



ONEIDA COUNTY
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

ONEIDA-VILAS COUNTY
PIO NETWORK



NEWS FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: July 19, 2011

Time: 12:30 p.m.

Additional Cooling Centers and Heat Precautions

The National Weather Service indicates a hazardous combination of heat and humidity is likely through Friday. High temperatures in the 90s and dew points in the 70s will produce heat indices over 100 degrees on some or all of these days. The following cooling centers are available to the public:

Boulder Junction

Boulder Junction Library (5386 Park St)	Mon, Wed, Fri Tues, Thurs Sat	10:00 am – 4:00 pm 10:00 am – 7: 00 pm 10:00 am - 1:00 pm	715-385-2050
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Library offers a free movie night on Thursday, July 21st at 7 pm

Community Center (5386 Park St)	Mon-Fri	9:00 am – 5:00 pm	715-385-2220
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Eagle River

Kalmar Center (Hwy 45 North)	Wed	12:00 pm – 9:00pm	715-479-2633
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Milestone Senior Living (2332 North Railroad St)	Wed	12:00 pm – 9:00 pm	715-479-8018
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Best Western Derby Inn (1800 Hwy 45 North)	Wed	Lobby open 24 hours	715-479-1600
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Vilas County Courthouse (330 Court St, Conference Rooms)	Tues – Fri	8:00 am – 4:00 pm	715-479-3668
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Northland Pines High School (1800 Pleasure Island Drive Internet Café)	Mon Tues, Wed Thurs Fri Sat Sun	until 9:30 pm 5:00 am – 8:30 pm 5:00 am – 9:00 pm 5:00 am – 7:30 pm 5:00 am – 1:30 pm 7:00 am – 3:30 pm	715-479-4473
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Olson Memorial Library (203 N. Main)	Mon Tues – Thurs Fri Sat	9:00 am – 7:00 pm 9:00 am – 6:00 pm 9:00 am – 5:00 pm 9:00 am – 3:00 pm	715-479-8070
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Lac du Flambeau

Lac du Flambeau Library
(622 Peace Pipe Rd)

Mon	1:30 pm – 4:00 pm
Tues	10:00 am – 12:30 pm 1:30 pm – 7:00 pm
Wed	10:00 am – 12:30 pm 1:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Thursday	10:00 am – 12:30 pm 1:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Fri	10:00 am- 4:00 pm

715-588-7001

Land O'Lakes

Land O'Lakes Library
(4242 Cty Hwy B)

Mon, Thurs, Sat	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Tues, Wed, Fri	9:00 am – 5:00 pm

715-547-6006

Manitowish Waters

Manitowish Library
(Hwy 51)

Mon, Wed, Fri	9:00 am – 3:00 pm
Tues, Thurs	12:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Sat	9:00 am – 1:00 pm

715-543-2700

Mercer

Mercer Library
(2648 W Margaret St)

Mon – Thurs	9:00 am – 7:00 pm
Fri	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Sat	9:00 am – 12:00 pm

715-476-2366

Minocqua

Minocqua Library
(415 Menominee St)

Mon-Thurs	9:00 am – 8:00 pm
Fri	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Sat	9:00 am – 1:00 pm

715-356-4437

United Methodist Church

(Chicago Ave & Chippewa St)
Handicap accessible

Mon – Thursday	1:00 pm- 6:00 pm
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715-356-3041

Phelps

Phelps Library
(4495 Town Hall Rd)

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri	10:00 am- 4:00 pm
Wed	2:00 pm – 6:00 pm
Sat	10:00 am – 12:00 pm

715-545-2887

Plum Lake

Plum Lake Library
(8789 Peterson St)

Mon, Wed, Thursday	10:00 am – 7:00 pm
Tues, Fri, Sat	10:00 am – 1:00 pm

715-542-2020



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Presque Isle

Presque Isle Library (8306 School Loop Rd)	Mon, Wed, Fri	10:00 am – 4:00 pm	715-686-7613
	Tues, Thursday	4:00 pm – 9:00 pm	
	Sat	10:00 am – 12:00 pm	

Rhineland

YMCA of the Northwoods 2003 East Winnebago Street	Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs	5:00 am - 9:00 pm	715-362-9622
	Fri	5:00 a.m. – 8:00 pm	
	Sat	7:00 a.m. – 3:00 pm	

REQUIREMENTS: A parent needs to accompany children age 10 and younger

St Germain

St Germain Community Center (Room #6), Corner of Hwy 70 & 155	Wed	1:00pm – 9:00 pm
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Three Lakes

Edward Demmer Library (6961 W. School St)	Mon, Wed	9:00 am – 8:00 pm	715-546-3391
	Tues, Thurs, Fri	9:00 am – 5:00 pm	
	Sat	9:00 am – 2:00 pm	

For AFTER-HOUR inquiries, please contact the Oneida County Sheriff’s Office at 715-361-5100 or the Vilas County Sheriff’s Office at 715-479-4441

Common symptoms:

- Heat Cramps: cramps or muscle spasms in the abdomen, arms or legs.
Solution: Stop activity. Cool down, drink clear juice or sports drink.
- Heat Exhaustion: heavy sweating, paleness, muscle cramps, weakness, dizziness, headache, nausea, fainting.
Solution: Cool down, seek medical attention.
- Heat Stroke: extremely high body temperature, red, hot, dry skin, rapid pulse, throbbing headache, dizziness, nausea, confusion, unconsciousness.
Solution: Call 911 and cool the victim with a shower or hose until help arrives

Courtesy: Wisconsin Department of Health Services

Citizen tips:

- Stay hydrated and drink plenty of water even if you don’t feel thirsty!
- Monitor weather forecasts.
- Stay out of the sun during the hottest times of the day.
- Wear light-colored, lightweight clothing, hat and sunscreen.
- Those responsible for construction crews and large outdoor events should make plans for providing shade, water and places for people to cool off.



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- Those caring for the elderly and disabled should ensure they are not endangered by the upcoming hot weather.
- If loss of power: leave refrigerator and freezer doors shut.
- If temperatures are 95 degrees or higher, put a fan in the window to blow hot air out of your home.
- Check on neighbors.
- Check with pharmacist or doctor on how medications could affect you during heat.
- Take care of PETS and animals. Shelter pets inside if possible, provide shade and fresh water.
- If possible, leave pets at home rather than taking them with you. If temperature is 80 degrees and the window of your car is partially opened for 10 minutes, the temperature in the car can rise to 100 degrees!

Power outages

- For latest updates, please check the Wisconsin Public Service website at <http://www.wisconsinpublicservice.com>
- Please be patient and please do not interrupt crews.

For more information contact either/or :
Oneida County Emergency Management
Telephone Number: 715- 361-5167
<http://www.co.oneida.wi.gov/>

Vilas County Public Information Officer
Telephone Number: 715-479-3650
<http://www.co.vilas.wi.us/emergov.html>