



## Stonefield Village and Meadows Newsletter

August 2005

### Stonefield's 4th of July Party a Success

July 4<sup>th</sup> in Stonefield was truly a neighborhood experience. Over 100 children and adults attended our new and improved celebration the morning of July 4<sup>th</sup>. This was the most successful Stonefield neighborhood activity in recent memory.

It started with a bike, wagon, and stroller parade led by the Middleton Fire Department laddertruck and Uncle Sam (Brad Nordhaus) riding on top of a snazzy gold convertible. About 50 kids who participated in the parade were thrilled as the fire engine blew it's horn to begin the journey to Stonefield Park.

At Stonefield Park the stage was set for a real old-fashioned picnic. There were 3-legged races, sack races, balloon waddles, water balloon tosses and more. Families munched on watermelon, popsicles and personally-decorated cookies and were entertained by a number of activities. The coup de gras for the

kids seemed to be a coin dig through a mountain of sand. Hey, we even caught a couple of adults scoping out the coins.

All this fun was made possible by a wonderful group of neighborhood volunteers and our business partners Middleton Community Bank

#### Special Thanks

A special thank you to Brad Nordhaus for making and donating an official July 4<sup>th</sup> Bean Bag Toss Board and for renting the costume and dressing as Uncle Sam. Thanks to Kurt Sonnetag for arranging the mountain of sand for the coin dig. Thanks to John Grande for organizing the bike parade. And finally a giant-sized thank you to this year's team of organizers: Brad Nordhaus, John Grande and Robin Sweet.

Ideas for next year? Please feel free to contact Robin Sweet ([roisweet@aol.com](mailto:roisweet@aol.com) or 231-9966)

### Tuesday Ten Pins Bowling League

The Tuesday Ten Pin Bowling league is seeking women bowlers for the 2005-06 season. Join some of your neighbors in the league by forming your own three-person team or joining an established team. Contact Rosalie Koschke at 831-0629 for more information.

#### Ten Pin Bowling League Details

Season: September 8, 2005 - April 4, 2006

Days/Time: Tuesday mornings - 9:00-11:30 a.m.

Location: Schwoegler Park Towne Lanes

Cost: \$10/week



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## Neighborhood News

### **News from Middleton-Cross Plains Schools - eNews**

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### **Pet Control Reminders**

City ordinances require that dogs must be on leashes when you are taking them for a walk. Some Stonefield neighbors have expressed concern over unleashed dogs running through yards, especially yards along the railroad tracks.

Several of the Stonefield covenants prevent fences from being built, so neighbors should take special care in not allowing cats and dogs to roam freely into other neighbors' property. Common sense and courtesy makes good neighbors.

### **Stonefield Divas Dine Devine**

In August some of our neighbors in Stonefield took part in a yummy cooking lesson/demo complete with an eating extravaganza at the end. The Stonefield Dining Divas went to a private cooking class at Dybdahl's Classic Kitchens.

First they enjoyed exploring the beautiful kitchen vignettes assembled at Dybdahl's. They then enjoyed talking, laughing and eating while learning easy new appetizer recipes complete with cooking tips.

Watch your email and newsletters for more Stonefield Neighborhood socializing opportunities.