



CHAMBER CHATTER

JULY 2022

NEWSLETTER

CELEBRATE
Fourth OF *July*

Parade: 10 AM | SUPERIOR AVENUE
Social: 11 AM | FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Fireworks: 10 PM | RECREATION PARK

- 10 am:** The Parade will start at 10 am and travel south down the north bound lane of Superior Avenue.
- 11 am:** Following the Parade, head over to First United Methodist Church to enjoy lunch and homemade pie with ice cream at the 4th of July Social, located at 1105 Butts Avenue. Be sure to get there before 2 pm!
- 10 pm:** Check out the fireworks display at Recreation Park, located at 1625 Butts Avenue. Sponsors of the fireworks include the Tomah Lions Club, City of Tomah, and Tomah Fire Department.

BUSINESS AFTER 5 *Wednesday July 27th*

Join the Tomah & Sparta Chambers for
FUN, FOOD, DRINKS, DOOR PRIZES & JOIN US FOR ONE OF BEST NETWORKING EVENTS OF THE YEAR!
 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE!
bit.ly/ba5fair

5PM AT THE FAIRGROUNDS IN TOMAH UNDER THE BIG TENT!

Monroe County Fair
 July 27 - 31, 2022
 VISIT MONROECOUNTYFAIRWI.COM
 FOR MORE DETAILS
 Like us on Facebook!

MONROE COUNTY FAIR

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Happy Chamber-versary!

JUNE 2022 MEMBER RENEWALS

The businesses and organizations below represent 730 years of membership with the Chamber.

Thank you for your trust in our work and partnering with us to strengthen our community.

American Family Ins - Jeremy Haldeman, 20 years North American Squirrel Association (n.a.s.a), 4 years

Covia, 8 years

Oakdale Electric Cooperative, 42 years

Cram Inc, 2 years

Perkins Restaurant & Bakery, 24 years

Dean's Refrigeration & Heating, 43 years

RE/MAX RealPros, 1 year

Down A Country Road, 28 years

Superior Automotive, 13 years

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 8 years

The Baker's Table, 4 years

H & H Holdings Group, LLC, 43 years

The Carlton Restaurant and Lounge, 2 years

Holthaus Ins & Fin Srv, Inc. - State Farm, 22 years

Tomah Environmental Contractors (TEC), 43 years

Jodi Powers, 6 years

Tomah Health, 43 years

Johnson of WI Transport Co., 43 years

Tomah Lumber, Inc., 43 years

Lamar, 38 years

Toro Company Vendor #211575, 47 years

Larkin's GMC, Inc., 43 years

Walmart, 2 years

Mary Kay Cadillac Sales Director, 7 years

Walmart Distribution Center, 22 years

Mayo Clinic Health System, 43 years

Wes Revels, 4 years

Meadow Valley Log Homes, 5 years

Western Technical College, 43 years

Mitotec Precision, 1 year

Wisconsin Cranberry Discovery Center, 33 years

Chamber membership is open to all area businesses and organizations who want to promote their business, increase their visibility, strengthen our community, or simply just to support our scope of work.

Opportunities Await...Join Us!

Your Leadership Team

Our Chamber and CVB Boards are comprised of community members who are nominated and voted to serve and support the Tomah Chamber & Visitors Center organization.

CHAMBER BOARD

BOARD OFFICERS

Chair: Chris Keene, Keene's Transfer

Past Chair: Jeremy Haldeman, American Family Insurance

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Tyson Koput, Taphouse Twenty

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Megan Divyak, Membership & Marketing Manager

Berta Downs, Tourism & Marketing Support



SPARTA & TOMAH AREA ECONOMIC OUTLOOK ROUNDTABLE



BDGR

Business Development and Government Relations

FRIDAY, JULY 1ST, 2022, 1-2PM
SPARTA AMERICAN LEGION
1116 ANGELO ROAD
SPARTA, WI 54656

RSVP AT:
bit.ly/DORroundtable

Join the Sparta and Tomah Chambers as the Wisconsin Department of Revenue hosts an Economic Outlook Roundtable on July 1st at the American Legion in Sparta. Attend in-person or virtually, reservation required. Register at bit.ly/DORroundtable.

DOWNTOWN THURSDAY NIGHTS

Free Admission!



MILITARY APPRECIATION NIGHT



Featuring: HILLBILLY ROCKSTARZ

**Thursday, July 7, 2022
from 6:00 –9:00 p.m.
Downtown Tomah, Wis.**

**The Tomah Chamber of Commerce and
Tomah area businesses recognize,
appreciate, and thank our **Active Duty,
Reserve, National Guard** service men and
women and **Veterans**.**

**800 Superior Avenue, Tomah
downtownthursdaynights.com**



Chamber & Visitors Center
TOMAH
310 NORTH SUPERIOR AVENUE
TOMAH, WI 54660

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BA5 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES (at Monroe County Fair)

- Event Sponsor \$200 (unlimited)
 - Door Prize Sponsor
 - Check Included
 - Send Invoice
- Business Name: _____
Contact Name: _____
Phone Number: _____
Email: _____

Sponsors will be recognized on all print/online promotional materials



Exclusive Chamber Member Benefit

Has it been awhile since you reviewed your 401(k) Plan with your employees?

Or are you looking for ways to save money and offer valuable retirement benefits?



The Tomah Chamber & Visitors Center is excited to announce a new 401(k) Program we are now offering, exclusively to Chamber Members.

We are partnering with Ameriprise Financial - Carlson Advisors to administer the Multiple Employer Aggregation Program (MEAP).

If you think your business can't afford a 401(k) Plan, consider the advantages of joining a MEAP.



Carlson Advisors

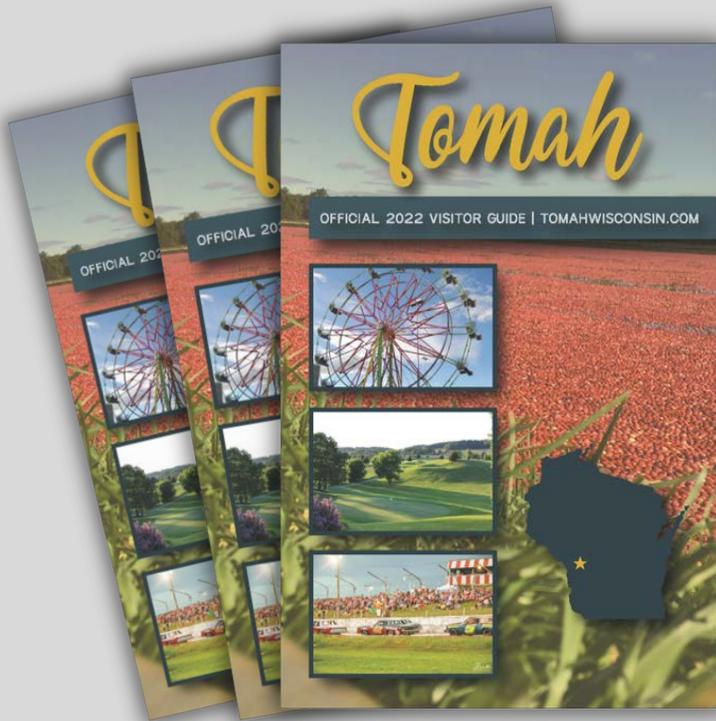
A financial advisory practice of
Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc.

Contact Rick Carlson or Martha Klatt, Financial Advisors at Ameriprise Financial, to help decide if joining a MEAP is right for you!

For more information, contact Rick or Martha at 608-372-9444.

2022

Tomah Visitor Guides



Visit the Chamber office to pick up a Visitor Guide or call us and we will mail one to you!

The digital copy of the Visitor Guide can be accessed [HERE](#).

OUR OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

In observance of Independence Day, the Tomah Chamber & Visitors Center office will be **CLOSED** on Monday, July 4th.

Enjoy the holiday celebrations!

JULY EVENTS

1 | Sparta and Tomah Area Economic Outlook Roundtable - Tomah & Sparta Area Chambers of Commerce & WI Department of Revenue

1 pm - 2 pm | Sparta American Legion, 1116 Angelo Rd., Sparta

The Sparta and Tomah Chambers, along with the Wisconsin Department of Revenue (DOR) will host an Economic Outlook Roundtable on July 1st. Attend in-person or virtually; reservation required. Register at bit.ly/DORroundtable.

4 | 4th of July Parade & Celebration - Tomah Chamber & Visitors Center

10 am | Superior Ave., Tomah

Join us for our annual 4th of July celebration on Superior Ave.!! View more information on Facebook [HERE](#).

4 | 4th of July Social - First United Methodist Church

Following the Parade - 2 pm | 1105 Butts Ave., Tomah



After the 4th of July Parade, make your way to the Church to enjoy lunch and homemade pie with ice cream! More information on lunch menu prices can be found on the website [HERE](#).

4 | 4th of July Fireworks Show - Tomah Lions Club

10 pm | Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Ave., Tomah

Get ready for a great fireworks show! Thanks to the Sponsors of the fireworks: Tomah Lions Club, City of Tomah, and the Tomah Fire Department.

5 | Second Harvest Food Pantry

4 pm | Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Ave., Tomah

Always the first Tuesday of the month. Pick-up items in the Gold Building at Recreation Park. Volunteers are welcome to help with food distribution. If interested in volunteering, contact Darold at 262-470-1714.

7-9 | Home Décor Inventory and Art Sale - JimCharles Studios

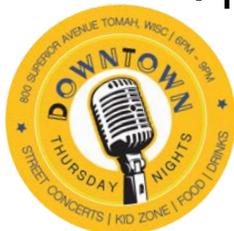
Hours Vary | 702 Superior Ave., Tomah

Thinking about redecorating your home? JimCharles Studios is having a huge sale and has plenty of unique options to bring your home to life! Sale hours are 9 am - 4 pm on Thursday and Friday and 9 am - 3 pm on Saturday. View more information and photos on Facebook [HERE](#).

7 | Downtown Thursday Nights **Military Appreciation Night** - Tomah Chamber & Visitors Center

6 pm - 9 pm | 800 & 900 Blocks of Superior Ave., Tomah

We're excited to host **Military Appreciation Night** for our friends, family, and neighbors who are currently serving or who have served in the past. Join us for a night of great music, featuring [Hillbilly Rockstarz](#). Mashing up influences from Pop, Rock and Dance, combined with their high energy, they will keep you dancing all night long. Free admission, food, drinks, and a Kid Zone!



7 | Book Sale - Tomah Public Library

6 pm - 9 pm | 716 Superior Ave., Tomah

Books, DVDs, audiobooks, and CDs will be for sale!!! For questions, contact 608-374-7470.

JULY EVENTS

8-9 | Feed My Starving Children (FMSC) - Tomah Area

MobilePack

Times Vary | Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Ave., Tomah

By volunteering, donating, or fundraising, your generosity makes a huge difference in the lives of thousands of children in need around the world. Join FMSC Tomah Area MobilePack for the two-day event. Kids and adults of all ages will hand-pack over 100,000 nutritious MannaPack® meals specifically designed to assist in reversing and preventing undernutrition. Donate to a great cause or register to volunteer at give.fmsc.org/tomah. For questions, call 608-343-5727 or email fmsctomah@gmail.com.

9 | Squirrelfest - North American Squirrel Association (nasa)

10 am - 6 pm | Winnebago Park, 1020 Brandon St., Tomah

A free, fun, family-friendly festival featuring live music, great food, kids' games and activities, free pontoon boat rides, bouncy houses, and much more!! Squirrelfest kicks off with a city-wide scavenger hunt for the "Golden Acorn" with clues posted on the [Tomah Squirrels Facebook page](#) beginning July 1st. The lucky winner will be awarded \$250 in Tomah Bucks. More information can be found on their website at tomahsquirrels.org.

13-14 | 16th Annual Wisconsin Government Opportunities Business Conference (GOBC) - Volk Field Air National Guard (ANG) and Fort McCoy

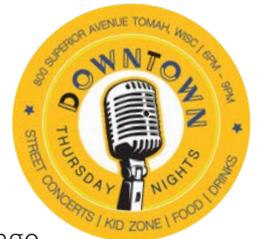
8 am - 4 pm | Volk Field ANG Base, 100 Independence Dr., Camp Douglas

The GOBC Business Conference serves as an opportunity for local businesses to fulfill Federal, State, and Local Government contracts and subcontracts in Central Wisconsin. Registration is open at wigobc.org. For questions, contact Caroline Boettcher at CarolineB@wispro.org or 414-270-3600.

14 | Downtown Thursday Nights - Tomah Chamber & Visitors Center

6 pm - 9 pm | 800 & 900 Blocks of Superior Ave., Tomah

[SuperTuesday](#) will be bringing their drink-raising, dance-a-billy, funfest skills to the next level with a show full of synchronized lighting and video. They are inspired by artists like Bon Jovi, Brothers Osborne, Journey, Michael Jackson, Little Big Town, and Luke Bryan (just to name a few). Be sure to head to the "[Downtown Thursday Nights](#)" Facebook page for more information and updates!



15 | One-Year Anniversary Celebration - Hesgard Collision Center, LLC

11 am - 1 pm | 1110 Townline Rd., Tomah

Join Hesgard Collision Center in Tomah to celebrate their one-year anniversary! Purchase lunch from The Loaded Bun's food truck! For each meal purchased, Hesgard will donate a portion of the sales to USO (United Service Organization). And....enter a drawing to win a free oil change service!



16 | Summer BBQ In The Park - Soberize Inc. (Sober Eyes)

12 pm | Winnebago Park, 1020 Brandon St., Tomah

It's a sober social, open to the public and a celebration of our recovery community. Bring your friends, family, and a dish to pass if possible. Pulled pork sandwiches, brats, and hotdogs will be provided while supplies last. View more information on Facebook [HERE](#).

17 | Grown-Up Movie Night - Tomah Public Library

2 pm - 5 pm | 716 Superior Ave., Tomah

The featured movie for Grown-Up Movie Night will be "The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent." Free admission and free popcorn! Must be age 18 and older to attend. View more information on their website [HERE](#).

JULY EVENTS

20-21 | Community Blood Drive - Tomah Health

12 pm - 5 pm | Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Ave., Tomah

Save a life by donating blood. Tomah Health and Versiti Blood Center of Wisconsin are joining forces to meet area blood needs by holding a two-day Blood Drive from Noon - 5 pm. Join the cause and donate blood to help our community. All attempting donors will receive a coupon for a FREE PINT of frozen custard from Tomah Culver's. To register for a donation time, visit the Tomah Health website at tomahhealth.org.

21 | Business After 5 at the Monroe County Fair - Tomah & Sparta Chambers

5 pm | Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Park, Tomah

Join us for the biggest networking event of the year under the big tent! This event kicks off the Monroe County Fair! Free admission, food, networking, beer, and prizes! More information can be found on Facebook [HERE](#). Contact the Chamber if you are interested in a sponsorship opportunity or sign up [HERE](#)!



27-31 | Monroe County Fair - Monroe County Agricultural Society

Daily Events | Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Ave., Tomah

Carnival rides, animal exhibits, talent search, championship rodeo, motocross races, car show, live music Friday and Saturday nights, beer, food, and more! Check out the daily schedule on the Monroe County Fair website [HERE](#).

21 | Downtown Thursday Nights - Tomah Chamber & Visitors Center

6 pm - 9 pm | 800 & 900 Blocks of Superior Ave., Tomah

[Soca Jukebox](#) will knock your socks off! Their crowd-pleasing unique blend of Island-Rock covers everything: classic hits in Rock, Reggae, Country, Calypso and Soca ("SO-ul CALypso") infused with charisma, humor, false bravado and Rasta-goodness. This five-piece ensemble features a battery of shimmering steel pans, an array of Latin percussion, a fastidious rhythm section and incendiary guitar work.



August

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



JULY EVENTS

REOCCURRING

Summer Food Drive - River Bank

Thru July 15 | 1301 Superior Ave., Tomah

After the winter and holiday season, food banks tend to receive fewer donations and have a lower supply of items. That's where River Bank comes in! The local Tomah branch is holding a food drive and items donated will go to the local pantry - Neighbor for Neighbor!!! Help make a difference in our community by dropping off your non-perishable food and personal hygiene items **by July 15th!**



Monroe County National Night Out (NNO) Booth Registration

July 22 Registration Deadline | Recreation Park, 1625 Butts Ave., Tomah

NNO is an event in which police, emergency responders, and the community come together to promote safety, health, anti-crime activities, and neighborhood friendliness. Get involved by hosting a booth! The annual event will take place on August 2nd at Recreation Park from 4 pm - 8 pm. View more information by accessing the registration form [HERE](#).

Baseball Games - La Crosse Loggers Baseball Club

Thru August 13 | 1225 Caledonia St., La Crosse

Logger fans! Don't miss any of the action this season! View/access the 2022 schedule [HERE](#); view more information at lacrosseloggers.com; or contact 608-796-9553.

Commemorative Area & History Center - Fort McCoy

Thru August 26 | 1654 S 11th Ave., Fort McCoy

Learn about the history of Fort McCoy! Open weekly on Fridays (May 27 - August 26): 12 pm - 4 pm and other dates listed in the flyer [HERE](#). Visitors must have valid ID and be eligible for a visitor's pass. For more information, call 608-388-2407 or visit their website at home.army.mil/mccoy.

Food Distribution - Neighbor for Neighbor Food Pantry

Weekly Distribution | Hours Vary | 118 W. Veterans St., Tomah

Monroe County residents - if money is tight and you're struggling to put food on the table, come to the Food Pantry! More information on distribution days/times and total household income guidelines can be found [HERE](#), or contact 608-372-6737.

Arts and Crafts - Craft Time Studio

Weekly Classes | 22493 WIS-21, Tomah

Looking to get crafty?! So many options to choose from. View more information on class dates and times on Facebook [HERE](#).

Bingo - Kupper Ratsch Senior Center

Weekly on Mondays, Thursdays, & Fridays | 1 pm | 1002 Superior Ave., Tomah

Who doesn't love bingo!? Only 50 cents a card - come out and play!



Free Pool - The Break Room Sports Bar and Grill

Weekly on Tuesdays | 1123 Superior Ave., Tomah

Free pool every Tuesday! View on Facebook [HERE](#).

Euchre - Kupper Ratsch Senior Center

Weekly on Tuesdays | 1 pm | 1002 Superior Ave., Tomah

Play the "trick-taking" card game each Tuesday - \$2 to play and 10 cents a bump!

JULY EVENTS

REOCCURRING

Education/Networking Meetings - BNI Cran-Country Referrals

Weekly on Wednesdays | 8 am | Blackberry Hill Adult Family Home, 1116 Superior Ave., Tomah

BNI (Business Network International) has featured speakers each week. They are hosting weekly business education/networking meetings in-person; virtual option is available. Visitors are welcome to participate and attend by accessing the online meeting link [HERE](#); link ID: 978 4656 9031 For questions, contact Wendy Wright at 608-343-3936 or Tabitha Lueneburg at 608-393-6552.

- July 6: Dan Lueck, Accountant - CLA
- July 13: Valerie Smith, Owner - Blackberry Hill, Inc Adult Family Homes
- July 20: Don Root, Owner - Donald Root Insurance Services specializing in Medicare
- July 27: Carolyn Johnson, Greater Insurance Services, Owner

Moving Past Trauma - CBD American Shaman

Weekly on Wednesdays | 3 pm | 201 Helen Walton Dr., Suite 6, Tomah

An hour of group healing every Wednesday. Remove the negative and replace it with positive vibes. Learn to master coping skills and tools to promote a healthy mind, body, and soul. FREE SAMPLES of CBD! Call 608-548-5505 to register!

Karaoke - The Break Room Sports Bar and Grill

Weekly on Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays | 9 pm | 1123 Superior Ave., Tomah

Bring out your best singing voice on Wednesdays, Fridays, or Saturdays! View more information on Facebook [HERE](#).

Addiction Recovery Support Group - Soberize, Inc.

Weekly on Thursdays and Sundays | 5:30 pm | Locations Vary

Making sobriety cool! Their mission is to bring recovery support to the community and hope to the wounded. Open to anyone 18+ struggling with drug/alcohol addiction or any person, family member, or friend interested in learning more. More information on meeting locations and times can be found on their website [HERE](#) or view on Facebook [HERE](#).

DJ Trivia - The Break Room Sports Bar and Grill

Weekly on Thursdays | 7 pm | 1123 Superior Ave., Tomah

Enjoy DJ Trivia on Thursday nights! View more information on Facebook [HERE](#).

Live Music - Kupper Ratsch Senior Center

Weekly on Fridays | 10:15 am - 11:15 am | 1002 Superior Ave., Tomah

All ages are welcome to join in on live music each Friday - free admission too! Follow the Senior Center's Facebook page [HERE](#) for more information on other events!

Live Music - THE LOT

Weekly on Fridays and Saturdays | 6 pm | 1110-1112 Superior Ave., Tomah

Get out to the newest outdoor music and event venue in Tomah! Live music on Fridays and Saturdays, starting at 6 pm! Open Thursdays - Saturdays 12 pm - 10 pm. Monitor Facebook [HERE](#) for special event dates on Sundays. Great vibes await!

Races - Tomah-Sparta Speedway

Weekly on Fridays | 7:30 pm | 11215 Flagstaff Rd., Tomah

Enjoy races every Friday night at Your Home Town Race Track! Racing kicks off for the season on Friday, May 6th. View the full 2022 racing schedule [HERE](#).



JULY EVENTS

CLINIC/VACCINE RESOURCES

Healthcare Clinic - St. Clare Health Mission of Monroe County

July 5 & 19 | 5 pm - 6:30 pm | 310 W. Main St., Sparta

St. Clare Health Mission of Monroe County provides free health care for Monroe County residents age 18 years and older who have no health insurance and whose financial status prevents them from seeking medical treatment. The walk-in medical clinics are scheduled for the 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. More information can be found [HERE](#).

COVID-19 Vaccinations - Monroe County Health Department

Weekly on Fridays | 8:30 am - 4:30 pm | 315 W. Oak St., Sparta

The Monroe County Health Department (MCHD) is offering appointments for free COVID-19 vaccinations. Pre-registration is preferred. More information on registration and vaccines available can be [HERE](#) or contact 608-269-8666.

Vaccinations - Molter's Fresh Market Pharmacy

Weekly | 8:30 am - 6 pm | 701 East Clifton St., Tomah

A variety of vaccines are available at Molter's Pharmacy: COVID, flu, gardasil, hepatitis B, meningococcal, pneumonia, shingles and tetanus. Call 608-372-4115 to schedule an appointment Monday - Friday from 8:30 am - 6 pm.

EDUCATION/LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

3K Enrollment - St. Paul Lutheran Preschool

Month of July | 525 Superior Ave., Tomah

St. Paul Lutheran Preschool still has openings for 3K! Children need to be 3 before September 1st. They offer 3, 4, or 5 half or full-day options. The Preschool has a very academic-based program with strong beginning math concepts, and work on fine motor skills daily. Before and after school care and hot lunch are also available. For a tour, contact June Waege at j.waege@stpaultomah.org or call 608-372-2347.

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HOME DECOR INVENTORY AND ART

SALE

Refurbished furniture, one of a kind abstract art, lamps, mirrors, window treatments, pillows, rugs, candles, waldecor, and unique home decor

JULY 7-9

THURS 9AM-4PM

FRI 9AM-4PM

SAT 9AM-3PM

**702 SUPERIOR AVE
TOMAH, WI**

CHECK OUT PHOTOS ON JIMCHARLES STUDIOS
FACEBOOK PAGE

You are invited to Summer BBQ IN THE PARK

When: *Saturday, July 16, 2022*

Where: *Winnebago Park Point Pavilion*

Time: *12:00 p.m.*

What: *This is a sober social open to the public. Bring your friends and family and a dish to pass if possible. Pulled pork sandwiches, brats, and hotdogs will be provided while supplies lasts. There is going to be food, fun, and a celebration of recovery for our community. We will have guest speakers, bouncy house, games, plenty of outdoor activities and laughter*



**SOBER
EYES**
Making sobriety cool!!

**Soberize Inc. (Sober Eyes) is a 501(c)(3)
(ID #31954) non-profit organization**

be the
PULSE
of SUMMER
Donate Blood

July
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noon - 5 p.m.

July
21

noon - 5 p.m.

Tomah
Recreation Park
1625 Butts Ave, Tomah

**TOMAH HEALTH
COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE**

at Recreation Park - 1625 Butts Ave, Tomah

As a member of the Tomah business community, we are asking for employees to consider joining the effort! Encourage your staff to join the cause and donate blood to help our community. Together we can succeed!

**Schedule an appointment online at TomahHealth.org
or call 877-232-4376**

Versiti is the sole blood supplier to our community hospitals including Tomah Health.



Give a Pint, Get a Pint

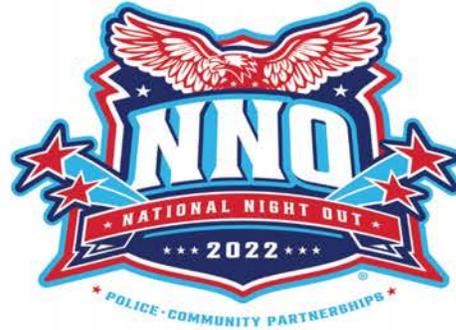
All attempting donors will receive a coupon for a FREE PINT OF FROZEN CUSTARD from Tomah Culver's.



New Location!



Wear a superhero costume to support local superheroes!



Monroe County National Night Out

August 2 | 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Tomah's Recreation Park

- **Bike & Safety Expo** helmets required 4-6 p.m.
- **Combined Tactical Unit (CTU) Demo & Mock Crash** 7 p.m.
- **Health & Wellness Interactive Displays & Screenings** 4-8 p.m.
- **Food & Refreshment Sales** local vendors 4-8 p.m.

FREE EVENT #MonroeCountyNNO TomahHealth.org

2022



National Night Out (NNO) is an annual community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods safer, more caring places to live.



A Musical Comedy Book by Michael Stewart
Music by Charles Strouse Lyrics by Lee Adams
Originally produced by Edward Padula

Directed by Amanda Schmock
Music Director, Barb Sullivan Choreographer, Harmony Hennegan

August 5,6,7 Tomah High School Auditorium
7pm Friday and Saturday, 2pm Sunday

Tickets Available at www.tomahact.com, 608-374-7469, and at the door. Adults \$20 Students \$10 Children 4 and under Free

BYE, BYE BIRDIE is presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals on behalf of Tams-Witmark LLC, www.concordtheatricals.com

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(608)372-8100



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NEW MEMBERS!

Sacred Space

1104 Superior Ave.
Tomah, WI 54660
(608) 343-6704
sacredspacetomah.com



Sacred Space LLC will soon be the "place to be" in Tomah for tranquility. The new business will offer services that only benefit your health. With its Himalayan Salt room, Float Pod room, and Chill room, you will leave feeling refreshed and calm. Unique retail items, such as metaphysical products and local artist crafts will also occupy the space.

While Owner, Ann Schleicher, has plans to officially open Sacred Space on August 1st, she has already been busy showcasing and selling unique products at various events throughout Wisconsin.

We look forward to celebrating Sacred Space at its Ribbon Cutting event on August 18th at Noon. We also can't wait to share more about the building's renovations. Monitor Sacred Space's Facebook page for more event details.



Tomah, WI 54660
(608) 606-9678



Have you heard about the newest food truck in town?! For years, Owner, Lauren Dunn, has had a dream of opening her own business. The perfect opportunity transpired, which then led to...**The Loaded Bun LLC!**

You can find Lauren's mobile food truck serving a variety of loaded burgers at various venues throughout the Tomah area, including the Farmer's Market at Gillette Park on Wednesdays and Saturdays. You will be able to catch a good burger at Downtown Thursday Nights this year too! If you are in need of a caterer for your next event, contact the The Loaded Bun.

Check out the menu and monitor the food truck's whereabouts on its Facebook page.

BUSINESS SPOTLIGHTS



**402 Superior Ave
Tomah, WI 54660
(608) 374-3000
drbridgetowens.com**

Active Health Chiropractic Center has a proud history of serving the Tomah community since February 1993! Dr. B loves helping people find the best expression of themselves through the power of chiropractic adjustment! "There's no better feeling than when a patient comes back to my office and tells me how much better they sleep, feel, and enjoy going for walks now because of their care with me." When Dr. B is not at work, she can be found at the Area Community Theatre or the Boys and Girls Club. "Both of these organizations rely on the Tomah Community to keep their doors open, and I try to help in making sure everyone is aware!"



**214 Larkin Street
Tomah, WI 54660
(608) 372-3298
tomahfamilydentistry.com**

James L. Chitwood, DDS; Alexandra P. Matthews, DDS; Lucas J. Schwartz, DDS

- We serve families, children, and people of all ages
- A comfortable environment where adults feel welcome and kids have fun
- Serving the Tomah community since 1973
- Lifelong commitment to their patients and to the Tomah area

BUSINESS SPOTLIGHTS



940 N. Superior Avenue
Tomah, WI 54660
608-372-4736
tacuonline.com

TACU Credit Union has been your local and member-owned credit union since 1939. At TACU, you're not just another customer, you're our member. By helping you purchase a new car, finance your home, save for your child's future and invest in your retirement – we can help you be financially successful! Plus, when you're a member of TACU, your deposit dollars are put to work right here in Tomah, helping grow our local community. Anyone who lives or works in Monroe, Juneau, Jackson, La Crosse, Vernon, and Adams counties can become a member-owner today! To learn more, visit tacuonline.com.



Chamber Member Job Postings

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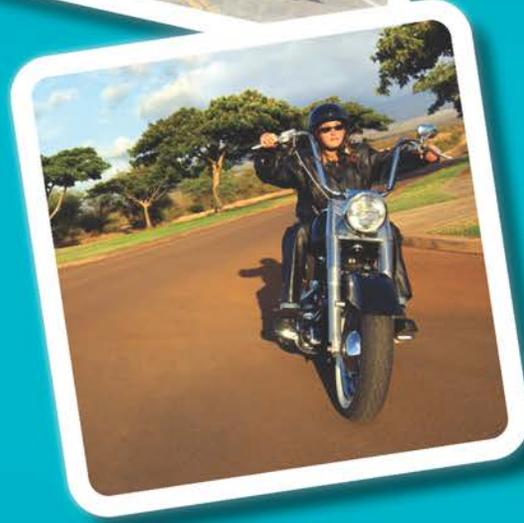
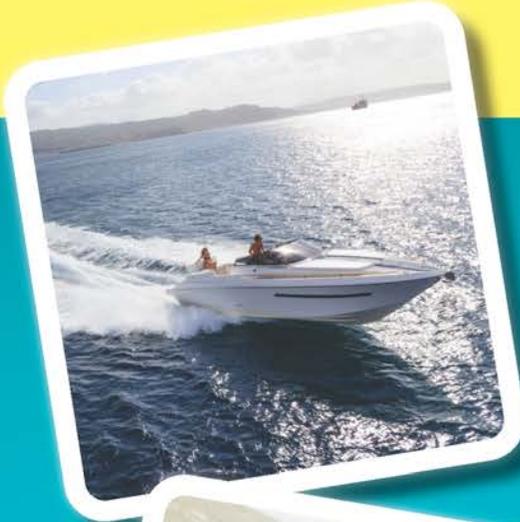
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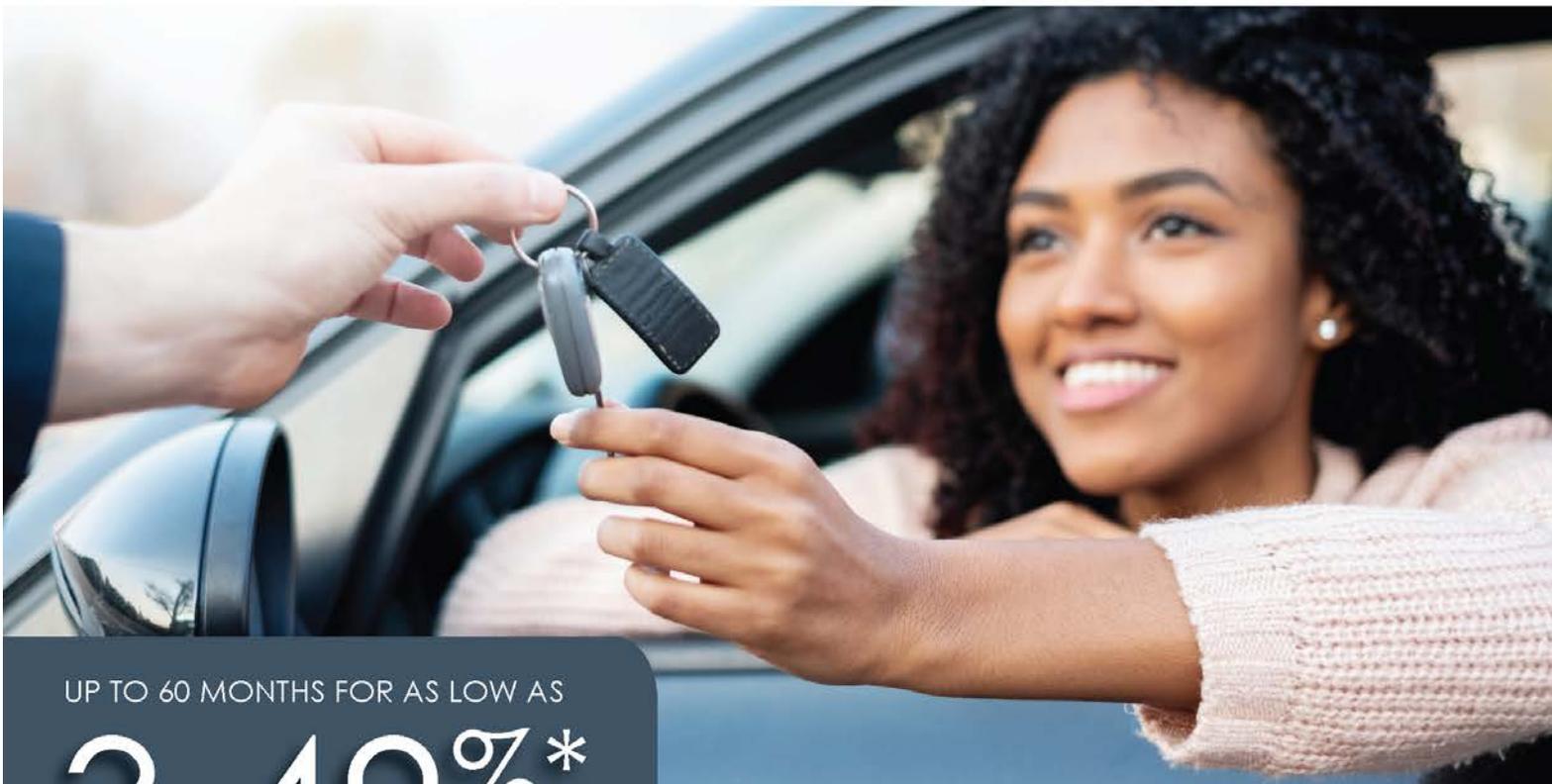
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State Farm Donation to North American Squirrel Association of Tomah

Jeff Holthaus, State Farm Agent, recently presented a \$10,000 check to North American Squirrel Association (nasa), aka Tomah Squirrels. In honor of State Farm's 100th Anniversary, they selected 2 agents (out of 19,000) from each state to receive \$10,000 to donate to a non-profit organization of their choice. Jeff is honored and blessed to be able to donate this grant to such a deserving organization that truly gives back to our community!



The Tomah Squirrels stated the donation will be used to build a fence around the all-inclusive playground at Butts Park in Tomah, making it safer to help supervise disabled children. The Tomah Squirrels were honored and humbled to receive such a donation! Learn more about nasa on their website at tomahsquirrels.org.





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Tomah Health Named Versiti Beacon Award Recipient

Tomah Health has received a Beacon Award from Versiti BloodCenter of Wisconsin.

"This award is given annually to only six blood drive sponsors in Wisconsin to recognize and reward the organization's commitment and dedication to helping save lives through blood donation," Versiti Blood Center of Wisconsin Account Representative Emalea Cogdill said of the coveted award.

Cogdill said as the need increased during the pandemic, Tomah Health not only secured alternative locations to host blood drives with the community, but also increased capacity and frequency during a time when other organizations were canceling blood drives. "In 2021 Tomah Health hosted 12 blood drives and will host another 12 through the end of 2022. More than 2,400 lives have been impacted and potentially saved due to the drives hosted over the last 18 months," she said.

Cogdill also acknowledged Tomah Health Marketing Director Eric Prise for coordinating the hospital blood drives. "Eric's support and leadership, as well as his connection to the community, flexibility, resilience, and overall passion



Versiti Blood Center of Wisconsin Account Representative Emalea Cogdill, left, presented the Versiti Beacon Award to Tomah Health Marketing Director Eric Prise. Tomah Health was recognized for its coordination of local blood drives in 2021.

for the mission of Tomah Health and its patients, have played a significant role in the success of this blood drive program," Cogdill said. "As a partner, Tomah Health continues to go above and beyond to make a difference in the communities we serve. Thank you to Tomah Health for being a Beacon of Hope," she added.

Prise said he was honored to accept the award on behalf of Tomah Health. "This recognition is a testament to the support we get from area residents who attend our local blood drives as well as the participation from the City of Tomah Parks & Recreation Department," Prise said.

Tomah Health will sponsor its next drive July 20 & 21 at Tomah's Recreation Park.

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