



COMMUNITY LINK

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CHATFIELD CENTER FOR THE ARTS

May 1:

Lorie Line & Her Fab Five—the 2011 Intimate Evening Series. 7:00 p.m. www.lorieline.com

May 13 & 14:

Canterville Ghost

May 15:

Todd Green Concert 2:00 p.m.

May 30:

Memorial Day Program 10:00 a.m.

July 19:

Songs of Hope

www.chatfieldcfa.com

VOLUNTEERING IN THE CITY

Volunteering is a great way to meet new people, learn about and serve your community. Now more than ever the City needs the assistance from the community to continue to provide programs that are a part of our community's character.

The City of Chatfield greatly appreciates all of the time and effort our volunteers contribute to the "Chosen Valley". Volunteers can be found helping out in many ways in our community; staffing the tourism center in City Park, pulling the Chatfield Western Days float in local parades, watering the hanging flower baskets on Main Street, as well as many other discreet but greatly ap-

preciated efforts. All of these acts of volunteerism boost our community spirit and many of these City programs could not operate without this volunteer assistance. These are great opportunities to do as a family, service group or as an individual. Please consider giving some of your time to the community.

If you appreciate the beauty of the downtown flower baskets, pitch in and help, save the flowers! And what better way is there to go to a neighboring celebration than to be in their parade? Call 867-3810 to reserve a chance to water flowers or to take the float to a nearby parade!!

Please call or e-mail to volunteer!

Tourism Center—



If you would be interested in sharing your community pride

with visitors to our community please contact—Cathy at 867-3810 or canderson@ci.chatfield.mn.us

Western Days Float—



If you would be interested in pulling the float "Trigger" in area parades please

contact—Mary at 867-3810 or mpeterson@ci.chatfield.mn.us

Flower Basket Watering—



If you would like to help out by watering the flowers, one day, several days or

one week this summer, please contact Cathy at 867-3810 or canderson@ci.chatfield.mn.us

ANNUAL DISCLOSURE NOTICE:

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL

Wm. Hanson Waste Removal disposes residential and commercial waste at Fillmore County Resource Recovery Center and Olmsted County Waste Energy Facility. Demolition and construction material is disposed of at Veit Disposal Systems.

Note: Residents may be responsible for any liability that results from contamination at a facility where your waste has been disposed. Minnesota believes that its waste management system provides substantially more financial and environmental protection than depositing waste in landfills in other states. Managing your waste in Minnesota may minimize your potential liability.

CITY OF CHATFIELD

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Phone: 507-867-3810

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In Case of Emergency:

9-1-1

Ambulance (Non Emergency)

507-867-4446

Police (Non Emergency)

507-867-3331

Chatfield Public Library

507-867-3480

TROUT CLASSIC BREAKFAST & FISHING CONTEST

Celebrate the trout stream opener in Chatfield!!!

Sat April 16, 2011—Chatfield Fire Hall
PANCAKE & SAUSAGE BREAKFAST

All the Pancakes You Can Eat, Sausage, Coffee & Milk
Served 6:00—10:00 a.m.

\$2.00 Pre-School Children \$5.00 Students & Adults

TROUT FISHING CONTEST FOR
FISHERMEN OF ALL AGES

Entry Fee \$10 Adults & children over 12 \$1 Children 12 & under.

Pre-Register at Magnum Sports in Chatfield
before the day of the event.

On April 16, registration is either at
Magnum Sports or Fire Hall until 8:00 a.m.

Live Trout Display Courtesy of MN DNR—Maps of Area Streams Provided

Prizes will be awarded by age category and fish species. Weigh-ins and awards will
take place at 1:00 p.m. Join the fun!!!

THINK SPRING! LEAF PICK UP/BRUSH & LEAF DUMP HOURS



Curbside Leaf Collection

Monday and Tuesday, April 18th & April 19th

Brush & Leaf Dump

Opening for the Season—Wednesday, April 6th
Hours of Operation

Wednesdays 1:00—3:00 pm & 5:00—7:00pm

Fridays 1:00—4:00 pm

Saturdays 10:00 am—4:00 pm

Brush, leaves and grass clippings ONLY

The public works department helps residents dispose of their leaves at no additional charge each spring. Residents may place bagged leaves (no other refuse of any kind) at street curbside.

Please DO NOT rake leaves or grass into the street because this will cause the storm inlets to plug and flooding will occur. Raking leaves into the street is a violation of city code.

Walk your dog, but clean up, too...



There is nothing better than a leisurely walk with your pet on a beautiful day. It is important, though, to clean up after your dog if "nature calls" while you are out and about.

Please carry a bag or two with you on your walk so you are prepared. The City has received a number of complaints about this and people need to be more considerate. Even in the parks—if your dog "does its business" while on a run in the park, make sure that you clean up there, too.

It is important to pick up after your pet. Not only is it inconsiderate but it is unlawful to allow your pet to defecate on other private or public property without cleaning up. Please keep our town clean and healthy!!!

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Be Cool at the Pool

Pool Lesson and Membership Registration will be handled by mail or in person at City Hall—THERE WILL NOT BE A SCHEDULED SIGN UP SESSION.

Pool scheduled to open, Thur, June 9th, 1:00 p.m. (weather permitting)

2011 Sessions Schedule

- Session 1 (June 20—July 1)
- Session 2 (July 11-July 22)
- Session 3 (July 25—Aug 5)

City Hall
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- **Mon Apr 4th—**
Planning & Zoning 7:00 pm
- **Mon Apr 11th—**
City Council 7:00 pm
- **Mon Apr 25th—**
City Council 7:00 pm
- **Thu Apr 28th—**
EDA 5:30 pm

ELECTED OFFICIALS

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