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The Friends for the Fox River Trail meets quarterly and has a monthly e-newsletter. Sign up for the newsletter by sending a note to friendsoffrt@yahoo.com

Friends of the Fox River Trail news for January 2017

Happy New Membership Year!

Don't forget to renew your annual Friends FRT membership with a suggested tax-deductible donation of \$10 per household. All gifts to Friends FRT go directly to trail upgrades and maintenance. In 2016 we were able to give a \$2,500 donation to the Allouez Parks Department for the addition to Sunset Park, adjacent to the FRT in southern Allouez. Attached to this e-mail is the membership form with info for mailing your donation or making a donation from your bank's on-line bill paying function. Thanks so much for your help over the years!

Clearing of FRT in Allouez-Green Bay:

Brown County, Green Bay, De Pere and Allouez are working out a plan to share the cost of clearing the FRT for the rest of the winter 2017. At this point the portion in Allouez has been cleared, while the Green Bay and De Pere sections will be done as soon as the agreements are signed.

Don't forget if you are using wheels on the trail this winter you need to purchase your 2017 passes for use after 01/01/2017. Prices and sales locations are the same as last year.

Matt Kriese, Brown County Park's director sends along this note:

"We have posted "risk" signs at the kiosks and ask that anyone using the trail during winter use caution and know their abilities. It will be maintained as a winter recreational trail, with little to no salt use (sand is allowed). We want everyone to enjoy the trail during the winter, but do not want to see anyone get injured. If there are issues related to this the plowing would likely cease, please use common sense based on trail conditions."

January winter fun event:

Frenzy on the Fox

Friday | January 13, 2017 | 7:00pm Run/Walk | 8:00pm Bike

Starts at City Deck | \$15 Early Registration

Volunteers are needed for the event. Call Brown County Parks for more info: 920-448-6242.

Allouez Bike and Pedestrian Plan open house:

Allouez village staff and resident committee members have been working over the past 8 months on a comprehensive bicycle and pedestrian plan. There will be an open house to introduce the plan and take public comments before it goes to the Village Board for approval. Please come to see what exciting improvements the plan has to offer.

- Thursday January 19, 2017
- Allouez Village Hall, 1900 Libal St
- Doors open at 5:15 pm with a presentation at 5:30

Don't miss the Friends FRT next Quarterly meeting:

- Thursday January 26, 2017
- 7 pm
- Gallagher's Pizza, Webster Ave Allouez

Please send agenda items prior to January 15, 2017.