

BALDWIN TOWNSHIP

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Baldwin FunFest

September 28, 2019

Noon to 4:00 p.m.

And

Car Show

Did you know that Young Park, located at 11141—305th Avenue NW in Baldwin Township has hosted a yearly celebration for the residents of Baldwin Township so that the children (and adults) may enjoy the amenities of the park? Young Park features a playground for the children, walking trails, a picnic area, basketball hoop And baseball field. The Park is a beautiful addition to our community.

On Saturday, September 28, Baldwin FunFest and Car Show will again be a fun time for all. The children will be able to participate in some games, face painting, hay ride and bouncy house ... as well as explore and climb on the township and fire trucks.

The Baldwin Township Fire Relief will be offering hotdogs and brats to benefit their Fire Relief Fund. Popcorn will be available for free.

Show your classic or hotrod car. Trophies will be given for the top 10 and Best of Show.



See you there!

Saturday, September 28

Noon to 4:00 pm

Baldwin Township at Young Park

CAR SHOW



**Free to the Public * Show Your Vehicle \$5 Sign Up
Trophies * People's Choice * Door Prizes * Music * Food**
Proceeds from Food Benefit the Baldwin Township Fire Relief Association

Baldwin FunFest 2019

BALDWIN TOWNSHIP FUNFEST



Children Games
Face Painting
Free Popcorn
Bouncy House
Touch-a-Truck
Mounted Police

Live Music
And MORE!!

Sponsored by the Baldwin Township Volunteer Corps

Located at
Young Park, Baldwin Township
11141—305th Avenue NW
Princeton, MN 55371

CAR SHOW SPACE IS LIMITED

Pre-register call or email
for information:
Baldwin Town Hall 763-389-8931
Dick 763-389-3537
Jay or Carol 763-631-8545
Email cathy.stevens@baldwintwpmn.com
Registration Opens at 9:00 a.m.

The **Baldwin Park Committee** would like your feedback on future parks in the township? What amenities would the community like to see? Currently Baldwin township has two parks: Young Park and Goose Lake Park. Young Park features a pavilion, baseball field and walking trails. Goose Lake Park will be featuring a picnic area, walking trails and fishing/boating facilities. Other ideas for parks would possibly be:

- * Frisbee Golf Park
- * Athletic Field (Soccer / Open Field)
- * Dog Park
- * Cross-Fit Stations on Walking Trails
- * Outdoor Hockey Rink

Please contact the townhall by phone (763-389-8931) or email Cheryl.Dobson@baldwintwpmn.com with your feedback. Park board meetings are held at the townhall every third Thursday of the month.

BE A PART OF YOUR COMMUNITY

The **Baldwin Volunteer Corps** is looking for volunteers to help plan, organize and promote the Baldwin FunFest. The committee meets monthly from February thru September on the 4th Monday at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Please contact the townhall at 763-389-8931 or Cheryl.Dobson@baldwintwpmn.com if interested.

COMMUNITY BUSINESS HIGHLIGHT



* New Ownership in May 2016 *

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Phone: (763) 389-4013
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For over 30 years Premier Powder Coating has been a trusted source in powder coating for companies large and small. Utilizing our large batch, and large envelope automatic conveyor line we can tackle most anything customers throw our way.

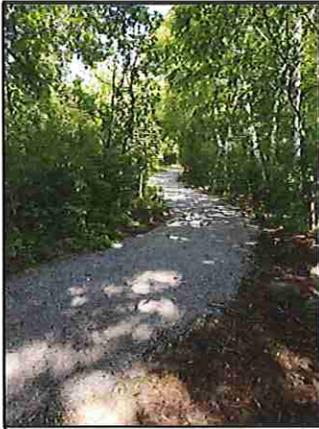
If you're a local business and would like to be featured in our next newsletter, please contact us.



Baldwin Township Clean Up Day 2019

Clean Up Day 2019 was another successful event. Baldwin Township conducts an annual Cleanup Day at which residents can drop off certain recyclable and waste materials. This year 341 residents participated. There were over 760 tires, 226 appliances and 103 pieces of furniture which ensure that the recyclable and waste materials were properly disposed of.

Sincere thank you to Sherburne County, Jim's Mille Lacs Disposal, the Princeton Blue Line Hockey team, the Princeton Football Booster Club, and the Baldwin Township Supervisors and Maintenance personnel.



Goose Lake Park

Goose Lake Park located on the northwest corner of 285th Avenue NW and 134th Street NW in Baldwin Township is a wonder land consisting of a walking trail, wildlife exploration and picnic area. The Park Committee is working with the DNR to provide canoe racks and a possible fishing pier.

Aquatic Invasive Species Alert



Shoreland owners—keep an eye out for Aquatic Invasive Species

After a summer filled with boating and swimming, the fall season is fast approaching with all of its own joys and activities. It's also time for the "cabin close-up", which is a wonderful opportunity to inspect for Aquatic Invasive Species on docks, swim rafts, and other water-related equipment that are being removed from the water. These items have been in the water for months, creating a secure space for zebra mussels, quagga mussels, and other invasive to take hold. Along with visually inspecting pontoons, boat lifts, dock posts, etc. for full-grown adults, it may be necessary to run your hands along smooth surface to locate young mussels. When small, juveniles will feel gritty, like sandpaper underneath your fingertips. If you do find and/or suspect a new infestation of any invasive species, please call a local DNR AIS Specialist or the SWCD Water Resource Specialist using the contact information below.

DNR AIS Specialist, Central Region: Christine Jurek: 320-223-7847

DNR AIS Specialist, Central Region: Courtney Millaway: 320-223-7847

Sherburne SWCD, Water Resource Specialist: Dan Cibulka 763-567-5369

Baldwin Fireman's Dance

On September 28 at the Pizza Pub in Princeton, the Baldwin Fire Department is holding their annual Fireman's Dance and raffle with proceeds to benefit the Baldwin Fire Relief Association.

Raffle tickets are for sale for \$10.00. Prizes include an Ice Fishing Package worth \$1,700, a Fishing Trip to Rainy River Lodge worth \$1,500 and a Guided Pheasant Hunt worth \$900 plus many more prizes. The drawing will be held at 9:00 p.m. at the Pizza Pub. You need not be present to win.

Calendar of Events

(Unless otherwise noted, all meetings start at 7:00 p.m.)

September 1	LABOR DAY (office closed)
September 9	Town Board Regular Meeting
September 19	Park Committee Meeting
September 23	Town Board Regular Meeting
September 25	Planning Commission Meeting
September 28	BALDWIN TOWNSHIP FUNFEST At Young Park
September 30	Baldwin Volunteer Corps Meeting
October 7	Town Board Regular Meeting
October 17	Park Committee Meeting
October 21	Town Board Regular Meeting
October 23	Planning Commission Meeting
November 4	Town Board Regular Meeting
November 11	VETERANS DAY OBSERVED (office closed)
November 18	Town Board Regular Meeting
November 21	Park Committee Meeting
November 27	Planning Commission Meeting
November 28	THANKSGIVING (office closed)

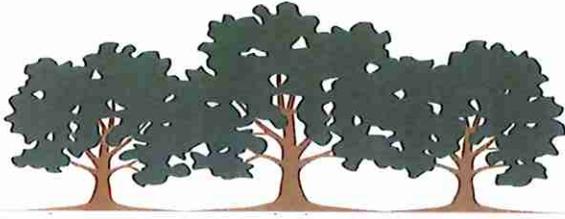
Retraction: Mailboxes. The drawing showing installation dimensions of mailboxes is not an official drawing or policy of Baldwin Township. The article establishes 15' from the edge of the pavement as the datum. The correct right-of-way is 33' from the center of the easement.

Disclaimer: Baldwin Township has not established that outdoor cats are detrimental or have a devastating impact on a wide variety of wildlife species.



Baldwin Township New Email Addresses

Clerk	Cathy.Stevens@baldwintwp.mn.com
Deputy Clerk	Cheryl.Dobson@baldwintwpmn.com
Maintenance	Maintenance@baldwintwpmn.com
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From left to right: Shawn Frink, Jean Stoinski, Chief Scott Case and Chad Miller.

A sincere thank you to Jim Oliver and Mike Rademacher who have recently retired from the Baldwin Fire Department for their many years of service, loyalty, commitment and dedication to the residents of Baldwin Township.

To the Baldwin Township Firefighters:

'Thank you for spending countless hours at the firehouse. Thank you for waking up at 2:00 am to help save a family whose house burst into flames. Thank you for saving the life of someone's father when he went into cardiac arrest. Thank you for using the Jaws of Life to extract the woman who was hit head-on. Thank you for being so selfless that you do not even think twice when you run into a burning building.

You are heroes.

Thank you. Thank you for constantly running towards what others run from. Thank you for saving so many lives. Thank you for being an important part of the community. Firefighters, whether paid or not, make an incredible difference in our lives. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.'

Excerpts by Gabriella Maria Mellie

Baldwin Newsletter prepared by Cheryl Goetz Dobson with final approval by the Baldwin Board of Supervisors

The Baldwin Fire Department would like to thank Jean Stoinski for her unwavering support and generosity.

On June 18, the Baldwin Fire Department awarded Honorary Firefighter, posthumously, to Keith Stoinski. His wife, Jean, accepted the award..



Jean Stoinski and Chief Scott Case