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*Town of Nepeuskun—Winnebago County, Wisconsin  
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## **Rush Lake Project**

**Rush Lake Project** – The most recent meeting of Rush Lake Watershed Restoration, Inc. was held September 15, 2011. A report was given on the recent cattail spraying. Water quality testing of feeder streams into Rush Lake was also discussed. New cattail vegetation appears to be somewhat more dominant than in past years. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 12, at 7:00 p.m. at the

Waukau Youth Center. Please contact the Rush Lake Watershed Restoration, Inc. Directors from the Town of Nepeuskun for more information and upcoming meeting dates: Ken Merk, Bob LaBuda and Ron Bahn. For info on the internet go to [www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/land/wildlife/rushlake/index.htm](http://www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/land/wildlife/rushlake/index.htm)

DRIVE SAFE SCHOOL IS IN SESSION  
(OVER)

**Burning Permits** – Burning permits have not been required in the Town for several years. **You are responsible for any fire that you may set. If you are going to have a large fire (especially if you are going to burn an old building) be sure to contact the fire department (Berlin or Ripon). For info on the internet, go to [dnr.wi.gov/forestry/fire](http://dnr.wi.gov/forestry/fire).**

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**THANK YOU!!**

**Thank You** – Town recycling attendants who make recycling drop off a pleasant experience.

Town brush cutting & chipping employees who have promptly responded for cleanup during the summer storms.

**4-H News** — It's enrollment time for new members. Young people can join as early as age 5. The Club did great at the Fair this summer. Outstanding achievement awards were given to Kelly Emmrich for foods. Taylor Worthington overall Swine showman, Reserve Supreme Cow and Jr. Champion Holstein,. Great job! We would like to say thanks to Elaine Achterberg for planting and taking care of the flowers and Jim Heise for mowing our 4-H corner in Rush Lake. It sure looked nice all summer. Also, we would like to thank the township for the use of the town hall for our meetings every month. If you are interested in learning more about Lakeshore 4-H, please contact Kathy Wunrow at 361-3784 or Tanya Weis at 361-2584. We meet the first Sunday of the month at the Town Hall. Meetings last about 1 hour.

**Town Website:** Visit [www.townofnepeuskun.org](http://www.townofnepeuskun.org) The website has zoning ordinances, permits, Town Board & Plan Commission meeting minutes & agendas, land use ordinances, history, and much more. Check it out!

**Farmland Preservation Program** — **The deadline has passed to enroll for the program. Any future enrollment is much more complicated and costly than the recent enrollment procedure. It appears that 25 landowners will be enrolled with approximately 3,300 total acres. A confirmation letter will be sent out by the end of September to all who have enrolled.**

**Recycling Reminders** — Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month is our recycling drop-off day from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Town Hall. You can bring all of your newspaper and cardboard, metal and glass containers, and all plastic containers that are marked as recyclable (except motor oil containers). For more information on recycling of other material (electronics, tires, batteries, appliances, waste oil and oil filters, etc.) please refer to the Winnebago County Landfill at 920-232-1800 or

[www.co.winnebago.wi.us/solid-waste/recycling](http://www.co.winnebago.wi.us/solid-waste/recycling)

**Garbage Pickup** – Private garbage pickup is available in the Town. The pickup service has changed ownership. You may contact Jon Schure for more info at 920-361-2970.

## Dates To Remember

**2011 Budget Hearing** – Monday, October 17, 2011, at 6:30 p.m., at the Town Hall

**RUSH LAKE PROJECT MEETING** – Thursday, January 12, 2012, at 7:00 p.m. at the Waukau Youth Center

**RECYCLING** - Every Third Saturday of the Month at the Town Hall 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

**REGULAR MONTHLY BOARD MEETINGS** - Every Third Monday of the Month at the Town Hall 7:00 p.m.

**REGULAR MONTHLY PLAN COMMISSION MEETINGS** - Usually Every 1st Monday of the Month at the Town Hall 7:00 p.m.

**2011 Budget Hearing** – The 2011 Budget Hearing will be held on October 17, 2011 at 6:30 p.m. at the Town Hall. The Town Board intends to submit a budget that will not increase the levy.

**Plan Commission** — Chairman Bob LaBuda has announced that he will be resigning as of the end of the year. The Town is certainly grateful for the many years that Bob has served and the many accomplishments he took part in. With the need for a replacement member, anyone interested can contact any Town official.

**Nepeuskun Cemetery** — We have a beautiful cemetery located in the heart of our Town at the intersection of Koro and Kaufman Roads. It certainly is worth a visit! You may contact Sexton Greg Bellmer at 920-290-4182 for information on burial lots.

Did you know that the Town of Utica First Responders serve the Town of Nepeuskun? The Town Board has asked Utica First Responders to serve the entire township. Currently only one Utica First Responder lives in the Town of Nepeuskun. We need more volunteers! Are you interested in learning more about becoming a First Responder? Please contact Julie Felix at 920-216-6474 for more information.