist II

Welcome

May 2014

Kristine Bailey Office of Sustainability
Kristina First..... Police Communications
Jerald Fussell Water Works

Resignations

May 2014

Bradley Block..... Animal Control (8 mos)

Retirements

May 2014

Carl AdamsWater Works (35 yrs 0 mos dedicated service)
Cherryl Andries Building Dept. (22 yrs 5 mos dedicated service)
Dennis BorowskiWater Works (39 yrs 4 mos dedicated service)
A D Cross..... Parks (27 yrs 4 mos dedicated service)
Jerrold FranziEquipment Services (27 yrs 10 mos dedicated service)
Kenneth Goralczyk.....Equipment Services (18 yrs 6 mos dedicated service)
Timothy GreenleeFire Department (16 yrs 10 mos dedicated service)
Betsy Harriman Parks (33 yrs 4 mos dedicated service)
Beverly Zugel.....Legal Department (14 yrs 11 mos dedicated service)



City employees, Kim Cox, David & Marcia Qualls, Janice Talboom and retired City employees Phil & Betsy Custard arrived at the Leeper Park water station at 5:00am on Saturday, May 31 to pass out water to all the Sunburst runners. With the help from everyone pictured a \$100.00 donation was given to Great Lakes Westie Rescue.



Remember the cousins that graduated in last months' issue? Marianna Paluszewski & her cousin Michelle Paluszewski. I failed to mention, Marinna graduated with a Bachelors' in General Studies and Michelle graduated with a Bachelors' of Science in Chemistry. Both girls are gainfully employed, with proud family members as well!!

June 2014 Citywide Anniversaries

35 Years 1979

Ronald Brandt.....Fire Dept
 Hedy Robinson.....Community Investment

30 Years 1984

Darryl Boykins.....Police Dept
 Cynthia Kilgore.....Police Dept

25 Years 1989

Todd Brill.....Park Dept
 John White.....Equipment Services
 Mary WisniewskiCentral Services

20 Years 1994

Crystal Mccain.....Human Rights
 Blair Fleming.....Police Dept
 Brian Kendall.....Police Dept

15 Years 1999

Jeff Katona.....Code Enforcement
 Bev Zugel.....Legal Dept
 Michael Brown.....Fire Dept
 Robert Eddy.....Fire Dept
 Brian Koloszar.....Fire Dept
 Clifford Powell.....Fire Dept
 Sean Ward.....Sewer Dept

10 Years 2004

Ryan Fox.....Sewer Dept
 Antonio Pacheco.....Police Dept

5 Years 2009

Eric Uitdenhowen.....Traffic Dept
 Robert Yeary.....Safety & Risk
 Tom Wetter Jr.....Equipment Services
 Bev Zugel.....Legal Department (14 yrs 11 mos)



Grand daughter, of Terry and **Patrice Freestone, Morris Performing Arts**, Peyton graduated June 7 from Valparaiso High School.

Congratulations to Terry and Patrice Freestone for the Wedding of their grand son Gage to Jonelle Tucker, on June 14.



Scott Chadek's, Morris Performing Arts, daughter, Alicia gave birth to a beautiful baby girl. Baby Aria was born in Colorado Springs, Colorado on June 9th she weighed 8 lb. 1oz. and was 22 inches long. Congratulations grandpa!!



The Community would like to express our sympathy and condolences to Common Council Woman Valarie Schey, for the passing of her father.



The Morris is pleased to welcome back part-time Box Office Sales Clerk, **Delphine Mutchler**. Del, as she is fondly called, has been away on medical leave. We are super excited to have her back.

ATTENTION!!

We have changed the date of the "Joz" golf outing to Monday July 21.

Please make note of this and share with everyone you know that has any intention of playing.

All other details of the outing remain the same. Contact LT. Nick Kowalski if you have any questions.

Thank you

JUNE 2014

SUNBURST 2014 – Thanks to all the firefighters who took the time to join the community and compete in this year's Sunburst race in their turnout gear. Chuck Wawrzyniak, Lisa McCreary, John Davis, Jonathon Kirsits, Tyler King, Ryan Takacs, Cliff Powell, Ben Norton, Shawn Kuminecz, Josh Comeau, Ed Meyer and Jason Denman. Well done!



CONGRATULATIONS FIRE ACADEMY RECRUIT CLASS

2014 – On Wednesday, June 18, 2014, the 2014 Recruit Graduation and "Swearing In" Ceremonies were held at the new Luther J. Taylor, Sr. Fire Training Center. Thank you to all of their families for supporting each of them in handling the demands of the job after a two year application process and twenty week intense training program. Congratulations Corrie Carr, Justin Mika, Jean Gomez, Tony Maciejewski, Patrick Kelly, Trevin Stankiewicz, Scott Applegate, Alex Borrelli, Nick Houser and Todd Shepherd!



Special congratulations to proud parents Captain Paul Applegate and wife Christine on their son Scott following in dad's footsteps and successfully completing Fire Academy Recruit Class 2014.

Best of luck to you Scott!



ANNUAL SOUTH BEND FIREFIGHTERS BLUES FEST 2014 – Will be held on Saturday, July 26, 2014 from 12:00 pm – 11:00 pm at the Crumstown Conservation Club. Your support helps raise funds for Hoosier Burn Camp and Survive Alive House. Local 362 All Stars, made up of members of the South Bend Fire Department gave a Blues Fest preview performance Friday evening, June 20, at the Firefighters Union Hall & Grill 362 and sounded great (pictured Mark Mammon, Todd Skwarczan, Aaron Randall, Tim Enright, Mike Humphrey and Ryan Ort)!! They are scheduled to perform at 3:00 pm at the Blues Fest this year. The rest of the lineup is: 1:00 pm Shake 'n Chill, 5:00 pm The Mike Wheeler Band, 7:00 pm Joanna Carter and 9:00 pm Billy Branch and the Sons of Blues. For specific details and ticket information visit <http://www.firefightersblues.org/content/festival>

Morris Performing Arts Center

Shows are on Sales now July—December 2014

July 8	Move on Tour	7:30pm
September 20	SB Symphony Orchestra	8:00pm
October 16	Brian Regan	7:30pm
October 17	Chicago, The Musical	8:00pm
October 18	Chicago, The Musical	2:00pm
October 18	Chicago, The Musical	8:00pm
October 25	SB Sympathy Orchestra	8:00pm
November 3	Alton Brown Live!	7:00pm
December 4	Mannheim Steamroller	7:30pm
December 5	Camelot	8:00pm
December 6	Camelot	2:00pm
December 6	Camelot	8:00pm
December 7	Mythbusters	7:00pm



Congratulations to Marquette Primary Montessori Academy School

Marquette School have read the most books as a part of the “Get Booked” Program. Well over 100 students have read close to 1,000 books and completed book reports with the exact number of books. In March of this year, Council Member Dieter passed out books to four (4) schools in South Bend. In conjunction with [Better World Books](#), when the students would read five (5) books and completed book reports, they would then receive four (4) tickets to the KROC Center or tickets to a South Bend Silver Hawks game. The Four (4) schools included Holy Cross, Marquette, Tarkington, and Muessel who had all their students complete the program with over 400 tickets being passed out upon completing their reading and book report requirements. As a result, Marquette School will be invited to throw out the first pitch at a Silver Hawks game at Four Winds Field when school resumes in August. In 2015 this program will expand into all South Bend schools.

Fitness Challenge!!

Did you know that with regular exercise, you can actually surpass the fitness level of a much younger person who is inactive!

Regular exercise can help to:

- Regulate blood pressure
- Increase bone density
- Elevate your mood
- Improve circulation
- Boost energy levels
- Strengthen your heart



You can record your steps on your desktop or mobile device. You can also sync your Fitbit or Jawbone device with the website to report steps.

Visit healthycitysouthbend.com to log in and begin recording your activity!

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Street Department.....	Ashley Rzepka.....	7563
Water Works.....	Laura Vance.....	5637
Water Works.....	Jodie Spradlin.....	5663

Any input or comments please contact your reporter (above), Marcia Qualls(Engineering), Martha Randall (Environmental Services) or fax to 235-9171. Your name and phone # must be included. Thank you

For more information on the following events contact:

Century Center.....	9711
SB Regional Museum of Art.....	9102
Morris Performing Arts Center.....	9190
Parks/Recreation Department.....	299-4765
Notre Dame.....	631-5031
St. Patrick's Park.....	288-3472
No. Indiana Center for History.....	235-9664