

DATE: November 30, 2018  
TO: Mayor & Council Members  
FROM: Mike Anderson, Assistant to the City Manager  
SUBJECT: City Manager's Report

**WASECA SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL**

City Staff have received numerous complaints about the crossings on HWY 13 to the schools located on the West side of the highway. The blinking pedestrian signs have become a common occurrence for drivers and they are not as effective as they once were. Staff has reached out to MNDOT who has agreed that those particular blinking lights need to be updated. Staff has been in discussions with them on how to create safer crossings and there are some possibilities in the near future of some updates. Also, the City of Waseca has recently received a grant for a Safe Routes to School Program. A committee has been formed with staff, parents, and members of school staff who has met with a Region 9 representative. We are currently in the process of coming up with an effective plan to present to MNDOT. The plan will be complete by June 2019. Once the plan is complete, it will then be presented to MNDOT and we will seek Federal Funding to assist in the implementation of this plan. We know this is a long process, but we are making the safety of the children in Waseca a priority. If you have questions regarding this process please call Mike Anderson at 507-835-9741 or [MikeA@ci.waseca.mn.us](mailto:MikeA@ci.waseca.mn.us)

**City Council/Staff Luncheon**

Every year during the staff open enrollment meeting, the City Council provides staff with lunch. This year Waseca City Council dished out an early Thanksgiving lunch that was catered by the Pheasant Café. This is their way of showing thanks to City Staff for all the hard work they do on a daily basis. City Staff are very fortunate to have such a supportive and hardworking Council. Together Council and Staff make Waseca the great community it is. Thank you City Council for the wonderful gesture and the work you put in for the residents of this community.

Pictured left to right: Council Members Les Tlougan, Jeremy Conrath, Mark Christiansen, Allan Rose



## **Waseca Area Events**

### **Nov 30 – Dec 2**

Celebrate the Gift 2018, 6:00pm

Christ Community Church, 2200 4th St NE

### **Dec 1 – 2**

Christmas Time's A Comin', Dec. 1 at 2:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m., Dec. 2nd, at 2:00 p.m

Starfire Event Center, 204 2nd Street SW

### **Dec 3**

Waseca Soccer Club's Annual General Meeting, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

El Tequila Meeting Room, 200 S State St

## **Additional Attachments**

- Upcoming library activities and events
- November/December City Calendar

**Events courtesy of Waseca Area Chamber of Commerce**

<http://www.wasecachamber.com/events/>

# December 2018

December 2018						
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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

January 2019						
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27	28	29	30	31		

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>Nov 25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>Dec 1</b>
11/25 - 30							
	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
12/2 - 7			11:30am ParkBd (Shop) 12:00pm AirpMtg (Airp) 6:00pm WS CC (Cncl) 7:00pm CC Mtg (Cncl)	5:00pm HPC (Council Chambers)			
	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
12/9 - 14		11:30am B.E.S.T. (SROC)	5:30pm DWT (PSB) 7:00pm Plann. Comm. (Cncl. Chambers)	12:00pm EDA (Council Chambers)			
	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
12/16 - 21			6:00pm WS CC Schedule Of Compliance (Cncl) 7:00pm Council Mtg. (Council Chambers)				
	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
12/23 - 28		CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY - CITY OFFICES CLOSED		6:00pm FireRelief Assoc. (Fire Hall)			
	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>Jan 1, 19</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
12/30 - 1/4							



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Stacy Lienemann, Director

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### **3Doodling for Teens**

Draw three-dimensional objects out of thin air with this amazing 3Doodler pen at Waseca Public Library on Tuesday, December 11th at 6 pm. Scribble, draw freehand, or trace over stencils to make sculptures using fast-cooling plastic filament. Free and open to ages 13 and over.

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### **Level Up: Osmo Words and Numbers**

Play creative word and number games without all the worksheets at Waterville Public Library on December 12th at 3:45 pm. This free event is geared for ages 7-12.

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### **Gift Tags Stamp Camp**

Stampin' Up presenter Judy Vogelsang will teach how to create stunning gift tags using embossing, stamps, edging, and more. These gift tags will brighten your gifts and make your loved ones feel special. All supplies will be provided. This event will take place at 12 pm on Thursday, December 13th at Waseca Public Library. Free and open to the public.

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