



Streamwood Community News

May / June 2017

Memorial Day Sunday, May 28



The Streamwood Veterans Commission would like to invite you and your family to attend a **Memorial Day weekend observance**, honoring the brave men and women whom have died while serving our country in the US armed forces. The Memorial Day observance will take place at the Streamwood Veterans Memorial, beginning on **Saturday, May 27**, with a **Candlelight Vigil at 8:00 pm**. Vigil Guards will march past the Streamwood Veterans Memorial monoliths throughout the evening, being relieved of duty on **Sunday, May 28 at 11:00 am** for the formal start of the **Memorial Day Ceremony**.



Streamwood Career Exploration Program

During spring break week, March 27 – 31, 2017, fifteen Streamwood High School students spent their spring break week participating in the **Streamwood Career Exploration Program (SCEP)**. SCEP, coordinated by the Streamwood Community & Economic Development Commission, is a joint effort of the Village of Streamwood and School District U-46 Career and Technology Education.

The **SCEP** is now in its third year. The first two years of the program focused on students gaining insight into careers in the manufacturing industry; breaking the false stigma associated with the industry. This year's program focused on retail, specifically working on solutions to real-life business challenges.

Three local businesses **Fiesta Market, Ricky Rockets Fueling Center, and Hoosier Grove Barn,**

participated in the program. They presented a real-life business challenge in relation to their respective businesses. The 15 Streamwood High School students were separated into 3 teams of 5, with each team dedicated to one of the businesses, and responsible for coming up with a solution to the business challenge. At the end of the week-long program the students presented their solutions at a luncheon. The students were very enthusiastic about the SCEP, and the business participants were very pleased with the solutions the students came up with. We look forward to expanding the program next year.



Streamwood
Career Exploration Program 2017





- ❖ Ariana Benitez
- ❖ Matt Hoeffleur
- ❖ Daniel Nguyen
- ❖ Jordan Ramirez
- ❖ Mariane Salgado

- ❖ Daniel Dominguez
- ❖ Jakob Kellermann
- ❖ Doug Noel
- ❖ Anna Rataj
- ❖ Kiara Segura

- ❖ Mary Kate Guy
- ❖ Wardah Mohammad
- ❖ Baltazar Perez
- ❖ Jaclyn Rodriguez
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Village Board News

Officer Kyle Skopek Sworn In

Police Officer Kyle Skopek was sworn in, taking the oath of office at the April 6 Village Board meeting. The swearing in ceremony signifies the successful completion of all probationary employment requirements, and becoming a permanent sworn Police Officer with the Streamwood Police Department. Congratulations!



Construction on Streamwood Blvd.

The Village Board passed a number of resolutions authorizing work on Streamwood Blvd. this summer. Motor Fuel Tax (MFT) funds will be used for the resurfacing of Streamwood Blvd., from Bartlett Road to Park Blvd. The Village received a grant which will cover the majority of the \$618,000 project.

Opting-Out of Cook County Ordinances

The Village Board adopted an ordinance opting-out of two Cook County ordinances regarding earned sick leave and minimum wage, which would have taken effect on July 1, 2017. The Village's Community and Economic Development Commission (CEDC) conducted a survey of the business community and found little support for the ordinances. These ordinances would have created a competitive disadvantage to local businesses throughout the Village. The CEDC concluded that earned sick leave and minimum wage changes should be state mandated in order to ensure a level playing field across counties.

Mechanical CPR Machines Purchased

The Village Board approved a resolution to purchase two mechanical chest compression devices for use by the Fire Department. Chest compressions are a key part of providing blood and oxygen flow during heart attacks. Mechanical compression machines ensure regular and continuous compressions, while freeing emergency personnel to focus on other life-saving tasks.

New Civil Service Commission Member



The Village Board was pleased to welcome Julie DePirro as a new volunteer member of the Village's Civil Service Commission. The Civil Service Commission makes rules for employee examinations, appointments and removals in accordance with the Civil Service Act. The purpose of the group is to promote fair and equal treatment and opportunity under the law.

2016 Water Quality Report

In compliance with the Illinois EPA, enclosed with this issue is the Village's **2016 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report**. We are happy to report that your tap water met all USEPA and state drinking water health standards, and Streamwood had no violations of a contaminant level or any other water quality standard.



Public Village Board Meetings 7:00 PM
1st and 3rd Thursday of each month
Streamwood Village Hall - Council Chambers
301 E. Irving Park Road, Streamwood, IL

Village News

Streamwood Takes Pride in Its Volunteers!

On March 22, the Village Board hosted a recognition reception honoring the Village's 70+ volunteers, who serve as a member of one of the Village's 12 commissions and committees. This annual recognition reception is just a small token of appreciation for the time and talents these individuals bring in serving the Streamwood Community. Thank you for your service!



Blood Commission



Board of Police & Fire



Community & Economic Development



Civil Service Commission



Community Relations Committee



Planning & Zoning Board Commission



Natural Resources Commission



Luminara Committee



Summer Celebration Committee



Veterans Commission

Village President's Message

We recently had the opportunity to work with 15 students from Streamwood High School on our third Career Exploration Program. This excellent program provided students hands-on experience in the world of business in order to open their eyes to different career opportunities, and real world employment expectations. Our thanks to **Kosta Apostolopoulos** and Tony Giannopoulos with **Fiesta Market**, **Rick Heidner** with **Ricky Rockets Fuel Center**, and **Jen Hermonson** with **Hoosier Grove Barn Banquets** for giving their time and assistance to the students. Thanks also to **Walmart** and **Sam's Club** for graciously sponsoring the program, and **Kinasha Brown** and **Dr. Barbara Thomas** with **School District U-46** for help in its organization.



President Roth with retiring commission members Sue and Ray Begy

Our community benefits from the extraordinary dedication and service of many people. It is always our pleasure to acknowledge their commitment to Streamwood. We recently recognized over 70 volunteers at our annual commission reception. These volunteers share their time, talent and knowledge in order to keep Streamwood a great place to live, work and play. We were particularly pleased to recognize those individuals that have reached impressive milestones for service, especially **Katy Dolan-Baumer**, who has served on our Blood Commission for the past 20 years and **Lisa Potarluski**, who has served on our Veterans Commission for the past 15 years. If you would like to volunteer to participate on a Board or Commission, please contact my office, at (630) 736-3800, or visit our website at www.streamwood.org.

Our heartfelt thanks are always extended to those who have given their lives for our country. It is always the Village's distinct honor to recognize the dedication and devotion of our nation's armed forces. On behalf of the Village Board and Streamwood Veterans Commission, we invite you to join us in honoring those who gave the greatest gift. Please join us for our annual **Candlelight Vigil**, on Saturday, May 27, starting at 8:00 pm, and for our **Memorial Day Observance** on Sunday, May 28, at 11:00 am.

As the days grow longer and warmer, our thoughts turn to Summer Celebration. Mark your calendar for the community event of the year! **Summer Celebration 2017** will be held on **July 28-30**, where we will be celebrating "Movie Magic." Please consider volunteering to help make this year's festival the best ever!

Billie D. Roth, Village President

Village News

Guns n' Hoses



For the second year in a row, the Streamwood Fire Department (Hoses) beat the Streamwood Police Department (Guns), in the 19th annual Guns n' Hoses charity basketball game, with a final score of 42-27. It was an exciting and fun evening with door prizes, raffles and even a bit of basketball. Money raised at this event benefits local families in need. Thank you to all who participated and came out to support this great event. See you next year!

Tri-Village Garden Club

The Tri-Village Garden Club's annual Plant Sale will be Saturday, May 6 from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm, rain or shine, at Banbury Fair in downtown Bartlett. They specialize in



perennials that attract pollinators: hummingbirds, butterflies and bees. There will be experienced gardeners on hand to answer your gardening questions.

For additional information, please visit the Tri-Village Garden website at www.trivillagegardenclub.org/wordpress.



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Kittie's Korner

Village Clerk Kittie Kopitke

BLOCK PARTY APPLICATIONS

Are you planning on holding a block party this summer? If so, please make sure you **complete a block party application, and submit it to the Village Clerk's office for approval, at least 14 days prior to the requested block party date.** Block party applications are available at the Village Hall cashier's counter, or on the Village website: www.streamwood.org/Reference/Forms/BlockPartyNotice.aspx. The application also provides information on other details such as how to arrange visits from the Streamwood Police and/or Fire Department.

Avoid a Violation

Please know that parking on Village streets is prohibited between the hours of 1:00 am - 5:00 am, except where noted in specific subdivisions. When parked on a residential driveway it is a violation to block the sidewalk during the hours of 7:00 am - 9:00 pm Monday through Friday, or from 9:00 am - 9:00 pm Saturday and Sunday.

Garage Sale Permits

Before holding your garage sale, please make sure you have a permit in hand! Garage sale permits can be obtained at Village Hall for a \$1.00 fee; permits are valid for one (1) consecutive two-day garage sale. One rain date allowed per permit. Please note that two (2) garage sales are allowed per household, per year.

Village News

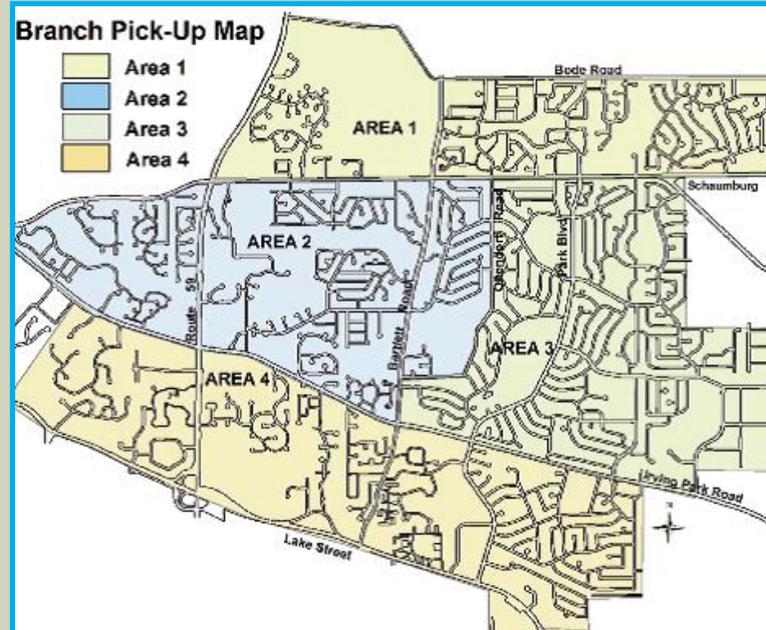
CURBSIDE BRANCH PICK-UP SCHEDULE

The curbside branch pickup program began last month, and will continue through October 27. Please be reminded of these important program guidelines:

- The Village is divided into four areas; each area has a designated branch pickup week once per month
- Branches cannot be greater than six inches (6") in diameter, or no longer than eight feet (8') in length
- Branches must be placed at the curbside with cut ends facing the street, by **6:00 am Monday of the area's assigned pickup week**

Please have branches at the curb by 6:00 am the Monday of the designated pickup week, as the forestry crew will only pass through each block one time.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Forestry Division of Public Works at (630) 736-3850.



AREA 1	N. of Schaumburg Rd
	May 1-5
	Jun 5-9
	Jul 3-7
	Aug 7-11
	Sep 4-8
	Oct 2-6
AREA 2	W. of Oltendorf Rd.
	May 8-12
	Jun 12-16
	Jul 10-14
	Aug 14-18
	Sep 11-15
	Oct 9-13
AREA 3	E. of Oltendorf Rd.
	May 15-19
	Jun 19-23
	Jul 17-21
	Aug 21-25
	Sep 18-22
	Oct 16-20
AREA 4	S. of Irving Park Rd.
	May 22-26
	Jun 26-30
	Jul 24-28
	Aug 28-Sep 1
	Sep 25-29
	Oct 23-27

Community News

FREE Summer Open Gym Program

Hanover Township Youth & Family Services is offering its 22nd annual Open Gym program — now extended to FIVE DAYS A WEEK — and it's FREE! The Open Gym program is open to Hanover Township residents ranging in age five to sixteen years old (age range varies by hosting location). Open Gym will be held at a different location each day, and will rotate on a weekly basis throughout the summer, beginning Monday June 5 through Friday, August 11. For questions and location information, or if you would like to volunteer, please contact James Mix at Hanover Township Youth and Family Services at (630) 483-5799.



Summer Lunch Program

Hanover Township is once again proud to partner with the Northern Illinois Food Bank in offering free summer lunches to all Township youth. Beginning on Monday, June 5 and running through Friday, August 11, children ages 18 and under can receive a free, nutritious lunch Monday through Friday at the Hanover Township Astor Avenue Community Center in Hanover Park and the Hanover Township Izaak Walton Center in Elgin. Lunch will be available from 11:00AM — 1:00PM. No registration or paperwork is required. The Astor Avenue Community Center is located at 7431 Astor Avenue in Hanover Park. The Izaak Walton Center is located at 899 Jay Street in Elgin. For questions or more information on this program, please call (630) 540-9085 or (847) 888-8329.

School Supplies Needed



Hanover Township Welfare Services is gearing up for our Backpack Giveaway Program for children of needy families, and is asking the community for donations of school supplies and backpacks for youth returning to school in the fall. We are anticipating the number of children needing school supplies and backpacks to increase. The most needed items include: backpacks, notebooks, loose leaf paper, pencils, markers, crayons, scissors, flash drives, blue pens and glue sticks. Supplies can be dropped off at any Township office, 250 S. IL Route 59 in Bartlett; the Hanover Township Astor Avenue Community Center at 7431 Astor Avenue in Hanover Park and the Hanover Township Izaak Walton Center at 899 Jay Street in Elgin. Thank you for your continued support and generosity! For more information please contact Welfare Services at (630) 540-9085.

Park News

Cinco de Mayo Zumba Party

Celebrate Cinco de Mayo by sweating your dance on at a Zumba Party! Dance on over to Park Place on Friday, May 5 at 7:00 pm for a lively outdoor dance party (weather permitting) and live DJ. Then stay for an after-party with food provided by Chipotle. Cost is \$10 per person.

Spring Cleaner Childcare Reliever

Getting Spring fever? Is the urge to purge the old and bring in the new calling your name? Let us take the kids so you can tackle those spring cleaning projects. We'll enjoy pizza and juice, crafts, games, activities, swimming, and so much more. Saturday, May 13 from 10:00 am — 2:00 pm
Cost is \$10 per child in district and \$11.50 per child out of district. Children must be potty trained.

Kids Garage Sale

Are you done with your spring cleaning and now find yourself with all kinds of used children's toys and other kid odds and ends that you know what to do with? Bring them on over to Park Place for a Kids Garage Sale on Saturday, May 20 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. We will even take care of the advertising and marketing for you!

SPD/PCL Summer Kick-Off

Come and join the Streamwood Park District and the Poplar Creek Library for a summer kick-off celebration. This family-fun free event will take place on Tuesday, June 13 from 6:00-8:00 pm, at Rahlf's Woods. There will be fun activities, games, snacks, and a whole lot more!

Summer Dance Camp

Summer Dance Camp - jazz, tap, ballet or hip hop - is a fun alternative to the traditional day camp. Kids get the camp experience with games, field trips, and swim days while also learning new dance skills and fun choreography. Each camp runs June 5 through August 4, and put on a family showcase on the last Friday's session.

Streamwood Stride 5K/10K/Kiddie Run



Join us for the 19th annual Streamwood Stride 5K/10K/Kiddie Run on Saturday, June 10 at 8:00 am, followed by a pancake breakfast. Register by June 4 - 5K/10K \$30 per participant; Kiddie Run (ages 3-7 years old) \$7 per participant. Cost includes a race t-shirt and admission to pancake breakfast. Pancake breakfast cost for non-participants is \$3 (ages 3-10) and \$5 (ages 11 and older). Race day volunteers are always wanted!



Streamwood Park District

For questions or to register for any of the above events, please contact the Registration Department at 630.483.3025 or visit online at www.SPDCARES.com.

Library News



Poplar Creek Public Library

Your Best Garage Sale Yet!

Do you want your next garage sale to be your best? On Monday, May 15 at 7:00 pm, Beth Randall will show you how to price your sale items, how to get the crowds to come to your sale, and most importantly, how to get the customers to make a purchase!

Sueños Latin Jazz



Join us on Sunday, May 21 at 2:00 pm, for Sueños Latin Jazz. Composed of some of Chicago's finest jazz and Latin musicians and led by bassist/composer Steven Hashimoto, the group has been active in Chicago's vital jazz

scene for 10 years and combines jazz improvisation with Latin and Caribbean rhythms.

Summer Reading Program - "The Magic of Reading"

The Poplar Creek Library summer reading program begins on June 5 and runs through July 31. You can begin logging your titles on June 13 and collect prizes along the way! There will be giveaways for children, teens and adults, with grand prize drawings at the end of summer. Look for details in the Poplar Creek summer newsletter – there are lots of "magical" programming planned!



You Can Brew It!

Do you enjoy good quality craft beer? Home brewing is a fun and rewarding hobby that is enjoyed by millions of people all over the world. On Wednesday, June 14 at 7:00 pm, award-winning home brewer Scott Pointon will discuss the equipment, ingredients, brewing process, and resources available to would-be brew masters. Registration required Ages 21 and up.

An Afternoon with Tom Sharpe of Mannheim Steamroller



Join us on Sunday, June 25 at 2:00 pm, for an up close and personal performance with drummer Tom Sharpe of Mannheim Steamroller. Performing his original music, Tom's high energy, passion, emotion, and superb

musicality, leaves audiences nation-wide amazed and inspired!

For questions or to register for any of the above programs please visit www.pclib.org or call 630-837-6800.



Gail Borden Public Library

Dinosaur Giants: An Exhibit from the Sereno Fossil Lab



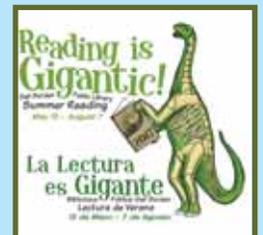
Beginning May 15 through September 24, come to the Gail Borden Library and check out the two-story-tall giant Jobaria, a flying pterosaur with a 16-foot wingspan, and a fierce Suchomimus, who looked like a crocodile with enormous claws. This free exhibit will feature fossils and real dinosaur bones you can touch,

expedition images and a dinosaur theater! The bones of the Dinosaur Giants were discovered in Africa by world-famous University of Chicago paleontologist Dr. Paul Sereno.

The dinosaur fun won't end there! There will be plenty more Gigantic dinosaur fun at the library including: Dinosaur Expedition with Paleontologist Map; Cave Explore Adventure; Build a Dino; Fossil Dig; and Dino Photo Opps!

Reading is Gigantic! Summer Reading Challenge for All Ages

The Gail Borden Library Summer Reading Challenge runs from May 15 – August 17, 2017. Prizes will include a free pool pass, spin of the prize wheel, A Night at the Library Special Event and a chance to win a Family Adventure Grand Prize with a year-long family pass for the Field Museum in Chicago. Get your reading log in person at the Main Library, Rakow Branch or South Elgin Branch or by printing one at home at www.gailborden.info/read2017.



Dinosaur Encounters

On June 7 at 10:00 am, local author and dinosaur expert, Janet Riehecky, will be at the library to discuss the latest theories of how dinosaurs lived. She will present more than 50 fossils and replicas of dinosaur bones, including a 5'7" Apatosaurus femur and a life-size T-Rex foot!

For questions or information on other free dinosaur programs at Gail Borden Library, visit their website at www.gailborden.info/giants.



School News



School District U-46



Art Mollenhauser, with Big Brothers-Big Sisters, and Debra Marton, with Comcast, receive a Proclamation from the Village of Streamwood for **Comcast Cares Day**, at Streamwood High School April 15.

Registration for 2017/18 School Year

Registration for the 2017/18 school year is now open. Parents of new or returning School District U-46 students can register online at www.u-46.org. From the U-46 homepage under "Quick Links," click on the **Infinite Campus Parent Portal** button, and login by entering your username and password. Manual paper registration packets and instructions have been mailed to all U-46 families. If your student is eligible for transportation, please complete online registration by **Wednesday, May 31** in order to guarantee that transportation is available on the first day of school. If you have any questions, please contact your student's school or the U-46 Registration Office at 847-888-5000 ext. 5715.

Explore 2017: A U-46 Community, Curriculum and Career Expo

Save the date for **Explore 2017 - Saturday, October 14** at Elgin Community College! School District U-46 is partnering once again with Alignment Collaborative for Education (ACE) and the Citizens' Advisory Council, to host the third annual **Explore 2017: a U-46 Community, Curriculum and Career Expo**. Explore 2017 is an extraordinary community-supported event that will help students discover their interests and plot out their future in U-46 and beyond. This event will feature U-46 staff and students as well as organizations and local industry experts, leading students in discussion and hands-on activities.

Streamwood High School Graduating Class of 2017

Congratulations to the Streamwood High School Senior Class of 2017 who will be graduating on Saturday, May 27, 2017. The graduation ceremony will begin at 11:00 am, at the Sears Centre Arena, 5333 Prairie Stone Parkway in Hoffman Estates. Best wishes seniors, for a successful future!



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Public Works - Matt Mann, Director | (630) 736-3850 | public_works@streamwood.org

Village Hall Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm | Thursday 8:00 am - 7:00 pm
Community Development Department is open Thursday evenings until 7:00 pm during daylight saving time.

Village Calendar

Date	Time	Event
May		
2	4:00 pm	Adjudication Hearings
4	6:00 pm	Board of Police & Fire Commissioners
4	7:00 pm	Village Board of Trustees Meeting
8	7:00 pm	Community Relations Commission
16	4:00 pm	Adjudication Hearings
16	7:00 pm	Planning & Zoning Board Commission
18	7:00 pm	Village Board of Trustees Meeting
23	7:00 pm	Veterans Memorial Commission
27	4:00 pm	Memorial Day Observance — Candlelight Vigil
28	11:00 am	Memorial Day Ceremony
June		
1	6:00 pm	Board of Fire & Police Commissioners
1	7:00 pm	Village Board of Trustees Meeting
2	7:00 pm	Police Beat 2 Neighborhood Beat Meeting
6	4:00 pm	Adjudication Hearings
6	7:00 pm	Police Beat 4 Neighborhood Beat Meeting
8	7:00 pm	Police Beat 3 Neighborhood Beat Meeting
13	7:00 pm	Natural Resource Conservancy Commission
14	7:00 pm	Police Beat 1 Neighborhood Beat Meeting
15	7:00 pm	Village Board of Trustees Meeting
20	4:00 pm	Adjudication Hearings
20	7:00 pm	Planning & Zoning Board Commission
27	7:00 pm	Veterans Memorial Commission



Mark Your Calendars!
2017 Summer Celebration - MOVIE MAGIC!
 July 28 – 30, 2017 @ Hoosier Grove Park

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