



UPCOMING HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Friday, December 23 - Closing at 12pm

Monday, December 26 - Closed

Friday, December 30 - Closing at 12pm

Monday, January 2 - Closed



Run for Office!

Want to be more involved in the community? Have you considered running for Village Board? Three Village Trustee seats and the seat of Village President are up for election in April. The incumbent Trustees are Scott Patchin, Tyler Munson, and Jared Brammerson, and the President is Mitch Hodson. Terms last two years. Contact the Village Office for more information and find out how to get your paperwork!

Property Tax Bills

Property tax bills will be mailed to you on December 19th and the first half of your tax bill is due for payment by January 31st.

Santa Open House!

Sunday, December 4th | 1-4pm

**Black Earth History Center
1022 Blue Mounds St**

Black Earth Historical Society is again hosting its annual Santa Open House. This year, Santa will appear to visit with each child during an event-filled afternoon at the History Center, 1022 Blue Mounds Street from 1-4pm, Sunday December 4th.

Blood Drive at District One EMS

Saturday, December 10 | 7am-11am

316 W. Commercial St, Mazomanie

Give blood this holiday season! District One EMS is hosting a Red Cross blood drive to help those in need. To make an appointment, call 1-800-733-2767 (1-800 RED CROSS) or visit RedCrossBlood.org with Sponsor Code: Mazomanie.

Community Visioning Session

The Black Earth Parks Committee needs to hear from you! There will be a Community Visioning Session & Public Hearing on **Tuesday, January 17th at 6:00 pm** at the Village Hall. This is an open forum to share your thoughts and ideas to guide the future planning of the parks in the Village. If you aren't able to make the meeting, please send your written comments to Dani at beclerk@blackearthwisconsin.com or via mail to the village office.



Holiday Library Hours

Friday, December 23: Open 9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
 Saturday, December 24 – Monday, December 26: Closed
 Monday, January 2: Closed



Stop by the library and check out our new carpets!

Regular Library Hours

Monday - Thursday: 9:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Friday: 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 10 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

The library will still offer contactless service for those who prefer to pick up holds by appointment. Please call 608-767-4905.

Activity Grab Bags for Kids

A new bag containing activity sheets, stickers, and a craft will be available starting Thursday, December 1. Stop by the library or call 608-767-4905 to have a bag set aside.

Black Earth Historical Society 2023

Calendars are Available!

Buy yours for only \$15 at the Library or at 1531 Center St. from 9am-4pm. You may also order by mail. Send \$18 (\$16 each additional copy mailed) to Black Earth Historical Society, PO Box 214, Black Earth, WI. 53515.

Winter Break Wii Games!

Wed, December 28 | 12pm-2pm

Join us during winter break for Wii Games at the library! Best for school age kids, but the whole family is welcome.

Storytime at the Library

December 6, 13, 20, 27 | 11:30am-12pm

Join us on Tuesdays for stories, songs, and fun activities with friends. Best for babies and toddlers, but everyone is always welcome.

Toddler Art at the Library

December 6, 13, 20, 27 | 12pm-12:30pm

Come create, explore, and play at the library! Our art experiments for little hands are designed to encourage curiosity and build motor skills. Enjoy the process and dress for a mess!

Friends of the Black Earth Library Silent Art Auction

Friday, November 18 - Friday, December 9

The annual Silent Art Auction is sponsored by the Friends of the Black Earth Library as a fundraiser, and all funds raised directly benefit the Black Earth Library. Stop in and bid on hand-made goods and art just in time for the holidays! Winning bids will be announced Friday, December 9 at 4:00 p.m.

