

# MY NEIGHBOR

A Publication of Waunakee Neighborhood Connection



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## STORE HOURS

Mon Oct. 27th, 8-11a  
Mon Nov. 3rd, 5-7p  
Wed Nov. 12th, 10a-1p  
Mon Nov. 24th, 8-11a  
Mon Dec. 1st, 5-7p  
Wed Dec. 17th, 10a-1p

## SPECIAL NOTE

If you have not registered since 8/25/08, you are not eligible to shop or to participate in the Build-a-Bed program or SHARE Christmas meal until you are registered. Please see article on how to register.



## LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER BY CHRISTMAS

For those of you who have **NOT** attended a client meeting or come into the store during shopping hours to register your family since 8/25/08 to continue to receive WNC services, **the time to act is NOW!**

**You MUST be registered to shop at the store AND to receive a FREE Christmas Dinner.** This month we are also applying for a grant to run our "Build-a-Bed" program again, where there will be a lottery style drawing for clients to receive a BRAND NEW BED WITH BEDDING. If you are not registered, you are not eligible to participate. Finally, if we do not hear from you soon, you not only miss out on these opportunities, but **THIS WILL BE THE LAST COMMUNICATION YOU RECEIVE FROM WNC UNTIL YOU REGISTER!**

To register, please attend the **LAST** client meeting on **November 3rd at 6pm sharp,** located at the store. If you cannot make this date/time, you must contact us at **849-5740** to make other plans for registration. **DON'T WAIT!**



## Build-A-Bed

WNC is writing a grant for funds to have our annual build-a-bed program. Those interested in entering our lottery drawing to receive a free bed, please call 849-5740 or email us at [info@waunakeenc.com](mailto:info@waunakeenc.com) and let us know what size bed you would like, if drawn. New items included in the build-a-bed program are:

- Bed frame
- Mattress & Box Spring
- Mattress pad & pillows
- Sheet set w/ pillow cases
- Comforter w/blanket
- Free delivery & setup by Christmas!

### **You are eligible if:**

- You did **NOT** receive a bed in last years program
- You have registered since 8/25/2008. (if you have not registered yet, please do so before calling. See previous article on how to register).

**Deadline for registering for Build-a-Bed is Nov. 15th.**



**TAKE NOTE!**  
**ONLY TWO DAYS TO SHOP IN DECEMBER**

Due to the holidays, WNC will only have two available store shopping days instead of three in December. Read and save the calendars on page 4 and plan ahead!

# Christmas Programs Announced!

## Register Now!

### FREE CHRISTMAS MEAL



WNC in collaboration with Waunakee's chapter of SHARE, along with the generous giving of our donors and community is proud to offer our Annual Christmas Dinner free to our clients.

The meal this year will include:

- 6 lb. Boneless Honey Ham
- Canned Pineapple
- 2 Cans of Corn
- Fruit Gelatin Ring
- Seasonal Fresh Fruits & Vegetables
- Dessert



**You are NOT automatically provided a meal. You MUST call us at 849-5740 or email us at [info@waunakeenc.com](mailto:info@waunakeenc.com) by November 15th**

and let us know that your family wishes to participate in this year's Christmas meal. If we do not hear from you by November 15th, we will **NOT** order a meal for your family.

Food distribution will be held on **Saturday, December 20th at 11:45a at the Waunakee Village Senior Center** located at 333 South Madison Street, Waunakee (contact us if you need directions). **BE PROMPT!** You must pick up your meal right at 11:45am.

You will receive a reminder postcard in the mail closer to the time you are to pick up your meal. **Again, the deadline for registration is November 15th, so call soon!**



### Halloween Shopping

Your last chance to shop for Halloween costumes is Monday, October 27th, 8-11am. Have a safe Halloween!

### Kids Christmas Shopping with Varsity Football Players



At the same time as the distribution of the SHARE Christmas Meal, WNC, partnering with the

Waunakee Touchdown Club, will be hosting a FREE shopping opportunity for children to shop for presents for their parents or guardians. On **Saturday, December 20th, from 11:30a to 1:00p at the Waunakee Village Senior Center** children will not only be able to pick out their own gift for their parents or guardians, but each child will be paired with a Waunakee Varsity Football player to guide them in their shopping, and help them wrap their present before they leave. **What a treat!** Personal time with a football champion and being able to have a present for the adults they love.

As in previous years, **shopping will be limited to presents for children's parents or guardians.** We do not have presents available to give to other adult family members, siblings, grandparents or other friends or family.

**Please discuss this limitation with your children before arriving to shop, so that their expectations are set,** and shopping can be a pleasant experience for all!



### CLIENT WISH LISTS - AN UPDATE FOR YOU

Please pick up wish list items within two weeks of being contacted by WNC. If we do not hear back from you within two weeks of our contact, we will pass along your item to someone else or place it in the store for general shopping.



## COME SUPPORT WNC at 1st National Opening

On Wednesday, October 22nd, First National Bank will be opening the doors of their new Waunakee/Westport Branch at 1330 Montondon Ave. on the corner of Hwy 113 and Arboretum Drive in Waunakee.

In celebration of their 132 years in business, First National is partnering with Waunakee Neighborhood Connection. **For every 132 people that attend the grand opening celebration from Wednesday, October 22nd through Friday, October 24th, First National will be donating \$132 to WNC.**

Please stop by, welcome First National to the community, and support WNC.

- Ribbon Cutting, Wed., 10/22 at 10:00am
- Free Brats , Thurs., 10/23 from 11am - 1pm
- Family Fun , Friday 10/24 from 2 -5pm

## Thankful Hearts

This is the time of year to reflect on all the wonderful things you have been blessed by over the last year. We truly hope that WNC is one of the places you have felt blessed this year. WNC's store and programs wouldn't be possible without the generous support of our donors and community partners. **Please help us let our donors and partners know how much we appreciate them.** Send us your thoughts or stories on what WNC has meant to your family this year, and what in particular you are thankful for from WNC. Please call or email us at 849-5740 or [info@waunakeenc.com](mailto:info@waunakeenc.com) to share your stories and thanks. **We would appreciate hearing from you by October 29th so your information can be placed in our November donor newsletter (without your name).** If you cannot make that deadline, please still contact us as we will make use of your story in other newsletters or publications. Thank you for sharing your gratitude with those that make our store & programs possible.

# Thank You Volunteers

We would like to say thank you and recognize our October client volunteers . Araceli Guerrero (pictured below) volunteered several hours at the store. Jan Summerton, Greta Jansen, and Brandy Calderon spent an evening helping WNC at a 7th & 8th grade dance. All had a great time and all received a \$25 gas card. See our calendar and article below for more volunteering opportunities!



## CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

WNC and WaunaFest are sponsoring a 5th & 6th grade **Halloween Costume Dance THIS FRIDAY, October 23rd from 7-9pm.** We need volunteers to help sell concessions. **If you are interested in helping please call us immediately at 849-5740.**

## SPECIAL ITEMS

If you are interested in any of the following, please email us at [info@waunakeenc.com](mailto:info@waunakeenc.com) or call **849-5740.** Call soon, they will go fast!

- Microwave
- Twin Bed Frame
- Bicycles (children, adult)
- 2 Drawer File Cabinet
- Winter clothing
- Numerous Baby Items





# NOVEMBER 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO YOU & YOUR FAMILIES—We hope you have a great Thanksgiving Holiday this month. We pray that God will bless your family, in their celebration of giving thanks. WNC also wants you to know that we give God thanks for each and every one of you, and look forward to seeing you again soon!				1 1	
2	3 Volunteer 8-11am Store Open 5-7pm Client Mtg 6pm	4	5	6 9	7 Volunteer 8am-Noon	8
9	10 Volunteer 8-11am	11	12 Store Open 10am—1pm	13	14 Volunteer 8am-Noon	15 DEADLINE TO REGISTER FOR CHRISTMAS MEAL & BUILD-A-BED
16	17 Volunteer 8-11am & 5-7pm	18	19	20	21 Volunteer 8am-Noon	22
23	24 Store Open 8-11am	25	26 Early Release 12:40p	27 No School Thanksgiving	28 No School	29

Yellow are days OPEN for shopping

Blue are days for volunteering and drop-offs, NOT shopping



# DECEMBER 2008

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	1 Volunteer 8-11am Store Open 5-7pm	2	3	4	5 Volunteer 8am-Noon	6
7	8 Volunteer 8-11am	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Volunteer 8-11am & 5-7pm	16	17 Store Open 10am—1pm	18	19 Volunteer 8am-Noon	20 Christmas dinner pick up at 11:45a Children's Shopping 11:30a—1p
21	22	23	24	25 Christmas	26	27
28	29	30	31	The last two weeks of December, school is closed and so is the WNC store. Regular hours will resume after the holidays.		

Please enjoy the peace and love of Christmas with your families and know that we pray for a blessed New Year for each and every one of you.