

# VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD

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## MEETING SCHEDULE

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

### September

#### Board of Trustees

September 17, 7:30 p.m.

#### Appearance Review Commission

September 24, 7:30 p.m.

#### Sustainability Commission

September 27, 7:00 p.m.

#### Plan Commission

September 27, 7:30 p.m.

### October

#### Board of Trustees

October 1 & 15, 7:30 p.m.

#### Cable Commission

October 2, 7:00 p.m.

#### Village Center Commission

October 3, 7:30 p.m.

#### Plan Commission

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

#### Appearance Review Commission

October 22, 7:30 p.m.

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## DEERFIELD HARVEST FEST - SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Visit Deerfield Road and Park Avenue on Saturday, September 22 from 5:30-9 p.m. for a day of music, food and fun at Deerfield's annual Harvest Fest.

The morning of the event will kick-off at the Farmers Market from 7 a.m.-12:30 p.m. In addition to fruit, vegetables, plants and specialty foods, there will be kids' activities from 8 a.m.-noon including Touch-A-Truck, balloons, face painting and more.

Harvest Fest gates open at 5:30 p.m. – admission is free. The event will feature entertainment including live music from local band Not for Profit from 6-9 p.m. and the annual Bags Tournament (online pre-registration required).

In addition to live entertainment, food and refreshments will be available. City Barbeque will be providing free chicken sandwiches and lemonade, and Nothing Bundt Cakes will have cakes and coffee available for purchase. Wine, craft beer, hard seltzer (ages 21 and older) and water will be available for purchase.

Get more details or register for the Bags Tournament at [www.deerfield.il.us/harvestfest](http://www.deerfield.il.us/harvestfest). Be sure to check back for updates on the Village's website.

Harvest Fest is hosted by the Village of Deerfield and the DBR Chamber of Commerce. Thank you to our sponsors: @properties, North Shore Gas, City Barbeque and Bath Planet.

For more information, contact Kylie Cerk, Communications Specialist, at 847.719.7404 or [kcerk@deerfield.il.us](mailto:kcerk@deerfield.il.us).



## DEERFIELD AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY CELEBRATES 50TH ANNIVERSARY

The Deerfield Area Historical Society is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year, beginning with a Jubilee Celebration on Sunday, September 30 from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Deerfield Historic Village (517 Deerfield Road).

This event will feature tours of the Historic Village, antique appraisals (pre-registration required), farm animals, historic games and activities, food service and more.

All funds raised will go toward repairs and improvements to the historic structures, including the oldest building in Lake County, the Caspar Ott log house built in 1837.

As a non-profit organization, all of the Society's services, including the maintenance of the Historic Village, are made possible by membership dues and donations.

This community event is made possible through a partnership between the Deerfield Area Historical Society, the Village of Deerfield, District 109 Schools, the Deerfield Public Library, the Deerfield Park District and the West Deerfield Township.

For more information, contact David Fitzgerald-Sullivan at 847.719.7400 or [dffitzgerald@deerfield.il.us](mailto:dffitzgerald@deerfield.il.us).

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## SIGN UP FOR EMERGENCY ALERTS

September is “Emergency Preparedness Month.” To help be prepared, we urge residents, business owners and commuters to sign up for our emergency alerts system, CivicReady.

With CivicReady, the Village can send personalized messages in emergency situations via phone call, email and text message. Sign up online at [www.deerfield.il.us/494/Alerts](http://www.deerfield.il.us/494/Alerts) or fill out a form in person at Village Hall. *~*

## “TAKING TURNS” - HOW THE VILLAGE PRIORITIZES CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Every year, Village staff prepares a capital plan outlining needed infrastructure improvements, and every year they rely on data, field observation and science to determine which streets receive the highest priority. Starting by looking at the surface of the road and then looking underground, layer by layer, the projects that are most in need are weighed against available funds to develop each year’s construction projects.

Every two to three years, the Village contracts with Infrastructure Management Services to use cameras and lasers to determine the surface condition of every road in the Village, totaling more than 70 center lane miles. The information gathered in this survey includes surface inventory, roughness, rut depth, cracking, texture and distress. This provides valuable information on the quality of the pavement, base and subgrade sections, and the interaction between these sections. All of this information is then logged into the Village’s GIS mapping database.

Next, staff looks underground by taking core samples that give us a look at the road’s surface, subsurface and the soil that it all rests on. This provides more information regarding the true condition of the road, as the forces of nature and pressure can lead to accelerated deterioration underneath

the road. On roads where the substructure is in poor condition, crews cannot just pave over potholes and instead must go deeper to replace layers of pavement to fully repair the road. This can lead to additional engineering and construction costs and can delay a project to ensure that all of the underground utilities are located to reduce service interruptions.

Going even deeper, the condition of water mains and the storm and sanitary sewers that run beneath the streets plays an important role in the calculation. Staff tracks water main breaks with the same GIS mapping program that contains the surface survey. In areas where water main breaks are more frequent or mains are known to be near the end of their lifecycle, it is important to repair and replace them prior to repaving. This reduces the future need to cut into new pavement to fix the utilities that are beneath.

Field observations of the physical conditions also play a part in project prioritization. During heavy rains and other weather events, staff engineers inspect Village roads to observe drainage conditions firsthand to determine if drainage improvements can be included in a road project. Curb and sidewalk inspections help prioritize improvements as well.

Average daily traffic on a street is also calculated to prioritize improvements. Streets that have a high volume of traffic are prioritized over ones that are used less. This allows more residents to benefit from road projects and also realizes that roads that see more cars will deteriorate faster than those that see less. Similarly, construction projects are planned to reduce traffic disruption. The Village schedules projects so that any required detour routes are not also under construction. The Village also coordinates with neighboring communities, counties and the state to reduce traffic impacts from nearby projects.

Most importantly, the Village weighs the cost of projects to available funding. Each year, the Village Board holds budget deliberations and reviews a comprehensive

portfolio of infrastructure needs and evaluates various mechanisms to fund infrastructure projects leveraging private sector investments and grant funding. In the current year, the Village spent more than \$6 million on capital improvements. That represents a fraction of the cost of bringing all infrastructure up to levels that both the Village and residents would like. In recent years, the Village Board has accelerated spending on infrastructure with the goal of bringing all roads and utilities up to acceptable standards in order to be able to replace infrastructure when it reaches the end of its estimated lifecycle.

*For more information, contact the Public Works Department at 847.317.7245. *~**

## DEERFIELD PUBLIC ART OPEN HOUSE SEPTEMBER 26

The Deerfield Fine Arts Commission will host a community open house at the Deerfield Library to showcase the more than 25 pieces selected for the fifth year of the Deerfield Public Art Program before they are put on display. The open house, which runs from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., will feature many of the artists who created this year’s pieces. Light refreshments will be served.

This year’s collection includes artists from Deerfield and many other from throughout the region. This year, the Fine Arts Commission specifically called for outdoor sculptures that would be suitable for display in the corner park at Deerfield and Waukegan Road. Watch for eye-catching pieces to go on display there this fall.

The specific artwork selected for display were chosen from submissions by a talented pool of artists and were reviewed via jury process. The Fine Arts Commission is responsible for reviewing artwork submissions and making a final recommendation. The artists have agreed to loan their works of art for public display for up to one year.

*For more information, contact the Village Manager’s Office at 847.719.7400. *~**



## DEERFIELD POLICE CONDUCTING COMMUNITY SURVEY

The Deerfield Police Department is asking all residents to please take a moment to complete the 2018 Community Survey.

The survey is available online at [www.deerfield.il.us/policesurvey](http://www.deerfield.il.us/policesurvey) from now through October 31, 2018.

The Deerfield Police Department has identified the following core values to guide interactions and provide staff members with ideals needed to achieve department goals and meet the overall mission:

- Professionalism in day-to-day activities of law enforcement and serving the community
- A community that is safe for its residents and visitors
- A balance of service, training, career development and personal time that provides staff with the opportunity for success at the workplace and home
- Human rights that are the foundation of the country and society

The 2018 survey will help the us determine if we are a reflection of these core values and evaluate the courtesy, efficiency and effectiveness of the department. ☞

## SAFETY REMINDERS FROM THE DEERFIELD POLICE

As a new school year begins, the Deerfield Police Department wants to remind all students, parents and guardians to focus on safe travels throughout the Village – especially in school zones.

We ask all to follow traffic and parking laws in and around school zones, including the following:

- Prohibit handheld cellphone use.
- Watch your speed.
- Obey traffic signs and red lights.
- Obey school bus stop arms.
- Watch for parking restrictions around schools.

- Do not park within 20 feet of a crosswalk or intersection or within 15 feet of a fire hydrant.

*For more information about Rail Safety Week, visit [www.illinoisrailsafetyweek.org](http://www.illinoisrailsafetyweek.org). ☞*

## DEERFIELD POLICE COLLECT COATS & GLOVES FOR VETS

The Deerfield Police Department is collecting new or gently used coats and gloves to benefit veterans in Lake County through the month of September as part of Operations Stand Down.

Donation boxes are available throughout September in the Police Department lobby and the Deerfield Public Library lobby. Donations will be brought to Midwest Veterans Closet in North Chicago.

*For more information, contact Sgt. Oliver Cachola at 847.945.8636. ☞*

## CAR SEAT CHECK SATURDAY

The Deerfield Police Department will be celebrating Car Seat Check Saturday on September 29 from 9 a.m.-noon in the Deerfield Commuter Parking Lot (758 Deerfield Road).

Licensed Safety Seat Technicians will be available to conduct child safety seat checks, where parents and caregivers will receive education and hands-on assistance with proper use of child restraint systems and safety belts.

Together with the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Safe Kids Worldwide, we are reminding parents and caregivers the importance of properly using car seats, booster seats and seat belts. When used and installed correctly, child safety seats can reduce the risk of death by 71% for infants and 54% for toddlers.

*To schedule an appointment with a Safety Seat Technician, contact the Police Department at 847.945.8636. ☞*

## DEERFIELD POLICE BLOOD DRIVE

Join the honorable men and women of the Deerfield Police Department and the Deerfield-Bannockburn Fire Protection District as we come together on Friday, November 2 to host a blood drive at Deerfield Village Hall (850 Waukegan Road) from noon-6 p.m.

To schedule an appointment, visit [www.lifesource.org](http://www.lifesource.org), select “Make An Appointment” and log in; search by the group code 561A or call LifeSource at 877.543.3468.

Appointments are recommended but walk-ins are welcome. Make sure you’re prepared to donate by eating beforehand, staying hydrated and by bringing your ID.

*For more information, contact Mary Anne Glowacz at 847.945.8636. ☞*

## DEERFIELD POLICE STATION A SAFE PLACE FOR ONLINE TRANSACTIONS

Did you know that the Deerfield Police Department also functions as a safe place to complete internet transactions?

Members of the community are welcome to utilize the lobby and/or parking lot of the Deerfield Police Department (850 Waukegan Road). Here are a few guidelines:

- Transactions can only be conducted in the lobby between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m.
- Police Department personnel will not oversee or be involved in any way.
- Disputes regarding the sale price, condition of the item or quantity are considered to be a civil matter.
- The sale of large, cumbersome items (furniture, appliances, etc.) must take place in the parking lot.
- The sale of counterfeit, stolen or other illegal items is prohibited.
- Transactions cannot disrupt the daily business of the Police Department.
- Trust your instincts and be cautious when buying and/or selling online. ☞



# PUBLICWORKS

## STREET REHABILITATION PROJECT UPDATE

The Village of Deerfield 2018 Street Rehabilitation Project is currently underway and nearing completion.

The following table lists the location and current status of each project:

Street Name	Status
Bently Ct.	Completed
Bristol Dr.	Completed
Byron Ct.	Completed
Central Ave.	Completed
Crabtree Ln.	Ongoing
Elmwood Ave.	Ongoing
Estate Dr.	Completed
Kenmore Ave.	Completed
Meadow Ln.	Ongoing
Osterman Ave.	Completed
Oxford Rd.	Completed
Riverside Dr.	Completed
Somerset Ave.	Completed

All parkway restorations will be re-evaluated at the end of the project, and any deficiencies will be addressed prior to the end of the construction season.

Work will be complete by Thanksgiving. Thank you for your continued patience, and we would like to remind you to drive safely through construction zones.

For more information, contact the Engineering Department at 847.317.2490. 🌀

## FALL LEAF COLLECTION PROGRAM

The Village's annual leaf collection program provides residents with an alternate way to



dispose of their leaves. Residents who do not mulch or bag their leaves may rake them to the curb or carriage walk line the night before their scheduled pickup.

Beginning the week of October 22 and continuing through November 16, Public Works Department crews will make one pass by each house in the Village every week during the four-week program.

See the following guidelines and reminders for leaf pickup:

- Rake leaves into piles no greater than 5' in width.
- Do not rake leaves into the streets, sidewalks or carriage walks.
- Do not put out leaves more than one day prior to your scheduled pickup day
- Do not park on the street the day of your pickup.
- Do not rake grass clippings, sticks, rocks, branches or mud to the curb with your leaves.
- Try to put leaves out each week.
- Inclement weather may delay pickups, but crews will make at least four trips through each neighborhood.
- Direct landscapers to abide by the Village's guidelines for leaf collection.

For more information, visit the Village's website at [www.deerfield.il.us](http://www.deerfield.il.us) or contact the Public Works Department at 847.317.7245. 🌀

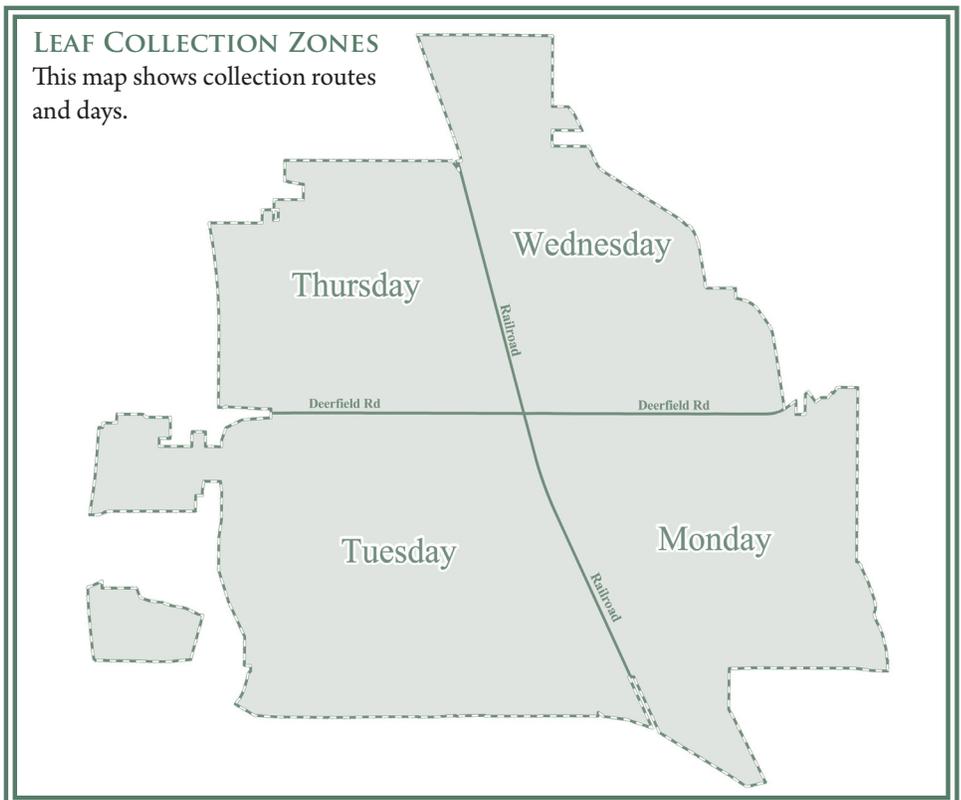
## EDENS SPUR IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

The Illinois Tollway is in the process of repairing the Edens Spur from Lake Cook Road to Pfingsten Road and reconstructing the roadway from Pfingsten Road to the Edens Expressway.

Repair work began last spring and is nearing completion. Reconstruction began this summer and is scheduled for completion by the end of 2020.

The Edens Spur Improvement Project includes the removal and replacement of all the existing mainline asphalt pavement and the repair of concrete pavement, including mainline bridges. Additional work includes replacing the Pfingsten Road Bridge, repairing the Waukegan Road Bridge over the Edens Spur, constructing the barrier-separated median with stormwater improvements and upgrading the Intelligent Transportation System and roadway lighting.

For more information, visit [www.illinoistollway.com/](http://www.illinoistollway.com/). 🌀





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 amending the Municipal Code to increase the number of Class C liquor licenses for City Barbeque
- Approved ordinance authorizing amendment to a Class B Special Use to permit the relocation of beer and wine sales and add a Class A Special Use for medical and laboratory facilities in the 780 Waukegan Road store
- Approved ordinance authorizing an amendment to a sign plan for two new wall signs for Oracle
- Approved resolution authorizing a collective bargaining agreement between the Village of Deerfield and International Union of Operating Engineers Local 150 (Public Works)
- Approved ordinance for amendments to the Municipal Code of the Village of Deerfield (Assault Weapons and Large Capacity Magazines)
- Approved ordinance authorizing amendment to a Planned Unit Development for a new parking structure at 1717 Deerfield Road
- Approved resolution for a development agreement for 1717 Deerfield Road
- Approved resolution authorizing membership and participation in the Northeastern Illinois Public Safety Training Academy (NIPSTA)
- Authorized execution of an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Illinois State Toll Highway (Emergency Backup Water Connection)
- Authorized execution of an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Village of Northbrook (Emergency Backup Water Connection)
- Approved ordinance amending the Municipal Code regarding regulations on small cell wireless facilities
- Approved ordinance amending the Municipal Code establishing oak and elm tree trimming and pruning seasonal regulations
- Approved resolution awarding Police access control system replacement project
- Authorized execution of change order for the water tower painting contract
- Approved resolution supporting execution of and compliance with environmental regulations and laws for the Foxconn Development
- Approved resolution authorizing a detached canopy structure at 99 S. Waukegan Road, Chick-fil-A

## AWARDS AND PROCLAMATIONS

- Promoted Brian Budny to Deputy Chief of Police
- Presented GFOA Certificate of Recognition for Budget Preparation to Finance Director Eric Burk
- Appointed Walgreens Representative to Sustainability Commission
- Honored Caruso and Shepard Middle Schools Destination Imagination Teams

# COMMUNITYCALENDAR



### DEERFIELD PARK DISTRICT Apply for Jobs

Apply online at [deerfieldparks.org](http://deerfieldparks.org) for various Park District jobs including Sachs Recreation Center front desk staff, After School Club staff, gym supervisor, lifeguard and more.

### Mark Your Calendar

September 3 - Deerspring Pool Closes  
 September 4 - Fall Programs Begin: Dance, theater, archery, ceramics, art, chess, piano and more  
 September 22 - Deerfield Park Foundation Moonlight Golf at Deerfield Golf Club and Learning Center: Enjoy five holes of golf with dinner, contests, prizes and more.  
 September 29 - Pro Am Scramble at Deerfield Golf Club and Learning Center  
 October 4 - Customer VIP Appreciation Day at Deerfield Golf Club and Learning Center  
 October 8 & 9 - School's Out Trips: Spend school days off traveling to fun places and doing new things.  
 October 26 & 27 - Halloween Hoopla at Jewett Park Community Center: Fun and

adventures await at this years' two-day Halloween Hoopla.

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

### DEERFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

All Library programs are free and open to the public. Register in advance by phone at 847.945.3311, online at [deerfieldlibrary.org](http://deerfieldlibrary.org) or in person at 920 Waukegan Road.

### LEGO Club

Sept. 5 & Oct. 3, 4:30-5:30 p.m., All Ages, Drop-in  
 Drop-in to build your own design or follow the monthly challenge.

### iPhone Buyer's Guide & Maintenance

Sept. 6, 7-8 p.m.  
 Learn about the various purchase plans to help decide which one is the best for you.

### Fall Dance Jam

Sept. 7, 11-11:45 a.m., Up to Age 6 w/ Adult, Drop-in  
 Sing, dance and shake out your sillies.

### Take the Confusion Out of Medicare

Sept. 12, 7-8 p.m.  
 Learn the nuts and bolts from an expert.

### How to Pay for College Without Going Broke

Sept. 20, 6:30-8 p.m., Teens & Adults  
 Info on scholarships and loans, and tips on how to save on expenses overall.

### Concert: Laura Doherty

Sept. 29, 11-11:45 a.m., All Ages  
 Parents' Choice Award-winning artist Laura Doherty will rock the library with her upbeat, acoustic rock that will have kids dancing and clapping along.

### Sensory Friendly Film: "Finding Dory"

Oct. 10, 4-6 p.m., Drop-in  
 Families and children of all abilities will enjoy the movie with lights turned up, sound turned down, and option to move and sing during the movie.

### How to Sell Your Writing in the Age of Social Media

Oct. 13, 10:30-11:30 a.m.  
 Best-selling novelist William Hazelgrove

will discuss how to get started and keep your name in front of readers.

### Ready, Set, Vote!

Oct. 17, 7-8 p.m.  
 The League of Women Voters will walk us through a sample ballot, and how to find more info about candidates.

### Concert: Patchouli

October 21, 2-3 p.m. All Ages  
 Back by popular demand, Patchouli blends elements of folk, pop, flamenco and jazz.

For more information and a full listing of events, please visit [www.deerfieldlibrary.org](http://www.deerfieldlibrary.org).

### WEST DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP

Township Board meetings will be held at 7 p.m., September 20 and October 16, at the Township Offices (601 Deerfield Road).

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



# COMMUNITYINFO

## TOUR THE DEERFIELD HISTORIC VILLAGE

The Deerfield Area Historical Society hosts free tours of the Deerfield Historic Village (517 Deerfield Road) on Sundays from 2-4 p.m., June through September.



Visit the oldest building in Lake County, the Caspar Ott log house, 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.

For more information call 847.948.0680, visit [www.deerfieldhistoricalsociety.org](http://www.deerfieldhistoricalsociety.org) or [www.facebook.com/deerfieldhistory/](https://www.facebook.com/deerfieldhistory/).

## “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.

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.



## UPCOMING EVENTS @ PTC



The Patty Turner Center (PTC) is a Deerfield Park District Program for Adult Enrichment in partnership with the Village of Deerfield. The PTC offers a wide variety of classes, events and excursions. Members can select from a wide range of programming offered throughout the week, evenings and weekends!

For a full listing of programs or to become a member, contact the Patty Turner Center at 847.940.4010 or visit [www.pattyturnercenter.org](http://www.pattyturnercenter.org).

- Sept. 8 – Healthy Lifestyle Expo Co-Sponsored with The Deerfield Chamber of Commerce
- Sept. 10 – Low Vision Group; Dementia Support Group
- Sept. 11 – Men’s Club Presentation; Women’s Club Dessert: “A Pabst Mansion View”; AAUW Presents: “Ladies of Virtue”
- Sept. 12 – ACES Caregiver Support Group
- Sept. 13 – Piano Bar Night with “Stu the Piano Guy!”
- Sept. 14 – PTC Excursion: Chicago Cubs vs Cincinnati Reds
- Sept. 18 – Men’s Club Presentation
- Sept. 20 – PTC Excursion: “John Singer-Sargent & Chicago’s Guided Age” at The Art Institute of Chicago
- Sept. 25 – Men’s Club Presentation; Summer Solstice Music Program: “Piano Pleasures”
- Sept. 27 – AARP Drivers Refresher Course
- Sept. 28 – AARP Drivers Refresher Course; At the Conductor’s Podium: “Romantically Speaking”; Friday with Friends: “Back to School Spelling Bee”
- Oct. 2 – Men’s Club Presentation
- Oct. 5 – “Looking at Modern Art”
- Oct. 9 – Men’s Club Presentation; Digital Drop-in with the Deerfield Public Library
- Oct. 16 – Men’s Club Presentation
- Oct. 17 – PTC Themed Dinner Event: “Oktoberfest”; Men’s Balance Workshop
- Oct. 22 – “The History of Simon & Garfunkel”
- Oct. 23 – Men’s Club Presentation
- Oct. 24 – Men’s Balance Workshop; Lunch Program
- Oct. 26 – “At the Conductor’s Podium”; Deerfield Park District Halloween Hoopla
- Oct. 27 – Deerfield Park District Halloween Hoopla
- Oct. 30 – Men’s Club Presentation

## DEERFIELD FARMERS MARKET

The 2018 Deerfield Farmers Market season is continuing every Saturday through October 13, 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.



For information on special events and vendors each week, you can follow the Deerfield Farmers Market on Facebook at [Facebook.com/deerfieldfarmersmarketIL/](https://www.facebook.com/deerfieldfarmersmarketIL/).

Visit [www.deerfield.il.us](http://www.deerfield.il.us) to see more Farmers Market updates and information about vendors and special events.

## TEENCONNECT

Deerfield’s TeenConnect program aims to connect teens who are able to do outside yard work, including lawn mowing and raking leaves, with Deerfield residents who need the service.

The TeenConnect list will provide contact information for Deerfield teens including the name and phone number of the teen, days of availability, type of work they are willing to do and their expected rate of pay.

For more information or to sign up, visit [www.deerfield.il.us](http://www.deerfield.il.us) or call the Village Manager’s Office at 847.719.7400.



## KEEP DEERFIELD CLEAN - DON'T LEAVE REFUSE AT THE CURB

Be considerate to neighbors by not leaving large refuse items or garbage and recycling carts at the curb at unsanctioned times.

According to the Village's Municipal Code, on noncollection days, all containers for garbage and recycling shall be stored in the garage or out of plain sight from the street in an effort to make the containers inconspicuous from the public way.

Unless you are signed up for backdoor garbage and recycling collection, all containers for refuse, yard waste and recycling shall be securely closed and placed for collection at the curbside not earlier than sundown of the day preceding your scheduled collection day. This also applies to miscellaneous waste, which can also be scheduled for pickup by contacting Waste Management at 800.796.9696. 🌀

## TOWNSHIP HOSTS SPECIAL HALLOWEEN PARTY FOR SPECIAL KIDS

Families with children who would enjoy a more relaxed Halloween Party are invited to join West Deerfield Township on Saturday, October 27.

Children, especially those with disabilities who may find Halloween frightening or overwhelming, may come in costume, if they like, to participate in fun games and crafts designed just for them.

The Deerfield Village Hall lobby (850 Waukegan Road) will be open for this drop-in party from 11-1 p.m. Snacks, games and plenty of pumpkins make this annual party fun for all.

Admission is free to this event sponsored by West Deerfield Township. Children of all ages are invited, and siblings are welcome!

For more information, contact Township Clerk Kristen Scott at 847.945.0614. 🌀

## VILLAGE OFFERING REBATE FOR SUMP PUMP DISCONNECTION PROGRAM

The Residential Sump Pump Disconnection Program has been implemented to reduce costly and unnecessary sanitary sewer overflows and backups.

For a limited time only, the Village is offering a 20% rebate to homeowners that eliminate illegal sump pump connections. If you have an illegal sump pump connection, please consider taking advantage of this limited-time offering while it lasts.

Participation in the program is important for the following reasons:

1. Eliminating illegal sump pump connections can reduce sanitary sewer backups and basement flooding. In total, illegal connections put millions of gallons of storm water into the sanitary sewer system, overburdening the system and causing backups for our residents.
2. Illegal sump pump connections costs taxpayers' money. When sump pumps are connected incorrectly, the Village is forced to unnecessarily treat clean storm water at its Water Reclamation Facility. This is an unnecessary expense borne by all taxpayers.
3. Having this type of connection in your home is illegal. If you are unsure about whether or not you have this connection, contact your preferred plumber or the Community Development Department at 847.719.7484.

In order to receive a rebate, you must submit to the Village a Certificate of Compliance completed by a licensed plumber and a paid invoice. Documents can be found at [www.deerfield.il.us](http://www.deerfield.il.us) under "Services."

For more information, contact the Community Development Department via email at [communitydevelopment@deerfield.il.us](mailto:communitydevelopment@deerfield.il.us) or by phone at 847.719.7484. 🌀

## TOWNSHIP HOLDS 2018 HOLIDAY WISH PROGRAM

The West Deerfield Township Holiday Wish Program is an opportunity for the community to bring special happiness to some of our less fortunate neighbors during the winter holiday season. Their holiday "wishes" are passed along to gift donors (offices, families, churches, temples, individuals, scout troops, etc.) who will only know only the recipient's family number and age. All recipients of the program live within the township.

If you are interested in adopting someone's "wish" for the holiday season a senior, senior couple or a family for our Holiday Wish Program, please contact the Township office at 847.945.0614 or email [wdtransportation@sbcglobal.net](mailto:wdtransportation@sbcglobal.net) with the subject "Holiday Wish." 🌀

## EARLY VOTING REMINDER

The West Deerfield Township will again serve as an early voting site during the election this fall.

Early voting takes place 15 days before Election Day and will run Monday, October 22 through Saturday, November 3; Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., and Saturdays 9 a.m.-2 p.m. at the West Deerfield Township office (601 Deerfield Road). Early voting at this location is not available on Sundays.

Any resident of Lake County is welcome to early vote at this site. Remember, you must vote on Election Day, November 6, at your designated polling place. Polls will be open on Election Day from 6 a.m.-7 p.m. You can find your Election Day site at [LakeVoterPower.info](http://LakeVoterPower.info).

Not registered to vote? You may do so at any early voting location. Voter registration is also available at your assigned Election Day voting site.

For more information, visit [LakeVoterPower.info](http://LakeVoterPower.info) or call Township Clerk Kristen Scott at 847.945-0614 or the Lake County Clerk at 847.377.2410. 🌀



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## VILLAGENOTES

### LIVING WITH WILDLIFE

Human development has replaced natural areas that were once habitat for wildlife. Open fields, forests and wetlands have been replaced by lawns, gardens and neighborhoods. Many animals are adapting to this new environment, sometimes at the expense of their human neighbors by creating disturbances or causing damage to property.

The best way to prevent common wildlife issues is to avoid providing potential sources for food and shelter. The following are recommendations for how to prevent common wildlife conflicts:

- Do not encourage wildlife to come in or near your home by feeding them.
- Keep pet food and water dishes indoors.
- Turn on outside lights, make noise and observe the area for any signs of wildlife before letting your pet outdoors – keep dogs leashed and near you.
- Don't allow spilled seed to accumulate around bird feeders.
- If possible, do not keep garbage cans outside.
- Keep grills and barbecues clean.
- Repair broken, weak or rotted areas all around your home.
- Trim tree limbs that provide easy access to your roof.
- Install and maintain chimney caps.
- Cover openings under decks, sheds, concrete slabs and porches with welded wire.
- Add welded wire to the inside of attic vents to deny access if covers are removed.

Even though it may be tempting to trap and remove a nuisance animal, removal does not usually provide a permanent solution. Trapping and removing animals only creates an opening for another animal to occupy. A trapped adult may also leave young behind, which often die of starvation in an inaccessible area. The best solution is to focus on removing the attraction, not the animal, in order to prevent future invasion.

Please remember that it is illegal for homeowners to trap certain species and there are many federal and state laws against keeping wildlife.

*For more information, visit the Lake County Forest Preserves' website at [www.lcfpd.org](http://www.lcfpd.org).*

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