

VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD

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MEETING SCHEDULE

Meeting times/dates subject to change.

For a complete list of meetings visit,
www.deerfield.il.us

May

Community Relations Commission

May 9, 7:00 p.m.

Plan Commission

May 11 & 25, 7:30 p.m.

Board of Trustees

May 15, 7:30 p.m.

Volunteer Engagement Commission

May 17, 7:00 p.m.

Appearance Review Commission

May 22, 7:30 p.m.

Sustainability Commission

May 25, 7:00 p.m.

June

Family Days Commission

June 5, 4:00 p.m.

Board of Trustees

June 5 & 19, 7:30 p.m.

Village Center Commission

June 7, 7:30 p.m.

Plan Commission

June 8 & 22, 7:30 p.m.

Appearance Review Commission

June 26, 7:30 p.m.

D-TALES

Your Municipal News Source

MAYOR ROSENTHAL PUSHES FOR KATES BRIDGE FUNDING DEERFIELD FESTIVAL OF FINE ARTS - JUNE 3-4

The Kates Road Bridge was closed to all vehicular traffic March 31 following an inspection that found the bridge to be structurally deficient. Construction to replace the bridge is slated to start in July, but the project - supported by Federal funds that pass through the State - could be delayed in the absence of a State budget or the necessary appropriation authority.

Legislators and Gov. Rauner must take action by June 30 or the \$2 million Kates Road Bridge replacement and \$1.36 billion for projects statewide receiving Federal pass-through funds in Illinois will be delayed. The project was approved earlier this year for federal funding that will cover 80 percent of construction costs, while the Village will be responsible for the remaining 20 percent. No State funds are included in the project, with Illinois only serving as a pass-through entity for the funds.

Approximately 9,500 vehicles use the bridge daily. Last year, State inaction caused delays on the Deerfield Road Reconstruction Project that was already underway.

“The Kates Road Bridge serves as a critical route connecting Lake Cook and Waukegan Roads, linking neighborhoods with business districts and corporate office parks,” stated Deerfield Mayor Harriet Rosenthal. “Minimizing the time the bridge is closed is in everyone’s best interest.”

Mayor Rosenthal has reached out to local legislators to urge them to support continued funding for this critical project. She is also urging other municipal and local government leaders, the Northwest Municipal Conference and the Illinois Municipal League to press legislators throughout the state to continue

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Save the date! The 2017 Deerfield Festival of Fine Arts will be held June 3 through 4 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Park Avenue at Deerfield Road.

Now in its 15th year, the Festival of Fine Arts has proven to be an entertaining, family-friendly community

event. The show’s popularity continues to grow, with several thousand visitors from all over the Chicagoland area in attendance to peruse or purchase art. As in past years, all art media will be represented.

This year’s festival will again feature food vendors and live music.

For more information, please visit the Village website at www.deerfield.il.us or contact the Village Manager’s Office at 847.719.7400



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pass-through appropriation authority after June 30 to avoid project delays and cost increases.

On March 20, the Village Board concurred with IDOT to award the contract to fully reconstruct the Kates Road Bridge to Lorig Construction Company in an amount of \$2.01 million. The scope of work for the project is bridge deck replacement, grind and resurface Pflingsten/Kates Road between Lake Cook Road and Waukegan Road, repair any pavement failures, minor drainage improvements, and modernization of the traffic signal at Kates Road and Corporate 500 Drive.

DEERFIELD ROAD CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Construction crews have begun the final stretch of work along Deerfield Road.

In Deerfield, the contractor is working to activate the new traffic signals, install permanent pavement striping, complete the brick sidewalk work on the north side of Deerfield Road, and install trees and other landscape material.

Work will also include finalization of the new concrete pavement, which includes surface grinding to ensure a smooth ride. This work will require some temporary lane closures.

In Highland Park, the contractor is completing the reconstruction of the north side of Deerfield Road. This work requires a traffic control configuration with only one lane in each direction through the work limits in Highland Park. All work is expected to be complete in June.

The Village has provided a project specific website, www.deerfieldroad.com, where residents can learn up-to-date information regarding the project, and watch the video from the public meetings.

STREET REHABILITATION

The Village of Deerfield 2017 Street Rehabilitation Project was awarded in February and work began on Pine Street in March. The contract will include the reconstruction/rehabilitation of eight streets within the Village. The project will be complete by Thanksgiving.

The following roads are associated with this year's project: Pine from Hackberry to Lake Cook; Laurel from Pine to Willow; Terrace Ct; Garand from Wilmot to Montgomery; Fair Oaks from Chestnut to Oakley; Wincanton from North Ave to Warwick; and East and West Canton Court.

BRIERHILL ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

The Village awarded the construction contract to Copenhagen Construction in early 2017. Work will include reconstruction of Brierhill Road between Deerfield Road and the south end of Brierhill Road, water main replacement, sanitary sewer point repairs and lining, installation of mountable curbs, drainage improvements, and all ancillary work necessary to complete the improvements. The project began in March and will be complete this summer.

For more information on road construction and infrastructure projects, contact the Department of Public Works and Engineering at 847.317.2490 or pw@deerfield.il.us

FINE ARTS COMMISSION LOOKING FOR ARTISTS FOR PUBLIC ART PROGRAM

The Village of Deerfield is soliciting artwork loans from artists as part of the fourth year of the Deerfield Public Art Program. Artists must be willing to loan works of art for public display for up to one year.

The Deerfield Fine Arts Commission will review artwork proposals submitted by artists interested in having their works displayed in the community.

The program is soliciting paintings, murals, drawings and other pieces to be displayed in Deerfield Village Hall, the Public Works Facility, Deerfield Park District facilities, the Deerfield Public Library, and other government buildings.

The art is displayed for one year in public buildings and new pieces are selected each year. Applications for the next year of the program are now available.

The Deerfield Fine Arts Commission's Public Art Program has placed 16 pieces of art on display in public buildings throughout the Village this year.

Artists from Deerfield include Caren Kaplan, Sara Kenward, Wayne Rhodes, Kris Van Stockum, Barbara Wagner, Brenna Wagner, Penny Weinberg, and Susan Willis. Other artists include Suzette Bross of Chicago, Neil Cohen of Buffalo Grove, and Janet Poppe of Highland Park.

The Deerfield Public Art Program is open to all visual artists who meet the following criteria:

- Artists who are professional and of serious intent
- Artists working in any permanent media
- Art students working with practicing artists/teachers may be considered
- Artists must have knowledge of public art. While previous experience in public art is not required, artists should be knowledgeable of materials, techniques, and public art processes.
- Appropriateness of an artist's work for public display. (Appropriateness in terms of scale, material, content and placement).
- All selected artwork must be delivered to the Village "ready-to-hang" for immediate display.

Artists may submit up to three pieces of art for consideration.

For more information, visit www.deerfield.il.us or contact Management Analyst David Fitzgerald at dfitzgerald@deerfield.il.us



LAWN SPRINKLING AND IRRIGATION REGULATIONS

From May 15 through September 15 lawn sprinkling regulations are in place.

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

As a reminder, all irrigation systems are required to have a backflow prevention device called a Reduced Pressure Zone Backflow Preventer (RPZ). This must be certified annually by a licensed Cross Connection Device Inspector. This testing and certification must be completed every year prior to the system going into service.

The Village has contracted with Backflow Solutions, Inc., (BSI) to administer the backflow prevention tracking program. The annual backflow assembly test report must be submitted electronically by your tester via the BSI Online system at www.BsiOnlineTracking.com.

Residents who have an irrigation system that they do not use can contact Public Works to join a lockout device program and be exempted from the annual RPZ testing requirement. At the owner's request, Village staff will install a specially keyed 'lockout' device that prevents the irrigation system from being turned on. This ensures that inadvertent contamination of the water supply cannot occur, satisfying the IEPA's regulation, and allows residents to avoid paying for the annual inspection of a system they do not use.

To sign up for this program, residents are required to sign an agreement form along with an installation fee of \$45. There is also an annual inspection fee of \$25 beginning in the second year and continuing until the device is removed. This is a low-cost alternative when compared to the price of annual RPZ testing.

For more information contact the Department of Public Works and Engineering at 847.317.7245 or at pw@deerfield.il.us ➤

DEERFIELD FLOOD INFORMATION: INSTALLMENT 1 OF 3 FLOOD HAZARD AREAS

Special Flood Hazard Areas (100-year floodplain) in the Village of Deerfield are located near the Middle Fork and West Fork of the North Branch of the Chicago River. The eastern portion of Deerfield is in the Middle Fork watershed, while the western part of town is in the West Fork watershed. For a detailed map visit the Village of Deerfield website www.deerfield.il.us under maps and information.

Information on whether your property is in the 100-year floodplain can be obtained by visiting the Engineering Department and having a staff member help you. Contact the Engineering Department at 847.317.2490 for further assistance.

FLOOD SAFETY

The following common-sense guidelines can help protect you from the dangers of flooding:

- Do not drive through a flooded area. More people drown in cars than anywhere else. Do not drive around barriers.
- Do not walk through flowing water. Currents can be deceptive. Six inches of water can knock you off your feet.

FLOOD RECOMMENDATIONS

- Stay away from power lines and electrical wires. If your house is about to be flooded, turn off the power at the service box. Electrical current can travel through water. Electrocutation is the second leading cause of death during floods.
- Be alert for gas leaks. Turn off the gas to your house before it floods. If you

smell gas, report it to a Village official or your gas company. Do not use candles, lanterns or open flames if you smell gas or are unsure if your gas has been shut off.

- Keep children away from the flood waters, ditches, culverts and storm drains. Flood waters can carry unimaginable items that have dislodged themselves.
- Clean everything that has been wet. Flood water will be contaminated with sewage and other chemicals that pose severe health threats.
- Look out for animals, especially snakes. Small animals that have been flooded out of their homes may seek shelter in yours.
- Do not use gas engines, such as generators, or charcoal fires indoors during power outages. Carbon monoxide exhaust can pose serious health hazards.

PROPERTY PROTECTION

If your property is susceptible to flooding, there are many flood damage reduction measures you can employ.

- Watertight seals can be applied to brick and block walls to protect against low-level flooding.
- Utilities, such as heating and air conditioning systems, water heaters and other major appliances, can be elevated to higher floors in the structure or on raised platforms.
- Temporary measures such as moving furniture and other valuables to higher floors or sandbagging exterior openings will also help.
- Elevating or relocating the entire structure may also be a feasible option.

More detailed information regarding flood-related issues in Deerfield is available from:

- FEMA.gov website
- Village of Deerfield Engineering Department, 465 Elm Street, Deerfield, IL 60015, 847.317.2490
- Floodplain FAQ page on the www.deerfield.il.us website.
- Deerfield Library ➤



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.

VILLAGE BOARD ACTION

- Approved 2017 Zoning Ordinance Map
- Approved ordinance authorizing a special use for an accounting office to be located at 711 Orchard Street
- Approved resolution authorizing acceleration of work for the Deerfield Road Reconstruction Project
- Approved resolution authorizing construction engineering services for Federal participation supplement No. 1 for Deerfield Road Reconstruction Project
- Authorized award of contract for the Brierhill Road Infrastructure Improvement Project
- Authorized award of contract for construction engineering services for the Brierhill Road Infrastructure Improvement Project
- Authorized award of contract for Phase I engineering services for the Woodvale Avenue Infrastructure Improvement Project
- Authorized joint purchasing requisition for salt under the State joint purchasing contract and the Lake County joint agency salt purchase
- Approved ordinance increasing the number of Class E liquor licenses by one for The Warehouse Eatery
- Authorized award of contract for crack sealing to Patriot Maintenance
- Authorized purchase of seven public works vehicles
- Authorized award of the Kates Road Bridge Rehabilitation Program contract
- Approved ordinance vacating a portion of the west half of a north-south alley between Hazel Avenue and Fair Oaks Avenue
- Approved resolution supporting the Welcoming and Inclusive Community Pledge
- Authorized award of the Wilmot Road lift station contract
- Authorized purchase of chopper pumps for Wilmot Road lift station
- Authorized award of the construction contract for the 2017 Manhole Rehabilitation Program

AWARDS AND PROCLAMATIONS

- Proclaimed March, 20, 2017, Jerry Witkovsky Day
- Proclaimed the week of April 9-15, 2017, National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week
- Proclaimed April 22, 2017 as Earth Day
- Proclaimed April 23, 2017, Breathe Deep North Shore Day
- Proclaimed April 28, 2017 as Arbor Day



COMMUNITYCALENDAR

DEERFIELD PARK DISTRICT

Summer Camps are filling up fast! Visit deerfieldparks.org or stop by the park district today!

Apply online for summer jobs: camp staff, lifeguards, swim instructors, golf course wait staff and learning center, fitness staff and more, at deerfieldparks.org.

Join an adult softball or basketball league! Contact jimg@deerfieldparks.org for details and options!

Remaining tee times for the 2017 season at Deerfield Golf Club and Learning Center, are available at deerfieldgolf.org.

Pool passes on sale, early rates available now through May 31.

May 7 - Deer Dash at Jaycee Park

June 3 - Deerspring Pool Opens

June 3 - Tinman Triathlon

June 10 - Mitchell Pool Opens

June 14 - District 109 Family Night at Mitchell Pool

June 12 & 19 - Summer Camps begin

June 18 to August 13 - Sunday evenings Summer Sampler at Mitchell Park

June 24 - Art in the Park at Jewett Park

For more information or to register for Park District programs, call 847.945.0650, or visit 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 www.deerfieldlibrary.org, or in person at the Library.

Family Time
Saturdays at 10 a.m., May-June
Children with an adult; Drop-in for a storytime the whole family will enjoy.

Curious About Medical Marijuana?
Wednesday, May 10, 7-8 p.m.
Medical cannabis, aka medical marijuana, is now available in Illinois. Find out what this means for you, how safe it is, and how a patient can obtain it.

Paint Night (During the Day)
Saturday, June 10, 1:30-3:30 p.m., Adults;
If you've never painted a picture, grab a brush and let the fun begin as artist Dawn Pennacchia demonstrates the step-by-step process you'll follow to create your own masterpiece. Art supplies included.

Kaleidoscope Eyes: Beatles Tribute Band
Sunday, June 11, 2:30-3:30 p.m. All Ages
Acoustic Beatles tribute band, Kaleidoscope Eyes, will be celebrating 50 years of Beatles music. Join us as we "Come Together" to "Twist and Shout" the summer afternoon away.

Troubleshooting Tomatoes
Thursday, June 15, 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Discover tips and techniques for growing high-quality organic tomatoes.

Bill Cook's Magic by Design
Saturday, June 17, 1:00-2:00 p.m., All Ages; Prepare to have your mind blown by the magic of this internationally renowned magician! He brings music, comedy, drama and, of course, magic to this interactive family show.
The Real Story Behind Fake News
Thursday, June 22, 6-7:30 p.m.

Join us for a panel discussion featuring veteran reporters and librarians on how news gets made and how you can spot the difference between what's real and what's not. Panel will include award-winning journalist Charlie Meyerson.

Harry Potter Celebration
Monday, June 26
Ages 8-10: 4:30-5:30 p.m.
Ages 11 and up: 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Join us to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the publication of Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone with magical games, crafts, and more.

Note: Please register in advance for all programs by calling 847.945.3311. For more information and a full listing of events, please visit www.deerfieldlibrary.org

WEST DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP

Township Board meetings will be held May 16 and June 20 at the Township Offices, 601 Deerfield Road. Visit www.westdeerfieldtownship.org



'COP ON TOP' EVENT AT DUNKIN' DONUTS MAY 19

On Friday, May 19, Deerfield Police officers along with a celebrity guest or two will spend the day on the roof of our local Dunkin' Donuts, 499 Lake Cook Road, not on surveillance, but rather raising awareness and funds for Special Olympics Illinois.

Officers will participate from 5 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the annual "Cop on Top of Dunkin' Donuts" event in the hopes of raising \$6,000. Dunkin' Donuts of Illinois will make a corporate contribution of \$10,000 to Special Olympics Illinois for our efforts.

As part of our commitment to this cause, the Police Department is also selling raffle tickets for \$10 each. Prizes include a new Harley Davidson or one of five big screen HDTVs, as well as Special Olympics merchandise.

For more information, please contact Communications Director Mary Anne Glowacz at 847.945.8636 or mglowacz@deerfield.il.us

CRIME PREVENTION TIPS FOR THE SUMMER

Tips for Homeowners :

- Keep doors in your home closed and locked, including your garage doors. An open door is an invitation.
- Be a good neighbor and alert police to any unusual activity in your neighborhood. Plan for vacation by having your mail and newspapers stopped or having a neighbor pick them up. Leave inside lights on timers to create the impression that your house is occupied. Be sure to set your alarm system. Have a lawn service or neighbor mow your lawn.
- Avoid home improvement scams and deception burglaries by taking a proactive approach. Be particularly alert to anyone in your neighborhood looking to perform home repair and asking to gain entry into your home. Ask to see identification and let them know you are going to call and get verification from their company before allowing them inside. If they are legitimate, they won't mind the wait.

Tips for Drivers:

- Do not leave valuables or cash in your car. If you must leave items in the car, lock them in the trunk.
- Be alert for children playing in neighborhoods and residential areas.
- Drive safely and slowly around parks and playgrounds. More children are out playing during the summer.

Tips for Parents:

- Provide a list of phone numbers of neighbors, family and friends that your child can call in an emergency. Make sure your child knows how to dial 9-1-1 and when it is appropriate to do so.
- Know the route your child will take to and from a given location. Remind your child never to take a shortcut or deviate from the agreed-upon route.
- Establish rules for using the Internet. Children should have adult supervision when online. Make sure your child knows to never give out personal information on the Internet.
- Require your child to check in with a parent before leaving the house and when returning home. Teach your child that there is safety in numbers and that it is best to be with a group of friends when going places without an adult.

GIVE WHERE YOU LIVE-DEERFIELD

As part of the Give Where You Live - Deerfield year-round giving campaign spearheaded by Deerfield Mayor Harriet Rosenthal, the Village is appealing to the generosity of our community to help fill the shelves of the West Deerfield Township Food Pantry with non-perishable food items, toiletries, and household items.

Donations can be dropped off at either the Village Hall lobby or the Deerfield Police Department. Donations are typically slow over summer, when the need is still great. Thank you in advance!

POLICE PARTICIPATE IN TORCH RUN

Starting June 4, the Deerfield Police Department, along with law enforcement throughout Illinois, will carry the Flame of Hope nearly 1,500 miles, running through hundreds of communities via 23 different legs.

The Flame of Hope will ultimately be delivered to Bloomington-Normal for the Opening Ceremony of the Special Olympics Illinois Summer Games June 9.

To contribute or for more information, contact Communications Director Mary Anne Glowacz at 847.945.8636 or mglowacz@deerfield.il.us

CURFEW APPLIES YEAR-ROUND, INCLUDING HOLIDAYS AND PROM.

The curfew law is applicable to those 17 and under. It is in effect Sunday through Thursday from 11 p.m. to 6 a.m., and Friday and Saturday from midnight to 6 a.m.

Drivers under the age of 18 may not operate a motor vehicle between 10 p.m. and 6 a.m., Sunday through Thursday, and between 11 p.m. and 6 a.m., Friday and Saturday. During allowed driving times, the number of passengers is limited to one person under the age of 20, unless the additional passenger is a sibling, step-sibling, child or step-child of the driver.

Exemptions in the law allow new drivers to drive to and from employment or school-sanctioned activities outside the restricted times. Underage drivers convicted of violating the driving curfew may have their driver's license suspended.

For more information, contact Communications Director Mary Anne Glowacz at 847.945.8636 or mglowacz@deerfield.il.us



VILLAGE VEHICLE STICKER REGISTRATION

Applications for 2017 vehicle stickers will be mailed in mid-May. Stickers must be displayed on all vehicles registered or garaged in Deerfield by July 1.

If purchased by June 30, stickers for passenger vehicles cost \$30. After June 30, a 50 percent late penalty is assessed.

Residents may purchase vehicle stickers in person at Village Hall, online at the Village website, www.deerfield.il.us (convenience fee applies), or return the renewal application either by mail or using the payment drop box located in the median just south of Village Hall on Jewett Park Drive.

If you do not receive your application, you still need to have your stickers by July 1. Additional applications are available online or at Village Hall.

Remember: The deadline to display a new 2017 sticker is July 1.

For more information, please contact the Finance Department at 847.945.5000 or visit www.deerfield.il.us

DEERFIELD HISTORICAL SOCIETY DINNER MAY 12

The Deerfield Historic Village, 517 Deerfield Road, is open Sundays from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., June through September. Tour the oldest building in Lake County, the Caspar Ott log house (1837), two pre-Civil War era houses, a carriage house and a one-room schoolhouse that has been a favorite with children for many years. Admission is free.

The Deerfield Area Historical Society is a donor-supported, independent nonprofit organization. All of the Society's services, including the maintenance of the Historic Village, are made possible by membership dues and contributions.

For more information call 847.948.0680 or visit www.deerfieldhistoricalsociety.org

DEERFIELD FARMERS MARKET EXPANDS MENU OF MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT, SPECIAL KIDS ACTIVITIES

The Deerfield Farmers market season begins June 17 and continues every Saturday through October 14, from 7 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., rain or shine.

Each week the market will host more than 25 vendors with the finest locally grown fruits, vegetables and specialty items including freshly baked breads and cookies, maple syrups, honey, salsas, hand-crafted cheeses and fresh flowers.

New this Year:

Kid's Days – June 17, July 22, August 19 and September 23. Special entertainment, arts and crafts, treats, games and prizes for children and their parents starting at 9 a.m.

First up on June 17, Jodie's Jiggle Jam, Hummers & Strummers and "The Balloon Guy" Jason Kollum, plus a Children's Photo Contest and Farmers Market Bingo.

Musical Entertainment every week – The best in local talent from blue grass to blues and everything in between. Performance at 10 a.m. every Saturday, weather permitting.

Returning by Popular Demand:

Monthly raffles, special festivals and more.

Visit the Village of Deerfield website at www.deerfield.il.us to see Farmers Market updates and information about vendors and special events.

GIS COMMUNITY PORTAL

With changes in technology progressing every day, the Village of Deerfield continues to look for avenues to improve the ways it conducts business, both internally and externally.

Most recently, the Village launched an updated "Community Portal" on its website. Community Portal links valuable,

everyday information to a specific property address, using the Village's Geographic Information System (GIS).

Users are able to easily explore property tax information, look-up garbage/recycling collection days, locate voting information, and find zoning districts. The map-based program helps users find information regarding nearby properties, as well.

Visitors can access Community Portal by selecting the Interactive Maps link on the Village's homepage, www.deerfield.il.us.

For more information, please contact the Public Works Department at 847-317-2490

DOGS ARE REQUIRED TO BE LEASHED

All dogs in the Village are required to be leashed. No owner or any person in the custody of any dog shall permit the dog to be at large or to confine the dog in a manner so that it can escape and be at large, unless the dog is securely confined upon a leash of sufficient strength not more than three feet and accompanied by any able bodied person capable of controlling the actions of the dog under any circumstance.

Any person in violation of the leash ordinance shall be fined not less than \$10.00 for the first such offense; and shall not be fined less than \$25.00 for the second such offense; and shall be fined not less than \$50.00 for the third offense and all subsequent offenses within a one-year period.

Please remember always to pick up after your pets and properly dispose of animal waste.

Be courteous to your neighbors and only dispose of animal waste in your own garbage receptacle.

For more information, please view the Deerfield Municipal Code at www.deerfield.il.us



GOING PLACES MADE EASY

West Deerfield Township has a transportation service designed to make life easier for many residents.

Going Places is an appointment-based systems that requires a quick and simple registration process. Once registered, a modified minivan can transport you to your medical, dental and physical therapy appointments.

This program provides independence to those who might otherwise find it difficult to get to their appointments. Sign up today - we are here to serve you!

To register for the program, call the Township Transportation Department at 847.945.0614 x310 and ask to have a registration form mailed to you.

Once registered, schedule an appointment for your ride up to 30 days in advance. Fares are \$5 round trip and \$2 for Veterans.

For more information, contact West Deerfield Township at 847.945.0614. 🌀

SWALCO COMPOSTING, RAIN BARREL SALE

The Solid Waste Agency of Lake County (SWALCO) is again selling compost bins and rain barrels to residents at a discounted rate. A 55-gallon rain barrel costs \$60 and an 11-cubic-foot compost bins costs \$50.

Compost bin accessories are also available as follows: kitchen scrap pail for \$10, compost aerator for \$15, and compost thermometer for \$15.

Limited quantities are available, and products are made from recycled materials. Taxes are included in the price.

For more information about the sale, visit the SWALCO website at www.swalco.org or e-mail info@swalco.org. 🌀

UPCOMING EVENTS @ PTC

For a complete listing of programs or to register to be a member, contact the Patty Turner Center (PTC) at 847.940.4010 or visit www.pattyturnercenter.org



- May 16, Men's Club: "Fred Astaire Part I" with lecturer Susan Benjamin
- May 17, PTC Excursion: Drury Lane Presents "CHICAGO"
- May 17, Professor Gary Presents "The 50th Anniversary of Sgt. Pepper"
- May 18, PTC Themed Dinner Event: "Fiesta de la Casa!"
- May 21, Deerfield Community Band Concert: "Music Scores of the Silver Screen"
- May 22, Great Decisions Discussion Group
- May 23, Men's Club: Antique Car Show
- May 24, "Remember Then" Reminiscence Discussion Group: "On My Honor: Scouts & Clubs"
- May 25, Guided Meditation with Sachs Wellness Coordinator, Jennie Michalik
- May 26, At the Conductors Podium: "Happy Birthday, Mr. Brahms!" with Lecturer and Historian Jim Kendros
- May 29, PTC Closed: Memorial Day
- May 30, Men's Club: "Friends of the Viking Ship" with President, Brian Ibsen
- June 2, Looking at Modern Art" with Art Educator Debra Levie
- June 6, Men's Club: "Midway Airport Historical Presentation" with David Kent
- June 7, "Remember Then" Reminiscence Discussion Group
- June 8, Guided Meditation with Sachs Wellness Coordinator, Jennie Michalik
- June 12, Travelogue with Bill Helmuth
- June 13, Men's Club: "Sports: The good, the bad, the ugly" with ESPN Legal Affairs Analyst Lester Munson
- June 13, Women's Club: "Leading Ladies of Chicago" with Historian Sally Kulmbach
- June 18, Deerfield Community Band Concert: "The Memorial Concert"
- June 22, AARP Drivers Refresher Course
- June 22, Guided Meditation with Sachs Wellness Coordinator, Jennie Michalik
- June 23, AARP Drivers Refresher Course
- June 23, At the Conductors Podium with Lecturer and Historian Jim Kendros
- June 28, "The Beatles 10 Most Important Songs" with Professor Gary Wenstrup
- June 29. "Drive-In, Dine-In Movie" 🌀

PLANTER PROGRAM BRIGHTENS DOWNTOWN

The Village of Deerfield is offering the Flower Planter Program for the eighth year, coordinated though the Village's landscaper Moore Landscapes, Inc. This program allows merchants and commercial property owners in the Village Center to purchase attractive planters and have them filled with colorful plantings all year.

This year's participants in the Flower Planter Program are Fleet Feet Sports Deerfield, Exxon Village Auto, Village of Deerfield, Deerfield Cemetery and Eisen Orthodontics.

For more information or to sign up, please contact Dawn Rummel with Moore Landscapes at 224.383.2134. 🌀

REDUCE MOSQUITOES

The South Lake Mosquito Abatement District offers the following tips to defend your home and garden from mosquitoes and West Nile Virus.

Every week:

- Tip and toss free-standing containers such as flowerpot saucers, watering cans and buckets.
- Change the water and clean bird baths.
- Empty water that collects in folds of tarps used to cover woodpiles, boats, etc.
- Position corrugated drain pipes to ensure drainage or dump out water.

As necessary:

- Clean leaves and debris from gutters.
- Store or recycle old tires.
- Clear debris to allow water to flow freely from drainage ditches and culverts.
- Filter or aerate ornamental ponds using a circulation pump, or stock it with fish.
- Drain or fill-in puddles and areas of your yard that remain wet and soggy for more than a week.
- Check window and door screens to ensure mosquitoes cannot enter.

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DEERFIELD FAMILY DAYS 2017
JULY 3 & 4

JULY 3- BRICKYARDS PARK:

Fireworks, Food for Sale, Silent Auction & Live Entertainment!
The Park will open at 5:00 p.m.

JULY 4 - JEWETT PARK:

All-day (8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.) Activities including: Pancake
Breakfast, Dog Show, Family Days Bazaar, Parade, 10K Run, Bike Parade, Flower Show,
Petting Zoo, Games & Rides!

DONATIONS: Family Days is funded by sponsors and donations from local residents,
and the Village. Please consider making a donation to Family Days in your water bill,
at Village Hall or at www.deerfield.il.us/familydays. Donations help pay for the July 3
Fireworks and the July 4 Parade.

PARADE ROUTE: Please note that the Family Days Parade this year will start at Deer-
spring Pool, go west on Deerfield Road, north on Waukegan Road, turn west onto Hazel
and end on Park Avenue.

WATCH FOR THE FAMILY DAYS BROCHURE IN THE NEXT D-TALES

QUESTIONS?: Contact Barb Reich, Family Days Co-Chair, at 847.848.3048 or
John P. Coughenour, Family Days Co-Chair, at 847.366.7554. ↻

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