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Message from the Village President



Scott Stortz

Welcome to the first edition of “Discover Slinger” magazine, another example of community spirit that sets us apart from surrounding areas.

This joint venture between the Village of Slinger and the Slinger School District once again shows the strong relationship we have with one another and our

continued efforts in keeping our residents up to date.

Twice a year, spring and then again late summer, you will receive a copy which will highlight various activities and news from both the School District & Village. In addition, you will see community interest stories which will spotlight people, businesses or groups. Also, as a fun way to show off our talented kids, the cover of each magazine will be created by one of our Slinger High School students. I personally can’t wait to see what pops up on each issue!

Finally, I would like to give a big “thank you” to the advertisers within this magazine. Without them this venture would not be possible. Please consider supporting them as they have supported us.

Wishing you all a wonderful spring and fun filled summer and truly hope you enjoy this magazine!

Moving Slinger Forward, Together

Scott Stortz
President, Village of Slinger



Update from the School Superintendent



Daren Sievers

Dear Slinger Community Members-

We are very excited and so honored to be partnering with the Village of Slinger on this joint venture of producing a twice per year “Discover Slinger” magazine. This combined effort is an extension of the partnership that was already in place between the Village of Slinger and the Slinger School District. We

do not see our school system as simply being schools located in the Village of Slinger, but rather, we view ourselves as the community’s schools and critical partners with the leaders of The Village of Slinger. This community has a long-standing history of unprecedented support for their schools and community support is one of the key attributes we feel makes the Slinger School District so different and so special. We cannot thank our community members and the Village of Slinger enough for the support they give us, our students, and our staff.

Each edition of the “Discover Slinger” magazine will communicate future school events such as athletic events, concerts, and other activities we are excited to invite community members to attend. We will also use this space as an opportunity to celebrate past accomplishments and highlight special achievements by our students and staff. We are really looking forward to using this magazine space to communicate what it means to be Slinger Owls in this special community and highlight all of the good things taking place. If you have suggestions for submissions for future editions, please let us know. This is “your” school and community magazine. We thank you for your support.

Sincerely-

Daren Sievers
Superintendent



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A Tradition of Excellence

Slinger Historical Museum takes Visitors on Fascinating Walk through Village's 150-Year History



By Nikki Ackerman
The Edward H. Wolf Schleisingerville to Slinger Historical Museum (SSHM)-located in the former train depot at 414 Kettle Moraine Drive South-was never meant to be a permanent fixture in the village. Born of the idea to showcase a few key artifacts

and pieces of memorabilia for Slinger's 150th birthday in 2019, the makeshift museum quickly grew into something bigger.

That landmark year, village residents Troy Fassbender and Tom Lehn assembled a sub-committee focused on the history of Slinger (originally named Schleisingerville). What started as a small, travelling collection soon found an enthusiastic audience and the need for its own housing.

"We had 12 showings and 3,500 people come that year, and we realized a need for the museum," explained Lehn. "So when Craig Wolf from E.H. Wolf moved out of his building, we moved in."

With 2,500 square feet of displays and artifacts, the museum has become a go-to favorite for both lifetime village residents and out-of-towners alike.

"We had our grand opening in July 2020 and from there it took off," said Lehn. "Each time we're open we get 20 to 30 people which I am thrilled about, and believe it or not about 60 percent of attendees are not from Slinger."

The train depot proved to be the ideal location as the

museum gives patrons a detailed look into the rich railroad past of the village. The area is unique as it had two railroads running through town—which is just one of the intriguing facts visitors find out when they take a tour.

"People are amazed at how much history Slinger has," said Lehn. "So many people were just not aware of all of this. They didn't know all the history, didn't know it was called Schleisingerville. I am grateful so many people want to learn more."

Fassbender expressed similar sentiments, stating, "It was time for people to see Slinger's rich past and all the businesses that started here."

Museum highlights include: the largest collection of the Storck Brewery, the only remaining Schaefer Theater Organ ("So many people come to see the pipe organ," Fassbender noted), and two hit and miss engines from Standard Machinery Co. The museum also features many pieces and pictures from area schools, churches and surrounding municipalities.

"We are fortunate enough to have a nice mix of luxury attractions, either loaned or donated," said Lehn.

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of memberships available to the public. To stay open and thriving, the museum relies on fundraisers, the selling of merchandise (<https://shop.slingermuseum.org/>), and donations.

"We are continually changing up displays to

keep things fresh," said Lehn. "We are also looking to start bringing in guest speakers and host presentations. I only see this growing."

Hours are: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. the first and third Sundays of the month, 5 to 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesdays, and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. the fourth Saturdays. To contact the museum, call (262) 297-1580 or visit slingermuseum.org.



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Honoring Coach Terry Krall

Written by Coach John Strand

"It is a simple job, but it isn't easy." Any runner who has worn a Slinger uniform could undoubtedly utter this reprise regardless of how many years have passed since they ran their last mile for the legendary Terry Krall. This quote, made famous over five decades, reveals one of the best kept secrets of distance running. However, although these words are the key to success as an athlete, they ring hollow as advice for a coach. What Terry Krall does, year in and year out, is anything but simple and he only makes it look easy.

Terry Krall understands distance running more than nearly anyone I know, and surely more than anyone I have ever met. His ability to break down the chemical structure of lactic acid and deliver a treatise on the perfect recovery drink—chocolate milk—has come from years of perfecting his craft. He is ready and willing to explain the effectiveness of a Threshold workout for a runner with a VDOT of 43 and has made use of whiteboards around the building to deliver an impromptu chemistry lesson the day before a big meet. Years and years of coaching experience has made Terry an invaluable asset to our program, but his importance doesn't end with the knowledge.

To see Terry interact with his athletes is nothing short of inspirational. Whether it is the State-Champion miler or the runner who couldn't even complete a mile on the first day of practice, Terry celebrates their successes with his whole self. I have seen him calmly read paces to our runner who is dominating the field only to unleash a bestial chant for our last runner who has a chance of beating a PR. "No Fear", he calls out in an open field after most spectators—and other coaches—have migrated towards the finish.

Terry is often known for his brutal honesty, a trait that many former runners probably have their own stories about, but his honesty allows students to understand the importance of attainable goals. Emotion can only get you so far, but a plan and determination is what works in this sport. When runners come to us with hopes of winning conference, sectional, or state championships, Terry always maps out the realistic path. When competitors lose out in a big race, Terry will tell them that hard work outweighs talent, and we can only control how hard we are willing to work. This trait—perhaps more than any other—is what allows Terry to help his athletes become more confident and unlock the true potential that they may have not known existed.

After more than 50 years of coaching, if the sport or the responsibility is weighing on him, it does not show. Whenever Terry is around kids, the years fall away and he is a kid again. You can always bet that when the gun goes up on an important race, Terry will pretend to be shot and drop to the ground, frightening all of



the parents standing nearby. He always makes sure to come up with new ideas for the photo scavenger hunt and passes on his knowledge of solar energy during the weenie-roast. The best, and most subtle way, to see how much Terry loves the work he does, is to see the sly smile he has as he listens with intent to all of the stories that high school kids have for him every day.

Terry Krall is a fixture in the Slinger community. His handprint pants are almost as recognizable as his spray paint that mars almost every surface surrounding the high school. We are lucky to have him as a member of our community, and the generations of athletes who have known him as coach have no-doubt been changed for the better by being a part of his legacy.

As a small token of our appreciation, our home cross country meet was re-named the "Terry Krall Invite" and will continue under this name moving forward. It isn't often that a living legend continues his coaching career after having an event named after him, but Terry has always given more than what is expected. For over 50 years, he has been more than a coach and will always be.

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SHS Athletic Hall of Fame Inductees for 2021

The Slinger High School Athletic Hall of Fame was established in 2011 to recognize significant achievements and contributions made by athletes, coaches, and people who made Slinger High sports successful. The current Hall of Fame inductees represent a very exclusive group of athletes, coaches, and distinguished service representatives. A committee composed of the athletic director, two current high school coaches, and four at-large members make up the committee that elects individuals to the SHS Hall of Fame.

The inaugural class of athletes elected in 2011 consisted of Cathy Branta, Diane Breuer, Jeffrey "JJ" Gehring, Stacey Kundinger and Alvin Willers. Doug Potter was elected in the coaching category and Ted Kern in the distinguished service category. The most recent 2021 inductees were Ryan Voels, Angie Curtes and Andrea Held, all athletes. Information about all each Hall of Fame member can be found on the Slinger High School website and plaques with biographies can be found in the hallway near the high school gym entrance across from the concession stand.

Individuals elected are introduced to the crowd at the homecoming game followed by an induction ceremony where they are presented with a plaque and invited to say a few words to those that gather. This year's ceremony will be held right after the game at the new SHS Performing Arts Center. Everyone is invited to attend this ceremony. The school would like to see a big turnout for this event.

Nominations to the Hall of Fame can be made by alumni, current/former SHS coaches and current/former Slinger School District employees. A nomination form can be found on the SHS website. If you have any questions regarding the nomination process, reach out to Mike Daniels, SHS Athletic Director. There is a current list of approximately 20 nominees who will be considered for the 2022 class. New nominees are always welcomed and are added to the list. Pictured at right is the 2021 induction class of Angie Curtes (1986), Ryan Voels (1997), and Andrea Held (2012).



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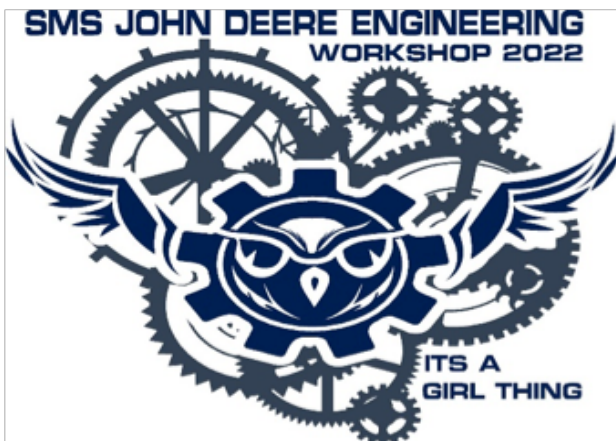
EMB John Deere Engineering Workshop 2022

“Having fun with friends and learning new things” is how one student described what took place at the “Introduce a Girl to Engineering” workshop, hosted February 9, at Slinger Middle School. An impressive 66 female students from grades 6, 7 and 8 voluntarily stayed after school to participate in a hands-on exploratory program, sponsored by John Deere of Horicon.

Plans for this event began in early fall when district parent and community member Jason Melzer, the John Deere Educational Liason and his team offered the opportunity. The Slinger Middle School STEM department partnered with John Deere a few years earlier for a very successful “Engineering Family Night” and was more than excited to welcome them back. A sampling of John Deere’s finest female engineers greeted the girls, sharing the variety of exciting tasks their specific engineering roles include and what career paths led them to where they are today. After a quick lesson on how hydraulics work, the girls were turned loose to build.

Each participant received a hydraulic claw kit, courtesy of John Deere. The girls worked in teams of two or three reading technical directions, building, testing, and troubleshooting the machine. A group of Slinger High School female students volunteered as mentors helping out and sharing their STEM

experiences in high school through Technology and Engineering Courses, Rocket Club, and SkillsUSA. Before long, rice krispie squares and other objects were being transported hydraulically across cafeteria tables. The girls left the workshop with their claw kits in their arms, a T-shirt designed by female engineer Dana Melzler of Power Graphics, and smiles on their faces knowing there are a multitude of STEM career opportunities waiting in their future.



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By Nikki Ackerman, Staff Writer

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May
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9th Grade Band Concert

May
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Visit www.slingerallentonrotary.com for more info about the club & see how you can become a part of it!

Find us on

Community Projects

- Rebuilding of the Slinger Community Park (2005)..... \$90,000
(total project cost of \$500,000)
- Playground Equipment in Community Park (2010)..... \$19,000
- Pavilion in Rueckel Field (2012)..... \$40,000
- Rescue Manikin for CPR Allenton Fire Dept. (2016)..... \$15,000
- Slinger Historical Society (2019).... \$15,000
- Ice Age Trail Furniture (2020)..... \$30,000
- Pavilion in Fireman's Park Annex (2021)..... \$40,000
- Bullet Shield for Slinger Police Dept. (2021)..... \$6,000
- Trailers for Slinger High School Outdoor Club (2022)..... \$10,000

The Slinger-Allenton Rotary Club Annual Golf Outing



June 6th



Summer 2022 Library Programs

“Read Beyond the Beaten Path”

Summer Learning Program at Slinger Community Library

Wednesday, June 22nd - Saturday, August 6th

FAMILY PROGRAMS (all ages)

Days and times of programs vary.

Please register for events!

Camp Slinger Library Fun Night! (6/22)

Let's start the 2022 Summer Learning Program (SLP) with giant-lawn games, Mr. Mischief Balloon Twister, and Fill n Chill Frozen Yogurt! Register for SLP, take a selfie in our camping photobooth, participate in a marshmallow guessing contest, play in a scavenger hunt to win a mini smores kit, and best of all, check out 5 items to enter a drawing for two Portable Fire Pit and Smores gift packages!

Storytelling on the Library Lawn: Coral Conant Gilles (7/9 at 10am)

Join us to hear Coral Conant Gilles, a Naturalist Storyteller, use the ancient art of storytelling to share stories about camping, nature and animals. Be prepared to laugh, wonder, smirk, reflect, and relax to Gilles' stories because no story is ever told the same! Fun for all audiences!

Musical Performance on the Library Lawn: Duke Otherwise (7/19 at 5:30pm)

Join us on the library lawn to welcome back Duke Otherwise, a playful wordsmith, spirited performer, skilled guitarist, and captivating tap-dancer! Fun for the whole family!



Movie on the Library Lawn: Yogi Bear (2010) (8/2 at 7:30pm)

Get comfortable with your blanket or camp chair and enjoy a movie on the library lawn with delicious smore fixins! Arrive at 7:30pm to grab your spot and the movie, Yogi Bear (2010) will start at 8 pm. Bring a soda/water to sip and snacks to munch on.

LIL' EXPLORERS (Ages 0-5)

Wednesdays starting at 10am

Please register for story times!

Children and their families are welcome to join us as we tell stories and sing songs each week! Check out the themes:

Camping (6/22)

Hiking/Walking @ Fireman's Park (6/29)

Fire (smares/campfire) (7/6)

Stars (7/13)

Animal Tracks (7/20)

Outdoor Safety @ Fireman's Park (7/27)

Playing Games (8/3)

KAMPFIRE KIDS (Ages 6-11)

Thursdays starting at 2pm

Please register for events!

Bookmark Design Contest

(6/22-8/6)

Pick up instructions, entry form, and design template starting Wednesday, June 22nd. Please return entry to library no later than 12pm on Saturday, August 6th to have your entry counted.



Krafts for Kids: Camp Nametag Necklaces (6/23)

This craft will be a great welcoming start to Camp Slinger's Kampfire Kids. Kids will create nametag necklaces and get to know one another while working. All supplies included.

Game on! Nature Trail Bingo (6/30)

Kids can compete in this special version of bingo focused on items they might spot on a nature trail. The best part? They can bring a copy home so they can spot each item when they go on hikes!

Tower Building with Marshmallows & Graham Crackers (7/7)

Who can build the tallest tower? This fun competition will have kids competing to build the tallest tower with marshmallows and graham crackers. There might be a chocolatey prize for the builder of the tallest tower!

Afternoon at the Movies: The Lion King (live action) (7/14)

Kids can enjoy an afternoon at the "movies" watching the live action version of The Lion King. A snack to munch on will be provided.



Ms. Kim's Amazing Animals (7/21)

Join us for an educational and fun

Summer Library Programs

for all ages presentation from Ms. Kim's Amazing Animals, complete with live animals! Grab some Animal Trail Mix to take home afterwards!



Krafts for Kids: Color Your Own Outdoor Canvas Bag (7/28)

Kids can get creative by coloring their own outdoor canvas bags, fit for carrying hiking and camping essentials for the next time they're out on the trail!

Game on! Outdoor Game Day (8/4)

Sometimes, it can be all fun and games! Kids can play outdoor games, including our Library of Things giant lawn games.

TEEN TRAILBLAZERS (12-18)

Tuesdays starting at 3pm

Please register for events!

Bookmark Design Contest (6/22-8/6)

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Outdoor Wisconsin Trivia (6/28)

Teens' outdoor Wisconsin knowledge will be put to the test at this version of Outdoor Wisconsin Trivia. And the best part? The winner gets an awesome prize.

Mysterious Creatures of Wisconsin: From Bigfoot to Vampires (7/5)

Chad Lewis gives a spooky presentation just for teens, showcasing on-site investigations of the Bigfoot of the northwoods and the lake monster of Lake Pepin to phantom chickens and Hellhounds roaming rural WI. Filled with witness drawings, eye-witness testimony, weird photos, and bizarre sound clips, this presentation brings the investigation right to the audience.

Reel Good Time-The Hunger Games (7/12)

Teens will have a "reel" good time watching The Hunger Games while enjoying a snack & soda (both provided).

Blind Food Tasting: Smore Foods (7/19)

Teens will blindly taste a variety of smores-related foods and have to guess what they're eating.



Outdoor Survival with the Wisconsin DNR (7/26)

Jackie Scharfenberg from the Wisconsin DNR will deliver a hands-on workshop just for teens to learn basic outdoor survival skills. In this presentation,

Jackie will instruct teens how to pack for a day trip, travel with a compass, build fires, and (if there's time), construct emergency shelters, all out on the library lawn.

Let's Get Crafty!: Tie-Dye Handkerchiefs (8/2)

It's time for teens to get crafty with some tie-dye and handkerchiefs. We recommend wearing clothes that could get stained. Teens bring the artistic talent, and the library will provide the rest.

ADVENTUROUS ADULTS (18+)

Days and times of programs vary.

Please register for events!

Wisconsin's Most Haunted Locations-The Scariest Places in WI (7/5 @ 5:30pm)

Chad Lewis gives a presentation just for adults showcasing the scariest places in WI, from wandering ghosts in the North Woods, to a haunted B&B in Milwaukee. From phantom creatures prowling the woods to graveyard apparitions located in your own backyard, no place in WI is without its own hauntings.

Exploring the Wisconsin State Park System with Wisconsin DNR (7/13 @ 5:30pm)

Jackie Scharfenberg from the Wisconsin DNR will present on exploring and making reservations at the State Park System. She will also cover tips and tricks for camping and day hiking the State Parks. This program will be held on the library lawn.

Paint Party After Hours at the Library: "Summer Nights"

(7/22 @ 5:30pm)

Follow a step-by-step painting demonstration on canvas and leave with your own masterpiece in the Village Community Room! All supplies provided.



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Exploring the Ice Age National Scenic Trail

(8/3 at 5:30pm)

Join the Ice Age Trail Alliance at this introductory presentation to learn tips and tricks for day hiking and

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backpacking, along with plenty of resources to get you started. You'll leave with maps and information suited to scratch that hiking itch. You will also hear from a Thousand Miler, someone who has hiked the entire Ice Age Trail, as they share their trail story.

“Read Beyond the Beaten Path” 2022 Summer Learning Program at Slinger Community Library is generously sponsored by:
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Slinger Community Library has gone Digital!

Did you know you can access the library and all it has to offer with your library card, 24/7? With your library card you can access our Digital Library which offers access to eight electronic databases and apps in the comfort of your home any time, day or night. We offer the Libby and Hoopla apps which allow you to read e-books, e-audiobooks, magazines, graphic novels; watch TV series, movies, educational videos; and listen to music. Gale Courses provides more than 360 six-week long online programs taught by college instructors on a broad array of topics. AtoZ Databases is a reference and marketing database for job seekers, small business owners, entrepreneurs, and researchers. Are you a student? Do you want to get answers about a medical condition? Does your vehicle need repairs? Then Badgerlink is the database for you! It is Wisconsin's Online Library provided by the Department of Public Instruction with licensed trustworthy resources for all Wisconsin residents. Are you visiting another country and want to learn how to say “hello?” Transparent Languages provides access to learning 110+ languages, including ESL (English as a Second Language) anytime, anywhere. Start discovering your family history by searching through a billion records and databases with Ancestry: Library Edition. Last but not least, you can access all of these with the Monarch2go app, where you can access your library account, browse the physical collection and the digital library, put items on hold, and pay fines.

“Library of Things” Collection @ Slinger Community Library

Do you fancy yourself a cook? Are you an outdoorsy type? Are you into needle crafting? Are you planning a backyard BBQ this summer and want some outdoor entertainment? Are you aware the “Library of Things” collection can help you hone your cooking skills with

our air fryer, food dehydrator, and Instant Pot? For outdoor enthusiasts, we have solar lights, hiking backpacks, a telescope, a metal detector, and more. For our crafty patrons we have crochet hooks, knitting needles, and a yarn winder. If you are planning that outdoor BBQ at home or in the park, the library has eleven giant lawn games for that competitive side including cornhole. We can't forget our musically inclined patrons too...we have a ukulele, boomwhackers, and a keyboard play mat. If you want to visit the penguins, we have two Milwaukee County Zoo Passes, which allow free admission for eight people, free parking, and 10% off at the gift shop. We have much more and continue to add to this collection! These items must be checked out and returned to the Circulation Desk at the library. Holds can't be placed on these items, so call or visit the library to see if the item is available. Checkout times vary with each item and a waiver needs to be signed before checking out. Come explore all the fun options!

Visit our website, slingerlibrary.org, for more information on programs and library services by scanning the QR Code to the left or typing the following link in your web browser: <https://bit.ly/3MfBRSw>

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MBW POWERHOUSE

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as the advancements in technology they have made a major focus.

"Our goal is to provide higher quality construction equipment that is more durable and heavy-duty, and requires less maintenance down the road," Bert stated.

From the village's Centennial celebration to their 150th anniversary, Bert has spent his life connecting with Slinger as a representative of MBW.

"I was in a float in the Centennial parade with my father when I was 7 years old and I did the same thing in the parade a couple years ago," he said. "It's been more than 50 years of history."

It is this kind of family involvement that has made MBW a familiar face of tradition in the community. It is one that continues to grow with a 12,000-square-foot facility devoted to research and development. Ground will be broken this summer.

"We will be using this space for year-round testing and customer training," Bert said. "It will give us more opportunities to improve products and come up with new products."

At the end of the day, investment in personnel, research and development and top of the line production is at the heart of the business.

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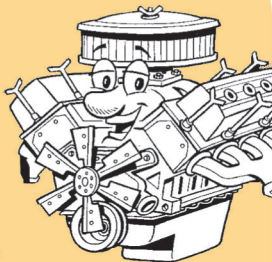
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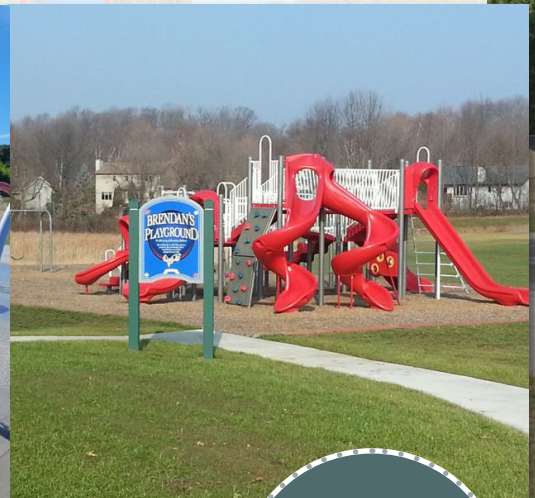
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PARKS, RECREATION & FORESTRY DEPARTMENT STAFF

Tony Dobson: Parks, Recreation & Forestry Director
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VILLAGE OF SLINGER PARKS, RECREATION & FORESTRY DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

Parks Directory and Rental Information:

The Village of Slinger has park facilities at Fireman's, Rueckl and Community Parks that are available to the public for rentals. All parks feature open air shelters

Reservation Policy:

Reservations for all park shelters can be made in person starting in February for that calendar year. All reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Reservations require that the interested party file the necessary permit application and pay the reservation fees within one week of making the reservation. Fees are determined by Village residency and type of event. For more information call 262-644-5265.

Breuer Homestead Park:

Located just off of Hwy. 175, this 86-acre park will begin development in the Spring of 2022.

Fireman's Park:

Located off of Parkway Drive, this 14-acre park has two open air shelters with electricity, picnic tables, walking paths, basketball hoops, sand volleyball, playground, a disc golf course and restrooms.

Slinger/Allenton Rotary Park:

Formerly the Fireman's Park Annex beach located on Baehring drive. This 9-acre park contains a large splash pad, inclusive playground, two shelters with electricity, picnic tables, restrooms and off street parking. Watch for the addition of continued activities in this park in 2022.

Ways to Register

ONLINE: Visit to vi.slinger.wi.gov, click on "Departments", then "Parks, Recreation, & Forestry", and then "Programs and Registration". Follow the instructions on the page and visit the appropriate links at the end of the article.

BY MAIL OR DROP BOX: 300 Slinger Road

IN PERSON: Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Please have separate payments for each program.

REGISTER EARLY! *If a program does not meet its minimum registration requirement within five days of the start date of the program, the program may be cancelled.*

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Fireman's Park	\$100.00	\$150.00	\$100.00	
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Rueckl Fields Park	\$150.00	\$200.00	\$100.00	
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SPRING HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS 2022

BOYS TENNIS

Day	Date	Time	Versus	Location
Thu	04/07/2022	3:45pm	Sussex Hamilton	Hamilton High School
Tue	04/12/2022	3:30pm	Menomonee Falls	Slinger High School
Thu	04/14/2022	4:00pm	Beaver Dam	Beaver Dam High School
Sat	04/16/2022	10:00am	Manitowoc Lincoln	Lincoln Park
Tue	04/19/2022	3:30pm	Nicolet	Slinger High School
Thu	04/21/2022	3:30pm	Whitefish Bay	Cahill Park
Sat	04/23/2022	8:30am	Hartford Union High School	Hartford Union and Slinger Courts
Thu	04/28/2022	3:30pm	West Bend West	Slinger High School
Sat	04/30/2022	8:00am	Multiple Schools	Slinger & Hartford Tennis Courts
Tue	05/03/2022	3:30pm	Grafton	Grafton High School
Sat	05/07/2022	8:00am	Fond du Lac	Fond du Lac High School
Tue	05/10/2022	3:30pm	West Bend East	Slinger High School
Tue	05/17/2022	12:00pm	Homestead	Homestead High School
Tue	05/17/2022	4:00pm	Port Washington	Thomas Jefferson Middle School
Wed	05/18/2022	12:00pm	Cedarburg	Slinger High School
Wed	05/18/2022	4:00pm	Hartford Union High School	Slinger High School
Thu	05/19/2022	TBD	Away vs. Multiple Schools	TBD
Sat	05/21/2022	8:30am	Hartford Union High School	Hartford Union and Slinger Courts



BOYS TRACK

Day	Date	Time	Versus	Location
Sat	03/19/2022	8:00am	Sheboygan North	Sheboygan North High School
Sat	03/26/2022	10:00am	Watertown	Watertown High School
Sat	04/02/2022	4:00pm	Madison West	U.W. Shell
Tue	04/05/2022	4:00pm	Kettle Moraine Lutheran	Kettle Moraine Lutheran
Fri	04/22/2022	3:00pm	West Bend West	West Bend West High School
Tue	04/26/2022	4:00pm	Multiple Schools	Slinger High School
Wed	05/04/2022	4:00pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	Port Washington High School
Fri	05/13/2022	4:00pm	Hartford Union High School	Hartford Union High School
Tue	05/17/2022	4:00pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	Grafton High School



GIRLS TRACK

Day	Date	Time	Versus	Location
Fri	03/18/2022	4:00pm	Sheboygan North	Sheboygan North High School
Sat	03/26/2022	10:00am	Watertown	Watertown High School
Mon	03/28/2022	4:45pm	Oshkosh West	Kolf Sports Center Field House
Sat	04/02/2022	10:00am	Madison West	U.W. Shell
Tue	04/05/2022	4:00pm	Kettle Moraine Lutheran	Kettle Moraine Lutheran
Fri	04/22/2022	3:00pm	West Bend West	West Bend West High School
Tue	04/26/2022	4:00pm	Multiple Schools	Slinger High School
Wed	05/04/2022	4:00pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	Port Washington High School
Fri	05/13/2022	4:00pm	Hartford Union High School	Hartford Union High School
Tue	05/17/2022	4:00pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	Grafton High School

BASEBALL

Day	Date	Time	Versus	Location
Thu	03/31/2022	5:00pm	Wisconsin Lutheran	Slinger High School
Tue	04/05/2022	5:00pm	Milwaukee Reagan	Slinger High School
Wed	04/06/2022	4:45pm	West Bend East	Slinger High School
Fri	04/08/2022	4:45pm	Nicolet	Maslowski Park
Mon	04/11/2022	4:45pm	Port Washington	Port Washington High School
Wed	04/13/2022	4:45pm	Homestead	Slinger High School
Mon	04/18/2022	4:45pm	Waukesha North	Frame Park
Wed	04/20/2022	4:45pm	West Bend West	West Bend West High School
Fri	04/22/2022	4:45pm	Hartford Union High School	Slinger High School
Mon	04/25/2022	4:45pm	Grafton	9th Avenue Field
Wed	04/27/2022	4:45pm	Cedarburg	Slinger High School
Fri	04/29/2022	4:45pm	Whitefish Bay	Cahill Park
Mon	05/02/2022	5:00pm	West Bend East	West Bend East High School
Wed	05/04/2022	5:00pm	Nicolet	Slinger High School
Fri	05/06/2022	5:00pm	Port Washington	Slinger High School
Mon	05/09/2022	5:00pm	Homestead	Rennicke Field
Wed	05/11/2022	5:00pm	West Bend West	Slinger High School
Fri	05/13/2022	5:00pm	Hartford Union High School	Hartford - West Side Park
Sat	05/14/2022	11:00am	Lakeside Lutheran	Slinger High School
Mon	05/16/2022	5:00pm	Grafton	Slinger High School
Wed	05/18/2022	4:00pm	Cedarburg	Cedarburg High School
Fri	05/20/2022	5:00pm	Whitefish Bay	Slinger High School
Mon	05/23/2022	4:30pm	Wauwatosa East	Breitlow Field
Tue	05/24/2022	5:00pm	Kettle Moraine Lutheran	Kettle Moraine Lutheran
Fri	05/27/2022	7:00pm	Menomonee Falls	Slinger High School

SOFTBALL

Day	Date	Time	Versus	Location
Tue	04/05/2022	4:30pm	West Bend East	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Thu	04/07/2022	4:30pm	Nicolet	Maslowski Park
Fri	04/08/2022	6:00pm	Watertown	Brandt Quirk Park
Mon	04/11/2022	4:30pm	Port Washington	Thomas Jefferson Middle School
Tue	04/12/2022	4:30pm	Homestead	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Thu	04/14/2022	4:30pm	West Bend West	West Bend West High School
Tue	04/19/2022	4:30pm	Hartford Union High School	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Thu	04/21/2022	4:15pm	Grafton	John Long MS
Mon	04/25/2022	4:30pm	Cedarburg	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Tue	04/26/2022	4:30pm	Whitefish Bay	Whitefish Bay High School
Thu	04/28/2022	4:30pm	West Bend East	West Bend East High School
Sat	04/30/2022	11:00am	Kaukauna	Kaukana High School
Mon	05/02/2022	4:30pm	Nicolet	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Tue	05/03/2022	4:30pm	Port Washington	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Thu	05/05/2022	4:00pm	Homestead	Homestead High School
Mon	05/09/2022	4:30pm	West Bend West	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Tue	05/10/2022	4:30pm	Hartford Union High School	Hartford Union High School
Thu	05/12/2022	4:30pm	Grafton	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Sat	05/14/2022	10:00am	Multiple Schools	Slinger MS Softball Fields
Mon	05/16/2022	4:30pm	Cedarburg	Cedarburg High School
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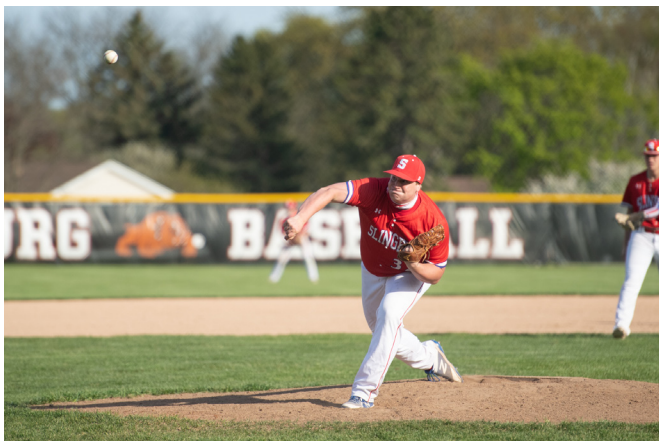
GIRLS SOCCER

Day	Date	Time	Versus	Location
Thu	03/31/2022	7:00pm	Kettle Moraine Lutheran	Slinger High School
Thu	04/07/2022	4:30pm	Plymouth School District	Plymouth High School
Tue	04/12/2022	7:00pm	West Bend Co-op	Slinger High School
Tue	04/19/2022	7:00pm	Nicolet	Uihlein Soccer Park
Tue	04/26/2022	7:00pm	Port Washington	Thomas Jefferson Middle School
Thu	04/28/2022	7:00pm	Homestead	Slinger High School
Thu	05/05/2022	7:00pm	Oshkosh North	Slinger High School
Tue	05/10/2022	7:00pm	Hartford Union High School	Slinger High School
Tue	05/17/2022	7:00pm	Grafton	Grafton High School
Thu	05/19/2022	7:00pm	Cedarburg	Slinger High School
Tue	05/24/2022	7:00pm	Whitefish Bay	Whitefish Bay High School



BOYS GOLF

Day	Date	Time	Versus	Location
Tue	04/12/2022	12:00pm	Homestead	Hidden Glen Golf Club
Sat	04/16/2022	9:00am	Hartford Union High School	Washington County Golf Course
Mon	04/18/2022	4:00pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	Ozaukee Country Club
Tue	04/19/2022	4:00pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	Meekwon Golf Course
Wed	04/20/2022	10:00am	Sheboygan North	Blackwolf Run Golf Course
Thu	04/21/2022	10:00am	Sheboygan North	Whistling Straits Irish Course
Mon	04/25/2022	4:00pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	West Bend Country Club
Fri	04/29/2022	8:00am	Port Washington	Hawthorne Hills Golf Course
Sat	04/30/2022	8:00am	Arrowhead	Erin Hills Golf Course
Mon	05/02/2022	4:30pm	Multiple Schools	Washington County Golf Course
Thu	05/05/2022	1:00pm	Cedarburg	Hidden Glen Golf Club
Mon	05/09/2022	4:30pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	TBD
Fri	05/13/2022	4:30pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	Hawthorne Hills Golf Course
Mon	05/16/2022	4:00pm	Away vs. Multiple Schools	TBD
Wed	05/18/2022	9:30am	Away vs. Multiple Schools	Erin Hills Golf Course
Thu	05/19/2022	TBD	Away vs. Multiple Schools	TBD
Tue	05/31/2022	9:00am	Hartford Union High School	Washington County Golf Course





Athletic Leadership Scholarship Golf Outing



Last year, in cooperation with alumni, our community, local businesses, and Slinger School District Staff, the Slinger High School Athletic Scholarship Committee awarded \$15,000 in scholarships to athletes who exhibit outstanding leadership skills! We also thank our MAJOR sponsors listed below!

Save the date for this year's event: Friday, June 10th, 2022 – Scenic View Country Club – 11:30AM



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SLINGER PARK UPDATES

Get Your Hiking Boots Ready! More Trails are Coming Soon!

The successful completion of the Ice Age Trail segment through Community Park was welcomed by residents and visitors. The Village Board responded to the very positive feedback they received by looking at other areas where trails could expand recreational opportunities here in the Village. The top priority they identified is a trail that will connect the sidewalk along E Washington Street (STH 175) with Parkway Drive, along E Commerce Boulevard (STH 60). This will create two loops, at Slinger Road and Parkway Drive, plus it will provide a much safer route for walking along the busy STH 60 corridor.



Trail Segment from Slinger Road to Parkway

This trail will include a segment that will lead walkers directly to the new Splash Pad and all-inclusive playground facilities at our Fireman's Park Annex facility.

Village staff and our engineering consultants at Ruekert-Mielke have been working with the Wisconsin Department of Transportation to finalize design details. A draft of the design was presented for public review at an informational meeting we held on February 2nd. Citizens came in with very good suggestions for small adjustments that will make this a better trail overall. The design is being revised accordingly, and we hope to release the request for bids on the project in mid-March. Construction would start in late Spring with the goal of completing the work by mid-October 2022.



02/02/22 Public Information Meeting

In addition to the E Commerce Boulevard/STH 60 trail, we plan to construct sidewalk along Cedar Creek Road that will create a connection between Kettle Moraine Drive North and the end of the new Ice Age Trail segment that re-routed the trail behind Little Switzerland ski hill. This will give walkers a safer option for getting back into our downtown area. It will also improve safety for pedestrians and vehicle traffic during busy Slinger Super Speedway and Little Switzerland events. The design for this was reviewed at the February 2nd meeting, and bids for this will be requested in conjunction with the other trail to cut down on project costs.

There will be some great new trails to enjoy soon!



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BREUER HOMESTEAD PARK

An exciting new project is underway in the Village of Slinger—an 80-acre site will be developed into the eagerly awaited Breuer Park. To bring this project to life, our team of site planners, landscape architects, and engineers is working closely with the Village of Slinger to provide multi-disciplinary design and surveying services.

The park will be located near a growing residential neighborhood in the northwestern part of the community. Amenities will include a baseball and softball complex, playgrounds and park shelters, restrooms, multi-use playing fields, and a potential sledding hill for residents and visitors to enjoy.

Some of the park site will be developed as natural areas for trails and passive uses, such as hiking, snowshoeing, and cross-country skiing. The southern portion of the park site will be unprogrammed open space that can be used for multiple purposes, such as soccer, lacrosse, and other activities.

We have collaborated with the Village through each step of this multi-phase project. Our design services have included a topographic survey, evaluation of the initial master plan, preliminary and final site plans and renderings, stormwater management, permitting, and bid documents. The park was also designed to accommodate a possible future expansion.

This important project will benefit the community for years to come, providing a beautiful, functional space for people to enjoy the outdoors.

- Troy Hartjes P.E., RA Smith



SLINGER/ALLENTON ROTARY PARK

Splash Pad, Playground and More

The Fireman's Park Annex received quite a face lift in 2021. Formerly known as the Slinger Beach, the park now contains a 3,100-square-foot splash pad along with an inclusive playground. Plans are being made to continue improving this park with family games spread throughout the park. Some of the possible concrete game structures being discussed include, ping pong, foosball, ladder ball and chess. Village staff are hoping to include pickleball, shuffleboard, gaga ball and bocce ball. The Slinger / Allenton Rotary Club also donated an open air shelter to this park in 2021, which will be used for rentals throughout the year. We are very excited about the future of this newly named park, Slinger/Allenton Rotary Park.



MUSIC IN THE PARK

Music plays from 6pm to 9pm!

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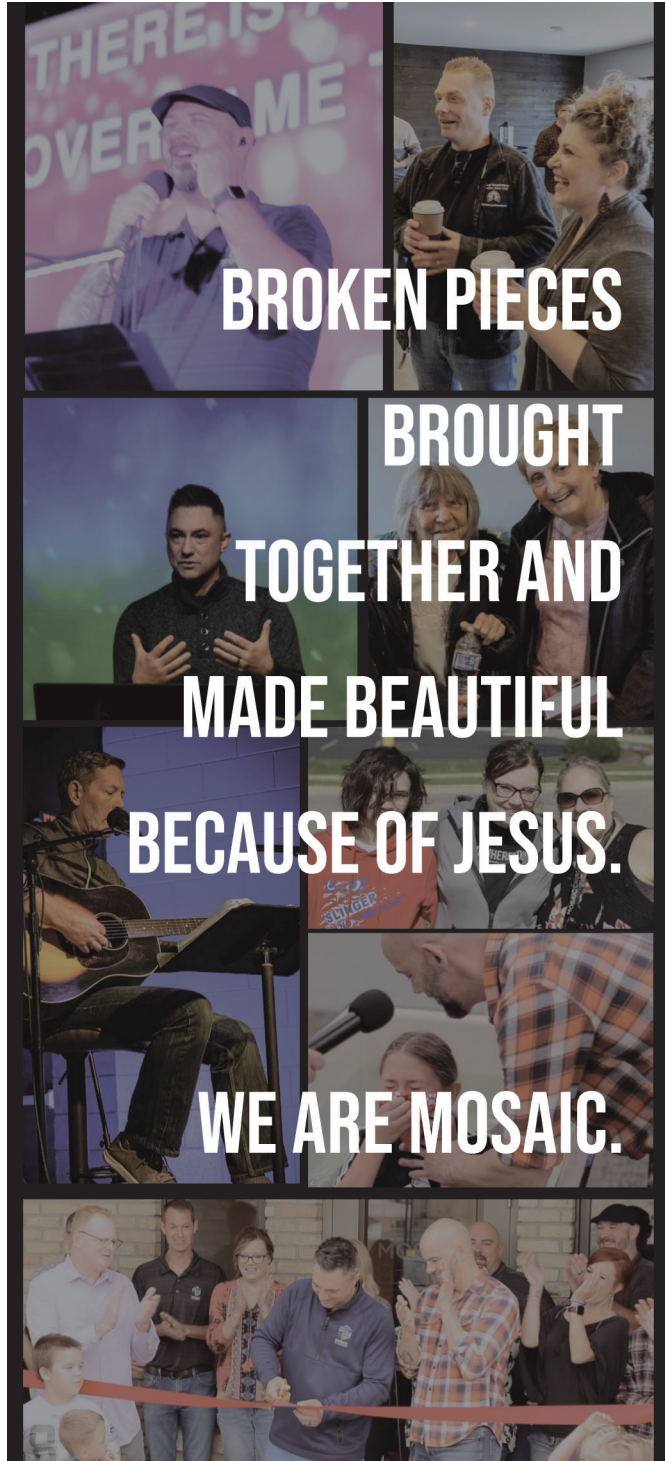
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Each Fall, Slinger Police hosts a six-week Citizen's Academy program where participants meet once a week to engage in a personal experience with local officers to learn more about the law enforcement profession

and how it relates to their community. Sessions include topics such as use of force, drugs and impaired driving, domestic violence, criminal investigations, evidence processing and more. Sessions are designed to be inclusive for all adults age 18 or above, with the opportunity to take part in training scenarios tailored to their capabilities. Following their completion of the program, participants may also go on a volunteer ride along with an officer during one of their shifts. There is no charge to attend the Citizen Academy, however there is an application process due to limited class sizes. Slinger Police intends to host the 2022 session starting September 15, 2022, meeting on Thursdays for each of the six weeks the program will take place. Applications may be found on the Village of Slinger website, or picked up from the police department. Completed applications can be returned to Slinger Police or emailed to Lt. Gullickson at: jgullickson@vi.slinger.wi.gov





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NATIONAL NIGHT OUT



Each year, the Slinger Police Department joins in on a nationally celebrated community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships called National Night Out. Established

with the intent to provide community watch groups with information to stay interested and motivated in their communities, it has grown to be a nationwide celebration between neighbors and law enforcement which provides opportunity for positive interactions. This past year, Slinger Police invited many local businesses and programs to join in on our celebration to truly highlight the camaraderie of the Village and provide information to local residents. Participants included Kiwanis Club, the EH Wolf Schleisingerville to Slinger Historical Museum, Slinger-Allenton Rotary and Slinger Speedway. Other local first responder groups

also joined in, including Washington County SWAT members, Slinger Fire Department, and LifeNet air medical service. Slinger Police hosts the celebration at Community Park with live music and numerous food options. National Night Out is scheduled to be hosted next on August 2, 2022.



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SPECIAL HAWKS ADAPTIVE T-BALL PROGRAM

The Slinger and Hartford Parks & Recreation Departments are offering an adaptive recreation T-ball program to individuals with disabilities. Athletes need to be able to perform basic baseball/softball skills including:

- Basic understanding of baseball – playing defense (fielding) and offense (hitting)
- Some ability to swing a bat and throw a ball
- Ability to listen to coaches and stay on task

For registration (taking place in April) and additional questions, please contact Josh Feller at (262) 644-5265 or by email at jfeller@vi.slinger.wi.gov

SLINGER FRIENDS OF THE PARK

Friends of the Parks, Rec & Forestry

The Slinger Friends of Parks, Rec. & Forestry is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving and maintaining the Slinger parks for all citizens. If you are interested in volunteering or becoming a friend and would like to support additional park projects, please contact the Slinger Parks & Recreation Department at 262-644-5265.

Slinger Friends of the Park Cash Calendar

Purchase a \$20 raffle ticket and have the chance to win between \$100-\$200 a day throughout the months of July & August. A winning raffle ticket will be randomly selected at 10:00AM at 300 Slinger Road, unless otherwise stated. Winners will be called and posted on the Parks

& Recreation Facebook page. Purchase a ticket or tickets from any Slinger Little League Player by June 27th for your chance to win!

Goaga (Goats + Yoga)

Goat Yoga will be back in 2022! Nigerian Dwarf Goats add a playful and humorous element to the practice of yoga. This class teaches you to release all expectations and just go with the flow. Be on the lookout for more info in the summer activity guide. Class session dates will take place in mid-May through June.

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