



Schedule Updates:

Campus Museum Buildings are open **Sundays (after Assembly Worship - 1 p.m.) and Wednesdays (11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.)**

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Candidate Forum & By-Law Amendment Forum has been **CANCELED**

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Chamber Music Concert:
Composer Forum
 July 8
 8 p.m.
 Voorhies Hall

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Due to a family emergency, Fr. Greg Boyle will not arrive in time for Assembly Worship on July 19. **Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee will preach on Sunday, July 19.**

Fr. Greg Boyle will give his scheduled Religion and Life lectures.

Plus, we are pleased to announce:
An Afternoon with Fr. Greg Boyle: From Homeboy Industries to Bay View
 July 22
 4 p.m.
 Hall Auditorium

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Dick Crossland Memorial Pickleball Tournament
 July 24
 5 p.m.
 Woods Courts

The *By-Law & Candidate Forum* scheduled for July 6th at 8:30 a.m. has been canceled.



Martha Blandford
Incumbent: Leaseholder
705 Fern Ave.
(Block 22, Lot 30)

Jeffrey (Jeff) Jones
Leaseholder
1514 Glendale Ave.
(Block 22, Lot 16)



Dan Mullen
Incumbent: Leaseholder
1940 Terrace Ave.
(Block 23, Lot 16)

BVA Candidates 2025

Only three (3) members applied for the three (3) open Trustee positions. In accordance with By-Law 7, Trustee candidates will be **voted by voice vote** this year at the Annual Meeting to be held on **Saturday, August 1, 2026 at 9:00 a.m.**

Trustees serve three-year (3) terms, with a maximum of nine (9) consecutive years.

For information about each candidate, visit:
<https://www.bayviewassociation.org/members-home/>.

Proposed By-Laws 2026

This year, no proposed amendments to the bylaws were submitted by either the Board or the membership for consideration.

Important 2026 Dates

Saturday, July 11, 2026: Town Hall Meeting in Voorhies at 8:30 a.m.

Friday, July 24, 2026: Board of Trustees meeting at 8:30 a.m. in the Child Board Room and via Zoom.

Saturday, August 1, 2026: Annual Meeting at 9:00 a.m. in Hall Auditorium.

Friday, August 7, 2026: Last day of Recreation Programming.

Friday, August 7, 2026: Board of Trustees meeting at 8:30 a.m. (Membership & Lease Transfer approvals) in the Child Board Room and via Zoom.

Sunday, August 9, 2026: Last day of the 151st Assembly Season.

Friday, August 21, 2026: Board of Trustees Meeting at 8:30 a.m. in the Child Board Room and via Zoom.

Friday, September 11, 2026: Board of Trustees Meeting at 8:30 a.m. (Membership & Lease Transfer approvals) in the Child Board Room and via Zoom.

Friday, September 25, 2026: Last Regular In-Person Board of Trustees Meeting at 8:30 a.m. in the Child Board Room and via Zoom.

Monday, October 12, 2026: Board of Trustees Meeting via Zoom at 6:30 p.m. EST.

Monday, November 2, 2026: Last day cottagers can be in their cottage. Closing day of Bay View.

Monday, December 14, 2026: Board of Trustees Meeting via Zoom at 6:30 p.m. EST.

From the Executive Director, Megan DeWindt



During America's 250th, Why Chautauqua Still Matters

As our nation celebrates the 250th anniversary of America's

founding, I've found myself reflecting on another enduring American story: the Chautauqua movement.

If you've spent time at Bay View, you've experienced Chautauqua, whether you realized it or not.

More than 150 years ago, the movement began with a simple but powerful belief: that education, culture, recreation, and faith should be accessible to everyone. It invited people to gather not only to learn, but to listen, to ask questions, to create, to worship, and to connect. President Theodore Roosevelt famously called Chautauqua "the most American thing in America," and it's easy to see why.

Our nation has changed dramatically over the past 250 years. Technology has transformed how we communicate. We have access to more information than ever before. Yet the things we seek remain remarkably familiar: meaningful conversations, lifelong learning, opportunities to serve, moments of inspiration, and a sense of belonging.

That's why I believe the Chautauqua movement has endured.

Every lecture attended, every concert enjoyed, every class taken,

every worship service shared, every volunteer hour given, and every friendship formed continues a tradition that began generations ago. These experiences remind us that communities grow stronger when people gather with curiosity, kindness, and a willingness to learn from one another.

At Bay View, we are not simply preserving history, we are *living it*. Each summer, children discover new interests, families build traditions, artists inspire audiences, neighbors become friends, and people of all ages find opportunities to grow. These are the same ideals that shaped Bay View and continue to reflect some of the very best of America.

As we celebrate our country's 250th birthday, I'm grateful that Bay View remains a place where those ideals are alive and well. They remind us that America's story has always been written not only by great events, but by communities that choose to gather, learn, serve, and care for one another.

Thank you for being part of that story. Together, we are ensuring that the spirit of Chautauqua continues to enrich lives for generations to come.



From the Education Director, Lori Bolone



Week 4 truly has something for everyone. Beginning **Monday, July 6th**, Bay View welcomes renowned historian and author H.W. Brands for a week

of American Experience lectures running **July 6-10 at 10 a.m. in Voorhies Hall**. A special thank-you goes to the American Experience committee for making this extraordinary series possible. For more information, see page 7.

Also on **Monday, July 6th**, the Monday Night Movie series continues with Wes Anderson's beloved ***Fantastic Mr. Fox***, screening at **7:30 p.m. in Voorhies Hall**. Based on the Roald Dahl classic, this story about cleverness, family, and outsmarting bullies will appeal to all ages.

We have some exciting Scarrow Friday Forum discussions planned this season. **July 17th** we will feature **All About AI: How to Separate the Reality from the Hype** with Michael Van Beek, and on **July 24th**, we are pleased to present **Authentic Storytelling: A Framework for Creatives to Design a Meaningful Life** by Kalin Scheick of Sweetwater Floral. This event is generously sponsored by the Hearit and Klug families. On **July 31st**, we are pleased to announce Bay View's own Robert Rose will share **A Legacy in Iron: How Rose Iron Helped Shape American Art Deco**, and on **August 7th** we will learn more about AI in **Welcome to the AI Era: A User's Guide to the Most Important Technology of Our Time** featuring Laurie-Jo Straty, Steve Bartley, and Roger Lilak.

The variety of classes this week stretches from sushi-making to Pat Chase's lecture about the First Interstate Highway, showcasing our wide selection of education classes available throughout the season for every interest and age. Whether you're looking to start a new hobby or expand your knowledge, there is something for everyone! Visit bayview.asapconnected.com to view the full schedule and sign up.

Education Classes, 7/4 - 7/10

- Toddler Art, M, 10 a.m., Loud Hall (Rm. 26)
- Making and Breaking the Brain, M, 10 a.m., Loud Hall (Rm. 13)
- Intermediate Beginning Spanish, M/F, 11:15 a.m., Evelyn Hall
- Great Decisions, M, 1 p.m., Loud Hall
- Ballet, T/F, 8:30 a.m. Loud Hall
- Chair Yoga for EVERY Body, T, 11:15 a.m., Loud Hall
- Beginning Mahjong, T, 12:30 p.m., Campus Club
- Yoga for Active Aging, W, 8:45 a.m., Loud Hall
- Toddler Sing and Play, W, 10:15 a.m., Loud Hall
- Women in Islam: Text and Culture, W, 11:30 a.m., Loud Hall
- The Art of Mindful Compassion, W, 1 p.m., Loud Hall
- Bay View Reading Circle, W, 3 p.m., Loud Hall
- French Through Songs, TH, 11:15 a.m., Loud Hall
- National Road: America's First Interstate Highway, TH, 1:30 p.m., Loud Hall
- Chautauqua Book Club, TH, 4:30 p.m., Bay View Library



From the Performing Arts Director, Chris Ludwa

July begins with a week dedicated to collaboration, creativity, and the unique magic that happens when artists come together. From beloved musical duos and classical masterworks to conversations about composition and one of America's most cherished musicals, Week Four offers audiences a chance to experience Bay View's artistic community at its best.

Join us **Sunday, July 5th at 8 p.m. in Hall Auditorium** for **Linus and Lucy**, an evening celebrating famous musical duos and the enduring appeal of collaboration. The program features music by some of the most beloved partners in popular music history, including Simon & Garfunkel and the Indigo Girls. Audiences will hear Paul Simon's *Cecilia*, one of Simon & Garfunkel's most recognizable hits, as well as a special Simon & Garfunkel sing-along arranged by Bay View Composer-in-Residence **Anthony Patterson** and performed by the **Patterson-McFarlane Duo**. Our instrumental students will also take center stage with Mozart's dramatic overture to *Don Giovanni*, performed by the Student Wind Octet, offering audiences a preview of the opera that will be presented later this summer.

Additional highlights include Liszt's dazzling *Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2* arranged for two pianos and eight hands, the famous Argentine tango *El Choclo*, and Harry Burleigh's arrangement of *Didn't My Lord Deliver Daniel?* The evening concludes with a joyful performance of *He's Got the Whole World in His Hands* featuring Bay View String Participants and the

Festival Choir, bringing performers and audience together in a celebration of community through music.

On **Wednesday, July 8th** in **Voorhies Hall**, Bay View's Chamber Music Series presents the annual Composer Forum, an opportunity to hear directly from the creators behind the music. This year's forum features Composer-in-Residence Anthony Patterson alongside distinguished composer and educator Jorge Muniz, Chancellor's Professor of Music at Indiana University South Bend. Moderated by Music Festival Managing Director Matt McFarlane, the discussion offers insight into the creative process, the challenges and rewards of composing, and the evolving role of contemporary music in today's artistic landscape. **PLEASE NOTE the venue change from Evelyn Hall to Voorhies Hall.**

The week concludes with one of the most anticipated theatrical events of the summer. On **July 10th and 11th at 8 p.m. in Hall Auditorium**, the Bay View Music Festival presents *The Music Man*, Meredith Willson's beloved Broadway classic. Filled with memorable songs, colorful characters, and small-town charm, the musical follows the charismatic Harold Hill as he sweeps into River City with promises of creating a boys' band, only to discover that community, friendship, and love have plans of their own. Featuring a talented cast, orchestra, and production team, this timeless favorite continues to delight audiences of all ages with classics including *Seventy-Six Trombones*, *Ya Got Trouble*, and *Till There Was You*.

As always, we love to see cottagers at the **Conservatory Student**

Recitals on Fridays at 11 a.m. in Crouse Chapel. Porch Concerts are July 6, 7, 8, and 9. Pick up a schedule of locations at Wade Administration Office. It's always a delight!

Cheers to Week Four!



BayView
music festival

COTTAGE CONCERTS

Intimate - Outdoor - Unique
Just bring a lawn chair, sit back, & enjoy!

MON. JULY 6 AT 4PM
1618 GLENDALE
COMPTON GREEN
String Quartet

TUES. JULY 7 AT 4PM
1310 BAYSIDE
HAGER COTTAGE
String Quartet

WED. JULY 8 AT 4PM
2180 SHIER
TOWER GROVE
Wind Quintet

THURS. JULY 9 AT 4PM
1573 GLENDALE
MISHLER COTTAGE
Wind Quintet

WED. AUG 5 AT 4PM
1635 KNAPP
BEAR PAUSE
Brass Quintet

THURS. AUG. 6 AT 4PM
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From the Recreation Director, Amy Liddicoat - Seamster

Get ready, Bay View. The Battle of Bay View is almost here! On **July 10th at 10 a.m.**, Boys' and Girls' Club campers will head to the **Bay View Woods** for one of the summer's most anticipated events. Flour bombs, friendly competition, and plenty of laughs await. This is an all-out battle you will not want to sit out. Make sure your campers come dressed for a mess in long sleeves and pants and that they're ready to have a great time. Whether you are a seasoned veteran or stepping into battle for the very first time, the Battle of Bay View is the kind of memory-making morning that defines a Bay View summer. Strategize your approach and prepare for the chaos. It is going to be a blast.

Mark your calendars for the **Ernie Gray Olympics on July 17th at 1 p.m. on Swift Field**. This beloved tradition is open to campers enrolled in Week 5 of Fawns and Boys' and Girls' Club, so make sure your little ones are signed up and ready to compete. The Ernie Gray Olympics is one of those special afternoons that campers talk about for years to come, and this year is sure to be no exception. Families are encouraged to come out to Swift Field and cheer on their favorite athletes as they give it their all. **Tot Lot will also be open from 1 to 3 p.m. that afternoon**, giving our youngest campers a wonderful way to spend the day while the excitement unfolds on Swift Field. **There is no Junior Tennis on the day of the Olympics, but there will be water fun in the morning and sailing will run from 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.**

Last week, the Wolves showed off some serious craftsmanship at the Woodshop Skills Competition. Campers were put to the test with two demanding challenges: hammering quickly and accurately, and sawing with precision. The talent on display was impressive, and the competition was fierce from start to finish. At the end, Griffin Bumstead took home first place, Hudson Harding earned second, and Levi Coffey rounded out the podium in third. Congratulations to all three, and to every camper who stepped up and gave it their best effort. The Wolves are incredibly proud of the skill and sportsmanship they demonstrated.

A quick note for the holiday weekend: for the enjoyment of you, your family, and your guests, the beach will be guarded. **The Boathouse will not be open on July 4th.** We encourage everyone to take in the beauty of Little Traverse Bay on what is sure to be a memorable holiday. We hope everyone has a wonderful Fourth of July celebration filled with good food, good company, and Fun and Recreation for ALL!

Upcoming dates:

- **Monday, July 6th:** Burger Bash at 6 p.m. on Swift Field - \$15 for a burger, sides, chips, and a drink
- **Saturday, July 11th:** Junior Tennis Tournament begins at 9 a.m. on the Lakeside Courts. Be sure to register for a week of friendly competition, ending on Wednesday, July 15th
- **Monday, July 13th:** Hot Dog Roast at 6 p.m. on Swift Field. We are looking for a couple of “celebrity” volunteers to take payment at the Hot Dog Roast, sign up at bayviewassociation.org/volunteer

Notes from the Craft House

Early Birds Crafting runs from **9 - 9:45 a.m. Monday - Thursday** for ages 7+. Campers should arrive **no later than 9:30 a.m.**, as no new projects can be started after that time, and clean up begins at 9:40 a.m. Please note that the Craft House and Woodshop are closed on Fridays to prepare for the following week, and any craft projects left over the weekend will be recycled the following Monday, so we encourage campers to bring their crafts home if they would like to keep them. We also ask that you remind your campers to be respectful of crafts left out on the drying and storage racks on the Craft House Porch. It’s wonderful to look and admire, but please don’t touch other people’s projects or items belonging to the Craft House or Woodshop.

Donations are essential to our success, we are so grateful to everyone who has donated items this year. Please remember we cannot accept all donations. **Items to avoid** include sharp, broken, or breakable materials such as glass or ceramic, household paints or chemicals, large furniture, and heavy industrial materials or equipment. If you’re ever unsure whether something can be donated, please stop by and talk with us. We’re always happy to help!

The Craft House and Woodshop are staffed Monday - Friday from 8:30 - 11:30 a.m.



CONGRATULATIONS to our Campers of the Week!

Week 3: Zander Kopp, Fiona McFarlane, Noah Miller, Piper Gotfredson, Patrick Arthur, Elaine Allor, Johnn Davis, and Beatrix Prescott

A Friendly Flag Reminder

Bay View is proud to be a community where so many cottages display the American flag. Each season, we receive questions about proper flag etiquette. While Bay View is not the authority on flag display, we’re happy to share a few commonly accepted guidelines from the U.S. Flag Code:

- **When displaying multiple flags,** the American flag should be in the position of honor—the far right as you face the display.
- **When displayed with other flags on the same building or in a grouped display,** it should be mounted higher whenever possible.
- **When hanging the flag vertically,** the blue field of stars (the union) should be to the observer’s left.

These traditions are offered as a friendly reminder and a way to honor one of our nation’s enduring symbols. If you’d like to learn more about flag etiquette, the American Legion’s U.S. Flag Code Guide

<https://www.legion.org/advocacy/flag-advocacy/flag-code> is an excellent, easy to read resource.



July 4th Details

Bike Decorating:

- 9:30 a.m. - 10 a.m.
- Between the Post Office and Crouse Chapel.
- Bike riders are strongly encouraged to wear helmets.

Parade:

- Lineup: 9 a.m.
 - Lining up numerically, based on your assigned number. Lineup will form East of the Post Office.
- Begin: 10 a.m.
 - Parade begins at the Post Office and continues West on Park to Lakeview, Turn East on Glendale, Turn North to Encampment, ending at Voorhies Hall/ Library.

Watermelon & Music:

- There will be watermelon, popcorn, and music at Voorhies following the conclusion of the parade, before the reading of the *Declaration of Independence*.

Reading of the *Declaration of Independence*:

- 11:00 a.m. on the steps of Hall Auditorium.

Fireworks:

- Enjoy the fireworks at dusk at Sunset Park or at the Waterfront!



From the Director of Worship & Religious Life, Jason Byassee



Big Sunday Returns to Bay View on July 5th

A beloved Bay View tradition returns on **Sunday, July 5th**, as our community gathers

for **Big Sunday**, a special Bay View celebration of worship, music, and fellowship rooted in more than a century of history.

Long ago, people traveled by horse, train, steamer, and on foot from across the region to worship together beneath Bay View's iconic grove of trees. They came to sing, pray, share a meal, and enjoy one another's company, gathering in the kind of community that doesn't happen by accident. That spirit endures today.

We'll celebrate with a little extra hospitality this year. The morning begins with **coffee, donuts, and fellowship at 9:30 a.m. in Evelyn Hall**. There will be no Sunday School, making it the perfect opportunity to invite a friend, neighbor, or first-time visitor to experience one of Bay View's most cherished traditions. **Assembly Worship follows at 10:45 a.m. in Hall Auditorium.**

I half wish we celebrated Big Sunday exactly as they did generations ago, with worship beneath the trees, thousands gathered together, and everyone dressed in Victorian finery. Of course, they didn't have quite as much competition for their Sunday mornings! We'll be comfortably gathered in Hall Auditorium instead,

and I promise that **Victorian attire is entirely optional.**

We're delighted to welcome the praise team, pastor, and congregation of First Presbyterian Church of Petoskey, whose partnership has become a meaningful part of this annual celebration. Their contemporary style of worship reminds us that while traditions endure, they also continue to grow and welcome new expressions of faith.

I am deeply grateful for the opportunity to preach at my first Big Sunday. To step into this rich tradition, among a community this warm and in a place this beautiful, is a gift I do not take lightly. My sermon, **"Meeting Together,"** will explore why Christians gather for worship, why the earliest campers assembled on these historic grounds, and why that tradition remains as meaningful today as ever.

Whether Big Sunday is an annual tradition for you or your first visit, come as you are. Bring a neighbor, enjoy a donut, sing with us, and experience the simple joy of meeting together.



Children and Youth Sunday School

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL JULY 5TH

Meet at 9:30 a.m. at Hitchcock Hall

**Children's Sunday School
(ages 4-10)**

**Youth Sunday School
(ages 11-15)**

Bible Study

Summer Bible Study

(Sundays, 9:30 a.m., Campus Club)

- 7/12 - Jesus as The Peleh
- 7/19 - Betrayal
- 7/26 - From Exodus to Mark

Women's Bible Study

(Fridays, 9:45 a.m., Campus Club)

- 7/10 - Jesus Superior to Moses
- 7/17 - Jesus Our High Priest
- 7/24 - A Superior Covenant & Sanctuary
- 7/31 - The Superior Sacrifice
- 8/7 - The Call to Endurance
- 8/14 - Practical Christian Living

Men/Teenagers Bible Study

(Fridays, 8 a.m., Campus Club)

- 7/10 - Faith & Works
- 7/17 - Taming the Tongue
- 7/24 - Wisdom from God
- 7/31 - Biblical Decision Making
- 8/7 - Importance of Patience
- 8/14 - The Power of Prayer

Historic Awareness Committee's Annual Program for 2026

Bay View's historic cottages are a treasured legacy — and a shared responsibility. Preserving the community's character requires more than good intentions; it calls for a clear, fair, and legally sound approach to architectural review.

On **Monday July 13, 7:30 p.m., in Evelyn Hall**, James Reap, a preservation educator and consultant with the National Alliance of Preservation Commissions, will guide cottage owners through the principles that make architectural review work for everyone. Drawing on decades of experience advising preservation communities nationwide, he will explore how Bay View's review process can be structured to ensure legal defensibility, consistent treatment of property

owners, and respectful neighbor-to-neighbor dialogue.

Mr. Reap is an attorney, and a professor emeritus in the University of Georgia's College of Environment and Design. His experience in preservation includes service as Georgia's first regional preservation planner and as Deputy Executive Director of the Northeast Georgia Area Planning and Development Commission. In 2016, he was appointed to the Cultural Property Advisory Committee, U.S. State Department, by President Obama. As a Fulbright Scholar, he taught law and heritage conservation at the Jordan University of Science and Technology, and as a visiting professor at the Orenburg Institute of the Moscow State Law Academy. He has served as Chair of the City of Decatur and the DeKalb County preservation commissions and as Vice Chair of the Athens, Georgia commission.

This presentation will highlight nationally recognized best practices for local review commissions, offering practical guidance that can be applied immediately. Every cottage owner has a stake in this conversation — come prepared to ask questions and leave with a clearer understanding of how thoughtful stewardship protects both individual properties and the community as a whole.



James Reap

Bay View Museum

Visit the Bay View Museum Sunday after Assembly Worship until 1 p.m.

or Wednesdays from 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. to see our baseball exhibit, including a vintage uniform from the Basch Jewelers team and other memorabilia.

Baseball emerged as the most widely played sport in the U.S. by the late 19th century. It became a primary form of entertainment for communities, including Bay View. The sport represents a sense of nostalgia, and is a thread that connects families across generations.

Baseball is historically associated with democratic ideals, as the game's simple equipment and game rules made it accessible to people from all walks of life.

Baseball is not just a sport; it is a cultural legacy, a connector of generations, and a reflection of America's past, present, and future.

July 4th Celebrations Continue with American Experience Week!

Join us next week for the American Experience lectures, presented by University of Texas historian and popular lecturer, Professor **H.W. Brands**. This year's timely topic is the evolution of American foreign policy. The series begins on **Monday, July 6th**, with a talk entitled "*Splendid Isolation: George Washington to Franklin Roosevelt*". Copies of Professor Brands' most recent books can be purchased in the Gathering Post, including *American Patriarch: A Life of George Washington*.

Lectures:

- M-F July 6-10 10 a.m., in Voorhies Hall
- Tent talks, T/TH July 7 & 9, 4 p.m., under the Bay View Event Tent

This year for the first time, we will offer **live streaming** of the 10 a.m. Voorhies American Experience Lectures on our YouTube channel!

Bay View Memorial Garden

The blooming blooms and serene waters of the Bay View Memorial Garden serve as a sacred and peaceful haven along Little Traverse Bay. This poem celebrates this serene landscape and thanks God for His beautiful creation:

*Here by the bay where gentle waters flow,
Sweet buds of memory in silence grow.
Soft morning mist embraces every bloom,
Dispelling sorrow and the heavy gloom.*

*Along the shores of Little Traverse, deep and wide,
A peaceful haven rises with the tide.
The gentle breeze brings comfort to the soul,
Where nature's beauty makes the broken whole.*

*Petals of hope unfold in radiant light,
Chasing away the shadows of the night.
We walk these paths with gratitude and grace,
And thank our God for such a sacred place.*



Library News

Please support the Library by attending any of our regular activities and special events:

Regular Offerings:

Tuesday Storytime: 10 a.m. at the Bay View Library

Reading Bingo: Stop into the Library for a Bingo card, come back and get a prize!

Special Events:

July 6th: Library Puzzle Sale, **11 a.m. - 1 p.m.** in the Library Garden. Cash and checks only.

July 9th: Library Book Sale from **9 a.m. - 12 p.m.** in the Library Garden. Credit cards will be accepted again this year.

July 19th - 4 p.m. in Evelyn Hall: Visiting Author is **Stephen Mack Jones!** He is an award winning mystery writer and Michigan native whose *August Snow* novels are set in Detroit and the surrounding area. Jones won the Hammett Prize in 2017 for his first novel, *August Snow* and received a Michigan Notable designation in 2022. Light refreshments will be served.



Stephen Mack Jones



Memorials

Jeanne Andriot
Friday, July 10th
1 p.m.

Memorial Garden

(Open House to follow at 995 Brockway)

Campus Club

The Bay View Campus Club invites cottagers and guests to an engaging presentation by **Shane Horn, City Manager of Petoskey, on Tuesday, July 7th, from 7:30–8:30 p.m. in Voorhies Hall.**



Shane Horn

Bay View and Petoskey share a close and enduring relationship. Bay View residents depend on the City of Petoskey for essential services including electricity, water, and sewer service, while also benefiting from the community assets that make the Petoskey area one of Michigan's premier destinations. Together with neighboring communities, Bay View helps form a region known for its hospitality, culture, natural beauty, and quality of life.

Mr. Horn's presentation will provide an inside look at how the city operates and the challenges and opportunities it faces. Topics will include the 2026 city budget, major infrastructure and community improvement projects, lessons learned from the March 2025 ice storm, and a discussion of

common misconceptions about city government. A question-and-answer session will allow attendees to explore issues of particular interest to Bay View residents.

For those who live, work, volunteer, or spend summers in Bay View, understanding Petoskey's plans is important. Decisions involving utilities, streets, parks, public safety, economic development, and long-term infrastructure directly affect the quality of life enjoyed by both communities.

This presentation offers a unique opportunity to hear directly from the city's chief administrative officer about the future of Petoskey and the broader region we call home.

The program is free and open to the public.

Woman's Council

Please join us at the Woman's Council for our next meeting on **July 7th at 11:30 a.m.** Our program will be *"From the Diary-85 Years Ago"*. It will be a fascinating sharing by Sue Child of her father's World War II diary and his survival of the bombing of Pearl Harbor. The program will be followed by tea, snacks, and visits with old friends and new. **All are welcome.**

To honor a current or past Woman's Council or Morning Council member, leaf plaques for the Woman's Council/Morning Council Membership Tree may be purchased for \$100. Each leaf is engraved with the member's name and years of membership.

Mark your calendar for these important dates:

- **July 7th:** The Woman's Council Grant Applications are due by 5 p.m. Applications were emailed June 24th. Contact Mary Bowden

(dbowden6@aol.com) or Ada Skyles (adaskyles@gmail.com) if you need an application.

- **July 14th, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., at the Woman's Council Building: The Woman's Council Bazaar Returns!** There will be treasures, trinkets, delicious baked goods, Cooper's Creations, and a silent auction that includes vintage posters and other fabulous items.

Morning Council

The Morning Council is off to a strong start, welcoming many new and familiar faces. It has been fun to learn, connect, and serve together. This week will surely be engaging and interactive as Laura Bennet teaches how to take better pictures with your iPhone. Bring your phone and let's have fun!

Upcoming Meetings and Speakers, Thursdays at the Woman's Council building, beginning at **9:30 a.m.**, followed by a devotional and speaker at **10 a.m.**

July 9th: Laura Bennet - Taking Better Pictures with your iPhone

July 16th: Suzie Cartwright - Line Dancing

July 23rd: *Offsite* Meeting at

7 p.m. - Elder Piper Beer & Cider

July 30th: Annual Budget Meeting

August 6th: Last Meeting and Vote (Quorum Needed)

Please mark your calendars and attend our upcoming key community events!

- **Ice Cream Social, July 9th.**

To get involved and volunteer, apply online at the Bay View Association Volunteer Webpage bayviewassociation.org/volunteer.

- **Treasures in the Trees, July 18th** (July 25th rain date). To reserve your booth, email Sharon Sisskind at sharonsisskind@gmail.com.

We look forward to seeing you this summer!



DONATE BLOOD

Thursday
July

9

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Bay View Association Community Blood Drive

Campus Club
1900 Park Ave
Petoskey, MI 49770

APPOINTMENTS PREFERRED

- Call 866-642-5663
- Visit versiti.org/mi
- Or scan the QR code below

*Walk-ins welcome, as schedule allows!

One blood donation can save up to 3 lives! Every donation creates a ripple of hope. Make a lifesaving difference today— schedule your appointment!

Helpful tip:
Make sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.

For eligibility questions please call 866-642-5663



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Introducing Bay View's Environmental Interest Group (EIG)

Welcome to Bay View's newly-formed Environmental Interest Group! While Bay View is already quite environmentally aware, in the coming weeks EIG will be sharing with you some ideas about how to make our favorite Chautauqua environment even healthier.

Today's column is about **Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)** products, which require special disposal treatment. Such common products as weed killers, wasp spray, glass cleaners with ammonia, cleaners with chlorine, and certain solvents are all TOXIC, CORROSIVE, IGNITABLE, COMBUSTIBLE, or REACTIVE, and thus cannot be included in regular household trash. Thankfully, each year Emmet County Recycling offers two free HHW disposal opportunities at their nearby center, just 6 miles north of us on Pleasantview Road. Saturday, August 22nd is the next opportunity. You can register on their website (www.emmetrecycling.org) to reserve a drop-off time for August 22nd.

If you cannot get a drop-off appointment for August 22nd, or if you will not be in Bay View on that date, EIG volunteers are happy to provide options to assist you with dropping off your HHWs. For your convenience, their website also contains a list of HHW categories in alphabetical order.

Other important initiatives EIG is supporting include: composting, recycling, food collection (with Manna's assistance), new technology, rain barrels, rain gardens, and pollinator friendly gardening ideas, and products

CURBSIDE RECYCLING Refresher Guide

Bay View Association Edition

Divide and Conquer! Set your recyclables out in two "streams":

STREAM #1: Papers, Boxes, & Bags

STREAM #2: Mixed Containers

Set Out

Set Out By 7 AM

Set Out On

Thursdays

To Bag or Not to Bag?

To help us prevent litter AND sort the recyclables efficiently:

Please DO bag in translucent bags (i.e. plastic grocery bags):

- Plastic bags
- Shredded paper

Please do NOT bag: Paper or Cardboard unless shredded

Mixed Containers i.e. bottles, jars, tubs, cartons, cups

NO

NO tissue or towels NO Styrofoam™ items NO sharps NO non-container plastics, non-container metal, non-container glass

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Drop Off Large Cardboard

Take cardboard that is more than 24 inches wide and/or 24 inches long to a drop site, please.

Cardboard wider and/or longer than 24 inches CANNOT be collected curbside due to equipment dimensions.

FLATTEN ALL BOXES

Curbside recycling service is brought to you by your town or township at no additional cost to you. The service is operated by Emmet County Recycling—the same people who operate the recycling Drop-off Sites.

Questions?

Visit EmmetRecycling.org or call 231-348-0640

Emmet County Recycling

designed for environmentally cleaner living, among others.

EIG volunteers welcome you to join in these initiatives, or suggest new ones! For more information, or to join the group, contact Don Duquette at duquette@umich.edu or

Mary Mabry at mary@bayspring.net.

Look for us at a table outside of the Gathering Post, at our booth at Treasure in the Trees, and watch for flyers and posters on bulletin boards in Bay View.

REC CLUB CORNER



REC CLUB HOURS FOR



M - F
3 - 5 P.M.

FAMILY GAME NIGHT

TUESDAY, JULY 7
7 - 10 P.M.

WE WELCOME
PARENTS AND
KIDS 8+

TEEN NIGHT

THURSDAY, JULY 9
8 - 11 P.M.

WE WELCOME
TEENS 13+

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, July 5th

- **Holy Communion**
8:45 a.m. in Crouse Chapel
- **Big Sunday Coffee Hour**
9:30 a.m. in Evelyn Hall
- **Assembly Worship**
10:45 a.m. in Hall Auditorium
- **Vesper Concert - (Linus and Lucy)**
8 p.m. in Hall Auditorium

Monday, July 6th

- **Library Puzzle Sale**
11 a.m. in Library Garden
- **Burger Bash**
6 p.m. on Swift Field
- **Monday Night Movie - Fantastic Mr. Fox - 2009 (PG)**
7:30 p.m. in Voorhies Hall

Tuesday, July 7th

- **Woman's Council Program & Tea - "From the Diary - 85 years ago"**
1:30 p.m. at Woman's Council
- **Campus Club Program - City of Petoskey**
7:30 p.m. at Voorhies Hall

Wednesday, July 8th

- **Chamber Music Concert**
8 p.m. in Voorhies Hall

Thursday, July 9th

- **Library Book Sale**
9 a.m. in Library Garden
- **Morning Council**
9:30 a.m. (social time), 10 a.m. (business meeting & program) at the Woman's Council Building

Campus Club Blood Drive

- 10 a.m. at Campus Club
- **Morning Council Ice Cream Social**
6 p.m. at Woman's Council

Friday, July 10th

- **Scarrow Friday Forum - Benjamin Tallmadge and the Spy Ring that Saved a Revolution**
10 a.m. in Voorhies Hall
- **Boys' & Girls' Club "Battle of Bay View"**
10 a.m. in Bay View Woods
- **Musical: The Music Man**
8 p.m. in Hall Auditorium

Saturday, July 11th

- **Town Hall Meeting**
8:30 a.m. in Voorhies Hall
- **Musical: The Music Man**
8 p.m. in Hall Auditorium

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To be an institution in which Christian values* and traditions are central. To enrich the human experience for individuals and families within Bay View and the surrounding community through a seasonal program of religious, educational, cultural and recreational opportunities. To provide a Christian perspective in a changing world.

*Such as love, faith, grace, hope, respect, hospitality, and service to others.