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## **SUPERVISOR'S REVIEW**

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**DATE:** August 13, 2010  
**TO:** County Board Supervisors  
**FROM:** Russ Podzilni, County Board Chair  
**SUBJECT:** Mark Your Calendars for These Upcoming Events - Update

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### **August 19, 2010 – Rock County Beef Producers Steak Cookout**

5 – 8 PM at the Rock County Fairgrounds

### **August 21, 2010 – Jennifer Bishop Birthday Bash**

5:30 PM – ??? at the Hog Cabin, 631 County Trunk Q, Beloit. Jennifer will turn 30 on September 6<sup>th</sup>. Please come and help her celebrate this momentous occasion. There will be food, music, etc. Please call her at 312-1416 if you have any questions.

### **August 26, 2010 – Evening Exploration at Pelischek-Tiffany Nature Trail**

5:30 - 7 PM Enjoy an evening walking or biking the trail near Clinton, WI. For more information call (608)361-1377 or [info@weltycenter.org](mailto:info@weltycenter.org).



### **September 9, 2010 – Rock County Board Meeting**

6:00 PM Regular meeting. (Invocation – Supervisor Owens)

### **September 12, 2010 – Heritage Days at Beckman Mill County Park**

Visit the past by attending Friends of Beckman Mill's Heritage Sunday. There will be guided tours of the mill and the Cooperage/Beckman Home Museum as well as antique cars, tractors, machinery, carriage rides, crafts, old time music, great food and more. For more information call (608)751-1557 or [beckmanmill@yahoo.com](mailto:beckmanmill@yahoo.com).



### **September 23, 2010 – Rock County Board Meeting**

6:00 PM Regular meeting. (Invocation – Supervisor Mawhinney)

### **September 26-28, 2010 – WCA Annual Conference**

In Milwaukee

**NOTE:** It is possible that at any of the above listed events a quorum of a governmental body may be present, however, no business of that governmental body will be conducted.

Note: When you fill out the white, half sheet per diem please leave the bottom line open for the County Board Chair to sign off on. If you need the Committee Chair to sign off on a per diem, have them initial after your name or on the line for attending meeting lasting longer than 4 hours. New per diem sheets will be available for you shortly.

Any Supervisor who finds himself/herself near the Courthouse on a Friday around 2:30 P.M. may stop in and pick up their weekly packet.

Starting the week of August 1<sup>st</sup> we will be starting a one-month trial of Supervisors accessing their meeting agendas and minutes through the County's website ([www.co.rock.wi.us](http://www.co.rock.wi.us)). Every Friday the Administrator's Office will mail the Weekly News Release and The Supervisor's Review to each Supervisor so you will be aware of meetings for the upcoming week. Participation in this trial is not mandatory and if you wish not to participate please return the bottom portion of the 6/25/10 memo included in your 7/2/10 packet to Marilyn in the Administrator's Office. Thank you.

Happy Birthday this month to Supervisors



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**Green Tips of the Week:** *From Composting for Dummies by Cathy Comwell, National Gardening Association* – By composting food scraps, yard waste, and other ingredients, you create nutrient-rich compost to add to your garden and landscape, and you minimize the waste sent to landfills. Home composting is a great way to be greener and do something good for the environment while seeing major benefits right at home. Benefits of Adding Compost to Your Garden – Composting provides you with rich organic matter that does wonders to improve the quality of your garden soil. Whether you sprinkle compost on the surface of the soil or work it in, your garden plants and landscape will grow healthier and stronger thanks to the addition. Your garden benefits from compost the following ways: Incorporates organic matter to feed micro-organisms and macro-organisms that maintain a healthy soil food web; Enriches soil with nutrients for plant growth; Releases nutrients slowly so they don't leach away as some synthetic fertilizers do; Improves soil structure; Promotes drainage and aeration in clay soil; Reduces soil compaction; Inhibits erosion; Suppresses soil-borne diseases and pests; Attracts earthworms, nature's best soil builders. (Next week - Shopping for Compost Tools)

