

# DOUSMAN AREA TIMES

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## DOUSMAN AREA RUMMAGE SALE



Have you been looking around your house wondering what to do with all that stuff you've accumulated and don't use anymore? Why not turn it into cash?

The Dousman Area Chamber of Commerce is again sponsoring the annual area-wide rummage sale on Saturday, August 25, 2007. For just \$5.00 you can be a part of this terrific event. Watch for sign up sheets available at area merchants towards the end of July. It will also be available to print off the Chamber's web site: [www.dousmanchamber.com](http://www.dousmanchamber.com).

The sale is advertised in area newspapers, you get a sign to post in your yard, and a listing in the sale booklet handed out on the morning of the rummage sale.

Looking to buy, not sell? Booklets, listing a brief description of items for sale, a map, places to eat, etc..., will be handed out in front of Bullfrog Station on Main Street on that morning.

Don't miss an opportunity to be part of this event – buying or selling!! If you have any questions, contact Cindy Queen at 965-5115 (evenings).

## ADOPT A SPOT

The Garden Club of Dousman will soon be "getting our hands dirty" pulling weeds and landscaping around the gazebos and flower beds by the bike path. If anyone is interested in adopting a spot to care for, or if you would like to donate perennials or annual flowers, please contact Tricia Fox at ISB Community Bank (phone# 262.560.7330) or Lynette at (262)-719-1506 for more information. Chamber membership is not required. Anyone with a little time and an interest in sprucing up our surroundings can sign up.

A big **Thank You** from the Dousman Area Chamber of Commerce - Lynette Tyler thanks the current volunteers of the "Garden Club" for their time and talent. Several people have already adopted different areas around town and along the bike trail. They maintain what is already planted and add plants that fit in the location.

## REPORTERS WANTED NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY:

Do you enjoy writing? Are you involved in community events?  
**The Dousman Area Times needs you!**

Volunteers are needed to get information on area activities and write short articles for publication in this newsletter.

If you are interested in this position, please contact:

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### Village Hours

Monday, Wednesdays & Fridays 8am-1pm

Tuesdays & Thursdays 1pm-5pm

### \*NEW Building Inspectors Hours\*

\*Tuesdays & Thursdays 8am-9am

### Village of Dousman Board Meetings

All Village meetings are open to the public and we encourage you to attend. All Village meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of the month at 7:15pm at the Municipal Building unless otherwise posted. All meeting agendas and minutes are posted at the Municipal Building, Post Office and ISB Community Bank

### Village Plan Commission Members

Jack Nissen • Mark Schroeder • Paul Stanley

Rita Hawk • Jody Johnson-Keck • Mary Finn • Marc Mustas

### Plan Commission Meetings

All Plan Commission Meetings are held on the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:15pm unless otherwise posted.

## BICYCLE DOCTOR MAKES DOUSMAN ROLL

One of the Midwest's most unique bicycle and Nordic ski shops has found its niche in Dousman. The Bicycle Doctor Nordic Ski Shop has a big following among cross country skiers, but really gets into full swing when the roads and Glacial Drumlin Trail start to fill up with bicyclists.

Klein's idea was to create a "lifestyle center" before the term became popularized. "I wanted a place that was more than a retail space," he said. "I made it a fun place to visit or hang out. Word of mouth is the best advertising you can get and if people stop in when riding the trail because we've got a coffee and snack bar they're likely to tell others what a great bike shop it is." The "Doc Cafe" as it's called has more than coffee. People can get smoothies, beer, wine, and a variety of snacks. The energy products area has nearly 200 items. Klein calls it the "Ultimate Biker Bar."

To help with his goal of creating a center for people with active lifestyles, Klein hosts special events throughout the year. Everything from ski waxing demonstrations, to bike repair, to fashion shows, bike demos, and even entertainment fill out the calendar. "I like to make being in business fun," he said. People can check out what's happening on their Events Calendar at [www.bikedr.com](http://www.bikedr.com).

With more and more people taking advantage of bicycling as part of a healthy lifestyle, the value of facilities like the Glacial Drumlin Trail and the services of the Bicycle Doctor are even more apparent. The shop is also partnering with several cycling oriented B&Bs to offer bike rental and service. The Pedal's Inn in Wales and the Hanson House in Cambridge welcome guests riding the roads, Glacial Drumlin State Trail or just visiting the area. The folks at Hanson House offer a luggage transfer service for a nominal fee. Bicycle Doctor invites their guests to stop in for a free espresso drink, micro brew or smoothie. Visit [www.ohhanson.com](http://www.ohhanson.com) or [www.PedalrsInn.com](http://www.PedalrsInn.com) for details.

By creating a fun place to shop or visit for local residents or visitors the Bicycle Doctor is sure to keep Dousman rolling for years to come.

*Submitted by Phil Van Valkenberg*

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## THE GOOD NEWS IN EDUCATION

*Quotes from the St. Bruno 5th Grade Class*

**Going to a Catholic School has helped me spiritually...**

I learned how to pray from being at a Catholic school. – Caleb

It has taught me God will love me no matter what. Some of my friends aren't Catholic, but I know that God is watching over them even if they don't believe in him. I learn more now than when I used to only go to Sunday school. – Leah

We have been taught to follow the commandments. – Reann

We learn more about Christ. It has helped me solve my problems without taking my anger out on other people. – Natalie

Now I know why I was put on this earth. – Nick

I learn about Jesus Christ and his wisdom through reading the bible and going to church. - Andy

**Going to a Catholic School has helped me academically...**

We have smaller class sizes than in public schools. Our school is very challenging and very good. – Jacob

When I have a good grade, I know God helped me...when I get a lower grade, God helps me get better...my grades are really good right now all because of GOD! – Dylan

Smaller class sizes allow me to ask the teacher more questions. I can concentrate more and understand more. – Sabrina

**Going to a Catholic School has helped me with my relationships...**

Being taught about God helps us to respect one another a little bit more. – Sara

Whenever someone new comes to our school, we make them feel very good – Julia

Going to St. Bruno has helped me be nicer to my friends and be respectful to adults. - Danica

From the Bible we learn to treat people the way we want to be treated – Lydia

I have learned how to respect others and Follow God's Commandments. - David

**The "Good News In Education" means...**

Being able to learn about God – Manning

That I am very blessed to go to a Catholic school – Alaina

*Submitted by Steve Marcus*



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The new state-of-the-art DI press uses industry-leading laser imaging and thermal plate technology. It can deliver true four-color, offset printing within hours of the time the customer's digital file arrives at Accurate Graphics, Inc. DI is a revolutionary printing technology invented by Presstek, Inc., of Hudson, NH. They couple their patented system with the best four-color offset printing presses in the world to create an entirely new device: a DI digital offset printing press.

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Around here summer means good eating on homegrown products. Wednesday afternoons from 3 to 7 PM you'll find local growers and crafters at the **Dousman Farmers Market**. This is the second year for the market, coordinated by **Mac Riemenschneider of R Farm**.

**Tom Burger, Oconomowoc**, is returning with handcrafted yard décor and flower baskets. He has an array of cannas. Choose yellow, salmon, red, coral and more. Don't forget a jar of Tom's Special Recipe, the fertilizer just for cannas. He also has annual and herb plants.

**Yerke Frog Alley Greenhouses** of Mukwonago will have plants and cut flowers. This is the first year they are growing USDA certified organic plants for tomatoes, peppers, eggplants and herbs. In all, Gilbert, Gail and Christopher Yerke grow more than 1,500 types of plants. Visit them on the web at [www.yerkegreenhouses.com](http://www.yerkegreenhouses.com).

**Diane Johnson & Earl Engle** have a joint venture in vegetables. These area growers kicked off the season with rhubarb and asparagus spears. Look for flowers, beans, eggplant, cucumbers, pea pods and salad greens at their stand.

Great foods call for a dinner party. **Creative Touch** has trays and jewelry for your night out - even if it is in the back yard. Julie Chaloupka melts beverage bottles, labels and all, until they take the shape of a wall hanging or a tray. Her web site is [www.creativetouchcrafts.net](http://www.creativetouchcrafts.net) and she sells on E-Bay. Custom orders welcome.

Visit **Glass with Class** by Kathy Hosch for festive tableware. You can pick up a set of wine glasses or a serving platter hand painted with designs inspired by good wine, good food and good company. A popular artist in oil paints, Kathy sells at other art shows and fairs, and at Deck the Walls in Brookfield Square. Her website is [www.oil-paintings-by-kathy.com](http://www.oil-paintings-by-kathy.com).

Check out Linda and Jack Moore's new booth called **Stitchin Paws**. Linda creates dog coats and accessories. Jack brings you lighted beer bottles and hand poured candles. They have a special sale with some crafts and craft supplies at reduced prices. In addition to the Dousman Farmer's Market, they sell on E-Bay and at local fairs.

**Country Lane Flowers**. Farmer Tom is returning this year with his annuals and perennials. He started the season with fresh picked asparagus. He'll be there throughout the summer with melons, pickles, other vegetables, fruits, flowers and plants.

**Z Gardens** brings you a sample of their over 550 varieties of nursery plants. They feature perennials, grasses, ground covers, vines and ferns grown in the five-acre nursery a few miles south of town. Owners Lori and Gary Fahrenbruck sell most of their plants to local retail outlets. Although they no longer sell to Home Depot, you can get their plants at the market this summer.

The nursery is open to the public on the first Saturday of the month from 9 to 5. This local small business employs 25 people on a seasonal basis. If you are looking for summer work involving physical fitness, sunshine (and occasional rain) call them at 965-4023.

**The Glass Goddess** specializes in lapidary artistry. Lake Geneva artist, Jacki Klish, is new to the market this year. Her work features gems, dichroic art glass, natural stone, and cameos. The pieces are wrapped with 14K gold-filled wire or tarnish-resistant Argentinium sterling silver.



Jacki was featured in the Channel 10/36 Arts & Antiques booth at the Home and Garden Show this spring.

**Heidi's Hobbies** is new to the Dousman Farmers Market. Heidi Deuster brings annual and perennial flower plants growing in unique, and sometimes antique, containers. At her shop on Hwy E in Palmyra you'll find a variety of antiques, gifts and garden creations. Jewelry, purses and decorative pillows are a few of her specialties.

A deep yard along the creek and an inherited green thumb make **Lark Kulikowski** a natural when it comes to tending native plants. You'll find her at the market amidst pots of perennials and landscape plants. She has many pictures and growing tips to share with the summer shoppers.

**Judy Sandgren of Delafield** will be returning to the market with vegetable and flower plants. Judy's love of growing things comes from her grandmother. She's also had on-the-job training at Okauchee Green House. Now her hobby has become a full-time occupation. When the crops are ready she'll be bringing eggplant, tomatoes, peppers and other homegrown goodies.

**The Engels** - Richard, Judy and Brian - are at the market with plants, crafts and ideas. Richard enjoys woodworking and has several handy items on display, including garden signs and mail holders. Brian grows prairie plants and can design and plant a prairie space for you.

**IN STREET, DOUSMAN • WEDNESDAYS FROM MAY TO OCTOBER • 3:00 - 7:00 PM**

Mac Riemenschneider is the new face of agriculture in Waukesha County. R Farm features naturally grown beef, pork and chicken. His supply of meat varies during the year due to the natural cattle cycle. Other products include asparagus, rhubarb, and brown eggs with deep yellow yolks from their own pastured chickens. Mac puts his UW degree in Agri-Business into practice by operating a "community active and environmentally conscience agricultural business." Mac is also the Vice-President of the Dousman Area Chamber of Commerce.



Other vendors slated to be at the market are:  
 Kitti Kloth: Flowers & Picture Frames made from shells  
 Linda Moore: Crafts  
 Wayne Zuehlke: Vegetables and Crafts  
 Jacquie Miller's Cinnamon & Oatmeal Farm: Organic Produce  
 Clyde Kreutter: Fresh fall vegetables and fruits

The Dousman Area Chamber of Commerce and the Dousman/Ottawa Lions Club sponsor the market.

See you there. And remember Mac's motto, "Eat fresh! Buy Local!"

*Submitted by Virginia Scholtz*

Visit R Farm on the web at [www.rfarmdousman.com](http://www.rfarmdousman.com) where Mac will tell you, "Eat fresh! Buy Local!"

Riehle Outdoor Renovations and Riehle Trees are at the market with products and ideas for your yard.



Dick (or Richard, Sr.) started the Christmas tree farm years ago. Today he and his sons still sell trees - in December and at planting time. You can pick up a potted evergreen for your yard or get some ideas from Rick (Richard, Jr.) for tree and shrub installation or trimming, flowerbed set-up or renovation and lawn maintenance.

Jelli's Market brings homegrown asparagus, peas, and strawberries to town this spring. Look for green beans, raspberries, onions, tomatoes and corn later in the season. Owners, Steve and Jody Knoebel, have 8 acres of pick-your-own strawberries. All of their produce is grown at the family farm, named for their daughters - Jessica, Lindsay, and Elizabeth. The web site is [www.jellis-market.com](http://www.jellis-market.com).



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**If you would like to sell your locally grown foods or hand made crafts, space is still available at the Dousman Farmers Market. Vendor cost is \$30 per season or \$5 per week. Please call Mac Riemenschneider at 414-881-2098 to sign up.**

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St. Mary's Episcopal Church's 21<sup>st</sup> annual Strawberry Festival June 24 has grown into a full-fledged community event, but it hasn't forgotten that it got its roots from the succulent little fruit.

Attendees will be able to purchase fresh-made bakery and jams. Whole pies can be pre-ordered by calling the parish office at 262-965-3924.

Other attractions this year include sales of original Haitian arts and crafts; a media sale of videos, CDs and books; a children's tent with games and activities, including face painting; and tours of the historic church on the corner of Highways 67 and 18 in the Village of Dousman. The festival runs from noon to 4:30 p.m. at the church grounds.

All the proceeds from the festival will be donated to assist the impoverished residents in the mountain village of Jeannette, Haiti. The funds will be used to help stock a medical clinic and a school for 600 children, as well as to provide agricultural assistance and other community needs.

**DOUSMAN/OTTAWA LIONS ADD PROGRESSIVE GAME TO BINGO**



Where can you go for a great time while helping to raise money for local charities? Come out and play Dousman/Ottawa Lions BINGO on the first, third and alternating fifth Tuesday nights at the Community Center!

In addition to the ten games that are played, the Dousman/Ottawa Lions Club has added a new and exciting game to BINGO nights - Progressive Bingo. Each night, a designated number of balls are drawn to completely fill your card (otherwise known as a coverall). If someone wins, they receive the entire pot. If no one wins, the pot is carried into the next scheduled bingo night. It progressively grows until someone wins. The designated number of balls also increases by one, making your chances of winning even higher. A consolation prize is awarded to the first person to have a bingo past the designated number of balls.

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## SUN SAFETY

*Here are some tips to keep you safe in the sun.*



Since 1930, there has been an 1,800% rise in malignant melanomas. One in five Americans develops skin cancer. Excessive sun damage also increases the rate of cataracts and causes premature wrinkling.

Use sun protection at all times. Even on overcast days, up to 60% of the sun's rays penetrate cloud cover, and 85% of the sun's rays reflect off of sand, water and concrete. Sunscreen should be used for sun protection and not as a reason to stay in the sun. Apply sunscreen at least 30 minutes before going outside and apply liberally to all exposed areas. Most people receive only 20% to 50% of a sunscreen's advertised protection because they use too little. Choose sunscreens with a sun protection factor (SPF) of 15 or higher. Minimize sun exposure from 10am to 4pm, the sun's strongest hours. Omit outdoor activity when the ultraviolet (UV) index is 7 or higher. You can find the UV index published in many newspapers. Drink extra fluids after sun exposure. Everyone, including infants, should wear sunglasses that block as close to 100% of both UVA and UVB rays as possible.

Talk to your health care provider for more information on sun safety. Call 262-965-6910 to schedule an appointment with an Aurora physician.

*Submitted by Aurora Wilkinson Medical Clinic*

## WHY MULCH?

Mike Doering at Bark River Tree Service and Forest Products knows the many advantages to using mulch in your landscape. Mulch is an excellent way to control weeds, while helping to retain moisture around your flowers, bushes and trees. It also prevents erosion in flower beds and gardens. Not only will mulch help maintain even soil temperatures during those hot days and cool nights but it will be enriched with nutrients for better growth. Mulching around trees helps facilitate maintenance, and can reduce the likelihood of damage from trimmers, edgers and lawnmowers. Finally, mulching will give your home or business a decorative and appealing look all season long.

To apply mulch follow these basic steps:

- Remove any grass in an area from 3 to 10 feet in diameter, depending on tree size.
- Pour wood chips or bark pieces 2 to 4 inches deep within the circle. Be sure not to pile mulch up onto the tree. Keep an air space between the ring of mulch and the tree trunk.
- When ordering mulch figure about one cubic yard per 100 square feet. One cubic yard of mulch will cover a ten by ten foot area to a depth of 3 inches.

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*Submitted by Bark River Tree*

## ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

Medicaid Rules and Savvy Long-Term Care Planning  
Tuesday, June 5, 2007



Attorney Amanda McCormack, of Angermeier and Rogers, LLP, will discuss the three primary options for paying for long-term care needs: private pay, Medicaid (T-19), and long-term care insurance.

The seminar will be held at Three Pillars Village on the Square (375 Hwy 67, Dousman, WI) in the Compass Point Theatre.

Registration: 10:00 a.m.  
Seminar: 10:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.  
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The seminar is hosted by Karen Arenz, Financial Advisor with Edward Jones.

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June	3	Kettle Moraine High School Graduation	July	27-29	Dousman Derby Days
	8	Last Day of School	August	7	DEADLINE for submissions Dousman Area Times , Issue #16, September '07
	19	Dousman Area Chamber of Commerce at the Dousman Municipal Building Lunch - 12:00 pm, Meeting - 12:30 pm		21	Dousman Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting at the Dousman Municipal Building Lunch - 12:00 pm, Meeting - 12:30 pm
July	4	Independence Day		25	Dousman Area Rummage Sale
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EVERY WEDNESDAY: Farmer's Market • 3 - 7pm • Community Center Parking Lot, 235 N. Main Street



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