



# Chaska City Hall Bulletin

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## POLICE DEPARTMENT SPONSORED EVENTS



# Chaska Police Department

## Bike Registration

Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup> • 5 to 8 PM

Hosted by: **Tommy's** 2 River Bend Place (Best Western)

Live music by  
**Kidsdance**



Kids 12 & under register your bicycle and receive a coupon for a FREE kid's malt.

Bike helmets for sale \$10 (regular \$22.95)



## SUMMER SAFETY CAMP

The Chaska Police Department will be holding a two-day Safety Camp on **July 21 & 22**. Participants will learn about fire, bike, water, personal and vehicle safety, as well as first aid. In addition, there will be a special appearance by the MN Department of Military Affairs helicopter and the pilots will talk about the dangers of drugs. There will also be a K-9 demonstration showing the skills of our friends and protectors, the K-9 officers. At the end of the camp, participants will be presented with a certificate of participation and a group picture to remember all the excitement of the Chaska Safety Camp! Make checks payable to Chaska Police Department for \$25.00, which includes two days, lunch, snacks and a t-shirt. Application is available on the police department website at [www.chaskamn.com](http://www.chaskamn.com).

**NORTH MEADOWS ASSESSMENT ROLL APPROVED**

The Chaska City Council adopted the assessment roll for the North Meadows Street Reconstruction Project at the May 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting. On March 1<sup>st</sup>, the City Council had ordered the reconstruction of streets in the east portion of the North Meadows neighborhood and authorized the solicitation of public bids. Based on the result of those bids, which came in lower than anticipated, the estimated costs presented at the improvement hearing have been recalculated in the following summary:

	Estimated	Actual
Total Project Cost	\$1,538,700	\$1,335,668
Trunk System Costs	\$151,360	\$118,505
Assessable Street Costs	\$1,387,340	\$1,217,163
Assessable Properties	71	71
Cost per Lot	\$19,540	\$17,143
25% per Lot Cost	\$4,885	\$4,350
Total Assessments	\$346,835	\$308,871
City Participation	\$1,191,865	\$1,026,797

In comparison to past reconstruction projects, the proposed assessment represents an exceptional value in relation to the improvements to be constructed. Consistent with City policies, the assessments will be levied over a ten-year (10) period at a 5.5% interest rate, which is 1.0% over the expected bond rate. Street reconstruction is expected to begin in mid-June with completion by the end of October.

**Christmas in May!**



Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup>. You don't need to be a skilled worker to help! Lots of jobs painting, doing yard work etc. Sign up for a half-day or full-day commitment – Call Carver County CDA at 448-7715.

**WORK TO BEGIN IN JUNE ON HUNDERTMARK ROAD**

Residents of the Christian/Manuela Drives area should be receiving notices within the next few days of reconstruction work to begin on Hundertmark Road to provide an access to the 212 Medical Center. After Independent School District 112 classes end for the year in the second week of June, Hundertmark Road between TH41 and this neighborhood will be closed to traffic until the middle of September. To handle the rerouting of traffic, an official detour will be appropriately signed. SuperAmerica will continue to have access to TH 41 during construction.



**Baseball!**

St. Paul Saints vs the River Valley All Stars on May 8<sup>th</sup> at the Chaska Athletic Park. Tickets \$5 in advance from the Chaska Cubs or \$7 at the gate.



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Residential properties accessing Hundertmark Rd. at Pioneer Tr. will only have a single point of entry and exit, but full public safety services will be maintained. Also, the section of Hundertmark from Christian/Manuela Drives to Pioneer Trail will receive an overlay in 2010 as a City maintenance operation while the reconstruction project is in process.

Questions about the project may be directed to Matt Haefner, Chaska Project Manager, at 952-227-7703.

**FD TO CHECK SMOKE DETECTORS**



On Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, during the Christmas in May event, the Kings Lane, VonHertzen Circle, and Friendship Lane neighborhoods will have the opportunity to have their smoke detectors checked and replaced if necessary by the Chaska Fire Department. Letters were sent out notifying the neighborhoods of this service.

Each year the Fire Department goes around to a different neighborhood, providing this service. This year, approximately 196 households will be visited by members of the Fire Department.

This is a great service that the firemen provide at no charge to residents. If you have questions or concerns about your smoke detectors, please contact the Fire Marshal, Kevin Gravalin, at 952-448-9200.

Chaska Planning Commission Meeting  
Wednesday, May 12, 2010  
7:00 pm at Chaska City Hall  
Go to [www.chaskamn.com](http://www.chaskamn.com) to see the agenda.



**CHASKA COMMUNITY CENTER ACTIVITIES**

**Chaska Area Let's Go Fishing Grand Opening**

Let's Go Fishing is a new program in Chaska designed to take Active Older Adults ages 55+ out to the lake to fish or go for a boat ride. Come learn more about Let's Go Fishing at the Grand Opening, Tuesday, May 11 at 10:00 a.m. at The Lodge. Meet the volunteers, sit in the pontoon, sign up on the mailing list, and sign up to go fishing.

**2010 CHASKA 10K/5K**

On Saturday, May 15, challenge the whole family to participate, in the 2010 Chaska 10K/5K and youth fun run distances! Top finishers in each age group will receive an award and each fun run participant will receive a ribbon. All pre-registered participants also receive a race t-shirt. Refreshments and snacks provided. Events begin at 8am. For more information or to register, go to: [www.chaskacommunitycenter.com](http://www.chaskacommunitycenter.com).

**ROCK ON ICE**

Join us for these fun recreational skating events. All rock on ice events feature a special theme, a disco ball, and great music to guarantee a fun night for all. Rental skates are available.  
**Dates:** Saturday, May 15 and July 17  
**Time:** 7:30 – 9:30 p.m.  
**Cost:** \$5 per skater.

**Remember - Mother's Day is Sunday!**

My mother taught me **TO APPRECIATE A JOB WELL DONE:** "If you're going to kill each other, do it outside. I just finished cleaning."

My mother taught me **RELIGION.** "You better pray that will come out of the carpet."

My mother taught me **IRONY.** "Keep crying, and I'll give you something to cry about."

My mother taught me about **JUSTICE** "One day you'll have kids, and I hope they turn out just like you."