

**New  
Location**

## Patriot Day Ceremony

**Friday, September 11  
7:15 pm**

**Camera Park Flag Poles (New Location)**

The Village of Glendale Heights remembers Patriot Day on Friday, September 11th with a silent parade of police vehicles, first responders 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.

To ensure the health and safety of all attendees due to COVID-19, we have moved the location of the Patriot Day Ceremony to Camera Park where we can properly practice social distancing. Additionally, we do ask that all attendees wear a mask or proper face covering.

If you have any questions, please contact the Mayor's Office at 630.909.5303.



## Halloween Fun in Glendale Heights

**Halloween Spooktacular,  
Haunted Camera Park Trail,  
Pumpkin Carving Contest,  
Drive-in Movie Night,  
and more!**

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**Trick-or-Treat Hours  
October 31 • 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm**

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## Safety Halloween Town

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

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. 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.





# Letter from the Village President

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



Dear Residents,

As the summer months quickly fade and we approach another fall season, we are reminded that this year has been unlike any other that we've seen before. Please understand that decisions made by the Village Board, me, the School Districts, Library, and all of our community partners, with the best information available at the time. Unfortunately, during this pandemic, the information changes quickly, requiring constant adjustments to decisions and plans. We ask for your patience and understanding as we work through these unprecedented events. We all want things to return to "normal". We all want our children to have the best education possible. We want to dine in our favorite restaurants, go to the movies, and be able to go to the grocery store without a face mask. I know we will be able to return to "normal" soon, as long as we all do our part. I assure you that your physical

health, your mental health, your safety and the growth of our community is what is most important to the Village Board, me and all of our staff. I ask each and every one of you to please be patient, please be understanding, do your part, and know that the very tough decisions that are being made are in the best interest of the people of Glendale Heights.

I am sad to announce that many of our fall events have been canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic including Oktoberfest, the Show & Shine Car Show and Swap Meet, Harvest Fest, the Fishing Derby and the Family Health and Safety Fair. We believe that these events would not be possible without risking the health and safety of all parties involved while also respecting the Governor's Restore Illinois plan. However, you'll find in this Newsletter, we have all been working hard on providing new programs and events that are not only family friendly, but have the ability to practice proper social distancing so we all remain safe and healthy!

I hope you will be able to join us for our Patriot Day Ceremony on September 11th at 7:15 pm. The Patriot Day Ceremony will be relocated to Camera Park to allow proper social distancing for all attendees. Our Recreation Division is also planning several Halloween themed events and programs in October including a Pumpkin Carving Contest, Haunted Trail at Camera Park, and a Drive-in Movie. To round out the Halloween season, I am pleased to announce that Safety Town Halloween will still be scheduled for Saturday, October 31st for a safe and family friendly Trick-or-Treating alternative. Please remember to practice social distancing and wear a face covering or mask while waiting in line.

Our Citizens Police Academy will begin on Tuesday, September 8th and will run through November 10th. I encourage everyone to enroll in this free program to gain a real world understanding of the everyday responsibilities of our men and women in law enforcement. I hope this program will provide some insight on the tough decisions the officers of the Glendale Heights Police Department have to make on a daily basis.

As we try to bring back a little bit of normalcy to our lives this fall, I encourage you to attend one of our upcoming events to bring a little smile to your faces. If you need any help at all, please do not hesitate to reach out to me, our Village Board or any of our hard working staff. We are here to assist you and your feedback is always welcome. Supporting each other and the Glendale Heights community will ultimately help us get through this and return to "normal" soon!

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 October 3<sup>rd</sup>. There is no Coffee in September due to the Labor Day holiday weekend.** 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

## Water Bill Questions

You asked; and we answered. Each month, nearly 9,000 water bills are sent out to both residents and businesses in the Village. We've put together some of the most frequently mentioned topics that people ask about in person, on the phone, or on social media.

### 1. Why is my water bill the same every month?

Water bills are based on metered consumption, and water is measured in the thousands of gallons. So, if you used 7,139 gallons of water in a given month, you would be billed for 7 thousand gallons of water that month. If this is your typical monthly usage, then your bill is going to be the same amount.

### 2. What is the Sewer Debt Charge on my water bill?

This should actually be classified as System Debt, as the monthly flat rate shown on the water bill represents payment of principal and interest on Bonds issued in 2009, 2010 and 2019 for large capital projects such as the replacement of water mains along a stretch of Bloomingdale Road, sewer slip-lining, upgrades at the Water Pollution Control Facility, and most recently, the Village-wide water meter replacement project now in progress.

### 3. What is the Capital Infrastructure Fee charged on my water bill?

This fee was instituted in 2016, and provides for a separate, dedicated revenue source needed to fund water and sewer projects delineated in a Capital Improvements Plan. The Plan identifies work to be undertaken over the next few (3-5) years, and is structured to smooth the cost of these projects in such a way that doesn't adversely impact the Environmental Fund budget in any given year. If you're interested in seeing the projects, they can be found in the Village's budget document, which is available on our website.

### 4. Are those fees (Sewer Debt and Capital Infrastructure) ever going to be removed?

Considering the nature of a water and sewer system, with pipes that age, facilities that need to be constantly upgraded in order to meet State and Federal requirements and mandates, and ever changing technology, it is not likely that the flat rate charges for debt service and capital infrastructure will be going away.

### 5. Why is my bill being estimated?

Water bills that show an "E" attempt to convey to the resident/business that the current bill has been estimated. An estimate on a water bill means that an actual read was not able to be obtained. This could be the result of a battery needing to be replaced, or a defective/malfunctioning meter reading device. When an actual reading cannot be obtained, water billing takes an average of the prior months' usage to determine the current bill.

### 6. Why am I being asked to replace my water meter again after I just got a new one a few years ago?

Residents who had a water meter replaced prior to November 2019, had a different meter installed than the meters that are being replaced as part of the water meter replacement project. These new meters include a device which will send usage information to one of three data collector devices now in service on water towers around the Village. Using software technology, the data collectors feed meter information directly to the Village, and in doing so, eliminates the need for Finance Department staff to obtain meter readings using a drive-by system.

You will find additional water billing information at <https://glendaleheights.org/finance/waterbilling.asp>. Should you have other questions concerning your water bill, please contact the Water Billing staff at 630.260.6010, or by email at [waterbilling@glendaleheights.org](mailto:waterbilling@glendaleheights.org).



# Parks, Recreation & Facilities Department

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## 2020 Halloween Spook-tacular!

October 26 - 31

This year, Halloween is open for all to enjoy! Families can be part of the fun from the comfort of home or join us in-person for fun, socially distanced events happening all week long leading up to the main event on Halloween night! Registration for all events is available online as well as in person or over the phone.

### At Home Pumpkin Carving Contest

**Pumpkin pick-up date: Thursday, October 22**

**\$15/\$20 (Res/Non-Res)**

Put your carving skills to the test! Participants will each receive a pumpkin and a box with various crafting materials. Carve and decorate the best pumpkin using ALL of the materials and you could win a \$50 visa gift card! Pumpkin submissions will be posted to the Sports Hub Facebook page. The pumpkin with the most likes will be crowned the winner. Full contest rules available at the time of registration.

Register by: October 20

### Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark

**October 26 – 30 • 8:00 pm nightly**

Relive the classic horror short stories through nightly video readings uploaded to the Sports Hub Facebook Page. Listeners beware ... you're in for a scare!

### Animal Costume Contest

**Submissions due: October 25 • Free!**



Pet owners, get ready for a scary good time! Submit photos of your favorite furry friend in their Halloween costume for a chance to win a \$50 Petco gift card. Submissions will be posted to the Sports Hub Facebook page for voting. The costume with the most likes will be the winner of the \$50 Petco gift card. Submissions must be sent to [cris\\_navarro@glendaleheights.org](mailto:cris_navarro@glendaleheights.org)

### Haunted Camera Park Trail



**October 30**

**7:00 pm – 10:00 pm**

**\$5 per person**

Spine-chilling ghosts and ghoulish creatures are taking over Camera Park for a one night only spook-tacular event! Brave explorers will be led on a guided walk through the trail's six hair-raising scare stations ... where only the bravest will come out! Social distancing will be strictly enforced and all scare stations are viewable from a safe distance. Attendees will be screened prior to each tour and are required to wear a mask at all times. Sanitizing stations will be available throughout the trail. Tours will run every 10 minutes. Pre-registration is required and a tour time must be chosen at the time of registration. Tour groups are limited to 10 people max. Event will be held weather permitting.

Volunteers needed! Interested? Contact Cris Navarro at 630.909.5366 or [cris\\_navarro@glendaleheights.org](mailto:cris_navarro@glendaleheights.org)

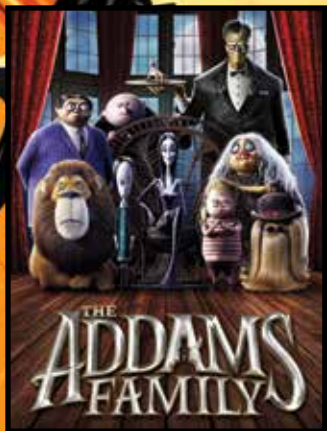
### Drive-in Movie Night: The Addams Family



**October 31 • Camera Park Movie begins at Dusk (Approx. 6:45 pm) • \$25 parking fee per car**

**Pre-Registration Required. Space is limited, register today!**

Families can enjoy a night out at Glendale Heights' very first drive-in movie night! Movie will begin at dusk. Parking spaces will allow for proper social distancing. Masks are required when outside of your vehicle. Parking spots will be assigned upon arrival. Food and drinks are allowed, however, alcoholic beverages & glass containers are strictly prohibited.



# Glendale Heights Center for Senior Citizens

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630.260.6050 • [www.glendaleheights.org/Seniors](http://www.glendaleheights.org/Seniors)



*Promoting "Fuller, Stronger, Longer Lives"*

## *The Center for Senior Citizens is now open!*

The Center for Senior Citizens is open by appointment only!

Hours of Operation: Monday through Friday, 7:30 am - 5:00 pm

General annual and Fitness annual memberships will be extended five months.

Monthly fitness memberships will be extended 30 days. Membership required for most programs.

Note: A mask and health screening are required to enter the building.

## *September is National Senior Center Month!*



Even though our doors are closed to the public, we still want to celebrate National Senior Center Month!

This year's theme from the National Council on Aging is

***"Senior Centers: Delivering Vital Connections through mind, body, spirit and community!"***

"This year's theme was chosen to highlight how senior centers deliver vital connections to support older adults aging well. Preventing social isolation is vital and a core senior center mission. While the delivery methods have changed during the pandemic, centers have succeeded in continuing to provide knowledge, programming and resources."

### *Coffee and Conversation*

**Thursday, September 3**

**8:30 am - 9:30 am**

**Center for Senior Citizens Patio**

Meeting for coffee is much more than just meeting to sip this warm caffeinated beverage. It's a wonderful opportunity to catch up and meet for some good conversation over this most delightful beverage.

Registration is required!

Limited availability; first come first served

Cost: Free



### *Ice Cream Drive-Thru*

**Thursday, September 24**

**1:30 pm - 3:00 pm**

Wave, say "hi" and enjoy some ice cream! We won't be able to have our annual ice cream social but that doesn't mean we can't still eat ice cream! The Center for Senior Citizens will turn into an ice cream drive thru.

Sponsored by Lexington Health Care.

Registration is required by September 17! Cost: Free



### *Hot Dog Lunch Drive-Thru*

**Wednesday, September 9**

**11:00 am - 12:30 pm**

Help us celebrate the end of the summer with a hot dog lunch drive thru! We'll be serving up hot dogs right to your car along with chips and a drink.

Registration is required by September 4!

Cost: Free



# 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 Golf

Glendale Lakes Golf Club is open year round as long as the course is playable! Come on out for a round of golf during the fall season!

Call 630.260.0018 or visit [www.glendalelakes.com](http://www.glendalelakes.com) to book your tee-time!



Saturday OR Sunday, November 7-8  
9:00 am or 11:00 am start time  
48 golfers per starting time  
\$260 per foursome

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the format for the event will be modified.

Register starting October 1st at 8:00 am for the annual Turkey Shoot! This yearly tradition is an 18 hole, 4 person scramble where every golfer leaves with a frozen turkey! To help socially distance golfers for a safe and enjoyable day, there will be two starting times for each day at 9:00 am and 11:00 am. Each starting time will be limited to 48 golfers. Registration includes golf, a cart, lunch at the turn, drink ticket, raffle ticket, and of course, a frozen turkey! Due to COVID-19, there will be no breakfast or dinner portion. This event sells out fast so don't delay!

## Now Booking Weddings, Banquets and Holiday Parties

Limit of 50 people or less due to COVID-19 Restrictions

Glendale Lakes Golf Club is the perfect place to host your wedding, banquet or upcoming holiday party! We have customizable wedding and banquet packages available to choose from to suit your special event. Call 630.260.0095 to check on available dates and menu options. Book your perfect day today!

You and your guests matter the most to us! So here at Glendale Lakes Golf Club, we have put in a few important safety measures to ensure you and your guests are safe, healthy and have a great time! Here are just a few important new changes:

- All tables will be spaced at least 6 feet apart from each other
- All of our banquet staff will have masks and gloves on
- We are limiting the number of guests to no more than 50 people total in accordance to the Phase 4 of the Restore Illinois Plan
- At this time, we are only doing plated meals (no buffets or self serve options) to limit the amount of exposure
- Our banquet rooms will receive a full cleaning in-between each event

Our goal is to create a beautiful event that will seem as close to normal as possible. We thank you for choosing Glendale Lakes Golf Club to host your event with us, and for trusting us to have a safe and enjoyable celebration!



# Public Works Department

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## Keep Yard Waste Off the Streets

At this time of year, leaves are changing colors and falling to the ground. As leaves fall, they have a tendency to fall into your gutters and possibly clog them up. Keeping your gutters and downspouts clear of leaf debris is an important way to get water away from your roof and the foundation of your home.

The curbs and gutters of the streets of Glendale Heights can be clogged just like the gutters of your house. Clogged gutters can lead to street flooding with our typical fall rains. That's one of many good reasons to properly collect and dispose of your fall waste, and to not let them blow into the streets. Another reason is that leaves that go into the road drains go directly into rivers where the nutrients in leaves will feed unwanted algae growth next summer. This algae decomposes at the bottom of lakes and uses up oxygen that fish and native plants need. So please help our rivers, creeks, and streams, and bag up those leaves!

## Road Repair Season Delayed Due COVID-19

Road repair season continues! The Road Repair Program was delayed due to COVID-19, and will continue into the fall season. Gregory Avenue repair is underway in part with a \$400,000 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG). The Village is also repairing Armitage Avenue (From Glen Ellyn Road to Wayne Avenue), Gilberto Street (between W Montana Avenue and Brookside Drive), and Windy Point Drive (from 445 Windy Point Drive to Paul Avenue). These are long roads that are thoroughfares to many areas of our Village. This project is being funded in part by Motor Fuel Tax money and REBUILD Illinois funds.

## In-House Street Sweeping

The In-House Street Sweeping program begins on a weekly basis for all Sweeping Zones starting Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup> through the month of November, weather permitting. There are color coded "No-Parking" signs 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 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) or call 630.260.6040.



## What is Wastewater?

Wastewater is water that has been used and must be treated before it is released into another body of water so that it does not cause further pollution of water sources. Wastewater comes from a variety of sources. Everything that you flush down your toilet or rinse down the drain is wastewater. Wastewater can also come from agricultural and industrial sources. Some wastewaters are more difficult to treat than others; for example, industrial wastewater can be difficult to treat, whereas domestic wastewater is relatively easy to treat. For more information about how the Water Pollution Control Facility treats wastewater or for a tour of the facility, please call 630.260.6040.

## Is it Flushable?

Protecting the Village's collection and treatment works from sanitary sewer overflows (SSOs) and blockages has become more difficult over the last few years. Many products on the market today claim to be sewer or septic safe and flushable. However, evidence has proven that many of these products can clog lift station pumps causing damage and unwanted costs in maintenance repairs. In fact, several utilities have proven that such claims of being "sewer and septic safe" are unfounded.

Additionally, fats, oil and grease cause many problems in sanitary sewer lines. Fats, oil and grease collect on the sides of pipes, and bacteria that feed on fats, oil and grease produce corrosive acids and gas that will damage pipes and manholes. Sewer blockages that result can overflow onto streets and property, disrupting residential, commercial, and industrial operations, and carry the potential for health risks. The cost of increased maintenance and replacement of sewer lines is high, as well as the potential impacts to the environment.

Please avoid flushing items that claim to be flushable as well as flushing or dumping fats, oil and grease into your sanitary sewer. By disposing of the items in a trash receptacle, you can help water and sewer utilities reduce their annual maintenance costs as well as prevent sanitary sewer overflows.



# Glendale Heights Police Department

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

## Citizen's Police Academy

Tuesday's

September 8<sup>th</sup> - November 10<sup>th</sup>

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Police Department Training Room

FREE

The Glendale Heights Police Department will host their 21<sup>st</sup> Citizen's Police Academy. The program taught by officers from the Glendale Heights Police Department along with guest instructors from other agencies, is designed to give residents a realistic view of police work by providing instruction on various police topics.

A minimum enrollment of 10 students is required to hold the Academy, and the maximum class size will be limited to 24 students.

**Enrollment is free.** Citizens 18 years of age or older who live or work in Glendale Heights are invited to attend. \*Note: Due to the nature of the course and curriculum, individuals with prior felony arrests or convictions will be declined.

Interested persons are encouraged to contact Sergeant Michael Pentecost at 630.909.5457 or Maureen Pope at 630.909.5407 for additional information or an enrollment application. Applications can also be downloaded and printed from the Village website, but must be dropped off or mailed to the Police Department once completed.



## Request a Speed Traffic Trailer

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 Parsons at 630.260.6070.

The Glendale Heights Police Department uses the speed traffic trailer 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
- High caution areas



The trailer is a portable, self-contained speed display unit that is towed to the desired location. It is left on the roadway to display speeds of oncoming vehicles on a highly visible LED (light emitting diode) 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.

Sign up for  **CodeRED**<sup>®</sup>  
Emergency Alerts

Text...

"glendalepd" to the number 99411

...to be immediately enrolled in this program.

Sign up for CodeRed to receive text alerts for emergency information from the Glendale Heights Police Department. Stay informed and aware regarding:

- Missing children or missing persons
- Criminal activity
- Drinking water contamination
- Various threats to people, property or the environment
- Severe weather updates
- And other important messages!





if you  
**SEE** | **SAY**  
something | something™

The Glendale Heights Police Department consistently counts on residents to be the eyes and ears of the department. Crime prevention is everybody's business! So, how can you help?

Most people are hesitant to call 911 to report what they saw or heard as suspicious. Yes, what you saw could have been nothing. However, wouldn't it be better for a police officer to check and make sure? Police officers are never bothered or annoyed by suspicious activity calls. Investigating such things is a police officer's job. In Glendale Heights, dial 9-1-1 to report any in progress incident. If suspicious activity is not in progress, you can still call 9-1-1 to meet with an officer, or you can contact the police department's anonymous crime tip line at 630.260.6025. Any crime tip can be called into this number.

You can report suspicious or criminal activity online as well at [police@glendaleheights.org](mailto:police@glendaleheights.org). Note: This email is not monitored 24/7. For emergencies, please call 911.

get to  
**KNOW US**

## Meet Community Service Officer John Keith

"Born in DuPage County, I began serving the town of Wheaton as a Records Clerk in 1989, and now Glendale Heights since 1999 as a Community Service Officer (CSO). Despite the heat, the cold, and the rain, working outdoors and face-to-face with the community is one of the best aspects of my position. From handling traffic accidents to rescuing baby ducklings from a sewer, each day can bring a new challenge even after so many years. It has been a rewarding experience serving the community through challenges and tragedies, as well as successes and celebrations."



## Character Counts! Red Ribbon Week!

October 23 through 31 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, Senior Center and Police Department beginning Monday, October 5th 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).



Protect your family when seconds count  
Register for Smart911!

### What is Smart911?

Smart911 is a free public safety service that helps first responders help you more quickly when you dial 911. You create an electronic safety profile that provides essential household information about family members, home, pets and vehicles. This information will display automatically on the 911-call taker's screen when you make an emergency call. It is private and secure, and you control what information is in your profile. Smart911 is offered by the Emergency Telephone System Board of DuPage County and is supported by existing 911 fees.

### How do you sign up?

Visit [www.smart911.com](http://www.smart911.com) to create a profile. The step-by-step online process lets you decide which information you want to include on your profile – and you can update or change it at any time.



# Glendale Heights Village News

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## NEW BUSINESSES

### Armelle African Hair Braiding

2101 Bloomingdale Rd A  
331.307.9579  
Hair Braiding

### Dollar Tree

275 E North Ave  
General Merchandising

Interested in having a business in Glendale Heights?  
Contact the Community Development Department at 630.260.6030  
Join the Glendale Heights Chamber!  
Contact [Director@glendaleheightschamber.com](mailto:Director@glendaleheightschamber.com)

## Mission at Home Specialty Clinic

Saturday and Sunday  
September 12 - 13  
9:00 am - 4:00 pm each day



Sponsored by AMITA Health

A team of physicians, nurses and staff from AMITA Health will host its third annual Mission at Home clinic in September in Glendale Heights. The clinic is free and open to the public but pre-registration is required.

Appointments for the event will be taken from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm on Saturday, Sept. 12 and Sunday, Sept. 13 at the Sports Hub, 250 Civic Center Plaza in Glendale Heights. Specialists in primary care, orthopedics, pediatrics and podiatry, along with counseling resources, flu shots and diabetes and nutrition education will be available to patients in the community.

The COVID-19 pandemic has made it even more critical for patients who need healthcare but are unable to afford the cost of receiving medical attention. This event will be held in accordance to CDC guidelines to keep everyone safe. Strict social distancing protocols will be enforced, and pre-registration will be required for all attendees to control the flow of patients.

Register today! Please visit the Classes & Events page at [www.amitahealth.org](http://www.amitahealth.org).

## Halloween Safety Tips for Tweens

- BE VISIBLE**  
Carry a flashlight and wear glow bracelets, necklaces or reflective tape.
- TRICK OR TREAT WITH TECHNOLOGY**  
Install location tracking & make sure your device is fully charged.
- CHECK YOUR COSTUME**  
Costumes & shoes should fit well to avoid trips and falls.
- TRICK OR TREAT IN A GROUP**  
Always stay in a group and use the buddy system.
- PLAN YOUR ROUTE**  
Map out a safe route and stay in areas that are well lit.

\*\*Don't forget your manners, say "please" & "thank you!"

## Bloomington Township Recycling Program

Saturday, October 3 • 8:00 am - Noon • 6N030 Rosedale Ave, Bloomington, IL

Accepted Electronic Items: Computers, laptops, servers, computer monitors\*, televisions\*, printers, facsimile, scanners, VCR and DVD players, video game consoles, cable and converter boxes, satellite receivers, electronic keyboards, mice, portable music players, holiday string lights, wire, cables, adapters, power supplies, cell phones, modems, tablets, phones, docking stations.

\*Fees for TVs & Monitors - A coupon and 501c3 tax receipt provided upon payment at the site. Up to 21 inches-\$25, 21 inches and above-\$35. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, please prepay online and bring receipt to the event. Payment should be made in advance at <http://recycle.eworksesi.org>. If you have any questions, please call 855.213.8348 or email: [info@eworksesi.org](mailto:info@eworksesi.org).

Accepted Textile Items: Clothing items of any kind- tops, bottoms, socks, outerwear, underwear, accessories, paired shoes, suits and swimsuits. Household textiles such as sheets, towels, pillow cases, curtains, blankets. Unacceptable Items: Items of any kind that are WET OR DIRTY. If you have any questions, please call 516.822.2099 or email: [info@rewearable.org](mailto:info@rewearable.org).

# 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>. The Glenside and Bloomingdale Fire Districts are dedicated to public fire prevention awareness in our community. Throughout October, the Glenside and Bloomingdale Fire Protection Districts 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 Glenside Fire Protection District at 630.668.5323 or the Bloomingdale Fire Protection District at 630.894.9080.

Bill is careful in the kitchen.  
Bill is alert and keeps a lid nearby when cooking.  
**Be like Bill!**



Learn how to be careful in the kitchen at [fpw.org](http://fpw.org).

## 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. For more information, please email [info.ghfoundation@gmail.com](mailto:info.ghfoundation@gmail.com).

## Refuse/Recycling Holiday Collections

In observance of the Labor 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.

If you don't normally file taxes, you may still be eligible to fill your pantry with an Economic Impact Payment of \$1,200 or more



Sign up with IRS by Oct. 15 at:

[www.irs.gov/nonfilereip](http://www.irs.gov/nonfilereip)



Village Offices  
Closed Labor Day,  
Sept. 7

## 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

Scheduled periodically throughout the year

### Golf Club Committee

Thursday, 7:00 pm

Nov. 12

Glendale Lakes Golf Club

### Historical Committee

Scheduled periodically throughout the year  
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

Note: Due to COVID-19, many committee and commission meetings may be canceled. Please visit [www.glendaleheights.org](http://www.glendaleheights.org) for updated meeting announcements.

## Village of Glendale Heights

300 Civic Center Plaza  
Glendale Heights, IL 60139  
www.glendaleheights.org

## ECRWSS RESIDENTIAL AND BUSINESS POSTAL CUSTOMER

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U.S. POSTAGE  
**PAID**  
Carol Stream, IL  
PERMIT NO. 103

### 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

### MAYOR & BOARD

Linda Jackson, Village President	<a href="mailto:ljackson@glendaleheights.org">ljackson@glendaleheights.org</a>	630.909.5302
Marie Schmidt, Village Clerk	<a href="mailto:marie_schmidt@glendaleheights.org">marie_schmidt@glendaleheights.org</a>	630.909.5333
Bill Schmidt, Trustee District 1	<a href="mailto:bschmidt@glendaleheights.org">bschmidt@glendaleheights.org</a>	630.909.5307
Sharon Sullivan, Trustee District 2/Deputy Mayor	<a href="mailto:SSullivan@glendaleheights.org">SSullivan@glendaleheights.org</a>	630.909.5306
Michael Light, Trustee District 3	<a href="mailto:mlight@glendaleheights.org">mlight@glendaleheights.org</a>	630.909.5308
Pat Maritato, Trustee District 4	<a href="mailto:pmaritato@glendaleheights.org">pmaritato@glendaleheights.org</a>	630.909.5309
Chester Pojack, Trustee District 5	<a href="mailto:cpojack@glendaleheights.org">cpojack@glendaleheights.org</a>	630.909.5310
Mary Schroeder, Trustee District 6	<a href="mailto:mschroeder@glendaleheights.org">mschroeder@glendaleheights.org</a>	630.909.5311

### VILLAGE OFFICES

Main Number	630.260.6000
Center for Senior Citizens	<a href="mailto:seniors@glendaleheights.org">seniors@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.260.6050
Community Development	<a href="mailto:comdev@glendaleheights.org">comdev@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.260.6030
Glendale Lakes Golf & Pro Shop	<a href="mailto:glendalelakes@glendaleheights.org">glendalelakes@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.260.0018
Glendale Lakes Golf Club, Restaurant & Banquets	630.260.0095
Parks, Recreation & Facilities	<a href="mailto:parks_&amp;_recreation@glendaleheights.org">parks_&amp;_recreation@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.260.6060
Police, Non-emergency	<a href="mailto:police@glendaleheights.org">police@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.260.6070
Public Relations	<a href="mailto:public_relations@glendaleheights.org">public_relations@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.909.5350
Public Works	<a href="mailto:public_works@glendaleheights.org">public_works@glendaleheights.org</a> 630.260.6040
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

## Connect With Us

Keep up-to-date with Village events, program pictures, and important announcements by following us on Twitter, liking us on Facebook, following us on Instagram and adding us on Snapchat! Search for...

@VOGHNews



Or subscribe to our YouTube channel at GlendaleHtsTV!



## Moving in or out?

Contact the Village of Glendale Heights to learn about the necessary steps to make it a smooth process!

Call us at 630.260.6000 for more information!



To learn more about the 2020 U.S. Census, please visit [www.2020census.gov](http://www.2020census.gov)