

Village of Deerfield

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Meeting Schedule

Meeting times/dates subject to change.

July

Board of Trustees

July 2 and 16, 7:30 p.m.

Random Acts of Kindness

July 5, 7:00 p.m.

Community Relations Commission

July 10, 7:00 p.m.

Plan Commission

July 12 and 26, 7:30 p.m.

Cable and Telecommunications Comm.

July 17, 7:30 p.m.

Appearance Review Commission

July 23, 7:30 p.m.

Safety Council

July 24, 7:30 p.m.

August

Village Center Development Comm.

August 1, 7:30 p.m.

Random Acts of Kindness

August 2, 7:00 p.m.

Board of Trustees

August 6 and 20, 7:30 p.m.

Plan Commission

August 9 and 23, 7:30 p.m.

Community Relations Commission

August 14, 7:00 p.m.

Fine Arts Commission

August 20, 6:00 p.m.

Cable and Telecommunications Comm.

August 21, 7:30 p.m.

Appearance Review Commission

August 27, 7:30 p.m.

Safety Council

August 28, 7:30 p.m.

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Your Municipal News Source

Deerfield Family Days - July 3 and 4



The 44th Annual Deerfield Family Days festivities will take place on July 3rd and 4th. Spectacular fireworks, great live entertainment, exciting family activities and a festive parade will

delight Deerfield residents during this two day community event.

Deerfield Family Days is sponsored by the Village of Deerfield and is planned by the all volunteer Family Days Committee. Their hard work and dedication keep this annual event a staple of the Deerfield community. Funding for Family Days comes from the generous support of many Deerfield residents and businesses.

For a full listing of Family Days events, please turn to page 2. Also, be sure to visit the Village's website at www.deerfield-il.org for more information.



Village Hall - Phase 1 Nearing Completion

The initial phase of the Village Hall expansion and renovation project is nearing completion. This phase includes the new wing housing the Administration and Finance Departments, and public meeting space including the council chambers. The Village Hall will be closed on Friday, July 20 for the relocation of staff into the new wing. The first day of business in the new wing will be Monday, July 23. After that, all meetings of the Village's boards and commissions will take place in the new meeting rooms on the second floor.

The second phase of the project, renovation of the existing Village Hall, will

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Village Manager Retires



On June 22, Bob Franz, Village Manager since August 1979, retired from his duties, having been the longest serving Village Manager in Deerfield's history. Bob's leadership has benefitted the community in countless ways over the last 28 years, and his expertise and solid management style have been instrumental in leading Deerfield's growth during that time. In honor of his service, the Mayor and Board of Trustees proclaimed June 18 - 23 "Bob Franz Week." In addition, the new Village Hall council chambers will be named in his honor.

After an exhaustive executive search, Kent Street, current Village Administrator in Lake Bluff, Illinois has been named as Mr. Franz' replacement. He will assume his duties in September. Until that time, Philip Kiraly, Assistant Village Manager will serve as Interim Village Manager. ~

Garbage Cans

Over the past few months, some residents have received notices from Veolia Environmental Services indicating that their current garbage can is too large. Through their contract with the Village of Deerfield, there is a size restriction on garbage cans - plastic cans can be no larger than 45-gallons. The following questions and answers have been developed to help explain this issue.

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DEERFIELD FAMILY DAYS JULY 3 and 4, 2007

Celebrating Excellence in Education

COME CELEBRATE 44 YEARS OF FIREWORKS, FOOD, AND FUN

Tuesday, July 3rd - Deerfield High School

- 5:00 p.m. **GATES OPEN:** Concession sales begin
- 6:00 p.m. Entertainment for children on stage: Magic Show, Stilt Walker, Moon Walk
- 6:30 p.m. *The New Invaders* present The Ultimate 60's Flashback
- 7:00 p.m. Raising of the Flag by the American Legion and singing of the National Anthem
- 9:15 p.m. **FIREWORKS:** Our largest and most exciting display!

Tickets: \$4.00 for Adults; \$3.00 for Children (under 13) and Seniors (65+)

Wednesday, July 4th - Jewett Park Community Center and Grounds

- 7:30 to 10:30 a.m. Pancake Breakfast served by the members of the Patty Turner Senior Center
- 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Arts and Crafts Sales: Park Grounds
- 8:00 a.m. Deerfield Rotary Club 10k Race starting at Walden School
- 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. Bike Decorating and Parade: Parking Lot at Rosemary Terrace and Deerfield Road
- 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Flower Show: Submit flowers for judging between 8:00 - 9:30 a.m., Oak Room, Jewett Park Community Center
- 8:45 to 10:00 a.m. Dog Show: Field House Patio
- 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Rides, Games, Petting Zoo, Ponies and Concessions: Jewett Park Grounds
- 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Live Entertainment - *Copper Box*: Jewett Park Grounds

NOON

SPECTACULAR DEERFIELD PARADE

Parade Route: Deerspring Pool to Waukegan Road, Waukegan Road to Hazel Avenue, Ending at Jewett Park

- 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Free Swimming for everyone at Deerspring Pool and Mitchell Pool

For July 3rd and 4th Food and Rides: \$.50 per ticket - Books of 20 for \$10.00

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL:
JUDY NELSON, FAMILY DAYS COMMITTEE CHAIR, 847/945-5523**



Emerald Ash Borer


The Emerald Ash Borer continues to plague the Chicagoland area, with a quarantine zone being recently expanded in an attempt to slow down the spread of this resilient insect. Thus far, Deerfield has not been included in the quarantine zone.

The Emerald Ash Borer, a small (1/2 inch long, 1/8 inch wide) metallic green beetle has wreaked havoc on Michigan, Ohio, and Indiana, destroying vast growths of ash trees in its wake. Firewood from Illinois has been prohibited in some parts of neighboring states in hopes of limiting the spread of the Ash Borer. The Village asks residents to be on the look out for signs of sick or infested ash trees.

Ash trees won't likely show symptoms until the Ash Borer has already imbedded itself within the tree. The most visible sign of infestation is a noticeable dieback of the crown of the tree, which appears after the first year. Other signs of infestation are bark slits above larval feeding galleries and damage from woodpeckers, which come to feed on the pre-pupal larvae. Adult beetles will leave 1/8 inch "D" shaped exit holes anywhere on the tree.

Yearly treatment is needed to ensure adequate protection and should be applied by a certified arborist. Unfortunately, no treatment has been found to eradicate this insect, and once a tree is infected, there is often little

that can be done, aside from removing the tree.

Ash trees generally die within 1 to 3 years after infection. Ash trees are identified by their compound leaves with small, glossy green leaflets which grow in opposite pairs. For more information, visit www.deerfield-il.org for links to various sites with additional information, including an updated map of the Emerald Ash Borer quarantine zone. Further questions may be directed to the Public Works Department at 847/317-7325. 

Information on Flooding

The information presented below is the first in a series of articles that will be included in upcoming issues of D-Tales related to flooding and flood prevention. If you have questions, please contact the Engineering Department at 847/317-2490.

Flood Insurance

Because the Village of Deerfield is a participating member of the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), residents may purchase flood insurance through their local insurance agent via the NFIP. There is a 30 day waiting period for flood insurance coverage to begin. A home located within a Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA) has a 26% chance of being damaged by a flood over the life of a 30 year mortgage, and your homeowner's insurance will not cover flood damage. This is why flood insurance is mandatory for all federally backed mortgages. Your

home does not have to be in a flood zone to be flooded. Flood insurance is available at a reduced rate for these properties. Also, the Village of Deerfield is applying for FEMA's "Community Rating System", which can further reduce flood insurance premiums.


Flood Protection

If your property is susceptible to flooding, there are some things you can do to reduce damage:

- Watertight seals can be applied to brick and block walls to protect against low level flooding.
- Furnaces, water heaters and major appliances can be elevated on platforms or moved to higher floors.
- Temporary measures such as sandbagging or removing items from the flooded area can be utilized.
- Surprisingly, elevating or relocating the entire structure may be a feasible option. Grant money may be available for this use. Contact the Engineering Department for more information.

Drainage System

Maintenance

As obvious as it may sound, simply keeping smaller ditches and streams free of debris can dramatically improve the outflow of run-off from low lying areas, as well as greatly reduce the occurrence of ice jams. **It is illegal to dump materials into a required waterway, and violators may be fined.** There are also numerous drainage districts within the County that will relieve certain areas from congestion from fallen trees, leaves and beaver dams. 

Construction Updates

Crabtree Reconstruction Project:

Construction is anticipated to begin after July 4th, with substantial completion being anticipated by the end of September. Campanella and Sons Construction will complete the work for this project.

As part of this project, new roadways, storm and sanitary sewers, watermains, and service lines will all be completely replaced.

Individual letters will be sent to homeowners affected by this project as it progresses.

Clavinia Subdivision Water Main Project:

Construction is scheduled to begin in late June. Lenny Hoffman Excavating will complete this project.

Deteriorated watermains located on Susan, Sapling, Clavinia, Dartmouth and Castlewood will be replaced. Concrete roadways will also be removed in their entirety and replaced with new asphalt roadways with the installation of new curbs and some minor sidewalk rehabilitation work.

Construction updates related to these projects, in addition to the Street Rehabilitation Program and other projects currently underway in the Village, are posted at www.deerfield-il.org and are updated often. Further questions may be directed to the Engineering Department at 847/317-2490.



boardREPORT

The following is a synopsis of actions taken by the Village Board since the last publication of D-Tales. For complete sets of minutes for Village Board meetings, please visit the Village's website at www.deerfield-il.org.

Village Board Action

- Awarded a Contract for Replacement Fence at the Deerfield Cemetery to All American Fence.
- Approved a Permit for School District 109 Education Foundation and the Deerfield Park Foundation to Hold a Circus at Brickyards Park in September.
- Approved a Special Use to Allow a Bank in Deerfield Shoppers Court.
- Approved an Ordinance Amending Municipal Code to Enact a New Division Titled Emergency Management Agency.
- Approved an Ordinance Amending Municipal Code re: Definition of Attic Space in Residential Construction.
- Approved an Ordinance Directing the Disposition of Certain Surplus Motor Vehicles.
- Approved a Special Use to Allow a Bank in Deerfield Shoppers Court.
- Awarded a Contract to Provide Groundwater Sampling Services for Reservoir 29A for Year 2007.
- Awarded a Contract for Chlorine Conversion Project at the Deerfield Road and Warwick Road Storm Stations.
- Approved a Special Use to Allow Outdoor Seating, a Sign Modification and a Text Amendment for Signage for Stoney River Legendary Steaks.
- Awarded a Contract for Clavinia Subdivision Roadway and Water Main Replacement.
- Awarded a Contract to Purchase Grinder Pack for Deep Sewage Line at Wastewater Reclamation Facility.
- Awarded a Contract to Purchase Water Meters from Midwest Meter, Inc.
- Awarded a Contract for Crabtree Infrastructure Improvement Project.
- Awarded a Contract for 2007 Dutch Elm Disease Study.

Proclamations, Appointments and Recognitions

Oath of Office Given to Trustees Robert Benton, Thomas Jester and William Seiden
Appointed Kent Street as Village Manager and Philip Kiraly as Interim Village Manager
Appointed the following residents to various Boards and Commissions:

Jeremy Kanter – Appearance Review Commission
Matthew Wylie – Energy and Recycling Commission

Proclaimed May 17, 2007 as “Jay Monier Day”
Proclaimed the week of June 18-23, 2007 as “Bob Franz Week”



communityCALENDAR

Deerfield Park District

JULY:

Summer Sampler

Mitchell Park
Sundays through August 26

Eat to the Beat Concert

Jewett Park
Wednesdays through August 22

Family Camp Out

Maplewood Park
July 14 and 15

AUGUST:

Dive In Theater

Mitchell Pool
August 4

Extra Added Attraction

Jewett Park Community Center
August 6 - 10, 13 - 17

Deerspring Pool Closes

August 19

Family Theater Auditions

August 22, 23, 25

Family Theater Callbacks

August 26

For more information on event times, or to register for these or other Park District programs, please call 847/945-0650, or visit the Park District's website at www.deerfieldparkdistrict.org.

Deerfield Public Library

The Deerfield Library Board of Trustees meets the third Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. The Library will be closed on July 4th. The lobby will remain open for refreshments from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.

Adult Programs:

Adult Reading Program

Through August 3

Movie Music Magic

July 4, 7 p.m.

Friends of the Library

August 1, 7 p.m.

Youth Programs:

Youth Services Summer Reading Program

Through August 4 for age 4 through entering 9th grade

Picnic Stories

Thursdays at 12 p.m. through August 2.

Harry Potter Week

Sunday, July 15 through July 21. All ages welcome.

Cicada Mobile!

Tuesday, July 24, 4 - 7 p.m.

Note: Please register in advance for all programs by calling 847/945-3311. Visit the library on the web at www.deerfieldlibrary.org

West Deerfield Township

Township Board meetings will be held at 7:00 p.m. on July 18 and August 15 at the Township Offices, 601 Deerfield Road. Call 847/945-0614 or visit the Township website at www.westdeerfieldtownship.org for more information.

Patty Turner Senior Center

Blood Pressure Screening

July 10

Mikhail Baryshnikov performs at the Harris Theater

July 11

Summer Grilled Lunch

July 12

“Light in the Piazza” at the Auditorium Theater

July 18

Horseshoe Casino Trip

July 31

Rules of the Road - sponsored by the Secretary of State

August 2

“Dirty Rotten Scoundrels” at the Auditorium Theater

August 8

Summer Party at PTSC

August 10

Cholesterol Screenings

August 14

Noel Coward's “Bittersweet”

August 24

Chemical Dependency Program

August 31

Summer Events/Festivals

Deerfield Family Days - July 3 and 4

Deerfield Farmers Market - every

Saturday through October 13

Apple Pie Baking Contest -

September 16

Historical Society Fall Fest -

September 9

Community Services Day -

September 15



Vacation Checklist

Going on vacation is an exciting event. Much thought usually goes into the scheduling and planning to be sure that all of the details are taken care of. However, when finalizing your plans, it is just as important to remember to take the following steps to ensure the security of your property and belongings that stay behind.

Before you leave, take a few minutes and review the following suggestions (Actually, many of these are excellent things to remember all year round.)

□ Stop all deliveries to your home.

Newspapers and mail that accumulate are sure giveaways that no one has been around.

□ Give a key to a relative or trusted neighbor.

Ask that person to check the house as often as possible. Any deliveries that were not stopped should be taken inside.

Ask that person to open the curtains periodically.

□ Install timers.

Having a light on each level makes the home look occupied. A timer on a radio or television is also a good idea. Timers should also be placed on exterior lights to keep the house well lit at night inside and out.

□ Disconnect the garage door opener.

Make sure that it can't be opened. Lock the door between the inside of the garage and house with a keyed lock and deadbolt.

□ If you will be gone, have a relative or trusted

neighbor maintain your lawn.

Have the grass cut promptly. Outdoor valuables like grills, lawn mowers, bikes, etc. should be locked inside the garage.

□ Never hide a key anywhere outside.

Burglars know these tricks and know the common hiding spots all too well.

□ Make sure all windows, doors and window wells are locked and secured.

Make sure the second level windows and doors are locked as well. Many burglars enter through the second level due to carelessness by the owners in locking up the windows.

□ Use your dog as a deterrent.

A dog inside the home is a big deterrent to criminals. Instead of boarding your dog(s), think about leaving them in your home with a neighbor or family member taking care of them.

□ Keep vehicles parked in your driveway.

Vehicles parked in the driveway make the home appear to be occupied. If you have a trusted neighbor, ask them to park their cars in the driveway while you are gone.

□ Call the Police Department and request a vacation watch.

As an extra layer of security, officers will provide extra patrols around your house while you are away.

For more information, please call 847/945-8636. ~

Fireworks Safety

The 4th of July holiday is a time for celebration. Many people enjoy fireworks displays, but it is important to remember that fireworks should only be used by professionals. Although the purchase of some types of fireworks may be legal in some neighboring states, they remain illegal to use and even possess in Illinois.

People tend to overlook the obvious dangers involved with using fireworks.

Fireworks can find their way into the hands of children who can be burned, blinded, and otherwise injured from heat, fire, projectiles, and explosions. Remember, fireworks are gunpowder explosives and are extremely dangerous.

One out of every three fireworks injuries is to the eyes, and one out of every four fireworks eye injuries causes some kind of permanent blindness. You can learn more about eye safety from the Illinois Society for the Prevention of Blindness at www.eyehellinois.org.

Deerfield ordinances prohibit any person from using, selling, delivering, exploding, and/or possessing fireworks in the Village. The term "fireworks" includes such items as firecrackers, cherry bombs, M-80's, bottle rockets, and roman candles. Sparklers are also prohibited in Deerfield. (Did you know that the tip of a sparkler burns at 1,800 degrees?)

The laws in Illinois do not change over the July 4

holiday or for any other holiday. In other words, fireworks are no more legal on these dates than they are at other times of the year.

The Deerfield Police Department stresses that all complaints of fireworks are thoroughly investigated. If someone is found to be in violation, the items in question will be confiscated and the person(s) involved will be arrested and/or charged when appropriate. This applies to both adults and minors.

From time to time the Chief of Police or his designee may grant permission for special events such as Deerfield Family Days to discharge fireworks within the Village under and pursuant to conditions set by the Chief of Police and Fire Department.



Keep Vehicles Locked

Residents are reminded to make sure that their vehicles are locked at all times while parked either in their driveways or on the street. Unlocked vehicles are prime targets for thieves and an open invitation to lose your valuables.

Items such as cell phones, iPods, laptops, purses, wallets and loose change in plain sight are an open invitation to burglars as they are quick and easy to grab. Vehicles should be locked at all times while unattended, even if it is just for a few moments, and garages should stay locked as well.

For more information, please call 847/945-8636. ~



Village Hall Cont'd

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begin immediately thereafter and should be completed by January 2008. It will then be utilized by the Community Development Department, which has a temporary home at the Deerfield-Bannockburn Fire Station at 500 Waukegan Road.

During the second phase of construction, access to the Village Hall will be somewhat less convenient. The existing front door of the Village Hall will be removed, along with the associated sidewalk, staircase and overhang. The new front door, just slightly north of the existing door, will become the primary entrance to the building. Beginning in late July and continuing through the end of September, those who visit the Village Hall will utilize the existing sidewalk running along the north side of Jewett Park Drive and the west side of Waukegan Road leading to the new front walkway. Access through these doors will be available, and a

temporary handicapped ramp will be installed. The general route can be seen in the schematic drawing below. Until the second phase of construction is complete, access from the Police Department lobby into the Village Hall will not be available. Access to the Police Department will remain otherwise unchanged.

We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience that residents will encounter during this phase of construction. However, taking these temporary steps will allow a more efficient completion schedule.

For detailed information on the Village Hall project, please visit www.deerfield-il.org.

Questions may be directed to Philip Kiraly, Interim Village Manager, at 847/945-5000, or via email at deermail@deerfield-il.org.

Garbage Cans Cont'd

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Q: *My can has been collected for years and is larger than 45-gallons. Why the change?*

A: These restrictions are not meant to be a hardship for residents, and they are not new. Rather, they are intended as a safety measure for Veolia drivers who must lift ever larger and heavier cans into the trucks for collection. Over the years, this restriction has been selectively enforced by Veolia, but has now reached a point where it is becoming a significant issue, as there has been a surge of cans sized as large as 100 gallons being used in town. It is important to note that the size restriction has been a part of Deerfield's contract with Veolia for approximately eight years.

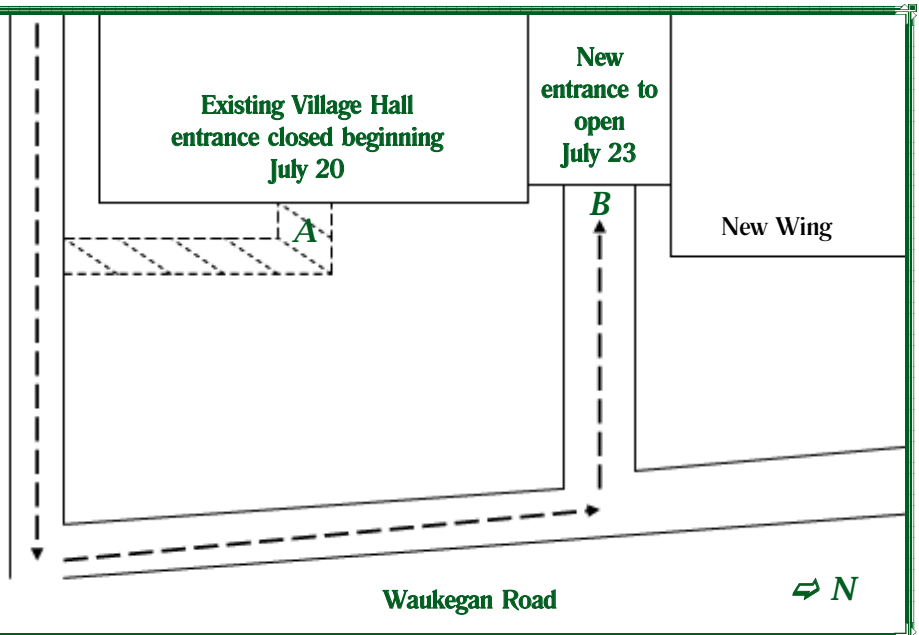
Q: *The recycling cart I received from the Village last year is larger than 45-gallons. Why is that OK but my can is not?*

A: The major difference between these carts and many of the new garbage cans being sold by retailers is that Veolia's trucks are designed to mechanically lift and dump the specific carts issued for recycling. Some garbage cans are also similarly designed, but may not have the correct componentry needed for collection utilizing the mechanical arm of the truck. If you have noticed that your can has been lifted and dumped by a Veolia truck in the past, contact Veolia at 847/272-4145 to find out if your can is acceptable. In addition, the Village has requested that retailers in town post signage describing the size limitation in place in Deerfield.

Residents will have until July 15, 2007 to bring their cans into compliance. After that time, cans that are too large will no longer be collected. If you have questions, please contact Veolia at 847/272-4145.

Village Hall Access

During the initial stage of the rehabilitation of the existing Village Hall, pedestrian access to the Village Hall will be limited to the new east entrance (Entrance "B" as shown to the right.) Entrance "A" will close beginning Friday, July 20. Due to construction needs, pedestrians must follow the route as designated on the exhibit to the right. This will be temporary, and a shorter route will be available by mid- to late September. The building will remain handicapped accessible throughout construction. The village appreciates residents continued cooperation as we pursue completion of the Village Hall project by early 2008.





Reminders:

Village Hall Closed

Village Hall will be closed on Wednesday, July 4.

Village Hall will be closed on Friday, July 20 to allow for relocation of the Administration and Finance Departments. All other Departments will keep their normal operating hours.

Holiday Refuse Collection Schedule

Due to the 4th of July holiday, refuse collection scheduled for Thursday and Friday will be delayed one day during the week of July 1 - 7.

Household Electronics Collection

The Village of Deerfield will hold a household electronics collection on Saturday, July 21 from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. at the Public Works Facility, 465 Elm Street. For more information on what can be collected, please visit www.swalco.org.

Vehicle Stickers

Vehicle stickers must be displayed by July 1st!

Save the Date - Community Services Day

The Third Annual Community Services Day will take place on Saturday, September 15 at the Patty Turner Senior Center and Brickyards Park. This event highlights the many services various governmental agencies and service groups offer to the residents of Deerfield and surrounding communities. Look for more information in future issues of D-Tales as well as on the Village's website.

Block Parties

If your block is planning a party, such gatherings require a permit. There is no fee, but the application must be filled out so a temporary street closure may be scheduled. Call 847/945-5000 for more information. The application is available online.

Garage Sale Permits

Garage Sale permits are available at the Village Hall. Permits are \$5.00 and cover two sales per year with a maximum of 4 consecutive days for each sale.

Lawn Sprinkling

Between May 15th and September 15th lawn sprinkling regulations are as follows:

Even numbered addresses may water on even numbered dates from midnight to noon and/or from 6:00 p.m. to midnight. **Odd numbered addresses** may water on odd numbered dates from midnight to noon and/or from 6:00 p.m. to midnight. This applies only to *lawn* sprinkling.

Yard Waste

Residents are reminded that yard waste must be disposed of in paper yard waste bags, and a yard waste sticker must be attached in order for it to be collected. This is also true of bundled brush which must have a sticker adhered for collection. Please visit www.deerfield-il.org/images/onyx.pdf for more information. ~

Regulations to Remember

From time to time the Village will utilize the newsletter to remind residents about current ordinances and regulations. The following is a brief synopsis of some regulations to remember:

- Construction may only be performed between the hours of 7:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. on Saturday. Construction is not permitted on Sundays or holidays.
- Turn off automated sprinklers that border roadways under construction. This helps prevent flooding of the construction area.
- Up to 50 pounds of construction debris may be placed at the curb for regular refuse collection. This pertains only to small construction projects. For large scale projects with materials in excess of 50 pounds, please use alternative methods of disposal such as a dumpster.
- Please be sure to have your construction permit visible from the street. This allows building inspectors to easily identify authorized and unauthorized construction projects in the Village.
- After completion of a driveway, be sure to schedule an inspection by a Village building inspector in order to receive your deposit refund.
- Commercial vehicles are prohibited from being parked or stored in residential neighborhoods for any period longer than the time needed to load/unload the vehicle.
- Please drive slowly in construction zones!

For more information, contact the Community Development Department at 847/719-7484 or the Public Works Department at 847/317-7245 or visit www.deerfield-il.org. ~

Lawncare Buyback and Gas Can Replacement Programs Scheduled

Residents can do their part to reduce harmful



emissions and help everyone breathe a little easier by participating in Deerfield's Clean Air Counts event on September 15, 2007 at Community Services Day. The event will take place from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. at the Deerfield Public Works Facility, 465 Elm Street. This is the second year of these events, which are fully funded via two grants provided by Clean Air Counts. Last year, nearly 100 gas cans were replaced and over 25 pieces of environment-polluting lawncare equipment were collected.

Lawn Care Buyback Program:

Gas powered lawn care equipment contributes to regional smog and air quality problems. The buy back program is designed for Deerfield residents to allow them to trade in their existing gas-powered equipment for a voucher to purchase new environmentally friendly equipment. The Village will provide vouchers to receive a rebate of up to \$150 for lawnmowers and \$20 for chippers, leaf blowers, hedge trimmers and more!

Gas Can Replacement Program:

Emissions from old gas cans pose a health threat to residents due to the evaporation of toxic fumes into the air. By providing new, environmentally friendly gas cans we can keep our residents safe and help out the environment in the process. Simply turn in your old gas can(s) and receive a brand new one on September 15. ~



Clip and Save!

Village of Deerfield

For updated news and events visit

www.deerfield-il.org

or

watch cable Channel 10

Important Numbers:

Emergency: 911

Community Development: 847/719-7484

Engineering Department: 847/317-2490

Finance Department: 847/945-5000

Police Non-Emergency: 847/945-8636

Public Works: 847/317-7245

Village Manager's Office: 847/945-5000

Utility problems? Call these numbers first!

AT&T: 888/611-4466

Comcast: 866/594-1234

ComEd: 800/EDISON-1

JULIE Locates: 811

North Shore Gas: 866/556-6005

Veolia Environmental Services: 847/272-4145

**The Village of Deerfield
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Robert Benton - 945-1570

Michelle Feldman - 940-0628

Thomas Jester - 945-6489

Harriet Rosenthal - 945-3545

William S. Seiden - 945-2442

Barbara J. Struthers - 940-0917

Interim Village Manager

Philip A. Kiraly - 945-5000

Village Hall/Police Department

850 Waukegan Road

Deerfield, Illinois 60015

847/945-5000

847/945-8636 (Police non-emergency)

Public Works

465 Elm Street

Deerfield, Illinois 60015

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