





Yeah! Summer is finally here! It is my favorite season. I love all the flowers, walking barefoot and listening to the children play – well scream mostly, but I like that too! They grow up so fast and it's nice to see them just be kids without a care in the world.

Our road paving is underway. I know it will be a bit of an inconvenience for a while, but the end result will be worth it. Some residents are concerned about how this project is being funded. More than half the cost is being paid for with the Motor Fuel Tax and grants we received. As always if you have any questions, please contact Mike Dropka or myself.

Don't forget about our Village Wide Garage Sale. Saturday July 22 & Sunday July 23<sup>rd</sup>. 9:00am to 5:00pm. Sign up today!

Stop by the Village Hall for your copy of the "Southland" Festivals & Events guide 2023. You don't have to travel far to enjoy summer activities with your kids or friends. There are concerts, Old-Fashioned County Fairs, Car Shows, BBQ Fests, Free Outdoor Movies and much, much more. All this in our neighboring suburbs. No need to drive downtown, fight traffic and pay huge fees for parking.

I wish you all a long summer filled with lots of ice-cream, warm sunny days and cool summer evenings!

Village President

Nancy L. Miller

P.S. I have the answers to the crossword puzzle. You didn't think I was going to make it easy and put the answers in this newsletter!!