Village of Millerton Fall Newsletter

Northside Main Street Sidewalks - Spring 2024 marks a significant milestone as the Village finalized 700 linear feet of sidewalk and curbing along the North side of Main Street. This vital project commences at the intersection of Rt. 44 and Dutchess Ave., extending seamlessly to the new crosswalk in front of the North East-Millerton Library. Funding for this transformative initiative is made possible through the Dutchess County Community Block Grant Program.

Message from Highway DPW - As an extension of the 2019 WIIA grant, we are embarking on a critical project to replace undersized and damaged hydrants with updated isolation valves. Therefore, water service interruptions can be expected between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on 10/9/2024 - 11/25/2024. We will put notices on the buildings affected prior to interruption.

NY SWIMS Capital Grant Program - The Village of Millerton was awarded \$6.385 million to build an ADA-compliant community pool, bathhouse, community room, and septic system at Eddie Collins Memorial Park. Mayor Najdek hopes there will be a groundbreaking in the fall of 2025.

Water Meter Update: The Millerton Water District is on the verge of completing its water meter installation project. Thanks to the WIIA Grant (Water Infrastructure Improvement Grant), 435/482 water meters that can be read remotely have been successfully installed. This advancement aims to empower the water district in swiftly identifying water leaks and ensuring accurate billing.

Law No. 2 of 2022 - Property owners using water supplied by the Village Water District that do not arrange for or allow for the installation of a water meter upon or within their property shall be liable for a fine of \$250. 00 per quarter for each quarter, or portion thereof.

Leaf Pickup Begins - It's that time of year when we gather leaves for disposal. If you'd like to dispose of yours, kindly place leaves at the property line near the road and the Highway Department will dispose of them when they come through.

Medical Waste Box - A Medical Waste Box is available in the Village Hall at 5933 N. Elm Avenue. The Village Hall is open Monday-Thursday 9am-4pm and the Medical Waste Box can be accessed during those hours. The following waste items are accepted at this Medical Waste Box: prescription medications, prescription ointments, prescription patches, over-the-counter medications, vitamins, samples, and pet medications. Waste segregation can help reduce the risk of injury or exposure so the following items are NOT accepted at this medical waste box: hydrogen peroxide, inhalers, thermometers, needles (sharps), ointments, lotions, liquids, and aerosol cans.

Veteran's Day at Memorial Park - Join the American Legion #178 as they host a Veterans Day ceremony at Memorial Park on November 11, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.

North East-Millerton Library Events - Oct. 5th 10:00-12:00 Kids Clothing Swap; Every 2nd Wednesday Library Trustee Meeting 6:00p-7:00p; Every 3rd Thursday Quilting and Sewing Group 10:00a-3:00p. Visit the North East-Millerton Library's calendar on their website to find more information and view more events!

Climate Smart - A Community Conversation will be hosted on October 26, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. in the Millerton Library Annex. Join in to compare systems, learn about financial incentives, and meet installers and advisors. Hosted by Climate Smart Millerton and NorthEast-Millerton Library. Find more info at CSMillerton.org

Youth Democracy Project - Live music and food will be provided by the Berkshire Taconic Community Foundation and will be hosted at Eddie Collins Memorial Park on October 27, 2024 from 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Festival of Frights - Join the community for a spooky night in the Village on October 31, 2024 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. As the Irondale Schoolhouse and North East-Millerton Library host the annual Festival of Frights. This year features the Haunted Schoolhouse, Trunk-or-Treat, food, and more.