

# VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD

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# D-TALES

Your Municipal News Source

## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

THE VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD WISHES YOU A PROSPEROUS 2014

### MESSAGE FROM DEERFIELD MAYOR HARRIET ROSENTHAL

A new year provides the ability to look back at the previous year's accomplishments and to look forward to new opportunities. In Deerfield, we have many accomplishments to celebrate while we plan for the year ahead. The Village transitioned to a new fiscal year and completed major road and infrastructure projects in 2013, and new, large developments approved in 2013 will start to take shape in 2014.



In November and December of 2013, the Village approved its budget and tax levy. Our fiscal year was changed to match the calendar year, bringing more transparency to residents as property taxes will be spent in the same year they are collected. The budget process, including the property tax levy and debt service, is one of the major tasks of the Village Board, and many hours of open meetings and discussions take place.

Fundamentally, we are a service organization and our services are delivered by people. A labor-intensive business translates to an expensive business. Our staff has done a wonderful job over the past few recession years managing costs and we appreciate those efforts. Our tax levy is increased by three percent, which equates to about \$20 on a \$500,000 home. We realize this is real money, but we must keep up with our core priorities of infrastructure, public safety and long-term fiscal stability.

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### TAX LEVY, 2014 BUDGET APPROVED BY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

This year, the Village completed its transition to a calendar fiscal year. The change to a calendar year end was done primarily to better align cash flow, revenue recognition and accounting for property taxes. Residents will not see any changes on their property tax bills because of the change. The Village Board approved the 2014 budget and 2013 tax levy in late 2013.

The 2014 budget totals \$41,303,248 which is a 14.48% increase over the Fiscal Year 13A budget. Much of the increase is due to comparing the current 12 month budget to the prior 8 month transition budget and is partially offset by a lower capital program in the current year.

This budget was prepared with the following general guidelines:

- No new major operating program additions
- Salary projections were made in light of the collective bargaining atmosphere in Illinois

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### MEETING SCHEDULE

Meeting times/dates subject to change.  
For a complete list of meetings visit,  
[www.deerfield.il.us](http://www.deerfield.il.us)

#### January

**Board of Trustees**

January 6 & 21, 7:30 p.m.

**Plan Commission**

January 9 & 24, 7:30 p.m.

**Community Relations Commission**

January 14, 7:00 p.m.

**Sustainability Commission**

January 23, 7:00 p.m.

**Appearance Review Commission**

January 27, 7:30 p.m.

#### February

**Board of Trustees**

February 3 & 18, 7:30 p.m.

**Fine Arts Commission**

February 3, 6:00 p.m.

**Community Relations Commission**

February 11, 7:00 p.m.

**Plan Commission**

February 13 & 28 7:30 p.m.

**Appearance Review Commission**

February 24, 7:30 p.m.



## MAYOR'S MESSAGE

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When you see your property tax bill, you will notice that the Village portion represents only about four percent of the total. We will continue to focus on more efficient Village operations and finding new revenue sources while maintaining our coveted AAA bond rating. The Village will collect \$5.2 million in property taxes, while our budget is \$41.3 million.

2013 saw the completion of the Lake Cook Road reconstruction project. A large-scale road project of this magnitude is never easy, and my thanks go out to our local business community, residents and partners for their patience and understanding that helped make this project as successful as possible. Construction was completed nearly a month ahead of schedule. This project demonstrates the value that collaboration, consistent communication and common sense practices can produce for the benefit of taxpayers, businesses and the motoring public. We thank the Cook County Department of Transportation and Highways, the DBR Chamber of Commerce, the Village of Northbrook and A-Lamp Construction for their cooperation.

The Village also completed work on the reconstructed Water Reclamation Facility (WRF), our largest public works project ever. Construction of the new facility began in January of 2011 and concluded in June of 2013. The previously existing WRF was constructed in the 1950s. Much of the now-retired equipment was well beyond its useful life and had become increasingly expensive to maintain and operate. The new facility utilizes innovative and more efficient technology that has already shown a reduction in our energy consumption. Recently, the Administration Building was certified as a Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Silver Building by the U.S. Green Building Council.

The Village completed its own list of capital improvement projects in 2013. These include the reconstruction of Heather

Lane and Lake Eleanor Drive as well as our 2013 Street Rehabilitation Project, which included parts of Bayberry Lane, Timberhill Road, Springfield Avenue, Cherry Lane, Carriage Way and Bentcreek Ridge.

Looking forward to later in 2014, our capital improvement projects include engineering and design work for the 2015 reconstruction of Deerfield Road and the design and engineering necessary for future projects in the Northtrails and Briarwood Vista subdivisions. Additionally, our 2014 Street Rehabilitation Project includes improvements to all or parts of Brookside Lane, Castlewood Lane, Cambridge Circle, Fairview Avenue, Princeton Lane, Radcliff Circle and Stratford Road.

Our community will see both residential and business growth in 2014. Numerous new businesses have opened in the past year and ground was broken on the AMLI Deerfield and Woodview Residences apartment developments. This year, Deerfield will welcome grocer Fresh Thyme Farmers Market to Cadwell's Corners. Please see pages 3 and 5 for more news about economic development in the Village.

Finally, I would like to thank all of my colleagues on the Village Board and members of our various Commissions for their dedication to Deerfield and the countless hours they volunteer every year to continue to make Deerfield a great place to live, to work and to visit.

From my family to yours, best wishes for a happy, healthy and prosperous new year.

Harriet Rosenthal,  
Mayor

## BUDGET, TAX LEVY

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• Revenue estimates were conservatively based on the current economic conditions and adjusted for known variations; a stable outlook was assumed

Major capital projects expected to begin or be completed this year include (with

engineering):

- Annual street rehabilitation and sidewalk program - \$1,250,000
- Engineering costs for Phingsten/Kates Road Bridge, Northtrails Subdivision and Briarwood Vista - \$325,000
- Deerfield Road Sidewalk Improvements - \$360,000
- Lake Cook Road water main reimbursement - \$463,000

The 2014 budget is funded in part with the 2013 property tax levy that will be collected in June and September of 2014. The total Village tax levy is to increase 3 percent, which amounts to an additional \$20 to a \$500,000 market value home.

The levy includes an \$84,560 (4 percent) increase for the general fund and a \$22,640 (2.5 percent) increase for the refuse fund to keep pace with increased costs. The remaining increase is allocated to the Infrastructure Replacement Fund for capital projects.

The levy also includes abatements (reductions) for all non-treatment plant related debt and for Federal Government rebates for Build America Bonds and Qualified Energy Conservation Bonds.

The overall budget is balanced as there are fund balances available to provide for the capital expenditure program and drawdowns in various funds. The projected use of fund balance overall is \$1,923,088. This is primarily due to an anticipated General Fund drawdown for the abatement of non-WRF debt service payments and a transfer to the IRF for capital projects, large purchases from E911 Funds, and use of cash on hand in the MFT Fund.

The budget reflects a proposed 2.5% increase in the water, sewer and refuse user charges. The budget also reflects additional revenue for dispatching Riverwoods Police. No other new revenue sources are introduced for the year.

*For more information on the 2014 budget or 2013 property tax levy, contact Finance Director Eric Burk at 847.719.7432 or visit [www.deerfield.il.us](http://www.deerfield.il.us)*



## DEERFIELD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT UPDATE

New and exciting developments are underway throughout the Village that will bring new residences and businesses to the Village while creating new jobs, improving the regional economy and expanding the local tax base.

Two new luxury rental developments are underway that will bring 488 apartment homes to the Village and a combined total economic impact of approximately \$138,135,409 to the state's economy. Fresh Thyme Farmers Market grocery store will open in Cadwell's Corners Shopping Center mid-year, focusing on fresh produce at reasonable prices.

These developments will join a bevy of new local businesses that have opened in 2013 or will open shortly and long-standing businesses. For a list of these businesses, see page 5.

## AMLI DEERFIELD

In October, the Village Board approved a final development plan for AMLI Deerfield. AMLI Deerfield will occupy approximately six acres of vacant land located at 1525 Lake Cook Road and feature studio, one-bedroom, and two-bedroom apartment homes.

The development will be a four-story structure housing 240 rental units with a total of 413 total parking spaces.

The fully amenitized luxury rental building will feature an expansive fitness center, business center with internet café, comfortable resident lounge area with multiple entertainment areas, an interior courtyard with pool, lounge space and private trellis areas.

The building will be designed and built for LEED certification and will be entirely smoke-free. The project broke ground in late 2013 with an anticipated completion in mid-2015.

For more information, visit [www.amli.com](http://www.amli.com) ➤

## WOODVIEW RESIDENCES AT PARKWAY NORTH

In September, the Village Board approved a final development plan for Woodview Residences. Woodview will occupy 7.68 acres of vacant land located at 15 Parkway North Boulevard, on the south side of Deerfield Road just west of the I-94 Tollway.

The multi-family luxury rental apartment community will feature studio, one-, two- and three-bedroom apartment homes. The four-story development will house 248 rental units and have 406 parking spaces.

Building amenities include a resort style pool, electric car charging station, jogging trails and dog park, technologically advanced fitness center, exhibition kitchen, coffee bar and lounge seating, bike lounge, iLounge, courtyards and green space.

Pre-leasing to begin in October 2014.

For more information, visit [www.woodviewdeerfield.com](http://www.woodviewdeerfield.com) ➤

## FRESH THYME FARMERS MARKET

In November, the Village Board approved a special use to establish the 32,309 square foot Fresh Thyme Farmers Market grocery store to be located in Cadwell's Corners Shopping Center in the former SteinMart space.

Fresh Thyme is a grocery store focusing on fresh produce at reasonable prices. The store will have local and organic fruits and vegetables, freshly baked products, a deli, meats, seafood, dairy, bulk food bins, frozen foods, beer and wine, body care products and vitamins.

The store will be open seven days per week from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. The Fresh Thyme management team has over 20 years of grocery experience.

Benefits to Deerfield include expanding the local sales tax base, while creating roughly 75 to 90 direct jobs and additional secondary jobs. Fresh Thyme strives to become an employer of choice in the local community and support local not-for-profit organizations and schools.

The grocer plans to offer free educational classes, tasting events and entertainment.

Fresh Thyme is built on a culture of farmer-friendly customer service with knowledgeable team members and uses green building initiatives and operational practices

For more information about Fresh Thyme visit their website at [www.freshthyme.com](http://www.freshthyme.com) ➤

### Economic Impact

The economic impact of 240 new apartment homes in AMLI Deerfield and 248 in Woodview Residences.

#### Total Economic Impact:

AMLI: \$67,935,447  
Woodview: \$70,199,962  
Total Jobs Supported  
AMLI: 691  
Woodview: 714

### Apartment Residents

#### Total Economic Contribution

AMLI: \$11,789,565  
Woodview: \$12,182,551

#### Total Jobs Supported:

AMLI: 304  
Woodview: 314

#### Spending Power:

AMLI: \$5,613,762  
Woodview: \$5,800,887

### Apartment Construction

#### Total Economic Contribution:

AMLI: \$54,324,348  
Woodview: \$56,135,160

#### Total Jobs Supported:

AMLI: 364  
Woodview: 376

#### Construction Dollars Spent:

AMLI: \$23,322,177  
Woodview: \$24,099,583

#### On-Site Jobs:

AMLI: 158  
Woodview: 163

Sources: [www.weareapartments.org](http://www.weareapartments.org), Census Bureau, 2011 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates and microdata. Economic impact based on 2010 American Community Survey and 2010 Consumer Expenditure Survey. National Apartment Association and National Multi Housing Council, "The Trillion Dollar Apartment Industry" ➤



# BOARDREPORT

The following is a synopsis of actions taken by the Village Board since the last issue of D-Tales. For complete sets of minutes for Village Board meetings or to watch meetings on demand, please visit the Village's website at [www.deerfield.il.us](http://www.deerfield.il.us).

## VILLAGE BOARD ACTION

- Approved ordinance authorizing a Class B special use to permit the establishment of a Pure Barre fitness studio in Deerfield Square
- Approved ordinance authorizing a Class B special use to permit the establishment of a Gracie Barra Jui-Jitsu martial arts studio in Deerfield Square
- Approved ordinance authorizing a special use for a Fresh Thyme Farmers Market grocery store at Cadwell's Corners
- Approved ordinance amending the Municipal Code authorizing government service interns to participate as ex-officio members of the Community Relations Commission
- Approved ordinance adopting the budget of the Village for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2014, and ending December 31, 2014
- Approved resolution adopting a consolidated fee schedule for fiscal year 2014
- Approved ordinance levying taxes for corporate purposes for the fiscal year commencing on January 1, 2014, and ending December 31, 2014, for the Village of Deerfield, Illinois
- Approved ordinance abating all of the 2013 tax levy requirements for the Series 2008 General Obligation Bonds
- Approved ordinance abating a portion of the 2013 tax levy requirements for the Series 2010 General Obligation Bonds
- Approved ordinance abating a portion of the 2013 tax levy requirements for the Series 2011B General Obligation Bonds
- Approved ordinance abating all of the 2013 tax levy requirements for the Series 2011A General Obligation Bonds
- Authorized purchase of a police vehicle
- Approved ordinance authorizing a special use for Hadassah House Resale Shop in Deerfield Park Plaza
- Approved ordinance authorizing a special use for CosmoProf Beauty Systems Group in Deerfield Park Plaza
- Approved a resolution authorizing membership in the North Branch Watershed Consortium
- Authorized renewal of the GIS service provider contract

## AWARDS AND PROCLAMATIONS

Presented 25 years of service award to Deputy Chief Richard Wilk



# COMMUNITYCALENDAR

### DEERFIELD PARK DISTRICT

- Holiday Happenings at JPCC & Sports Camp at SRC - January 2, 3
- PTC Excursion: "The Driehaus Museum" January 7
- Half Day Happening at JPCC - January 17
- MLK Day - School's Out Program at JPCC - January 20
- PTC Theme Dinner "Delta Blues and BBQ" - January 22
- PTC Theme Dinner Event "Beale Street King's BBQ Bash" - January 30
- AARP Tax Aide Assistance begins at PTC - February 4
- Deerfield Fireman's "5-Alarm Chili Bowl" at PTC - February 7
- Daddy Daughter Dinner Dance at PTC, February 9
- Spring Golf Mixer at DGC - February 11

President's Day - School's Out Program at JPCC - February 17

Institute Day - School's Out Program at JPCC - February 18

PTC Theme Dinner Event "Wine and Roses" - February 27

Half Day Happening at JPCC - February 28

*For more information or to register for Park District programs, call 847.945.0650, or visit [www.deerfieldparkdistrict.org](http://www.deerfieldparkdistrict.org)*

### DEERFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

All Library programs are free and open to the public. Please register in advance by phone at 847.945.3311, online at [deerfieldlibrary.org](http://deerfieldlibrary.org), or in person at the Library.

#### Adult and Teen Programs

Basic Knitting 101  
Wednesdays, January 8 - 29, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Book Discussion: No One is Here Except All of Us

Thursday, January 9, 10:30 a.m.

Tangled Snowflakes: A Drawing Workshop - Ages 12-17  
Saturday, January 11, 2 - 3 p.m.

The New Affordable Care Act (and You)  
Thursday, January 16, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back - Film and Discussion  
Thursday, January 16, film starts at 6 p.m., discussion follows (Rated PG, 124 minutes). Drop in.

Teen Study Lounge  
Saturday, January 18, 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday, January 19, 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.  
Monday, January 20 - Thursday, January 23, 9:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.

'Unleash the Writer Within' Workshop  
Saturday, January 18, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Adult and high school teens 14 and up

E-Reader Drop in Sessions  
Thursday, January 23, 1-3 p.m. and 6 - 8

p.m.  
Café area, main floor

Alzheimer's: Know the 10 Signs - Early Detection Matters  
Thursday, January 23, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Great Decisions - Led by Tom Jester  
Tuesdays, January 28 - March 25, 7:30 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.  
Discussion guidebooks will be available for purchase at the Patron Services desk after Monday, January 13.

Calling all Coffee Connoisseurs  
Wednesday, January 29, 7 - 8 p.m.  
Learn about coffee tasting practices, food pairings and more.

### WEST DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP

Township Board meetings will be held January 21 and February 18 at the Township Offices, 601 Deerfield Road.

For more information, visit [www.westdeerfieldtownship.org](http://www.westdeerfieldtownship.org)



## WELCOME NEW BUSINESSES

The businesses listed below have opened in Deerfield since January, 2013, or will be opening soon.

Please consider shopping locally and contributing to the Deerfield economy. Shopping in Deerfield is an investment in your neighborhood and community, positively affecting Deerfield schools, businesses and jobs.

**Core Power Yoga** – 710 Robert York Avenue, Suites F & G  
*Hot power yoga*

**Fannie May Candies** – 775 Waukegan Road, Suite 170B  
*Candies, chocolates, ice cream and fruit arrangements*

**Fresh Thyme Farmer's Market Grocery Store** – 35 N. Waukegan Road  
OPENING SOON  
*Fresh and local produce, including dairy, meat, deli, seafood and baked goods*

**Garber's Etc.** – 675 Deerfield Road, #130  
*Ladies and men's formal wear, evening wear, outerwear, furs, jewelry and accessories*

**Gracie Barra Martial Arts** – 710 Robert York Avenue, Suite C – OPENING SOON  
*Martial arts and jiu-jitsu*

**Jelli Goods** – 1456 Waukegan Road  
*Branded merchandise, promotional items, logo creation, marketing consultation*

**OrangeLeaf Self-Serve Frozen Yogurt** – 775 Waukegan Road, Suite 170A  
OPENING SOON  
*Self-serve frozen yogurt with assorted toppings*

**Pure Barre** – 720 Waukegan Road, Suite J – OPENING SOON  
*Fitness classes utilizing the ballet barre*

**Robert Vance Ltd.** – 720 Waukegan Road, Suite D  
*Men's apparel and related accessories, women's apparel*

**Seta Salon** – 655 Deerfield Road, #110  
*Hair cuts, coloring, highlighting, styling, nails*

**Studio A Hair Salon** – 47 N. Waukegan Road  
*Hair cuts, coloring, perms, extensions, manicures, pedicures, facials, waxing*

**Tria Boutique** – 720 Waukegan Road, Unit L – OPENING SOON  
*Upscale women's designer shoes, jewelry, handbags, and accessories*

## LONG-STANDING BUSINESS RECOGNITION

Mayor Rosenthal and the Board of Trustees are recognizing retail and service businesses that have been operating in Deerfield for at least 20 years under the same business name. In 2012, the Village recognized long-standing businesses that were operating in the Village Center. Now, the Village is recognizing the long-standing businesses in the C-2 Outlying Commercial District. Thirty businesses meet the criteria for recognition. The business owners are invited to the January 21, 2014, Village Board meeting to be recognized for their service.

The 30 long-standing businesses being recognized are (in alphabetical order):

- Atta Orthodontics DDS
- Bed, Bath & Beyond
- Boston Blackie's Restaurant
- BP Gas Station
- Brunswick Zone Deerfield
- Burns Family Dentistry
- Calico Corners
- California Tan and Massage
- Carson's Deerfield
- Charles Ifergan Salon & Day Spa
- Cooker's Red Hots
- Courtyard by Marriott Chicago Deerfield
- Deerbrook Jewel-Osco
- Deerbrook Subway
- Deerfield Animal Hospital
- Deerfield Tire Company
- Dr. Howard Baim
- Doyle Optical
- Tony's Subs
- Lapp Chiropractic
- McDonald's

- My Own Meals
- Office Max
- Rainbow Cleaners
- Red Roof Inn Chicago-Deerfield
- Ristorante Abruzzo
- Robert Marc Cosmetics
- Shell Gas Station
- Whitehall of Deerfield
- Zengeler Cleaners

## THINK BEFORE YOU FLUSH

The toilet isn't a garbage can. When items other than human waste and toilet paper are flushed, these foreign items can lead to blockages in the sewer lines, plugged pumps and damaged treatment equipment. These problems put you and your fellow residents at risk for costly repairs and use up limited Village resources.

Some household cleaning items are advertised as being "flushable" on the packaging, however the Department of Public Works asks that these items instead be placed in the garbage. Please think before you flush. Feminine products, wet wipes, dental floss, paper towels, and other personal care or cleaning items belong in the trash, not the toilet. Please only flush human waste and toilet paper.

## POLICE TAKE POLAR PLUNGE FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS

On Saturday, March 1, 2014, the Deerfield Police Department will again be participating in the Special Olympics Law Enforcement Polar Plunge, which will be held at Sunrise Beach in Lake Bluff.

More than a dozen personnel have committed to jumping into the frigid waters of Lake Michigan, all in the name of raising funds for the Special Olympics. Each participant must raise a minimum of \$75 in sponsorship funds.

If you would like to contribute, please contact Communications Director Mary Anne Glowacz at 847.945.8636 or via email at [mglowacz@deerfield.il.us](mailto:mglowacz@deerfield.il.us).



# COMMUNITYINFO

## THANK YOU FROM THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

We would like to express our sincere thanks to the members of our community for your generosity and support throughout the year, particularly during the 2013 holiday season. With your help, we have exceeded our prior year's donations to several worthwhile organizations.

Thanks to your charity, we have been able to make many people's lives a little better. In partnership with you, for 2013, we raised more than \$17,000 for the Illinois Special Olympics, provided a truckload of toys for Toys for Tots, donated food and other essentials to the West Deerfield Township Food Pantry and the North Chicago Community Partners, made a significant contribution to the American Cancer Society/Relay for Life, and provided toys to Advocate Lutheran General Children's ward.

In the words of George Bernard Shaw, "We are all dependent on one another, every soul of us on earth." We couldn't have done it without you.

## SMALL OFFICE HOME OFFICE IN DEERFIELD

The DBR Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce a networking event designed specifically for small and home based businesses.

Beginning in February 2014, the Chamber will offer a monthly meeting open to all small and home based businesses. Monthly programs will include educational speakers on topics specific to this business demographic as well as an opportunity to network with like size businesses.

*For more information on how your business can participate, call the Chamber office at 847.945.4660 or email [info@dbrchamber.com](mailto:info@dbrchamber.com)*

## UPCOMING EVENTS @ PTC



For a complete listing of programs, or to register to be a member, please call the Patty Turner Center (PTC) at **847.940.4010** or visit [www.pattyturnercenter.org](http://www.pattyturnercenter.org)

### JANUARY

- Jan. 12-** "The Legacy Girls in Concert"
- Jan. 13 -** 60 Minutes: "Al Capone"
- Jan. 14 -** Women's Club Dessert: "Lean In: The Face of Facebook" with Jenny Riddle
- Jan. 14 -** Men's Club: "The Legendary Danny Kaye" with Susan Benjamin
- Jan. 11 -** Sketching Class
- Jan. 17 -** Looking at Modern Art "Rembrandt"
- Jan. 25 -** Sketching Class
- Jan. 27 -** 60 Minutes: "Sam Giancana"
- Jan. 28 -** Men's Club: "Fraud, Scams and Identity Theft" with Deerfield Police Department
- Jan. 31 -** Looking at Modern Art "Artemesia Gentileschi"

### FEBRUARY

- Feb. 4 -** BP/Blood Sugar Testing
- Feb. 4 -** AARP Tax Assistance begins
- Feb. 4 -** Men's Club: "What's in a Name?" with Jennifer Hart
- Feb. 4 -** Opera Series with Bob Levi "Gilbert and Sullivan"
- Feb. 7 -** "Annual PTC Deerfield Firemen's 5-Alarm Chili Bowl"
- Feb. 11 -** Cholesterol Testing by Appointment
- Feb. 12 -** PTC Book Club: "Gone Girl" by Gillian Flynn
- Feb. 14 -** Looking at Modern Art "Sir Joshua Reynolds & Elizabeth Vigee Le Brun"
- Feb. 18 -** Men's Club: "Reader based Technologies," Deerfield Library
- Feb. 18 -** Women's Club Luncheon: "Dessert with Oscar" with Reid Schultz
- Feb. 22 -** Sketching Class
- Feb. 24 -** 60 Minutes: "John Adams"
- Feb. 25 -** Men's Club: "An Evening with the Lincolns"
- Feb. 28 -** Looking at Modern Art "Jean Auguste Dominique Ingres"
- Feb. 28 -** Horticulture Workshop with Jaime Plotkin: "Terrariums" ~

## NEW VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION FROM WEST DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP

Will you be 18 on or before November 4, 2014? If you answered yes, you will be able to register and vote in the March 18, 2014, primary election.

Beginning January 1, 2014, 17-year-olds are eligible to register and vote in an Illinois primary election if they are 18 years of age by the date of the next general election. This change in law is referred to as "Suffrage at Seventeen."

To vote in any election, U.S. citizens must be registered 28 days before the election, 18 years old on or before the general election, and a resident of the precinct for 30 days immediately prior to Election Day.

To register to vote, you'll need to provide two forms of valid identification, one of which must show your current address. You may register to vote at the West Deerfield Township office Monday through Friday, 8:30 - 4:30 p.m. No appointment is necessary.

*Please call Town Clerk Kristen Scott or the Township office at 847.945.0614 if you have any questions. ~*

## GIFTS CELEBRATE DEERFIELD HISTORY

The Deerfield Area Historical Society invites you to visit their online store at [www.cafepress.com/deerfieldil](http://www.cafepress.com/deerfieldil), where residents are able to celebrate the history of Deerfield with Deerfield gifts.

From apparel to drinkware, find souvenirs for kids and adults.

Choose historical photos with Harry's Grill, once Deerfield's favorite diner, the Historical Society's little red schoolhouse at the Deerfield Historic Village and more.



# THANK YOU!

Our sincere thanks to these residents who volunteered their time on the Village's various Boards, Commissions, and Committees in 2013.

## APPEARANCE REVIEW COMMISSION

Richard Coen, Ch.  
Beth Chaitman ~ Lisa Dunn  
Sean Ehlke ~ Sherry Flores  
Jim Hollis ~ Jeremy Kanter\*  
Peter Whitaker

## BOARD OF BUILDING APPEALS

David Feinberg ~ Ted Galvani\*  
Walter Hallford\*\* ~ Richard Osman  
Berton Ring

## BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

James Marovitz, Ch.  
Paul Blakey ~ Rick Hiton  
John Hueberger, ex officio  
Dave Bennett, ex officio

## BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

Robert Speckmann, Ch.  
Leonard Adams ~ Jeff Auerbach  
Karen Bezman ~ Herbert Kessel  
Theodore Kuczek ~ Karen Scott

## CABLE & TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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Alan Barasky ~ John Chaput  
Neil Charak ~ Gregory Lapin  
Steven Robinson ~ John Sanner  
Adam Simon ~ Ken Urbaszewski

## CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Maynard Grossman, Ch.  
Michael Cramer ~ Paul Meintzer  
Daniel Ziemba ~ John Zobus

## COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION

Chris Foltz, Ch.  
Gil Antokal ~ Salome Berhanu  
Veronica Boyajian ~ Martin Friedman  
Eric Hogberg ~ Bill Lundquist  
Neil Samuels\* ~ Lawrence Tracey\*  
Lori Zwart

## ELECTRICAL COMMISSION

Ted Galvani\*  
Richard Osman ~ Michael Rouse

## FAMILY DAYS COMMISSION

Barbara Reich, co-chair  
John Coughenour, co-chair  
Philip Bettiker ~ Angie Butera  
Judy Geuder ~ Barry Gray  
Judy Nelson ~ Michael Butera  
Ed Seidman

## FARMER'S MARKET COMMITTEE

Andi & Alan Berkowitz  
Pat & Tom Jester  
Joanne Kunz  
Joan & Brian Reed

## FINE ARTS COMMISSION

Jeffrey Marks, Ch.  
Dorothy Fiedler ~ James Golding  
Allyson Harris ~ Jill Shapiro  
Ed Seidman ~ Barbara Weisskopf

## MANPOWER COMMISSION

Susie Wexler, Ch.  
Nick Alex  
Jennifer Davis ~ Susie Kessler

## PLAN COMMISSION

Dan Shapiro, Ch.  
Larry Berg ~ Alan Bromberg  
Elaine Jacoby ~ James Moyer  
Robert Nadler\* ~ Stuart Shayman  
Mary Oppenheim

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## POLICE PENSION BOARD

Mark Anfenson ~ Robert Davenport  
Ken Urbaszewski

## SAFETY COUNCIL

William Keefe, Ch.  
Marc Brown ~ Dorothy Collins  
John Holland ~ Frank Karkazis  
Philip York

## SISTER CITY COMMITTEE

Else Kuerten ~ Kenneth Nyland  
Ruth Schiffels

## STORM WATER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Bill Davis, Ch.  
Franklin Kulhanek ~ Lee Rose

## SUSTAINABILITY COMMISSION

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### BE PREPARED FOR WINTER

The follow tips are from the Deerfield Police Department:

Make sure you have a battery-powered radio and National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) weather radio receiver for listening to National Weather Service broadcasts.

Listen to emergency broadcasts. Know what winter storm warning terms mean: *Winter weather advisory*: expect winter weather conditions to cause inconvenience and hazards.

*Frost/freeze warning*: expect below-freezing temperatures.

*Winter storm watch*: be alert; a storm is likely.

*Winter storm warning*: take action; the storm is in or entering the area.

*Blizzard warning*: seek refuge immediately! Snow and strong winds, near-zero visibility, deep snow drifts and life-threatening wind chill.

Extreme cold can cause water pipes in your home to freeze and sometimes break. To prevent this, leave all water taps slightly open so they drip continuously, keep the indoor temperature warm, and allow more heated air near pipes by opening cabinet doors under the kitchen sink.

If your pipes do freeze, do not thaw them with a torch. Thaw the pipes slowly with warm air from an electric hair dryer. If you cannot thaw your pipes, or if the pipes have broken open, use bottled water or get water from a neighbor's home until repairs are completed.

Prepare your car with emergency supplies:

- Cell phone with portable charger
- Shovel
- Windshield scraper
- Battery-powered radio
- Flashlight
- Extra batteries
- Water
- Snack food
- Extra hats, coats, mittens
- Blankets
- Chains or rope
- Tire chains
- Canned compressed air with sealant
- Road salt and sand
- Booster cables
- Emergency flares
- Bright colored flag; help signs
- First aid kit
- Tool kit
- Road maps
- Compass
- Waterproof matches and a can to melt snow for water
- Paper towels

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