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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### 2024 City of Menomonie Arbor Day Celebration

**Menomonie, Wisconsin, 04/10/2024** – The City of Menomonie’s annual Arbor Day Celebration will celebrate trees, birds, and honor Menomonie High School Science Teacher Mr. Nate McMahon and his students' volunteer work on the Galloway Creek restoration project.

#### The History of Arbor Day:

The first American Arbor Day was a significant milestone in our nation's environmental history in 1872 in Nebraska. Since then, Arbor Day is celebrated each year on the last Friday in April by planting a tree. This yearly event shows a commitment to protecting our natural resources.

#### Celebrating Arbor Day in Menomonie:

Everyone is welcome to our Arbor Day Celebration, organized by the City of Menomonie Urban Forestry Board!

**When:** April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 9:30 am

**Where:** Menomonie High School (front lawn along 5<sup>th</sup> street)

*Figure 1: 2023 Arbor Day Celebration*



What can you expect at this event:

- Menomonie’s history as a Tree and Bird City
- Community Services Dept. will plant a tree
- Updates on the Galloway Creek Restoration Project
- Annual Forest Friends Award presentation to Mr. Nate McMahon and his students

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