



the Lincolnshire NewsLetter

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Power Outages in Lincolnshire

The Village has received numerous complaints regarding lights flickering, power outages and surges. These outages may be the result of weather conditions, accidents, or equipment failure. The Village is in contact with ComEd officials and is working with them to identify the source of the service interruptions.



Here are steps you can take in the event that you experience an issue with your power:

1. Stay away from any downed power line.
2. Do not call the Police Department to report or inquire about a power outage. When the power goes out, the Telecommunication's Center is swamped with alarm calls and other calls for service. If you do need police assistance or have an emergency, call 9-1-1 for assistance.
3. Call Commonwealth Edison at 1-800-EDISON-1 (1-800-334-7661) to report your outage, flickering, power surge, or downed lines or log on to <http://www.comed.com/customerservice/> to report the outage via the Internet or to view other information about the outage.
5. The Village has set up a special email site to gather information on service interruptions. We ask residents to send an email to electricity-outage@village.lincolnshire.il.us. You should include the following information in your email:

Name, Address, Type of Incident: Outage or surge or flickering,

Date of Incident, Duration of Incident

Contact information (email or phone number) where we may reach you if we have questions about the incident

We will use the information gathered to identify problem areas and will work with ComEd to improve service. Tell your neighbors!

Spring Cleanup, Saturday, April 25th



Start preparing now for the Annual Spring Cleanup. It will be held on Saturday, April 25th.

Residents may put out household goods with the exception of "white goods" (appliances), household chemical waste and landscape waste. Items such as carpeting or lumber must be bundled in lengths not more than four feet long and two feet in diameter. All items must be of such a size that one person can lift them. All goods must be placed at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on the morning of the pickup. Residents may begin placing items at the curb after 7:00 p.m. the night before.

Recent Board Action

At its Regular Village Board Meeting of March 9, 2009 the Village Board of Trustees approved the following:

- An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 95-1401-31, which granted a Planned Unit Development and an Ordinance Granting a Special Use for the addition of children's art and entertainment studios for Catnip Productions in the Village Green of Lincolnshire Retail Center
- An Ordinance Making Appropriations to Defray All Necessary Expenses and Liabilities of the Village of Lincolnshire, Lake County, Illinois, for the Fiscal Year Beginning the First day of January, 2009 and Ending the 31st day of December, 2009
- A Resolution for Maintenance of Streets and Highways by Municipality Under the Illinois Highway Code - January 1, 2009 to December 31, 2009
- A Master Agreement Between the County of Lake and the Village of Lincolnshire for Energy Costs, Maintenance Costs and Future Costs Associated with County-Owned Traffic Control Devices.
- The lowest responsible bid in the amount of \$96,884 from Schaumburg Landscaping and Maintenance for the Corridor Enhancement at Milwaukee/Olde Half Day Road.
- An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1, Title 8 of the Village Code, Village Parks: Canoe Launch Rack Permit (Village of Lincolnshire)



The Mayor and Board of Trustees: Back row - Trustee Gary Walrath, Trustee Harry Walder Jr., Trustee Dan Servi and Trustee David Saltiel, Front row - Trustee Tom McDonough, Mayor Brett Blomberg, and Trustee Elizabeth Brandt

Reminder!

Commercial landscape contractors are prohibited from working in the Village of Lincolnshire on Sundays. Village residents and property owners who utilize the services of professional landscaping companies should inform their landscape providers that they are not permitted to work on Sundays in Lincolnshire.



Hydrant Flushing

The Village Water Department will be flushing fire hydrants throughout the Water Distribution System this month. Flushing will be done intermittently from 10:00 p.m. to 6:30 a.m. between April 12th and April 16th; April 19th and April 23rd; and April 26th and April 30th. The flushing of the fire hydrants serves several purposes: it cleans the pipe lines throughout the system, increases the amount of flow capacity, and allows department personnel to inspect the operation of each hydrant.

Please refrain from washing laundry during these hours as clothing could become stained. Residents with water softeners should also check the cycle time of their softeners so that the units do not regenerate during this time period.

If you have any questions regarding this program, please call the Wendy Moderhack at 847-913-2380.



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No Police Department is an Island



The old adage that says "The sum of the parts is greater than the whole" is so true in the area of current law enforcement. To this end, the Lincolnshire Police Department is a member of numerous regional task forces which handle everything from searches to murder investigations. The beauty of these arrangements is found in both the tremendous cost savings, but also in the extraordinary high level of training and expertise the members of these task forces bring to the table. In Lake County for example, the largest departments, the Lake County Sheriff's Office and the Waukegan Police Department, as well as smaller departments like Riverwoods and Hainesville, are all members of one or more of these task forces. The philosophy of the Lincolnshire Police Department is to take advantage of these resource-sharing situations whenever possible. Below are the various task forces or Intergovernmental Cooperatives of which the Lincolnshire Police Department is a member:

The Central Lake County Radio Network (CLCRN)

This radio network comprises the Lincolnshire, Libertyville, Mundelein and Vernon Hills Police Departments. The network was formed in the 70's through a federal grant which helps fund the establishment of the radio system covering these four communities. This network comprises the "main" police radio frequency for the agencies. While we all have numerous other frequencies available, the advantage to the main frequency is that we can all hear what is going on in the other communities, which makes our job more effective and efficient.

Northeast Illinois Regional Crime Laboratory (NIRCL)

This crime lab currently has 44 member Police Departments and was also formed back in the 70's. Lincolnshire has been a member since the inception of the Crime Lab. The crime lab handles all of the evidence and forensics analysis, for the Lincolnshire Police Department, much like on CSI. The Lincolnshire Police Department submits more than 1,000 pieces of evidence annually for analysis.

Northern Illinois Police Alarm System (NIPAS)

NIPAS was formed in 1987 and currently has about 100 member agencies, which come from all the Chicago collar counties. There are three components of NIPAS: The Emergency Services Team, which is the Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) component; the Mobile Field Force Team which is the crowd control component; and the Car Plan, which is the mutual aid component utilized for any event or situation where additional officers are needed in a short period of time.

Illinois Law Enforcement Alarm System (ILEAS)

This is basically the same as the NIPAS mutual aid system described above, but covers the entire state of Illinois. ILEAS was formed shortly after the devastating attack of 9/11 and within a short period of time hundreds of Police Officers could be on-site providing whatever assistance is needed.

Major Crash Assistance Team of Lake County (MCAT)

This task force is comprised of 34 member agencies. MCAT is a team of highly trained police officers capable of in-depth accident investigation and accident reconstruction. The team would be called out for any major crash, fatal crash, or a crash involving a police car. Formed four years ago, this team has been called out to investigate many of the major crashes in the area that we read about in the paper. Chances are if it was a significant crash, MCAT was there.

Lake County Major Crime Task Force (LCMCTF)

The Major Crimes Task Force was developed about 18 years ago when there was an increasing need to have a highly trained group of investigators ready at a phone call to aid a stricken agency in a major criminal investigation. The Task Force, now comprised of 34 police agencies, responds to murder investigations, officer-involved shootings, and a myriad of other crimes against persons and other heinous crimes. A component of this Task Force created and made operational in 2009 is the Child Abduction Response Team (CART). In the event of a child abduction, the CART team would immediately respond and assist the home agency with a rapid deployment of Investigators to begin searching and investigating the abduction. This team would augment the AMBER-Alert system currently in place through the State police.

Metropolitan Enforcement Group of Lake County (MEG)

MEG is the countywide drug investigation unit. This unit is comprised of men and women from 29 area Police Departments. Also on the team are members from the FBI, ATF, Lake County States Attorney's office and State Police. This elite unit conducts undercover and covert drug investigations, sting operations, warrant sweeps and training for the Police Departments. Per the agreement, if a Police Department has 25 or more sworn officers, they are required to commit a person full time to the unit. If a department has less than 25 sworn officers, the department is required to make an annual financial contribution to the unit. As we all know, drug transactions and associated crimes have no jurisdictional boundaries, so this unit makes "Lake County" a better place to live and raise our families by dealing with it on a county-wide basis.

The Village of Lincolnshire's involvement in these various Task Forces help to ensure that the Police Department stays on the cutting edge of law enforcement, criminal investigation, and public safety. If you want to learn more about these task forces or have any questions, please contact Chief of Police Randy Melvin at 847-913-2341 or Rmelvin@village.lincolnshire.il.us.

Citizen of the Year

In keeping with a 27-year tradition recognizing an individual for outstanding service to the community, the Lincolnshire Community Association (LCA) is now accepting nominations for its annual Citizen of the Year Award. Each year, many service organizations in the Village of Lincolnshire are fortunate to have diligent volunteers who provide countless hours of service.

LCA invites residents to take this opportunity to nominate someone who has made a significant contribution to Lincolnshire. This is a community award to recognize, thank and honor those around us who make the quiet, generous contributions that make Lincolnshire a wonderful place to call home.

The Citizen of the Year nominee should be a resident who has volunteered his or her time in one or more community organization during the past year and has contributed to the overall good of the Village without monetary gain.

Please email all nominations to: July4th@lincolnshirecommunity.com

Congratulations Stephanie!

We would like to congratulate Stephanie Gould, Recreation Supervisor, on her achievement of Certified Park and Recreation Professional. Stephanie serves as the Recreation Supervisor for the Village where she coordinates existing recreation programs and develops new programs. Stephanie came to work for the Village as an intern while completing her bachelor's degree in recreation from Western Illinois University in 2004.



Professional certification signifies that an individual possesses the level of knowledge necessary for public practice. The National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA) offers the Certified Park and Recreation Profession (CPRP) program for professionals in the field. The CPRP designation is granted to individuals employed in the recreation, park resources and leisure services profession who have met high standards of performance. In order to achieve CPRP status, applicants must meet minimum qualifications and successfully complete the national examination.

Flood Insurance

The Des Plaines River, Indian Creek, Lincolnshire Creek, and the West Branch of the North Fork of the Chicago River are beautiful assets that our residents enjoy. These bodies of water can unleash a destructive force, capable of destroying homes and their contents. However, all areas are susceptible to flooding to varying degrees. In fact, 25% of all flood claims occur in the low-to-moderate risk areas. Flooding can be caused by heavy rains, melting snow, by inadequate drainage systems, failed protective devices such as levees and dams, as well as by tropical storms and hurricanes.

Residents can protect their homes against flooding in many ways. One option is to purchase low-cost flood insurance available through the National Flood Insurance Program.

Regular insurance policies do not cover damage due to floods since they are known hazards. If your house is located in a regulated flood plain (Special Flood Hazard Area), and is financed through a lending institution that is federally regulated or federally insured, then you MUST purchase flood insurance. Insurance may be purchased through your personal insurance agent or company. You can protect your home up to \$250,000 for the structure and \$100,000 for its contents.

Green Building

The Green Building movement is gaining momentum with the recent approval of The National Green Building Standard, ICC-700 by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). The Green Building Standard provides builders and government agencies with guidance for safe and sustainable building practices for residential construction. Some of the key areas of this approved standard are in lot design, rainwater collection, energy conservation, and homeowner education.

The new Standard could help the Village to evaluate and measure the performance of a project based on many existing systems such as the International Energy Conservation Code, the LEED rating system, Energy Star, and others.

You can participate in the Green Movement very easily, starting with some of the new LED lighting options now available for home use. LED lighting provides a longer lasting light than compact fluorescents and uses even less energy for the same amount of light. Rain water collection is also an easy first step in conserving resources. By using collection barrels to store rain water for use in watering lawns, gardens, or washing your car, you will have chlorine free, naturally softened water that can even lower your water bill.

We at the Village will be listening to our residents and keeping up with the developments in the Green Building movement to help maintain ongoing safe and sustainable construction.

Consolidated Election on Tuesday, April 7th

Candidates

There are three candidates running for three, four year Trustee seats in the Consolidated Election to be held on Tuesday, April 7th: Incumbent Elizabeth Brandt, Incumbent David Saltiel, and Write-in Candidate Karen Feldman.



Early Voting

Early voting is offered to any eligible voter, without reason (i.e. not required to be absent, physically disabled, etc.).

Early Voting in the Consolidated Election of April 7th began on Monday, March 16th, and runs through Thursday, **April 2nd**. Voters are required to present a valid Illinois driver's license, an Illinois identification card issued by the Secretary of State, or any other government-issued identification document containing their photograph, name and address.

You can "Early Vote" at the Vernon Township Building, 3050 N. Main Street, Buffalo Grove, IL 60089, Telephone # 847-234-0802 on Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on Saturday between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Contact the Lake County Clerk's office at 847-377-2828 for times if you wish to Early Vote at the Lake County Building.

Absentee Voting

Although we are past the deadline you should keep in mind that individuals qualified to vote by Absentee ballot may make application for a ballot to the election authority by mail not more than 40 nor less than five days before each election. Applications may be made and ballots voted in person not more than 40 nor less than one day before the election. Call the Lake County Clerk's Office at 847-377-2400 for more information.

Candidate Signage

The Village Code regulates the size of political signs. The maximum size for political signs is six square feet, which is the size of a standard 2 x 3 foot sign, and they cannot be any higher than four feet off the ground.

All political signs must be removed within two days after an election. The election is on Tuesday, April 7th this year, so they should be taken down by Thursday, April 9th. Since the wastehaulers come through the Village on Wednesday, April 8th, it's a good idea to take the signs out of your yard and put them at the curb at the same time you put out your waste and recycleables.

Signs must be placed on private property with the consent of the homeowner. Private property typically begins fifteen feet from the roadway. Rights-of-way along roads such as Riverwoods Road, Route 22, and Milwaukee Avenue are not private property. Any signage along these roadways must be placed on private property with the consent of the homeowners. **Any signage not meeting this criteria will be removed by the Village staff.**

Memorial Day Service

On Monday, May 25th, at 10:00 a.m., in North Park, the Village will be recognizing the dedication and sacrifices of our veterans and current armed forces personnel with a Memorial Day service. We would request your assistance in extending a special invitation to all veterans and men and women in Lincolnshire who are currently serving in the armed forces. If you are, or know of, a veteran or man or woman serving in the armed forces who resides in the Village, please call Kimberly Jurco at 847-913-2360 and let her know. We would like to send an invitation to these special people. Check the May issue of the Lincolnshire NewsLetter for more information on our Memorial Day Service.



Nature's Edge

Be mindful of protective parents!

Spring is a special and important time for wildlife – new offspring arrive. We need to be aware of these new additions to our community and be respectful of their needs.

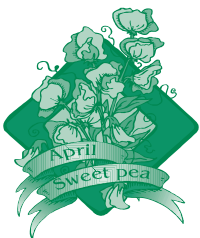


Wildlife tend to be frightened by humans and your presence near their newborns can elicit a wide variety of responses. For instance, if you walk upon a mother deer with her fawn, she may run away and often leave her new fawn for several days at a time. Don't be alarmed if you see a fawn without its mother. Don't try to feed it or touch it. It will be fine and she will come back for it. Mother and father birds will often fly at you to push you back away from their nest or they will fly away from the nest to distract you and get you to follow them.

In April coyotes will give birth to their pups. Coyotes are very territorial and the presence of your dog in their territory may elicit a protective response. Keep in mind, pets are not allowed in Village parks, natural areas or Nature Preserves and if you are walking your dog on the bike path or down the street, be sure it is on its leash. A loose dog in coyote territory - especially one that has new pups - signals a threat.



Spring is an exciting time. We are happy to be outside walking through our neighborhoods and parks. Let's also be careful to recognize what is going on around us and be respectful of the new offspring of our woodland neighbors.



Garden Spot

Celebrity Plant of the Month is Baptisia australis, or Blue Wild Indigo.



This native perennial is considered a “cut-back” shrub, meaning that it fills a shrub-sized space in the summer garden, but dies back after the first hard frost. It has delicate blue-green foliage and beautiful indigo blue, pea-like flowers that bloom on tall spikes in June. When in bloom, the flowers attract butterflies; once the flowers fade, black fruit pods are formed, adding another dimension of interest to the late summer garden. These pods are often used in dried flower arrangements. Plant Baptisia in a spot that has good drainage, full sun or part shade, and plenty of room for its 3' to 4' height and 3' width.

Gardening Tip of the Month: Forget the phosphorus!

As Village residents gear up for the new growing season, they or their landscape contractors will be applying fertilizers to lawns and planting beds. All fertilizer packaging displays a series of three numbers, such as 10-10-10. These numbers indicate the percentage of the three macronutrients-nitrogen/phosphorus/potash-which most fertilizers contains, and always in that order. While all plants require these nutrients to complete their growing cycles, our soils contain sufficient amounts of phosphorus to supply them with their seasonal dose. In addition, the excess phosphorus, which the plants do not use, percolates through the soil and into the groundwater, polluting fresh water resources. Phosphorus free fertilizers are readily available from many wholesale and retail garden supply centers. The Village is requesting that all residents contact these suppliers or direct their landscape contractors to find and use fertilizers that are phosphorus free.

By eliminating an unnecessary fertilizer chemical, everyone can contribute to better water quality. Remember: the middle number on the fertilizer packaging should read “0”!

Canoe Launch Rack at Rivershire Park

The Village has a canoe rack at Rivershire Park that is available to residents for seasonal storage of canoes. The rack holds six boats and facilitates easy access to the Des Plaines River during the summer months. If you have a canoe, kayak or other small boat and you wish to store it at Rivershire Park next to the canoe launch from May 1st to October 31st, you can purchase a permit at the Village Hall for \$50.00. If you are interested in a weekend permit, that option is available for \$5.00.

For more information contact Lydia Scott at 847-913-2361.

Red Means Closed, Green Means Open

Soon it will be time to play on the fields at North Park. The flag under the United States flag, at the entrance to the park, indicates whether the fields are open for play. The red flag, flying under the U.S. flag, means that the fields are closed. The green flag, flying under the U.S. flag, means the fields are open for play.

These flags are provided as a quick way of identifying whether the park is open for play simply by driving by the park. You can also call the North Park Hot Line at 847-913-2375 to get an update on field conditions each day.

Tree City USA & Growth Awards

The Village of Lincolnshire has just been recognized as a Tree City USA for its twentieth consecutive year. To become a Tree City, a community must meet four standards: it must have an active Forestry Department, a community tree ordinance, a comprehensive forest management plan, and an Arbor Day observance.



Lincolnshire also received the Tree City Growth Award. This is the seventeenth year that the village has received this distinction. The Growth Award recognizes a community's commitment to improving the awareness and quality of municipal tree care practices.

Both awards are provided by the National Arbor Day Foundation, in cooperation with the National Association of State Foresters.

Arbor Day Activities

In 1872, a pioneer by the name of J. Sterling Morton proposed a tree-planting holiday that he called "Arbor Day." Morton, originally from Michigan, was a Nebraska Territory pioneer who realized the numerous benefits that trees could provide for people living on the treeless central plains of America. Morton's idea spread rapidly, and in 1885 the state of Nebraska declared Arbor Day an official holiday. Many other states quickly followed suit, and today Arbor Day is a national holiday that is observed in most states on the last Friday of April.

This year Arbor Day falls on Friday, April 24th. In recognition of the importance of trees and nature, the Village will be holding an Arbor Day tree planting demonstration at Memorial Park (located at the southeast corner of the Riverwoods Road and Half Day Road intersection). The Arbor Day tree planting will take place at 2:00 pm. The Village Forester will be on hand to share interesting information about trees and Arbor Day. We look forward to seeing you there.

If you have any questions about this year's Arbor Day activities, please contact Tony Gliot, the Village Forester, at 847-913-2315.

Garage Sales

A Garage Sale Permit must be obtained from the Department of Community Development no less than 48 hours prior to the start of any garage sale. There is a \$50.00 refundable deposit required for the Garage Sale Permit, and the permit process will provide the Village the ability to better track the location and frequency of such sales. The permit will also outline all applicable regulations which must be followed in the conduct of such garage sales.

The number of allowable garage sales at each residence is no more than two (2) in any calendar year. In addition, off-site directional signs to direct buyers to the location of the garage sale are permitted. There are regulations limiting the number and specifying the placement of signs. This information can be obtained through the Department of Community Development.

The Village is permitting these garage sales on a trial basis, dependent upon the compliance rate with these regulations. Penalties will be assessed against anyone leaving off-site directional signs displayed past 6:00 p.m. Please be respectful of your neighbors and maintain the beautiful entrances to Lincolnshire's wonderful neighborhoods!

Spring & Tornadoes

The snow may be on its last legs, but just around the corner is tornado season. While there is little you can do to minimize property damage, you can save your life by knowing what to do.

A Severe Thunderstorm Watch means that severe weather is a possibility. **A Severe Thunderstorm Warning** means that severe weather is in the immediate area. **A Tornado Watch** means that conditions are present which could produce a tornado. **A Tornado Warning** means that a tornado has been sighted and that you should be ready to take shelter. Tornadoes are accompanied by hail, thunderstorms and wind.

During potentially severe weather keep tuned to a radio station that gives frequent weather updates for your area. If a tornado threatens Lincolnshire you will hear the emergency warning sirens. **Take shelter immediately.**

If a tornado has been sighted, take cover in the safest place possible. If you have a basement, go there and avoid windows and chimneys. Hide under a stairwell or heavy furniture. Cover your head. If you live in a split-level home, go to the lowest level.

If you don't have a basement, go to the central portion of the building, to an interior closet or hallway, away from windows. You should have a flashlight and battery-operated radio with you as well as your keys.

If lightning strikes try to get inside a home, building or vehicle, or go to a low place such as a ravine or ditch. Avoid using the telephone, if possible. Do not stand in small sheds or other small structures in open areas.

Avoid tall, isolated trees in open areas. Don't stand so that you project above the surrounding landscape. Stay away from open water, and avoid golf carts and clubs, motorcycles, bicycles, wire fences, metal pipes, rails or other metallic items which could carry lightning to you from some distance away.

Thanks For Volunteering Your Time!



April 19th through April 25th is National Volunteer Week. Lincolnshire is a community where saying “yes, I’ll help” is a tradition. Each year volunteers save the community thousands of dollars by taking over duties that provide services to our residents that would not be possible without them. If LCA didn’t have volunteers, there would probably be no 4th of July festivities; if the Greater Lincolnshire Chamber of Commerce didn’t have volunteers, it would be impossible to have the Taste of Lincolnshire and if Spring Lake Sports League didn’t exist, how would our children learn and experience team play? The money raised by many of the organizations in the Village would not be possible without volunteers. We want to extend our sincere appreciation to all the Board members and volunteers of the various organizations in the Village who continually “give back” to the Village. The same holds true for your municipal government. Lincolnshire residents have come forward year after year to volunteer to participate on the Village’s various Boards and Task Forces. We want to take this opportunity to thank the residents of Lincolnshire who served the Village this year. Your community service is greatly appreciated.

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Explorer Eric Peterson
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Advisor Jamie Watson

Village Parks and Natural Areas

Marj Lund, Volunteer Steward
Botanic Garden
Indian Creek Watershed Project Ltd
Friends of the Chicago River
Upper Des Plaines River
Ecosystem Partnership
North Branch Chicago River
Ecosystem Partnership
Chicago Wilderness
U.S. Department of Agriculture

All of these residents who serve Lincolnshire in so many ways receive no remuneration with the exception of the Village Treasurer who receives a very small stipend. They do it because of their dedication to our community. All of them deserve a big thank you from Lincolnshire residents for the efforts they put forth on your behalf. This list shows residents who are currently volunteering their efforts. We wish to acknowledge Larry LaLuzerne, Village Prosecutor, who volunteered his time for the Peer Jury, and Ms. Eileen Itkin who served as Chairperson on the Zoning Board.

Thank You Very Much!!!!

Community Calendar



Boy Scout Troop 78 is having a "Learning about Scouting Night" on April 20th, 7:15 p.m. at the Community Christian Church in Lincolnshire, 1970 Riverwoods Road. Any boy 5th grade and older interested should attend with a parent.

Village Club of Lincolnshire presents its Spring Luncheon, "Bringing the Community A Little Closer" on Thursday, May 14 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Di Pescara located in Northbrook Court. Celebrate a fantastic year with Village Club. Dine with your friends, meet new ones, relax, and enjoy great food! Lunch will include two family style appetizers, a choice of three main entrees, a delicious "Duo" dessert and a mimosa. A cash wine bar will be available. Lunch is \$30 for members and \$34 for non-members/guests. Reservations are due by Thursday, May 7th. Members will also vote on the new board for 2009-2010 and say bravo to the outgoing board. Fun raffle prizes too! For more information contact Teresa Abascal, Vice President, Village Club of Lincolnshire, at 847-945-5084.

Community Christian Church invites everyone to take part in these special events during Lent: Palm Sunday, April 5th, 8:00 a.m. informal service, 10:00 a.m. service features "Children's Parade with Palms"; Prayer Service for Maundy Thursday on April 9th at 7:00 p.m.; Open Sanctuary for Good Friday Meditation on April 10th from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Community Easter Egg Hunt & Carnival on April 11th from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.; Celebrating the good news Easter Sunday on April 12th at worship services, 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m., with breakfast at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Please contact the church office or Pastor Kory Wilcoxson at 8547-945-8824.

Lincolnshire Swim Club has memberships available! Summer is just around the corner! Join any time before opening day, May 23, 2009 and the initiation fee will be waived! That's an \$800 savings! Please call Swim Club Membership Director, Jenni Halverson at 847-383-5226 for more information

Lutheran Church of the Holy Spirit - Beginning with Palm/Passion Sunday the Church invites the community to join it. Palm Sunday processions begin at 8:30 and 10:45 a.m. on Sunday, April 5. Maundy Thursday observance of the Last Supper is celebrated with worship at 7:30 p.m. Good Friday, April 10, offers a special children's service at 11:00 a.m. focusing on the Passion Story. The traditional Good Friday Service of Darkness is set for 7:30 p.m. Easter Sunday celebrations with brass, bells, choirs and more are offered at 8:30 and 10:45 a.m. with the great Easter Breakfast offered between services.

Lincolnshire Community Nursery School is registering new students now for 2009-2010 Preschool! LCNS offers Parent and Tot, On My Own, Threes, Fours, Kindergarten Enrichment classes and other programs. This is NAEYC-accredited education that prepares young students for that next step. LCNS, 30 Riverwoods Road, Lincolnshire, IL, 60069. For information, registration and tours, call 847-945-1450.

Food Pantry Donations Welcome - COOL Food Pantry in Waukegan is the largest food pantry in Lake County and continues to see a more than 20% increase in demand for its services over last year. **Lutheran Church of the Holy Spirit** collects hunger offerings and food offerings every month to support this and two other hunger programs. Your support and donations are appreciated. Donations may be made at the church, 30 Riverwoods Road.

Do you have a question, suggestion, advice or comments about Lincolnshire?

Your elected officials welcome them! Please detach and return this form to Village Manager Bob Irvin, Village of Lincolnshire, One Olde Half Day Road, Lincolnshire, IL 60069 (or drop it in the collection box in the circle in front of the Village Hall). Please provide your name, address and telephone number if you require a response.

Name _____ Telephone _____

Important Information

- **Dumping in drainage ditches and detention basins** is prohibited by Village Code. A fine will be assessed to anyone in violation. Questions? Call Rob Horne, Engineering Supervisor, at 847-913-2366.
- **Waste Management North is the single waste hauler for most residents in Lincolnshire.** If you have questions or problems, the waste hauler can be reached at 00-796-9696 or 630-724-8400. However, if you are a member of a Homeowners' Association, your home is not necessarily covered by Waste Management North. Check with your Homeowners' Association for more information.
- **If you have any old major appliances you wish to discard, call Environmental Field Service at 800-480-4337.** This service will collect these appliances for a fee that is much lower than what Waste Management North would charge.
- **Problems with Comcast Broadband Cable?** Call its Customer Service Department at 866-594-1234. **Comcast Internet** - call 888-262-6300, and **Comcast Telephone** - call 800-266-2278. **Unburied cable?** If you don't get satisfaction, contact Carol Marshall at the Village of Lincolnshire - 847-913-2334.
- **North Park Hot Line** - On days with questionable weather, call the North Park Hot Line for field conditions at 847-913-2375.
- **Drop Mail Box at the Village Hall** - If you need to mail something to the Village, it might be easier (and less expensive) to drop it off at the Village Hall. There is a "Drop Box" in the circle at the front of the Village Hall, One Olde Half Day Road. Staff checks it daily.
- **Flood Insurance Rate Maps** - The FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps are available at the Village Hall for public review. Call Rob Horne, Engineering Supervisor, at 847-913-2366.
- **Flood Information Available** - Technical advice on how to protect your home from flooding is available at the Village Hall. Come in to view available resources, or call Rob Horne, Engineering Supervisor, at 847-913-2366.
- **Benchmarks Available** - The Village of Lincolnshire has obtained elevation reference marks (benchmarks) for several locations throughout the Village. If you plan to have survey work done, or are interested in knowing the elevation of the marker closest to your property, please call Rob Horne, Engineering Supervisor, at 847-913-2366.

Recreation News E-mail Group - Are you interested in being informed about the latest and greatest recreation programs or activities being offered by the Village? If so, e-mail Stephanie Gould, Recreation Supervisor, with your name, address and e-mail address, and ask to be added to the Recreation News Group. She is setting up an e-mail group to keep those interested on top of all the new programs that the Village is offering! Send your request to sgould@village.lincolnshire.il.us.

Meeting Rebroadcasts

All Regular Village Board Meetings, Committee of the Whole Meetings, Architectural Review Board Meetings, Park Board Meetings and Zoning Board Meetings are broadcast live on the Village's government access cable channel #10 on the date and time shown on the Village Meetings Calendar. All Regular Village Board Meetings, Committee of the Whole Meetings, and Park Board Meetings are rebroadcast the Thursday following the meeting at 9:00 a.m. All Architectural Review Board and Zoning Board Meetings will be rebroadcast on the Friday following the meeting at 9:00 a.m. If any "special" meetings are broadcast, we will let you know when the meeting will be rebroadcast.

You can also view or listen to meetings at any time of the day or night by going to our website, www.village.lincolnshire.il.us and clicking "*Videos and Audios of Recent Board Meetings*" (found on the front page of the website). Then click on "*Village Board Meetings*" and select the Board meeting which you are interested in watching. If you need help, contact Carol Marshall at 847-913-2334, and she will walk you through it.

Village Meetings Calendar



April, 2009

April 1, Wednesday

April Fool's Day

April 6, Monday

Special Architectural Review Board Mtg.

April 12, Sunday

Easter Sunday

April 13, Monday

Regular Village Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Committee of the Whole Mtg. - follows VBMtg.

April 14, Tuesday

Zoning Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.

April 20, Monday

Park Board Mtg. - 7:30 p.m.

April 21, Tuesday

Architectural Review Bd. Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.

April 22, Wednesday

Earth Day

April 27, Monday

Regular Village Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Committee of the Whole Mtg. - follows VBMtg.

May, 2009

May 10 Sunday

Mother's Day

May 11, Monday

Town Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Regular Village Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Committee of the Whole Mtg. - follows VBMtg.

May 12, Tuesday

Zoning Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.

May 16, Saturday

Armed Forces Day

May 18, Monday

Park Board Mtg. - 7:30 p.m.

May 19, Tuesday

Architectural Review Bd. Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.

May 20, Wednesday

Lshire Council of Presidents - 7:30 p.m.

May 25, Monday

Memorial Day (Village offices are closed)

May 26, Tuesday

Regular Village Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Committee of the Whole Mtg. - follows VBMtg.

Police & Fire Telephone Numbers

Police, Fire and Medical

Emergency 911
Lincolnshire Village Hall 847-883-8600
Police Adm. Offices 847-883-9900
E-Mail - rmelvin@village.lincolnshire.il.us

Lincolnshire-Riverwoods Fire

847-634-2512
E-Mail - fkruger@lrfpd.org
(Incorporated Lincolnshire only, phone and TDD)

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