

T.E.A.M. Huddle

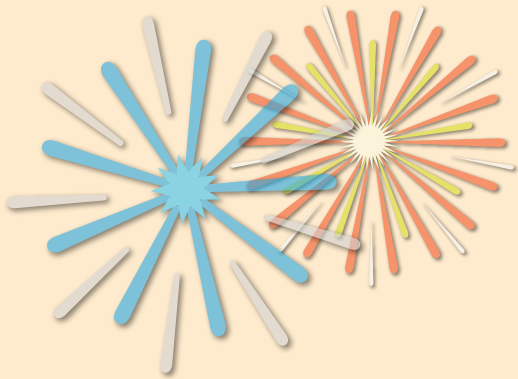
THE UWSP FACILITY SERVICES NEWSLETTER

JULY, 2016



TEAM MEMBERS:

RON ADAMSKI,
ELLEN WINN-GOLOMSKI,
DARCY LOOMIS
BOB MEDO, DOREEN PELTIER



July 4th, 2016 marks the 240th birthday of our nation. With the 'Declaration of Independence' being issued on July 4, 1776. On this day, the thirteen colonies claimed their independence from the British Empire, an event which eventually led to the formation of the United States.

The Continental Congress approved the final wording of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776. They'd been working on it for a couple of days after the draft was submitted on July 2nd and finally agreed on all of the edits and changes.



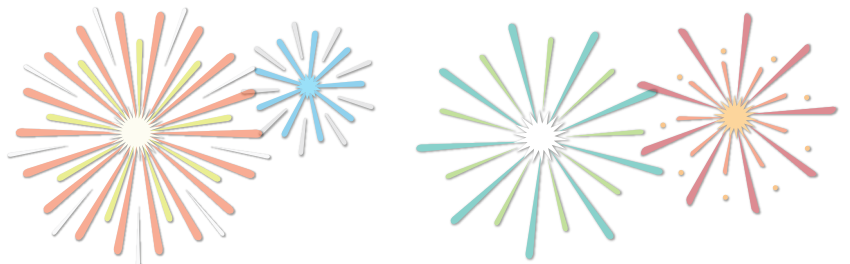
A sculpture created by University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 3D art major Riley Fichter has been installed at the Stevens Point Sculpture Park.

Riley Fichter, of Baraboo, submitted a striking 10-foot sculpture titled "Weight/Agony." It debuted Saturday, June 11, at the Stevens Point Sculpture Park's Summer Celebration.

Staff at UW-Stevens Point and community members also helped make the installation a reality, including **Eva Hathaway from Facility Services - Central Stores** on campus. A local rock company donated the limestone slab that is the base. The city provided use of a bulldozer.

The 20-acre Stevens Point Sculpture Park features artwork from local, regional and national artists. Five pieces are added each year and remain for three years, so the park is always growing and changing. Nestled in a wooded area at 900 North Second Street, the Sculpture Park connects to the Green Circle Trail's Brickyard segment. Parking is available along North Second Street or in the Zenoff Park lot.

Thank you for your contribution Eva! Thanks to the UWSP University Relations and Communications office for this report.



HAPPY 4th JULY INDEPENDENCE DAY

According to thetoppens.com, these are American's favorite flavors of ice cream. Where does your favorite rank?

10. Mint
9. Coffee
8. Rocky Road
7. Strawberry
6. Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough
5. Cookie Dough
4. Vanilla
3. Mint Chocolate Chip
2. Chocolate
1. Cookies N' Cream

Wait, what? Where's my favorite...
Vanilla?

Q: How come there are no good 'Knock Knock' jokes about America?

Because freedom rings.

Q: What does the Statue of Liberty stand for?

Because she can't sit down.

Q: What was General Washington's favorite tree?

The infantry.

source: <http://www.jokes4us.com>

SCOOPS OF THANKS!



Chris Brindley and Jim Adamski dish up some tasty ice cream during the recent 'Ice Cream Social' event held at the M&M building. The event was held to thank the Facility Services staff for their hard work during the spring and early summer months. A very special thanks to Paul Hasler and Greg Diemer for supporting and recognizing the Facility Services staff in all we do!



Paul Bjork from Diversey, a division of the Sealed Air Corporation, recently met with both shifts of the Academic Custodial staff to discuss carpet care. Paul definitely has a gift when it comes to presenting information and the staff appreciated his insightful ideas and techniques for dealing with carpet cleaning. Thank you Paul!



The Fourth of July means BBQs, beaches, and ... **bumper-to-bumper traffic!** Independence Day weekend travel is set to be a record breaker this year, according to just released data from AAA. The travel organization estimates 43 million Americans will pack their bags to celebrate the Fourth. If you are planning to be one of these travelers, **be safe out there!**