

## Glendale Heights "Show & Shine" Car Show & Swap Meet

**Sunday, September 13 • 10:00 am - 3:30 pm**

**Camera Park (101 E. Fullerton Ave) • FREE Viewing Admission**

**Rain Date: Sunday, September 20**

The Village of Glendale Heights is gearing up to present the 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual "Show and Shine" Car Show and Swap Meet.

Stop by to see all of your favorite classic vehicles, or see what kind of bargains you can find at the Swap Meet and Craft Fair. There will also be games, crafters, live demos and much more! The Show and Shine Car Show will also display the Glendale Heights Police Department's Mobile Command Vehicle.

Pre-registration before September 13<sup>th</sup> is \$12 or \$15 day of show for vehicles. Registration is \$15 for the swap meet, crafters and/or other vendors. For more information, please call 630.909.5303.

### Includes Touch-a-Truck for the Kids!



## Family Health & Safety Fair

**Wednesday, October 7 • 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm • Sports Hub**

Mark your calendars and plan to attend this free community event on Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the Glendale Heights Sports Hub.

Featured exhibits include the Teddy Bear Clinic, Adventist GlenOaks' Pink Zone for women's health, flu shots, child ID cards and more highlighting the Family Health and Safety Fair! There will also be free screenings for blood pressure, diabetes and vision screening.



Thank you to our sponsors: Marquardt School District 15, Queen Bee School District 16, Village of Glendale Heights, Glenside Fire Protection District, Bloomingdale Fire Protection District, Glenside Public Library District, Glenbard Township High School District 87, Chicago Blower Corporation and Adventist GlenOaks Hospital. For more information, call Debbie McKenzie at 630.260.6050.

## Patriot Day

**Friday, September 11, 7:15 pm  
Village Hall Front Plaza**

The Village of Glendale Heights remembers Patriot Day on its anniversary, Friday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, with a silent parade of police vehicles, fire trucks and a candlelight service.

Please join Mayor Jackson, the Village Board of Trustees, our Police and Fire personnel, neighbors and friends for a moment of silence and reflection on Patriot Day. Call the Mayor's Office at 630.909.5303 for more information.

**Turn to page 11 for information on the Glenside Fire Protection District's September 11<sup>th</sup> Memorial.**

## Fall Fun in Glendale Heights

**Harvest Fest (Page 3)**

September 26 • Noon - 4:00 pm

**Safety Town Halloween (Page 8)**

October 31 • 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

**\*\*Please note that the Village Calendar contains a misprint. The actual event is on Halloween, October 31<sup>st</sup>!**

**Hallow-Tween (Page 4)**

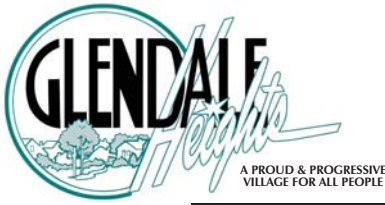
October 31 • 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

**Trick-or-Treat Hours**

October 31 • 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

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# Letter from the Village President

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630.909.5303 • [ljackson@glendaleheights.org](mailto:ljackson@glendaleheights.org)



Dear Residents,

The fall season is upon us, and soon the leaves will be changing colors and the cool, brisk air will be here. It has been a truly wonderful summer filled with numerous community events that have brought the Glendale Heights community closer than ever! Events like Glendale Heights Fest, National Night Out and the Neighborhood Park Parties are great reflections of the togetherness we share as a community and I couldn't be prouder to call Glendale Heights home!

With the fall season quickly approaching and children heading back to school, the fun and memories do not stop as we have many events and programs planned for the upcoming months! September is one of our busiest months of the year, starting with the return of the Glendale Heights Oktoberfest brought to you by Chef Wolfgang of Schnitzel Platz Restaurant and the Village of Glendale Heights. After an extremely successful year in 2014, Glendale Heights Oktoberfest has gained the reputation as one of the best Oktoberfests around and has quickly become a Glendale Heights staple event. Come on out to Camera Park September 10<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> to experience this German event with live entertainment, authentic German food and activities for the whole family!

The rest of September is jam packed with the Show & Shine Car Show and Swap Meet on Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup> at Camera Park. We will also be honoring those many brave men and women who lost their lives during the tragic events of September 11<sup>th</sup> as we celebrate the 14<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Patriot Day. In October, we will once again have the annual Family Health and Safety Fair on Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at the Sports Hub and will feature the ever popular Teddy Bear Clinic, flu shots and more. Safety Town Halloween and Hallow-Tween will round out the month of October both held on Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup>!

Two new events this fall include Harvest Fest on Saturday, September 26<sup>th</sup> at Heritage Park and Scary Movie Night at the Sports Hub lawn Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>. Harvest Fest will feature crafts, hay rides, face painting and a chili cook-off! To help get you into the Halloween season, join us for our Scary Movie Night where we will be showing the hit classic "Beetlejuice"! For more information on these fun fall events, please contact the Sports Hub at 630.260.6060.

The Glendale Heights Center for Senior Citizens celebrated their 5-year anniversary in August and will continue the celebration with National Senior Center month in September with lots of fun activities! The theme for National Senior Center Month is Learning, Independence, Friends and Energy (LIFE) and will feature special events and activities to celebrate their members. To cap off National Senior Center Month, there will be a special Senior Days Ice Cream Social! Membership to the Center is free if you are a resident of Glendale Heights and 60 years or better.

On July 10<sup>th</sup>, Moody's Investors Service affirmed the Village's excellent Aa2 bond rating. This great news was the end product of an intense and thorough credit rating update performed by Moody's in June. Moody's commended the Village for having a strong financial position and putting in place policies and practices since the downturn in the economy. The Moody's report indicates that their decision to keep the Village at the higher Aa2 rating reflects an ample reserve position, stable operations, and strong management team with long-term fiscal and capital planning practices.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me during regular office hours at 630.909.5303 or send me an email at [ljackson@glendaleheights.org](mailto:ljackson@glendaleheights.org). I also invite you for coffee at the Center for Senior Citizens with myself and the Village Board of Trustees on the first Saturday of each month.

Sincerely,

Linda Jackson, Village President



## Coffee with the Mayor & Board

*Coffee with the Mayor & Board* is held on the first Saturday of each month\* from 10:00 am to noon at the Center for Senior Citizens. **The next Coffee with the Mayor & Board is scheduled for September 5<sup>th</sup> and October 3<sup>rd</sup>.** If you are unable to attend and have a comment, suggestion or question, please call the Mayor's Office at 630.909.5303.

\*Subject to Change



# Glendale Heights Village News

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September 10 – 20, 2015

At Camera Park

Monday - Thursday: 5 pm - 10 pm  
Friday and Saturday: Noon - Midnight  
Sunday: Noon - 10 pm

Adults - \$5.00 (after 4:00 pm), Children (16 & under) - FREE

Authentic German Food & Oktoberfest Bier  
Live Bands, Dancing, Entertainers & More!

Join us September 10 - 20 for the 4<sup>th</sup> annual Glendale Heights Oktoberfest which will be held at Camera Park, 101 E. Fullerton Avenue. The festival will feature authentic German food prepared by renowned Chef Wolfgang of the acclaimed Schnitzel Platz Restaurant. We will also offer authentic

Oktoberfest Bier imported directly from the Hofbräu Brewery in Munich, as well as beer from the oldest Brewery in the world, Weihestephan Hefe Weiss Bier and the wonderfully refreshing Schoefferhofer Grapefruit Hefeweizen Mix. To finish off your meal, there will be an assortment of wonderful German and Austrian pastries available.

Experience live entertainment daily including strolling German “Oompah” entertainers. Entertainment also includes: Alpine Thunder, the Talisman Band, Elmhurst College Jazz Band, Indy Polkamotion, the Amazing Mike Show, Ed Wagner Brass Band, the German Band and more!

There will be a pumpkin patch, plant sale and many more activities for the whole family to enjoy. To round out the Glendale Heights Oktoberfest experience, there will be vendors with German products, souvenirs, hats, steins, and much, much, more.

One of the authentic features of this festival are the VIP boxes—just like the ones found at the Munich Oktoberfest. We invite you and your organization to experience the VIP treatment without the passport and the long flight. The VIP Boxes are special reserved areas strategically located under the grand festival tent to provide guests with a setting that will assure total Gemütlichkeit. VIP seating is limited and available by reservation only. Each table seats up to ten adults. The VIP section is perfect for corporations, clubs and organizations. Seating includes: Festival admission for your group, VIP parking, premium VIP seating with wait staff service, meal served on china, appetizer platter with pretzels and other German delights, meal voucher and two drink vouchers. Space is limited and reservations go quickly. On Fridays and Saturdays, the VIP packages are \$80 per person. On Sunday through Thursday, the VIP packages are \$60 per person. Advance payment is required in order to guarantee your VIP reservation to the Glendale Heights Oktoberfest.

For VIP information, please call 630.942.9900. For more information, please call 323-SPRETZEL (323.577.8935).

[www.GlendaleHeightsOktoberfest.com](http://www.GlendaleHeightsOktoberfest.com)

## Enter to Win!

**Win a Trip to Germany and a VIP Brewery Tour!**

This year we will have a raffle for a trip to Germany and VIP brewery tour for two. To enter, purchase a beer in the souvenir stein and you will be entered in the daily drawing. The winner of each of the 10 daily drawings will be put into the final drawing which will take place on September 20<sup>th</sup> at which time we will pick the lucky grand prize winner.

## harvestfestival

Saturday, September 26 • Noon - 4:00 pm

Celebrate autumn's arrival at Harvest Fest at historic Heritage Park. Enjoy music, crafts, chili cook-off, bags tournament, hay rides, face painting and fun for the whole family. For more information, please contact the Sports Hub at 630.260.6060.

## Refuse/Recycling Holiday Collections

Due to the Labor Day holiday, there will be a one-day service delay for the collection of waste and recycling, in accordance with regular collection schedules.

Thursday Route (both sides of Bloomingdale Road and all streets west of Bloomingdale Road) will be collected on Friday, September 4. Friday Route (all streets east of Bloomingdale Road) will be collected on Saturday, September 5. For service related questions, please call Republic Services at 847.981.0091.



# Parks, Recreation & Facilities Department

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630.260.6060 • [www.ghprf.com](http://www.ghprf.com)

## Fitness Classes at the Hub

### Pilates Classes

*Tuesdays 9/8 - 10/27*

A systematic practice of specific exercises coupled with focused breathing patterns designed to stretch, strengthen and balance the body. Pilates has proven itself invaluable not only as a fitness endeavor, but also as an important adjunct to professional sports training and physical rehabilitation of all kinds. Pilates mat is required.

### Yoga - Gentle

*Tuesdays 10/6 - 11/24*

Class is structured around rejuvenating and healing the body while calming and relaxing the mind. It is a recuperative yoga class designed to gently stretch and open the body using the breath, restorative and modified yoga poses. This practice moves at a slower pace to help create mind-body awareness while releasing stress and tension from joints and muscles. Gentle yoga is suitable for students of any level; great for athletes looking to increase flexibility, as well as those recovering from any type of illness or injury.

### Adult Barre Ballet

*Thursdays 9/17 - 10/22*

*Saturdays 9/19 - 10/24*

Set to energetic music, each meeting focuses on upper body work out and high-intensity thigh, seat, and core exercises at the barre. Practice a releasing stretch after we work a muscle group, which results in stronger and more elongated muscles while gaining flexibility. Leave each class feeling revitalized, motivated, and inspired

## PATH Day Off Trip

**Monday, October 12 • \$35\*/\$40 (R/NR)**

**\*All current PATH participants are charged resident rate**

October 12<sup>th</sup> is Columbus Day, and schools are closed! Explore with us as PATH navigates the corn maze at a local farm along with fall-themed projects and games at the Sports Hub before and after the trip. You do not need to be in the PATH After School Program to participate.

## Scary Movie Night

**Featuring Beetlejuice!**

**Friday, October 23 • Sports Hub Lawn**

**7:30 pm • FREE!**

Grab your blanket and a buddy for a horror film at the Sports Hub lawn! Catch the screening of Beetlejuice with friends. The film is free to enjoy, and snacks will be for available for purchase.

## Hallow-Tween

**Saturday, October 31 • 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm**

**Sports Hub • Ages 10 - 14**

**\$7\*/\$12 (R/NR) or FREE with current Hub Club Membership**

**\*All current PATH participants are charged resident rate**

Did you know the Sports Hub is haunted... by the ghost of a good time! The Hub is hosting the biggest Halloween Party in Glendale Heights! Come to the Sports Hub for Halloween Open Gym (basketball, volleyball, and soccer) and dance to music in the gyms. Unwind with a scary movie and snacks before you force your friends down the Haunted Hallway while avoiding its frightening freaks on your way to visit a zombie that might get too close for comfort!

## Save the Date

**Fall Dance Starts September 14<sup>th</sup>!**

Program offers classes in ballet, tap, jazz, hip hop and more! Classes offered for ages 4 through adult.

Visit [www.ghprf.com](http://www.ghprf.com) for a full schedule.



# Glendale Heights Center for Senior Citizens

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*Promoting "Fuller, Stronger, Longer Lives"*

## September is National Senior Center Month!



Stop by the Center for Senior Citizens to find out all we have to offer. Our programs and activities are designed to promote fuller, stronger and longer lives! If you are a resident of Glendale Heights and 60 years old or better, membership to the Center is free! Call 630.260.6050.



## Senior Center Members Craft Fair

Wednesday & Thursday, November 18 - 19  
Center for Senior Citizens  
8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Come to the Center for Senior Citizens on Wednesday and Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 am - 2:00 pm to get a jump start on your holiday shopping! Come early to check out our assortment of scarves, hand-made jewelry, ornaments, tote bags and much more!

Don't miss out on unique gifts made by our members!



## Puzzled by Medicare?

### Medicare Open Enrollment October 15 - December 7

The Glendale Heights Center for Senior Citizens is pleased to be a Senior Health Insurance Program (SHIP) sponsored site. Our trained volunteer counselors can provide one-on-one assistance to Medicare beneficiaries and their caregivers. SHIP volunteers can provide you with the information you need to make educated decisions about your insurance. This FREE statewide health insurance counseling service is sponsored by the Illinois Department of Insurance. Stop by the Senior Center to pick up your prevention program information. Please call the Glendale Heights Center for Senior Citizen at 630.260.6050 to schedule an appointment for assistance with your health insurance questions.



## Super Senior Mobile Unit

Tuesday, October 20  
9:30 am - 2:00 pm

Super Senior Mobile Unit is a convenient program for driver's license renewal, which includes Rules of the Road classroom instruction and a vision-screening exam.

An identification card can be obtained for \$20; however, if you are age 65 or older you may obtain a free, non-expiring State of Illinois photo ID card.

Drivers age 75 or older are required to take a driving test to renew their driver's licenses; therefore they must visit a Secretary of State Driver Services facility.

Rules of the Road classroom session is from 9:30 am to 11:00 am. The class is free, but registration is required on or before October 7<sup>th</sup>.

The Mobile Driving Service is from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. No registration is required and is open to all residents.

## Chip-In Casino Trip

October 14 - 16, 3 days/2 nights  
\$215 Single, \$155 Double, \$150 Triple

Full payment due by  
September 20, 2015

The Island Resort is located near Escanaba in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. The hotel now features two towers of rooms with an indoor pool and sauna. Michigan allows Craps, Let it Ride, and table poker gaming along with slots and blackjack.





# Glendale Lakes Golf Club

1550 President Street • Glendale Heights, IL 60139  
630.260.0018 • Banquets: 630.260.0095 • [www.glendalelakes.com](http://www.glendalelakes.com)  
Owned and operated by the Village of Glendale Heights

## Fall Rates

Glendale Lakes Golf Club will be offering fall golf rates. Please call the golf shop at 630.260.0018 to inquire about current golf specials. Fall is the best time of the year to golf!



November 7 & 8

Reservations for the 2015 Turkey Shoot begin on October 1<sup>st</sup> 2015. This end of the year event will be a four person scramble held on Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup>. The 2015 Turkey Shoot is \$320 per team and each person will receive golf, golf cart, breakfast, lunch, dinner and a turkey to take home with you. Remember these are two different events so sign up for one day or both days. For more information, please call 630.260.0018. Don't miss your chance to play in this year-end tradition at Glendale Lakes Golf Club. Each day will be limited to 36 teams per day. This event fills up fast so don't delay!

## Banquets & Holiday Parties

Let Glendale Lakes Golf Club host your shower, birthday party or holiday party! We can host parties up to 250 people on any budget. Call 630.260.0095 to check on available dates and menu options. Leave the cooking and cleaning up to us!



## Weddings

Glendale Lakes Golf Club is the perfect place to host your wedding reception. We can hold up to 250 guests and have several affordable wedding packages available to choose from. Book your perfect day today!



## National Fallen Firefighters Chicagoland Memorial Golf Tournament

Friday, September 11 • Glendale Lakes Golf Club



The 7<sup>th</sup> annual NFFF Chicagoland Memorial Golf Tournament has raised \$175,000 over the past six years benefitting the families of fallen firefighters in Illinois and across the United States. This year, the tournament committee will hold an opening ceremony recognizing the 343 firefighters who gave their lives on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2001 at the World Trade Center. Sponsors and individual golfers are needed to help make this tournament a success. Raffle tickets are available at the Glen-side Fire Station at 1608 Bloomingdale Road during business hours or can be purchased online at [www.firehero.org/event/golf15-chicagolandil](http://www.firehero.org/event/golf15-chicagolandil).

*Chicagoland Tournament*



*"Honoring Our Fallen Heroes"*



## Glendale Lakes Golf Club

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15% off Banquets booked during the months of January, February and March 2016.



Restrictions Apply  
Offer good through 3/31/16



# Public Works Department

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## Winter Prep on Your Vehicle

It is always a good idea to perform some form of Winter preparation on your personal vehicles. The Village's Fleets Division recommends doing the following before the cold season arrives:

- **Consider having your engine oil and filter changed and vital fluids checked.** Good maintenance should include changing other fluids on your vehicle as well. A good recommendation is to have the transmission oil changed every 50,000 miles along with the filter.
- Make sure you **have a winter blend of windshield washer fluid that will not freeze in cold weather.** Keep a bottle of windshield washer fluid in the trunk as well. With winter weather, you will consume more washer fluid.
- With colder weather, the electrical system will be less efficient. **Have your battery and charging system inspected.**
- **Hope for the best and prepare for the worst.** Be sure to have good winter wiper blades properly installed. Even the best prepared vehicles can break down and being prepared will keep you warm and safe until help arrives.



## Village Engineering Update

This year, two major road projects were undertaken and should be completed in October. The 2015 Motor Fuel Tax (MFT) Road Program encompasses road repair in the Village on Marilyn Ave and Altgeld Ave. Sidewalks, curbs and driveway aprons in need of repair were removed and replaced, and all damaged pavement on the roads was replaced.

The other major road work was a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) project, which uses in part, grant money administered by DuPage County. The road project involved the repaving of Darlene Lane and Pleasant Avenue, total replacement of the curb, and the removal and replacement of driveway aprons and sidewalks in need of repair. The watermain underneath these roads was also replaced, which should reduce future watermain breaks and keep water service uninterrupted. As part of this project, Lynn Court will also have new street lighting.

Staff also upheld all local state and federal mandates, including storm water management compliance to new construction sites and ensured projects complied with Village Code.

## In-House Street Sweeping

The In-House Street Sweeping program begins on a weekly basis for all Sweeping Zones starting Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> through the month of November, weather permitting. The Village street sweeper will be aided by supplemental contracted sweepers to complete all zones each week.

There are color coded "No-Parking" signs erected in each zone to indicate the day that the parking restrictions are in effect. Please remove all vehicles from the roadway on the Sweeping Zones designated day of the week between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:00 pm. This will aid the Village in efficiently street sweeping each of the zones. For more information on the Street Sweeping program, please visit [www.glendaleheights.org](http://www.glendaleheights.org).

## Fire Hydrant Flushing

The Utilities Division will begin their fire hydrant flushing program in October. Customarily this has been undertaken in the spring and early summer months. Flushing in the fall season reduces the peak daily flows as the summer months demand higher volumes of water use due to lawn irrigation and other outdoor activities.

The Utilities Division is dedicated to providing the highest quality potable water as well as conserving this precious natural resource. The annual flushing of the water distribution system may remove stagnant water that is trapped within the water distribution system at various locations such as dead ends, cul-de-sacs and areas of the Village that do not have a high water usage. In addition to flushing the fire hydrants, Utilities staff also perform a thorough inspection of each fire hydrant. Any operations or maintenance issues noted are logged in a data base and corrected in a timely manner. This annual maintenance program ensures proper operating fire hydrants in times of emergencies.

If you should have any questions regarding the flushing program or when you can expect the fire hydrants in your neighborhood to be flushed, please contact the Public Works at 630.260.6040.



# Glendale Heights Police Department

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Emergency Help: 911 • Non-Emergency: 630.260.6070  
[www.glendaleheights.org/policedept](http://www.glendaleheights.org/policedept)

## September is National Preparedness Month

Take action now to make sure your family, neighborhood and community are ready for emergencies and disasters of all types:

- Put together an emergency supply kit
- Make a family emergency plan
- Be prepared to help your neighbor
- Work as a team to keep everyone safe

To learn more about how you can prepare for emergencies visit [ready.gov](http://ready.gov) or call 1-800-BE-READY, TTY 1-800-462-7585



## October is Anti-Bullying Awareness Month

Bullying is unwanted, aggressive behavior among school aged children that involves a real or perceived power imbalance. The behavior is repeated, or has the potential to be repeated, over time. Bullying includes actions such as making threats, spreading rumors, attacking someone physically or verbally, and excluding someone from a group on purpose.



Bullying is the most common form of violence in schools (verbally and physically) with one incident of bullying happening every seven minutes. It is estimated that 160,000 children miss school everyday due to the fear of attack or intimidation by other students. Two out of three teens are verbally or physically harassed every year. Studies have shown that 58% of teens have had hurtful things said to them in person or online and over 40% say it's happened more than once.

Bullying can affect everyone—those who are bullied, those who bully, and those who witness bullying. Bullying is linked to many negative outcomes including impacts on mental health, substance use, and suicide. It is important to talk to kids to determine whether bullying—or something else—is a concern.

For more information visit [www.stopbullying.gov](http://www.stopbullying.gov).

## Safety Town Halloween

Saturday, October 31\* • 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
Safety Town • 16 years old and younger

\*Please note that the Village Calendar contains a misprint. The correct date is on Halloween, October 31<sup>st</sup>!

The Glendale Heights Police Department encourages children to trick-or-treat down the streets of Safety Town this Halloween! There will be friendly ghosts and goblins, fairies and witches, and other characters to treat each child. Make sure to pass through the Safety Town Schoolhouse for a spooky trick! Children should bring a container or bag to collect candy. The police department is accepting candy or monetary donations for this event, which may be dropped off at the Police Department any time before Halloween. Should you have any questions, please call Community Outreach Specialist Tanya Macko at 630.909.5459.



## Speed Traffic Trailer Requests

If you live in Glendale Heights and feel that you have a problem with speeding vehicles in your neighborhood, you are encouraged to request the trailer to be scheduled in your area by calling Sergeant Michael Skopek at 630.260.6070.

If you are a resident of Glendale Heights, you have probably seen the interesting device the Police Department uses to assist in combating speeding vehicles and to remind drivers to watch their speed. The trailer helps promote speed limit compliance in neighborhoods, school zones, construction sites and dangerous areas.

The trailer is a portable, self-contained speed display unit. It is left on the roadway to display speeds of oncoming vehicles on a highly visible LED display. A speed limit sign mounted on the unit reminds drivers what the actual speed limit is on the roadway that they are on. The unit also has the capability of recording the speeds of the vehicles for traffic studies.



## Character Counts! Red Ribbon Week!

October 18 through 24 is CHARACTER COUNTS! and Red Ribbon Week



One of the greatest building blocks of character is citizen service. The future belongs to those who have the strength of character to live a life of service to others. Celebrate your good character throughout the year, and especially during CHARACTER COUNTS! Week.

Red Ribbon Week is the celebration of a drug free life. Please join the Glendale Heights Youth Commission in setting a positive example for the youth of our community by wearing a Red Ribbon or displaying a Red Ribbon at your home or business. Red Ribbons will be available at the Sports Hub, Village Clerk's Office, and Police Department beginning Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup> during regular business hours.

For more information about CHARACTER COUNTS!, Red Ribbon Week or the Glendale Heights Youth Commission, contact Tanya Macko at 630.909.5459 or [tanya\\_macko@glendaleheights.org](mailto:tanya_macko@glendaleheights.org).

## School is Back in Session!

Remember that school is back in session. It is critical that we remain extra cautious and alert for children while driving through the community. This is also a perfect opportunity to review safety awareness with your children.

### DRIVERS:

**SLOW DOWN!!!** Be **EXTRA ALERT** around parked cars, school crossings, anywhere children are present. USE CAUTION near bus stops. It is unlawful for a driver to pass a school bus that has stopped to load or unload children when its stop signal arm is extended. The driver is required to stop his or her vehicle before passing the school bus from either direction. An exception is when the driver is on a highway with four or more lanes with at least two lanes of traffic in either direction. If the driver is going in the opposite direction of the bus, they do not have to stop.

### PARENTS:

Know your child's route to and from school, who they walk with and where they live. Review pedestrian rules and the importance of wearing a helmet when biking or skating with your children. Discuss "home alone" rules, what to do in an emergency and "stranger danger" in an age appropriate manner to ALL age groups! Cross streets where Crossing Guards are present when possible.

### STUDENTS:

Keep your regular routes to and from school, never walk alone, and always follow traffic signals and crossing guards. Always use crosswalks, never walk between cars, and ALWAYS wear a helmet when biking or skating. Follow your parents "home alone" and after-school rules, know what to do in an emergency, and remember "stranger danger" guidelines apply to ALL AGES!

Buckle Up! Every Trip, Every Time!

Drive Now. Text Later. You can't do both!

Cell phone use while driving is illegal unless using a "hands free" device.



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## NEW BUSINESSES

**M & J All In One Auto Repair**  
2021 Bloomingdale Rd  
630.295.8750 • Auto Repair Shop

**DuPage Chrysler Dodge Ram Jeep (New Ownership)**  
433 E. North Ave  
630.653.4060 • Car Dealership

Support Glendale Heights' Businesses - Shop Local!



## Looking Ahead!

- November 7** - Bravest vs. Finest Charity Basketball Game
- November 7 - 8** - Turkey Shoot Golf
- November 11** - Veterans Day Ceremony
- November 16** - Christmas Sharing Begins
- November 30** - Tree Lighting Ceremony
- December 3** - Holiday Cards for Military
- December 7** - Victorian Christmas
- December 12** - Breakfast with Santa

## Dog & Cat Licensing

The Village of Glendale Heights by Ordinance requires that the owner of any dog or cat above the age of six months, kept or housed within the Village to be licensed and wearing the license/tag at all times.

The biggest benefit of registering your pet with the Village of Glendale Heights is the increased chance of being reunited with your dog or cat, should it become lost. Applying for the license also serves as a reminder to renew your pet's annual rabies vaccination, which could save the pet's life.



The application must be made through the

Administrative Services counter of the Village Hall (300 Civic Center Plaza), after the dog or cat turns six months old. The license is valid for one year from the issue date of the license. Annually, a new tag must be obtained with proof of your animal receiving its current rabies tag.

### Required for License Application

- A Completed Application is available on the Village Website at [www.glendaleheights.org/AdminServices/animal\\_licenses.html](http://www.glendaleheights.org/AdminServices/animal_licenses.html) and at the Administrative Services counter of Village Hall.
- Proof of Current Rabies Vaccination/Inoculation (capable of preventing Rabies for immunization periods of either one or three years) from a Registered Veterinarian.
- Fee of \$5.00

If you have any questions regarding the application process, please call 630.260.6000.

## Energy Efficient Lighting at WPCF

The Village of Glendale Heights recently completed a lighting upgrade project at the Water Pollution Control Facility (WPCF). The upgrade was made possible through financial assistance provided by the Illinois Clean Energy Community Foundation and the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity. The newly installed energy efficient fixtures will enable the Village to save money by lowering the electrical demand of the facility. The Village thanks the Illinois Clean Energy Community Foundation and the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity for their support.

## Glendale Heights Foundation

The Glendale Heights Foundation (GHF) is a non-profit organization incorporated in 2003 to provide limited one-time emergency financial assistance to Village residents. All assistance requests must be submitted in writing, including name, address, details about the emergency circumstances, and financial assistance requested. A GHF form can be downloaded from the Village website at [www.glendaleheights.org/GenInfo/organizations](http://www.glendaleheights.org/GenInfo/organizations). Send requests to: Glendale Heights Foundation, P.O. Box 5280, Glendale Heights, IL 60139 or call Allana Zeiss at 630.668.9409. Tax deductible donations are always welcome and graciously accepted.



## Fire Prevention Week October 4 - 10



This year National Fire Prevention Week runs from October 4<sup>th</sup> through the 10<sup>th</sup>. For the Glenside Fire District, the entire month of October is dedicated to public fire prevention awareness in our community. Throughout October, Glenside Firefighters will be visiting schools, hosting station tours and meeting with community and civic groups to promote fire safety. If you would like to make an appointment for a fire station tour or have firefighters visit your civic group or organization, please call the Fire District at 630.668.5323 or visit [www.glensidefire.org](http://www.glensidefire.org).

## Glenside Fire Protection District's September 11<sup>th</sup> Memorial



Glenside Fire Protection District has created a memorial in its lobby to honor those who lost their lives during the terrorist attacks of September 11<sup>th</sup>. The memorial being displayed by the Glenside Fire District is a tribute to the remembrance of the dedicated and courageous individuals who lost their lives on that fateful September 11<sup>th</sup> morning, including 343 firefighters and EMS personnel, 72 law enforcement officers and 2,996 civilians. Included in the display are artifacts from all three attack sites – a piece of steel from the World Trade Center, debris from the crash site in Pennsylvania and a piece of limestone from the Pentagon building. Glenside Fire Chief Russell Wood said "we don't want to forget that day or the impact it had on our country...it was the worst day in our firefighter history...343 firefighters lost their lives."

The display is a permanent staple at the Glenside Fire Protection District Station for the public to view during business hours of 8:00 am – 4:30 pm, Mondays through Fridays. Let us never forget!



## A Great Credit Check Up!

The Village recently completed a credit rating update from Moody's Investors Services. Moody's affirmed that they judged the Village to be of the highest quality, with minimal credit risk. In fact, after the Village issued bonds in 2010 for capital projects, Moody's completed an internal re-rating of the Village and deemed it to be Aa2, an even better score than a previous rating of Aa3. On July 10, 2015, the official Moody's report affirmed that this upgrade was justified. Moody's commended the Village Board and executive management team for maintaining a strong financial position and having implemented sound policies and practices. The Moody's report indicates that their decision to keep the Village at the higher Aa2 reflects its ample reserve position, stable operations, and strong management team with long-term fiscal and capital planning practices. A full copy of the Moody's credit report can be obtained online at [www.Moodys.com](http://www.Moodys.com).

## Village Meetings

Regularly scheduled meetings are held at the Civic Center, unless otherwise noted. Call the Village Hall at 630.260.6000 for more information.

### Appearance Commission

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month, 6:15 pm

### Board of Police Commissioners

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month, 7:00 pm

### CHARACTER COUNTS! Coalition

3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month, 7:30 am  
Glenside Public Library  
25 East Fullerton Avenue

### E.S.D.A.

### (Emergency Services & Disaster Agency)

1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month, 7:00 pm

### Founders' Day Committee

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month, 4:30 pm

### Golf Course Committee

2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday, 7:00 pm  
(Jan., April, June, Sept., Nov.)  
Glendale Lakes Golf Club  
1550 President Street

### Historical Committee

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month, 7:00 pm  
Glendale Heights Historic House  
Windy Point Drive & Paul Avenue

### Neighborhood Watch

4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month, 7:30 pm

### Plan Commission

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month, 7:00 pm

### \*Village Board and Committee of the Whole Meetings (C.O.W.)

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month, 7:30 pm  
\*No Board or C.O.W. Meetings in July

### Youth Commission

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month, 7:30 am  
Glendale Lakes Golf Club  
1550 President Street

\* The Village Board & C.O.W. meetings may be viewed the day following the meeting at 1:00 pm and 6:00 pm on GHTV (channel 6 for Comcast & W.O.W, channel 99 for AT&T) or on YouTube at [www.youtube.com/GlendaleHtsTV](http://www.youtube.com/GlendaleHtsTV).

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday	8:00 am – 4:30 pm
Thursday	8:00 am – 7:00 pm
Friday	8:00 am – 4:30 pm
Saturday, Sunday	Closed

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Parks, Recreation & Facilities	<a href="mailto:parks_recreation@glendaleheights.org">parks_recreation@glendaleheights.org</a> ..... 630.260.6060
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IMPORTANT COMMUNITY PHONE NUMBERS	
Police/Fire/Ambulance Emergency	..... 911
AMITA Health Adventist Medical Center, GlenOaks	..... 630.545.8000
AT&T U-Verse	..... 800.288.2020
Bloomington Fire Protection District 1 (Non-emergency)	..... 630.894.9080
Bloomington Township (Administrative offices)	..... 630.529.7715
Clarke Environmental (Mosquito Control Hotline)	..... 800.942.2555
Comcast (Cable/Internet)	..... 866.594.1234
Commonwealth Edison (Electric utility)	..... 800.334.7661
DuPage County (Administrative offices)	..... 630.407.6500
Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce	..... 630.909.5361
Glenside Fire Protection District (Non-emergency)	..... 630.668.5323
Glenside Public Library District	..... 630.260.1550
J.U.L.I.E. (Call Before You Dig!)	..... 800.892.0123
Milton Township (Administrative offices)	..... 630.668.1616
NICOR (Gas utility)	..... 888.642.6748
Republic Services (Refuse/Recycling Services)	..... 847.981.0091
United States Post Office	..... 800.275.8777
WideOpenWest (Cable/Internet)	..... 866.496.9669

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 Attn: Public Relations  
 300 Civic Center Plaza  
 Glendale Heights, IL 60139

**Email to:** [public\\_relations@glendaleheights.org](mailto:public_relations@glendaleheights.org)

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