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# VILLAGE NEWS

May/June 2017

Glendale Heights, Illinois

Linda Jackson, Mayor

## 2017 Charity Golf Classic

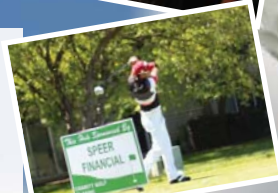
Friday, June 16

Glendale Lakes Golf Club

Play some golf and help raise funds for worthwhile causes at the 2017 Charity Golf Classic!

This annual event has raised over \$320,000 for a number of different charities. This year's event benefits Make-A-Wish Illinois, the FOP Lodge 52 Community Enrichment Fund and the Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund.

If you would like to join us for golf and/or dinner on June 16<sup>th</sup>, be a hole sponsor or donate a raffle prize, please call the Glendale Lakes Golf Club at 630.260.0018 or Mayor Linda Jackson at 630.909.5303, and sign up today. Help us make the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Golf Classic another great success!



For more information on how you can get involved and make a difference in Glendale Heights, call Glendale Lakes Golf Club at 630.260.0018

## Memorial Day Ceremony

Honoring America's Fallen Heroes



On **Thursday, May 25<sup>th</sup>**, area grade school students will be planting 6,877 flags to represent the fallen heroes from Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom Afghanistan. The inner circle of flags will represent fallen Illinois service personnel.

On **Monday, May 29<sup>th</sup>**—Memorial Day—at 11:00 am at Veterans Memorial Park, we honor the memory of the brave men and women who died while serving our country. The Glendale Heights VFW Post 2377 will conduct a "Fallen Warrior Ceremony" followed by a solemn wreath laying ceremony. This includes a flag and color guard presentation, rifle salute and playing of Taps.



## GH<sub>2</sub>O Opening Weekend!

May 27 - May 29  
(Memorial Day Weekend)  
Noon - 7:00 pm



## Purchase your Vehicle Sticker!

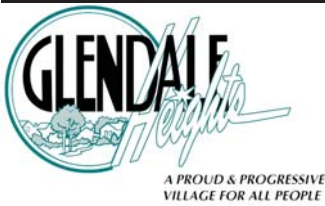
Please remember to stop in to Village Hall in early May to purchase your 2017-2018 Village vehicle sticker! The earlier you come in to purchase your sticker, the less likely you will have to wait in long lines. For more information, **please turn to page 14!**

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# Letter from the Village President

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Dear Residents,

The summer season is upon us, which means schools will be starting summer breaks, and Glendale Heights will be blossoming with lots of fun activities for all ages. Our entire Village Board of Trustees, staff, committees and commission members, and our wonderful volunteers have been busy all year round preparing for the warm months. We encourage everyone to get out of their homes this summer and try something new whether it is taking up golf lessons at Glendale Lakes Golf Club or stopping by and trying out the FlowRider Surfing Simulator at the GH<sub>2</sub>O Aquatic Center.

In June, we will be celebrating the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the GH<sub>2</sub>O Aquatic Center, a staple venue in the Glendale Heights Community! The GH<sub>2</sub>O Aquatic Center has seen an array of updates and additions since the very first day it opened including the deep diving well and the FlowRider Surfing Simulator. We will be celebrating by having a Luau party complete with a fire dancer, pig roast, hula dancing and more! The party will start at 6:00 pm on Saturday, June 17<sup>th</sup>. Stop by the Sports Hub to learn more about the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the GH<sub>2</sub>O Aquatic Center!

This summer will also feature many of our usual great events and programs including our annual Memorial Day Ceremony on Monday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, and the 18<sup>th</sup> annual Charity Golf Classic on Friday, June 16<sup>th</sup>. I encourage all of our children to register for our award winning PATH Summer Camp, which will explore what all of Illinois has to offer for this year's theme. Lastly, stop by and say "hello" at our Park Parties, which will feature games, music, dancing and more!

On behalf of Clerk Schmidt, Trustee Fonte Sullivan, Trustee Pojack and Trustee Schroeder, I want to personally thank the Glendale Heights community for exercising your right to vote this past election season. It is truly an honor and a privilege to be given the opportunity to serve you for another four years. I want to assure each and every one of you that our current team is here for you to listen to your concerns and improve Glendale Heights. We are all in this community together and we all share common goals of creating a place to call home.

We hope to see all of you this summer and please do not be a stranger. We are always open to good conversation and want to hear what you have to say. Please visit us for our monthly Coffee with the Mayor and Board, come talk to us at our Park Parties, email us, or give us a call. On behalf of the Village Board, I wish you a warm and fun-filled summer, and thank you again for your continued support!

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. **Coffee with the Mayor & Board is scheduled for May 6 and June 3.** 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

## Refuse/Recycling Holiday Schedule

In observance of the Memorial Day Holiday, residents are advised of a change to their regular schedule for refuse and recycling collections. Republic Services will follow their Holiday Pick Up Schedule. All pick up days are delayed by one day for all customers who are scheduled on the day of, or following a holiday.

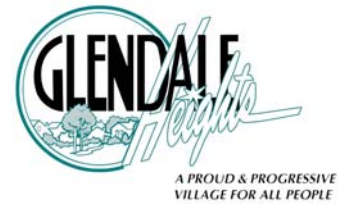
For service related questions, please call Republic Services at 847.981.0091.





# Glendale Heights Village News

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## Flag Day

Wednesday, June 14



Flag Day is celebrated on June 14<sup>th</sup>. In honor of our "Red, White and Blue," the following tips for proudly displaying our U.S. flag are recommended by the National Flag Day Foundation:

- Hoist the flag briskly, and lower it ceremoniously.
- If you display the flag overnight, illuminate it.
- No other flag or pennant should be placed above or at the same level to the right of the U.S. flag.
- Don't allow the flag to touch anything beneath it, including the ground, water or the floor.
- When your flag fades or wears thin (typically after a year) replace it with a new one.
- Remember to dispose of the old flag in the Village's Flag Depository (located at the circular island in front of Village Hall) for proper military disposal.

The Flag Disposal Program was started in 2004 by Village Trustee Chester Pojack. As of April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017, a total of 6,086 flags have been collected. For information concerning the Flag Disposal Program, contact Village Trustee Chester Pojack at 630.909.5310.

## Congratulations to Roger Mabbitt 42 Years of Dedicated Service

On Friday, June 9th, Assistant Village Administrator, Roger Mabbitt, will be retiring from the Village of Glendale Heights after 42 years of dedicated service to the Glendale Heights Community.

Roger started his career in 1974 as a member of the Glendale Heights Police Department dedicating his career to protecting and serving the residents of the Village of Glendale Heights. He spent 30 years with the police department serving as a Patrolman, Sergeant and Chief of Police, and was instrumental in developing the Glendale Heights Police Department from just 15 sworn officers and 8 civilian employees to 54 sworn officers, 27 civilian employees and 8 auxiliary officers.



Roger continued his already illustrious career as the Assistant Village Administrator which also included serving as the Human Resources Director. He was instrumental in steering several key economic development initiatives in Glendale Heights.

Roger's dedication to the residents of the Village of Glendale Heights was exemplified through his association and

collaboration with the DuPage Chiefs, Youth Commission, Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce, Character Counts Coalition, International Day Committee, Governmental Agency Partnership, Disaster Preparedness, Police Pension, Neighborhood Watch, Citizens Police Academy, Glendale Lakes Golf Club Committee and many others.

"Roger Mabbitt is a person to be admired for his strong leadership, and lifelong legacy of service to our community." Says Mayor Linda Jackson. "He has devoted his life and career to our residents, and has helped to make the Village of Glendale Heights stand true to our motto of being a 'Proud and Progressive Village for All People'. We will miss Roger dearly as a colleague, as a mentor, but most importantly, as a friend. Congratulations Roger on an outstanding career!"

## Congratulations 2017 Re-Elected Village Officials



Linda Jackson  
Village President



Marie Schmidt  
Village Clerk



Sharon Fonte Sullivan  
Trustee District 2 and  
Deputy Mayor



Chester Pojack  
Trustee District 5



Mary Schroeder  
Trustee District 6





# Parks, Recreation & Facilities Department

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## PATH Summer Camp

Gear up and get ready for a road trip, a road trip through Illinois that is! This year's PATH summer camp is all about what makes Illinois unique. From Abraham Lincoln, to our talented Chicago sports teams, each week's activities and trips will be inspired by a different theme! Camp Kinie and PATH Summer Camp includes swim lessons!

### Camp Kinie: Lincoln Logs

Entering Kindergarten in September 2017

Let's go to Camp Kinie! This camp is perfect for our youngest campers who are not quite old enough for regular summer camp. We invite your preschool aged children to get out of the house and into a program that will help build a foundation for school in a fun and nurturing environment.

### PATH Summer Camp

Entering Grades 1-6 in September 2017

Participants will enjoy age-appropriate activities. Participants should enroll in the camp that corresponds to the grades they will enter in 2017.

Grades 1-2: Camp Chicago  
Grades 3-4: Camp Springfield  
Grades 5-6: Camp Aurora

### STEP Camp: Urbana-Champaign

Entering Grades 6-8 in September 2016

Participants develop leadership and social skills in our camp designed to foster self-discovery and multicultural understanding. Activities include leading camp projects, job shadowing, and service projects.

### Summer Preschool (Ages 4-5)

Introduce your child to the preschool classrooms and staff by enrolling in this fun summer preschool class. Children will explore preschool classrooms and spend some time playing fun learning games, making crafts, music, playing outdoors as well as some water park activities!

DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE (R/SDR/NR)
T/TH	6/6-7/6	9:30 am - 11:30 am	\$165/\$175/\$197
W/F	6/7-7/7	9:30 am - 11:30 am	\$165/\$175/\$197

Fees: Resident/School District Resident/Non-Resident

## ADULT SPORTS LEAGUES

### SOFTBALL

\$795 per team + \$60 refundable forfeit fee  
Men's 12" - Thursdays  
Men's 16" - Tuesdays or Fridays  
Co-Rec 14" - Wednesdays

League begins June 6th. At least 14 games played in double round-robin schedule. Games run from 6:30 pm - 10:30 pm at Camera Park.

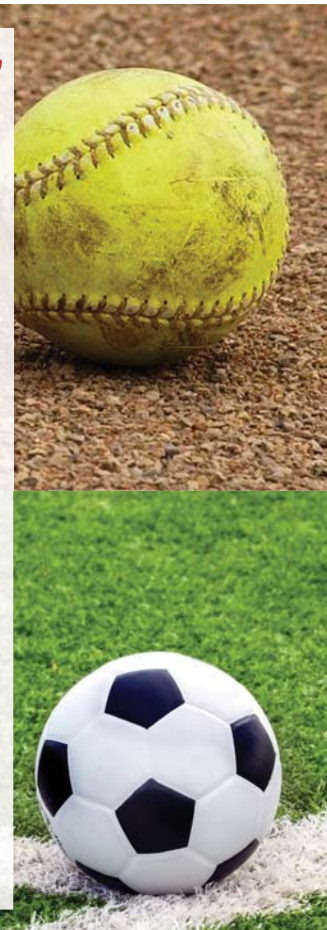
Cash Prizes to the top two teams in regular season and tournament.



### SOCCER

Pick-Up Soccer League (Ages 18+)  
\$70/\$80 per person

Each week, players will be placed on different teams keeping games fresh and exciting. No need to have a full team! Games are played Sunday evenings from 3:00 - 7:00 pm. Season begins June 11th.



## Park Parties

Heads Up! Fun is coming your way this summer! Join us at your neighborhood park for some music, games, and the opportunity to meet the Mayor and your District Trustee. Enjoy a free hot dog and ice cream as you play games and dance along with the Parks & Recreation staff.

Park Parties are from 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm.

Watch your mailboxes for your next Park Party!





# Glendale Heights Center for Senior Citizens

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*Promoting "Fuller, Stronger, Longer Lives"*

## CENTER FOR SENIOR CITIZENS MEMBERSHIPS

If you are a resident of Glendale Heights, your membership to the Glendale Heights Center for Senior Citizens is FREE! For non-residents, membership is just \$25 for the entire year! Membership includes the quarterly activity guide, use of the game room, craft room, Center for Senior Citizen's library and much more! Contact a Center for Senior Citizen staff member for more information!

Note: Registration for all Center for Senior Citizens' programs begin May 1st unless otherwise specified



Summer will be here soon, and the flowers will be bright and beautiful. Why not try a new color for your hair? Maybe a warm red or some highlights to brighten your face and make your hair look like it was kissed by the sun. Located in the Center for Senior Citizens, our stylists work with you to ensure that you look and feel your best from head to toe. The Salon offers services to men and women, ranging from cut and color, to manicures and pedicures. Associates from Glory Salon & Spa provide all services in the salon. Salon hours are by appointment only. Call 630.260.6050 or 630.260.6055 today to schedule your appointment.

*Gift Certificates Available!*



# CHICAGO

THE MUSICAL

Thursday, June 15 (Register by May 25)  
\$54 w/o Ride, \$58 w/ Ride (Price includes lunch and performance)  
Drury Lane

Recipient of six Tony Awards®, two Olivier Awards, a Grammy® and thousands of standing ovations across the globe, this razzle-dazzle musical is the #1 longest running American musical in Broadway history. Filled with fame, fortune, and all that jazz this edge-of-your seat story features one Fosse showstopper after another. If you liked the Academy Award®-winning film, you will love this live production reimaged for the Drury Lane stage.



## Savannah, Jekyll Island & Beaufort Trip

**September 17 - 23**

**Cost: \$795 Single Occupancy;  
\$585 Double Occupancy**

Take in the charming sights of Savannah, Georgia. Stop by the Center for Senior Citizens or call for more information. You do not need to be a member to participate.

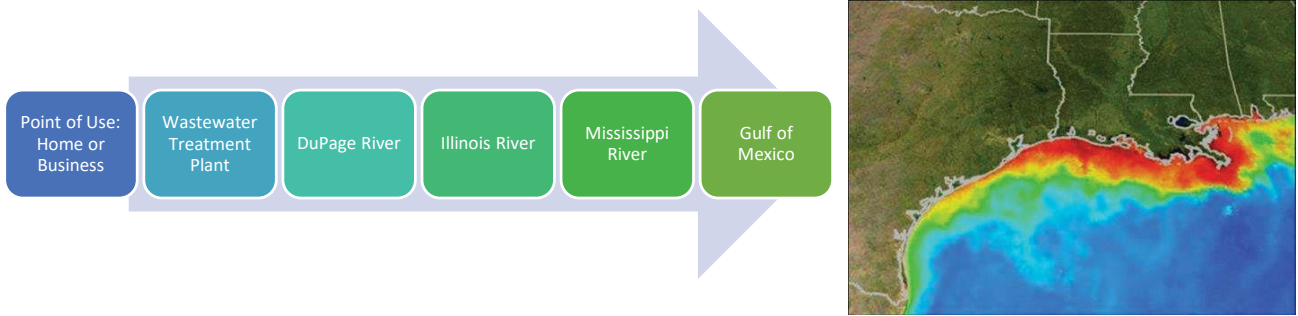


# Public Works Department

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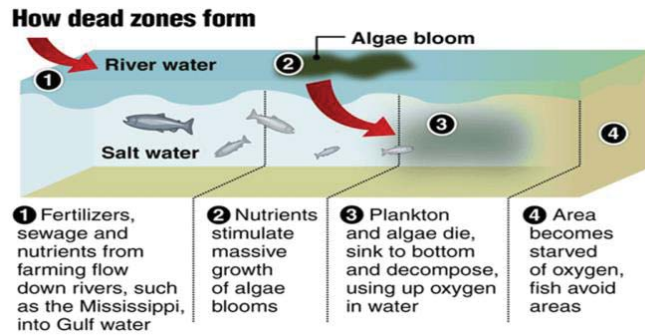
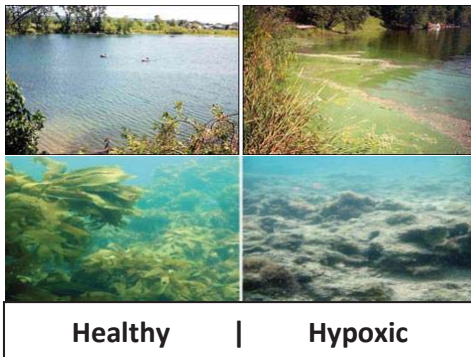
## Reduce Your Impact on the Country's Water Quality

The Glendale Heights Water Pollution Control Facility (WPCF) staff has been working hard with Trotter and Associates, Inc. engineering consultants to optimize the plant processes and reduce the amount of nutrients in the plant's effluent. You might be wondering why. This is important because nutrient pollution is a long-term problem that has reduced the water quality in the rivers and streams flow to the Mississippi River and eventually into the Gulf of Mexico. The reduced water quality has impaired the habitat for many aquatic species.



Currently the water that you use in your home or business, discharges to the sewer system and into the WPCF. From there, it is treated to remove solids and organic compounds. It is then disinfected to reduce pathogens, and released to the Armitage Ditch. This flows to the East Branch of the DuPage river, leading to the Illinois River, then the Mississippi River, and finally to the Gulf of Mexico. Each of these bodies of water is considered to be "impaired" by the Illinois EPA Clean Water Act Section 303(d) List. This means that it cannot function as it naturally is intended to, primarily due to pollution from human activities. One such pollutant is phosphorus.

Phosphorus is a limiting nutrient for plant growth. This means that plants will grow until they run out of phosphorus. It is a naturally occurring element, and a little bit of it is essential for life and growth to occur. However, it is also an additive to many chemical cleaners and is used as a fertilizer. This has produced an excess of phosphorus, leading to harmful algal blooms (HAB's).



When a surplus of phosphorus occurs, algae are able to rapidly overgrow into blooms. When the blooms eventually die, the decomposition depletes the oxygen levels and can lead to hypoxic zones. A hypoxic zone is an area of the water in which the oxygen content is too low to support some life forms. When this happens, fish and other marine life cannot live in that area and it is referred to as a "dead zone". The red section in the image above illustrates the 6,000 square mile dead zone that is occurring in the Gulf of Mexico.

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The image on the right demonstrates the water quality after a bad algal bloom in an Illinois river. The water can have a paint-like appearance from the overgrowth.



In an effort to improve the water quality in rivers and streams in DuPage County, the DuPage River Salt Creek Work Group (DRSCW) was formed. Glendale Heights is a member of this group, along with other municipalities which are along the DuPage River or Salt Creek. As a member of this group, Glendale Heights has committed to help reduce phosphorus loadings from the WPCF. In order to remain compliant with discharge permits, a study has been completed to determine the best ways to optimize the plant's process for nutrient removal. As community members, you can help the Village by reducing the amount of phosphorus you send down the drain. By doing this, you will be reducing the amount of phosphorus that needs to be removed at the WPCF and help improve water quality not just in Illinois, but in the Mississippi River and as far as the Gulf of Mexico. Every little bit counts!

## How can you help?

- ❖ Fertilizer
  - Use low-phosphorus or phosphorus-free fertilizer unless growing new grass
  - Only apply on permeable surfaces
  - Use only the recommended amount
  - Apply when sunny, dry weather is expected
- ❖ Detergents/Household Cleaners
  - Choose phosphate-free detergents, soaps, and household cleaners
  - Select the proper load size for your washing machine
  - Only run your clothes or dish washer when you have a full load
  - Use the appropriate amount of detergent; more is not better
- ❖ Pet Waste
  - Always pick up after your pet
  - Avoid walking your pet near streams and other waterways. Instead, walk them in grassy areas and parks where the grounds are permeable.
  - Inform other pet owners of why picking up pet waste is important and encourage them to do so
  - Be aware of where the storm sewers and inlets in your neighborhood are located. Be cautious not to allow waste to wash down these drains.
- ❖ Car Washing
  - Try to wash cars on permeable surfaces so water is absorbed, rather than allowing runoff to drain into storm inlets
  - Buy green cleaning products that are phosphate free if they will be washed down the storm sewer

If you have any questions regarding this article, please contact  
the Glendale Heights Water Pollution Control Facility at 630.942.1963





# Glendale Heights Police Department


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[www.glendaleheights.org/police](http://www.glendaleheights.org/police)

## National Police Week 2017

Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup> - Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup>

In 1962, President Kennedy proclaimed May 15th as National Peace Officers Memorial Day and the calendar week in which May 15th falls, as National Police Week. Established by a joint resolution of Congress in 1962, National Police Week pays special recognition to those law enforcement officers who have lost their lives in the line of duty for the safety and protection of others.

National Police Week 2017 will run from Sunday, May 14th through Saturday, May 20th. To commemorate that week, the Glendale Heights Police Department will be handing out blue ribbons for residents to put on their vehicles as a symbol of respect to those who have laid down their lives in the line of duty and to show support to law enforcement officers protecting our streets. May 15th is National Peace Officers' Memorial Day and we especially hope you will fly the ribbons on that day as we honor those who have made the ultimate sacrifice. Blue ribbons will be available at the Police Department Records Division beginning May 1st.

**JESSE WHITE  
TUMBLERS**  
Tuesday, May 9  
4:30 pm  
Sports Hub  
250 Civic Center Pl

**FREE!**



## Junior Police Academy

Ages 11 to 14 • June 5 - 9

8:00 am to 4:00 pm • \$85/\$105 (R/NR) • Limited to 24 Students

The Glendale Heights Police Department is once again conducting a Junior Police Academy camp! Run by members of the Police Department, this is a fun-filled camp that combines both educational and recreational activities. The program has been a huge success in the past and truly enjoyed by all who have participated. Registration is accepted on a first-come, first served basis, so be sure to enroll early! To register for the Junior Police Academy, or for more information on the program, contact the Glendale Heights Sports Hub at 630.260.6060 or [www.GHPRF.com](http://www.GHPRF.com).

## Safety Town Classes

Ages 5 to 7 • June 12 - 16, June 19 - 23, June 26 - June 30

9:00 am - 11:00 am • \$15/\$30 (R/NR) • Limited to 24 Students

As adults, we do all we can to keep our children safe. Teaching safety awareness to our children when they are young is very important in our efforts to protect these precious lives.

A variety of educational topics are covered, including pedestrian, railroad, fire, bus and bike safety, as well as stranger danger, first aid & poisons, Emergency 9-1-1 and seat belt use. Children will receive a Safety Town T-shirt and be provided hand out materials daily. For registration information, contact the Glendale Heights Sports Hub at 630.260.6060 or [www.GHPRF.com](http://www.GHPRF.com).



# Crossing Guard Appreciation Day

Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>



School Crossing Guards play an important role in the lives of children who walk or bicycle to school. Most notably, they help the students of School Districts 15 and 16 safely cross streets at key locations, working hard to protect our children each and every school day.

These dedicated individuals serve as an integral part of our community in many ways and are often overlooked by the public. Crossing Guards serve to remind motorists to be aware of children in and around school zones and help parents feel more comfortable about their children walking or bicycling to school. They are required to possess a deep sense of responsibility and common sense, have a good rapport with children, and brave extreme weather conditions throughout the school year.

We invite the entire community to recognize the significant contribution of these thirteen individuals on May 2<sup>nd</sup> and to remember their efforts to ensure a safe journey for our school children each day of the school year.

## 2016/2017 School Crossing Guards:

Janice MacLean  
Vicki Riese  
Pam Timar  
Lorena Palonis  
Beverly Pappas  
Ruth Hospes  
Carolyn Hrgich

Michelle Plumb  
Cheryl Schilke  
Lee Walper  
Walter Johnson  
Jose Loera  
Dina Taege

## A Clean House is a Safe House



As springtime approaches, the Glenside and Bloomingdale Fire Protection Districts would like to remind residents that a clean house is a safe house. Springtime cleaning is a great opportunity for detecting and correcting any hazards in your home, which may cause fire or injury.

Remember, clutter gives a fire a place to start and creates obstacles that might prevent escaping to safety. When cleaning the outside and preparing any type of digging, make sure to call J.U.L.I.E. before you dig at 8-1-1. Gas and electric lines can be easily dug up and injury or death could result. Always call before you dig.

Have a safe and happy spring! For more safety tips, visit [www.glensidefire.org](http://www.glensidefire.org) or [www.bloomingdalefire.com](http://www.bloomingdalefire.com).

## GHPD Juvenile Diversion Program

The Glendale Heights Police Department Juvenile Diversion Program provides a positive alternative to formal court processing for first time, misdemeanor, juvenile offenders.

The purpose of the Juvenile Diversion Program is to provide youthful offenders with a positive alternative to the court system. Young offenders will participate in structured activities and group interactions which are intended to improve their understanding and perception of the legal system and law enforcement, increase their self-esteem, offer better methods of communication and improve their decision-making skills. Through structured activities and community service, the program aims to reduce the "repeat offender" rate among these participants.

By providing this opportunity, youth are given the chance to maintain a clean record, while still being held accountable. For more information, contact the Police Department's non-emergency number 630.260.6070. You can also speak with the School Resource Officer at your local school.

## CHARACTER COUNTS!

The Glendale Heights CHARACTER COUNTS! Coalition would like to share with our community that the pillar for the month of May is Caring; Be kind • Be compassionate and show you care • Express gratitude • Forgive others • Help people in need.

The pillar for the month of June is Citizenship; Do your share to make your school and community better • Cooperate • Get involved in community affairs • Stay informed • Vote • Be a good neighbor • Obey laws and rules • Respect authority • Protect the environment • Volunteer.

Our future generation of leaders may not always listen to what we say, but they are watching what we do. Live by the "Six Pillars of Character" - T. (Trustworthiness) R. (Respect) R. (Responsibility) F. (Fairness) C. (Caring) C. (Citizenship).

For more information on CHARACTER COUNTS! contact Tanya Macko at 630.909.5459 or [Tanya\\_Macko@glendaleheights.org](mailto:Tanya_Macko@glendaleheights.org).

## From the Detectives...

Did you know serial numbers play an important part in an investigation? Serial numbers help streamline investigations for stolen or recovered property and also provide a way to identify property should it be stolen or recovered.

Detectives use serial numbers, owner applied custom numbers, markings or other identifiable information in order to find and return property that has been stolen. Help us return stolen goods to their proper owners!



# Glendale Lakes Golf Club

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Owned and operated by the Village of Glendale Heights

## 2017 Golf Season


Glendale Lakes Golf Club is open for the 2017 golf season. Book your tee times today by calling 630.260.0018 or online at [www.glendalelakes.com](http://www.glendalelakes.com).

## Upcoming Events

Mother's Day Brunch Buffet ~ May 14<sup>th</sup>  
18th Annual Charity Golf Classic ~ June 16<sup>th</sup>  
Summer Scramble ~ July 16<sup>th</sup>

## Summer Scramble

Sunday, July 16<sup>th</sup> • 9:00 am Shotgun Start  
\$340 per four person team



Register for the 2nd annual Summer Scramble! Price includes golf, cart, breakfast, lunch, dinner and prizes!

Registration will begin June 1st. To register, call 630.260.0018 or visit [www.glendalelakes.com](http://www.glendalelakes.com)

## Golf Lessons

Glendale Lakes Golf Club offers individual and group golf lessons to children and adults. If you are new to the game or need to get a quick tune up, our instructors will help improve your golf game. To view a list of days and times for lessons, visit our website at [www.glendalelakes.com](http://www.glendalelakes.com) under Golf Instruction. To sign up for lessons, call the Golf Shop at 630.260.0018. Golf Clubs will be provided for lessons, if needed.



## Mother's Day Champagne Brunch

Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup> • 10:00 am to 2:30 pm

Glendale Lakes Golf Club will be hosting its annual Mother's Day Brunch! Brunch will include a carving and omelet station, various salads, breakfast and luncheon entrees, children's items and a sweets table. Complimentary champagne and mimosa too!

Cost: \$29 for adults, \$14.50 for children ages 5-12 and children 4 and under are FREE.

Price includes tax and service charge.

Make a reservation for your family and that special Mom by calling Glendale Lakes Golf Club at 630.260.0095.

## Banquets & Weddings

Need to host a party and have no room in your home? Make it easy, and book your party at Glendale Lakes Golf Club. Glendale Lakes Golf Club has space to host parties from 20 to 250 people. We have several packages available to pick from that will keep you within your budget. To view our menus and packages, see our website at [www.glendalelakes.com](http://www.glendalelakes.com) under the Banquet and Wedding tabs.





# Glendale Heights Fest 2017

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## Wristbands\*

Save \$5 on a regular \$25 one-day wristband. Advanced daily pre-sale wristband vouchers are available starting Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup> through Wednesday, July 12<sup>th</sup>. One \$20 wristband is valid for unlimited rides on one of the following days and times: Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday from 6:00 pm to close, or Saturday and Sunday from 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm.

Pre-sale wristband vouchers can be purchased at the following Glendale Heights locations: Village Hall, Center for Senior Citizens or the Sports Hub.

\*Not responsible: If lost or stolen, mechanical breakdowns or failure, weather conditions, or height restrictions. No duplications accepted. No cash value. No refunds. No rain checks. No exceptions. Certain rides have height restrictions. The "Speed" ride will require two additional tickets - even with a Wristband and/ or Mega Pass.

## Mega Pass\* - Pre-Sale Only

Purchase your Mega Pass card (\$70) for unlimited rides all 5 days - from open until close Wednesday through Saturday and from open until 7:00 pm on Sunday. Every Mega Pass holder will be required to take a picture for a Mega Pass Photo ID Card (Mega Passes are non-transferable).

Mega Passes are only available for purchase at the Glendale Heights Sports Hub located at 250 Civic Center Plaza from June 1<sup>st</sup> through July 12<sup>th</sup>.

## Print at Home

Buy and print your tickets at home! Avoid the long lines and buy and print your tickets and wristband vouchers before coming. Visit [www.glendaleheights.org/GH\\_Fest](http://www.glendaleheights.org/GH_Fest) for more information!

## Glendale Heights Fest 2017 Schedule

**Wednesday, July 12**  
6:00 pm to 11:00 pm

Wristbands honored 6:00 pm - 11:00 pm  
6:00 Opening Ceremonies  
7:00 Morgan Station Band  
8:30 Modern Day Romeos  
**9:30 FIREWORKS**  
9:45 Modern Day Romeos

**Thursday, July 13**  
6:00 pm to 11:00 pm

Wristbands honored 6:00 pm - 11:00 pm  
6:00 Trio  
8:00 American English

**Sunday, July 16**  
3:00 pm to 11:00 pm

Wristbands honored 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
4:30 Lost in Time  
6:00 Missing Links

**Friday, July 14**  
6:00 pm to Midnight

Wristbands honored 6:00 pm - Midnight  
6:30 Line Dancing  
7:00 Smokin' Gunz  
8:30 Line Dancing  
9:00 Back Country Roads

**Saturday, July 15**  
3:00 pm to Midnight

Wristbands honored 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
4:30 Kimi Hayes  
6:30 Jaded State  
8:30 Infinity

8:30 Heart to Heartbreaker  
9:30 Fireworks

## Safety First at Glendale Heights Fest

To keep all Glendale Heights Fest visitors safe, the following items will not be allowed on Fest grounds:

- Weapons
- Glass Bottles/Containers
- Illegal Substances
- Bicycles
- Outside Alcohol
- Animals/Pets (Except Service Animals)

NOTE: All bags, coolers and containers are subject to search. Bags will be checked prior to entering Glendale Heights Fest. Weapons and objects that appear to be weapons are strictly prohibited. Other items will be prohibited at the discretion of the gate security.







# Glendale Heights Aquatic Center

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## GH<sub>2</sub>O Opening Weekend

**May 27 - May 29**  
**(Memorial Day Weekend)**  
**Noon - 7:00 pm**

## Regular Season Hours

**May 30 - August 20**

**Monday through Friday**  
**Noon - 8:30 pm**

**Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays**  
**Noon - 7:00 pm**

**Daily Rate for Residents is \$6**  
**Daily Rate for Non-residents is \$12**  
**Children under 3 are free**

Proof of residency is required to receive resident rate

\*No refunds on daily fees

## Aquatic Center Memberships

Membership Type	EARLY BIRD		REGULAR	
	MAY 1 - MAY 22		AFTER MAY 22	
Individual	R \$40	NR \$65	R \$55	NR \$80
Senior Citizen (60 & Up)	\$15	\$40	\$25	\$50

Proof of residency is REQUIRED!

There is a \$5.00 fee to reprint pool passes. Your pass from last year will still work after you renew your membership!

Fees: Resident/School District Resident/Non-Resident



## SAVE *the* DATE

### Dolphins Swim Team Registration

Saturday, May 6th • 9:00 am - Noon  
 at the Sports Hub

### Special Events

- June 17 - GH<sub>2</sub>O 20th Anniversary Luau
- June 18 - Happy Father's Day (Dad's swim free!)
- July 4 - 4th of July Celebration
- July 15 - Boat Regatta
- August 4 - Teens Freaky Friday Fright Night
- August 6 - Fiesta Day
- August 19 - FlowRider Competition

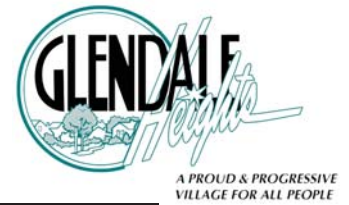
### GH<sub>2</sub>O Membership Benefits

- Priority entrance - 11:30 am
- Discount on swim lessons
- Discount on swim team registration
- Surf Club (available to members only)
- Discounts on pool rentals/birthday parties



# Glendale Heights Finance Department

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## Tax Talk

May 1 begins a new Fiscal Year for the Village. A few months in advance of this date, the Village prepared and adopted a budget, which identified resources (revenues) and the use of resources (expenditures) for the upcoming year. Thanks in part to a recovering and growing local economy and disciplined spending practices that are monitored by the Village Board of Trustees; the Village has succeeded in maintaining balanced operating budgets for the last 3 years, without compromising services to the community. While there could be unfavorable implications to the Village budget stemming from the State of Illinois having been in a budget limbo for the last two years, please know that Village Officials and Executive Staff have drawn up contingency plans in the event the State withholds or reduces anticipated funding to the Village.

Property tax bills were mailed out from the DuPage County Treasurer on April 28, with the first installments due June 1. Although the Village depends on property taxes as part of its overall revenues, they represent only \$7.6 of the total \$59.9 million estimated Fiscal Year 2018 revenue budget. The Village's property tax levy reflects zero increase from the prior year, and represents about 10.6% of the overall tax bill. On a home with an Equalized Assessed Value of \$50,000 (\$150,000 market value), the Village tax burden is about \$624.

### Distribution of Property Tax Dollars 2016 Tax Levy

Taxing District	Percentage
Schools	70.9%
Village	10.6%
Fire District	9.2%
Library	4.9%
All Others	4.4%



Village Tax Levy dollars are used in six major categories:

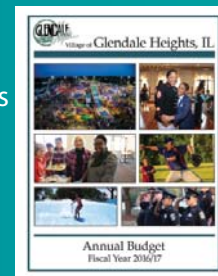
- Law Enforcement/Emergency Disaster/School Crossing Guards - 34%
- Capital improvement/Bond Payments - 27%
- Recreation/Recreation for the Handicapped - 17%
- IMRF/Social Security/Medicare - 16%
- Insurance - 5%
- Mosquito Abatement - 1%

## Village Receives Two Awards from the GFOA

For the 34th consecutive year, the Village has been awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting from the GFOA. In order to receive this award, the Village must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) that conforms to the highest standards in government accounting and financial reporting.

The GFOA also recently announced that for the fourth straight year, the Village was being recognized with a Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for its 2016/2017 budget document. This recognition reflects the commitment of the governing body and staff to meet the highest principles of governmental budgeting. In order to receive the award, the Village had to satisfy nationally recognized guidelines for effective budget presentation. These guidelines are designed to assess how well an entity's budget serves as a policy document, a financial plan, an operator's guide, and a communication device. Budget documents must be rated "proficient" in all four categories, and the fourteen mandatory criteria within those categories, to receive the award.

Both the most recent CAFR for Fiscal Year ending April 30, 2016 and 2016/2017 budget documents are available on the Village website.





# Glendale Heights Village News

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## Glendale Heights Historic House

June 10<sup>th</sup>, August 12<sup>th</sup> and September 9<sup>th</sup>  
10:00 am - 1:00 pm • 311 Windy Point Drive

Step inside the front door and step back in time to the way things were 100 years ago, right down to the working pump on the kitchen sink, a wood burning stove in the kitchen, oil burning light fixtures and the player piano in the front parlor. The attached exhibit hall is devoted to the display of the history of Glendale Heights, from the original settlers who arrived in the 1830's, to the incorporation of the Village in 1959, and its growth and development over the past 50 plus years.

*The History of*  
**Glendale Heights**  
*Celebrating Our Past, Creating Our Future*

Watch the Glendale Heights Historical Video on GHTV, YouTube or on Facebook.com/voghnews

Visit [www.glendaleheights.org/history](http://www.glendaleheights.org/history) for more information!

## Glendale Heights Community Development Reminders

Springtime is here and the annual spring-cleaning has begun.

Residents are reminded that rubbish and yard waste from cleanup efforts should be placed at the curb no earlier than 6:00 pm on the day preceding the day when waste is to be collected during April 1 to October 31. Securely close containers to prevent items from blowing around the area. Remember that all waste containers and receptacles must be removed from the parkway no later than 7:00 am the day following collection. Following these neighborly requirements helps to maintain our beautiful neighborhoods as we head into summer.



Residents are also reminded that spring rains may cause standing water and possible flooding. It is natural for there to be some standing water after a rain, but residents should make sure that drainage areas are not blocked. Allowing water to run to storm sewers will reduce potential flooding and protect your home.

## Village Vehicle Stickers

The 2017-18 Village vehicle stickers are sold at Village Hall at the Administrative Services counter beginning May 8, 2017. The new vehicle sticker must be displayed by 12:01 am, July 1st, 2017 on the lower right hand corner of the windshield.

Passenger vehicle stickers are \$15, motorcycle tags are \$12, recreational vehicle stickers are \$18, and trucks with B plates are \$25. There is an additional price schedule for trucks based on their individual weights. Qualifying senior citizens receive one sticker at no charge.

Per Village Ordinance, overnight parking on Village streets is restricted to those vehicles having a valid vehicle sticker.

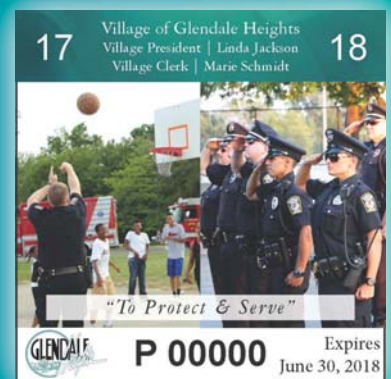
### Sticker Purchase: By Mail

If you bought one or more sticker(s) last year, the Village will mail you a pre-printed renewal application during the first week of May. If you receive a pre-printed renewal application, you'll be able to conveniently purchase your sticker either by mail or at Village Hall. If you have a new license plate, you must include a copy of your license plate registration with your renewal application.

If you have not received a pre-printed form with your vehicle information, you are required to provide proof of your State Vehicle Registration, or proof of address, showing your Glendale Heights address at time of purchase. Failure to provide proof of residency of a Village address will result in sticker costs to be doubled. Adequate proofs of residency include a driver's license, utility bill or lease. Exceptions are made for residents who bring home a business vehicle. Residents are required to bring a letter on company letterhead indicating to whom the vehicle is assigned with resident's home address.

### Sticker Purchase: In Person

If you'd rather buy your new sticker(s) in person instead of by mail, or need to provide your proof of residency, you can do so at Village Hall during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, between 8:00 am and 4:30 pm, and Thursday evenings until 7:00 pm. For your convenience, Village Hall will be open on Saturdays in June from 9:00 am to noon.



**It is strongly recommended to purchase your stickers early to avoid long lines and penalties.**



# 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. The Foundation does not provide rent or mortgage payment aid. 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 to submit a request for assistance from the Foundation. Send requests to: Glendale Heights Foundation, P.O.Box 5280, Glendale Heights, IL 60139. Tax deductible donations are always welcome and graciously accepted.

## Scholarship Opportunities

### \$2,000 Sue Dees Memorial Scholarship

The Glendale Heights Junior Woman's Club will be awarding a \$2,000 Scholarship for the 2017-2018 school year in memory of one of their members, Susan E. Dees. Sue was an active member of the club for many years until she lost her battle to breast cancer in August 2005.

Applications will be accepted from female residents of Glendale Heights that are currently enrolled or will be enrolled as a full time student in college in the fall of 2017. Scholarship applications and transcripts must be postmarked by May 19, 2017. The scholarship will be awarded at the club's monthly meeting on June 7, 2017. For more information, please contact Joanna Seebeck at 630.400.0338 or [successwithseebeck@comcast.net](mailto:successwithseebeck@comcast.net).

### Chamber of Commerce Scholarship

The Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce that for the 16<sup>th</sup> year, it will be assisting a number of individuals as they work their way towards a higher education by offering various scholarships.

Established in 2000, the Kathy Guzlas Scholarships consists of scholarships totaling \$3,000. These scholarships are for high school seniors going to college that have shown strong leadership, volunteerism and academics in high school. In addition to the Kathy Guzlas Scholarships, two additional scholarships are available. A scholarship is also available for a child of a service member on active duty or a service person that recently left the military and is planning on a post-secondary education as well as a scholarship for a student who has completed two years of post-secondary education and is excelling in their given area of study.

In order to be considered for a scholarship, applicants must be a resident of Glendale Heights or have a guardian/parent whose organization is a member of the Glendale Heights Chamber of Commerce in good standing. Application deadline is May 15, 2017. For applications, please visit the website at: [www.glendaleheightschamber.com](http://www.glendaleheightschamber.com). For additional information, please contact the Chamber of Commerce Office at 630.909.5361.



## 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.

### 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 District

### Charity Golf Classic Committee

Scheduled periodically throughout the year  
Glendale Lakes Golf Club

### Emergency Services & Disaster Agency E.S.D.A.

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

### Founders' Day Committee

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month, 2:30 pm  
Center for Senior Citizens

### Golf Course Committee

Thursdays, 7:00 pm  
May 11 and November 9  
Glendale Lakes Golf Club

### Historical Committee

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month, 7:00 pm  
Glendale Heights Historic House

### Neighborhood Watch

Meetings vary from month to month.  
Please visit the website for the next  
Neighborhood Watch meeting.

### Parks & Recreation Committee

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every other month, 7:00 pm  
Sports Hub

### Plan Commission

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

### Property Enhancement

4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month, 6:30 pm

### Senior Citizens Council

4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month,  
Center for Senior Citizens, 8:30 am

### \*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

### Youth Commission

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

\* 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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### Civic Center Hours

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

## Village Contact Information

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Police, Non-emergency	<a href="mailto:police@glendaleheights.org">police@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.260.6070
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Water Billing	<a href="mailto:waterbilling@glendaleheights.org">waterbilling@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.260.6010

### 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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## Let us know!

The purpose of this column is to provide a way in which you can communicate with the Village President, Board of Trustees and Village Departments. Your advice, suggestions and questions are appreciated and will receive a response. A response cannot be provided unless you include your name and address.

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 Village of Glendale Heights  
 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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