

Talk of the Town

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John Krentz, Supervisor

Another busy summer and fall have passed and now we are heading into winter. I hope everyone was able to enjoy the summer and especially the beautiful U.P. fall we had. There were a lot of activities around the park this summer and the 2026 SummerFest was well attended. I would like to thank the park board members and all the volunteers who participated in making it successful.

With school back in session, I would like to remind all drivers to watch out for students and buses. Make sure you stop for any bus that is dropping off or picking up students. Make sure to slow down in the school zones. Remember, besides Rudyard Area School, the Christian School on Tilson Road is also a school zone. Please slow down for the safety of all staff and students.

Township Board meetings are held every third Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the Township office. We welcome the public to attend these meetings.

The township board and planning commission have been working on updating our Master Plan. Watch for information on our Facebook page and/or website for the public comment period on the Master Plan.

Upcoming Events in November

General Election Early Voting

Sat. Oct 24th thru Sun. Nov 1st
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Kinross Township Hall

General Election Day

Tuesday, Nov. 3rd
7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Rudyard Township Hall

Thanksgiving Community Dinner

Sat., Nov 21st
11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Rudyard High School Cafeteria
Sponsored by H.E.A.R.T

The Mollie R. Kahl Community Library

We are having a paint and sip event with mocktails on the 12th of November at 6:00 p.m.

The next big event is that every library patron in the Superior District Library service area will be issued a new library card. All cards will look the same for everyone and can be used at any of our 8 libraries. We will start this process at the Mollie R. Kahl Community Library on November 16th. When you come into the library we will give you a new card. Those that use our audio and e-book programs will need to enter those numbers in and re-enter your password so that your program continues delivering content to you. Your old numbers will work until you have an opportunity to get your new card from us. Call 906-478-4504 with any questions.

Donna Porterfield

Upcoming Events in December

Tree Lighting & Santa Visit
Friday, Dec 4th @ 6:30 p.m.

Hiawatha Community Christmas Concerts
Sunday, Dec 13th @ 7 p.m. at the Rudyard Christian Reformed Church on Tilson Rd., Rudyard & Tuesday, Dec 15th @ 7 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church in Sault Ste Marie, MI

Secretary of State Mobile Unit
Wed., Dec 16th @ Rudyard Township Hall from 11:00 to 1:00



Lions Club

Ticket sales for the Rudyard Lions **Weekly Draw Raffle** are available for purchase. \$100 first prize and \$25 second prize are drawn each week, plus two bonus draws per year of \$250. Every ticket remains in the mix for every drawing all year long. Call 906-478-4191 or 906-478-3491 if you would like to purchase a ticket. The Rudyard Lions provides community services and donated over \$21,000 last year to local, UP wide, and international projects. Anyone interested in becoming a Rudyard Lions Club member can contact a Lions Club member or call 906-478-5244. Lions Club is the world's largest service organization!

Warmth for Warriors

The Rudyard based *Warmth for Warriors* (501-c3) organization continues to support active and retired military personnel and their families by supplying handmade knitted hats and holiday stockings to individuals located in the U.S. and around the world. The group is always looking for addresses for groups or individuals who would like to receive their services. If you have an address to share or would like to donate, contact Gary Davis. President at garydavis@centurytel.net