

# Village Views

**AUGUST-SEPTEMBER 2019** 



# A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

Dear Residents:

The Lake Villa Police Department would like to advise residents of our Community Policing Program. This program is designed to promote a partnership and facilitate communication between the residents and the police department. The Lake Villa Police Department wants to give the citizens a contact within the department that they can use for non-emergency reasons. Each subdivision is assigned a neighborhood police officer that the resident can contact. You can ask questions, report activity (speeding vehicles, graffiti, extra patrol requests, etc.), give anonymous tips regarding criminal or suspicious behavior, or other general concerns. This program is not meant for in progress or emergency situations. Please call 9-1-1 for emergency assistance or 847-356-6106 for non-emergency.

Below is a list of the subdivisions and the police officer that is assigned to that area. You can reach the officer by email or by calling 847-356-6106 and leaving a message at their extension. Please understand the officer may not be working so it may be a few days before he/she is able to return your message. If you do not live in a subdivision, Sgt. Tisinai is your assigned officer. If you have any general questions about the program, please contact Sgt. Tisinai at ext 401 or e-mail listed below.

Subdivision Police O	fficer Name/Phone Extensi	on E-mail
Painted Lakes	Ofc. Dreyer ext 437	ldreyer@lake-villa.org
Oakland Ridge	Ofc. Dreyer ext 437	ldreyer@lake-villa.org
North Shore on Deep Lake	Ofc. Dreyer ext 437	ldreyer@lake-villa.org
Pineview Estates	Ofc. Dionne ext 406	rdionne@lake-villa.org
Cedar Crossing	Sgt. Tisinai ext. 401	rtisinai@lake-villa.org
Deep Lake Shores	Sgt. Tisinai ext. 401	rtisinai@lake-villa.org
Ishnala Estates	Sgt. Tisinai ext. 401	rtisinai@lake-villa.org
Winddance	Ofc. Grindley ext 423	cgrindley@lake-villa.org
Savanna Springs	Ofc. Dvorak ext 222	tdvorak@lake-villa.org
Woodhill Estates	Ofc. Dvorak ext 222	tdvorak@lake-villa.org
Ishnala Country Estates	Ofc. Dvorak ext 222	tdvorak@lake-villa.org
Amber Field Lakes	Ofc. Dvorak ext 222	tdvorak@lake-villa.org
Prairie Trail	Ofc. Kelly ext.422	skelly@lake-villa.org
Northwood Trail	Ofc. Kelly ext.422	skelly@lake-villa.org
Cedar Ridge Estates	Ofc. Kelly ext422	skelly@lake-villa.org

Have a safe and happy summer! Respectfully,

Jim McDonald Mayor





#### AROUND THE VILLAGE

#### VETERANS FUN RUN BOOT CAMP 5K

Please join the Lake Villa Police Department and ICOPS at our "Veteran's Fun Run Boot Camp" 5k on Saturday August 24th at 9:00am. All proceeds from this event will benefit the Midwest Veterans Closet, where active military and veterans from Lake County and surrounding areas can shop for free. This event is a 5k run/walk with some fun "boot camp" exercises along the course that you can do with active military! This is a family friendly event and everyone is invited to come out and enjoy the festivities. Veterans and active military can participate free of charge!

The event will be held at Loffredo Park and the course will loop around the beautiful scenic trail of the Lehmann Mansion. Runners and walkers of all ages are welcome. See our registration page veteransfunrunbootcamp.com for more information or see our police department facebook page.

#### **3RD SATURDAY MARKET**

The Lake Villa Historical Society and Village of Lake Villa will be hosting 3rd Saturday Market. The events will be held in the train station parking lot on the 3rd Saturday of June through September. The next events will be July 20th, August 17th, and September 21st. Vendors and residents can rent a space to sell items.

Registration will be through Lake Villa Historical Society. For more information visit www.lakevillahistory.com or e-mail lvhs@lake-villa.org

#### **ONLINE UTILITY BILLING SYSTEM**

Did you know that you can now view your utility bill and billing history online at www. lake-villa.org? To access your account, you will need the account number listed on your bill. If you don't have a billing statement handy, call the Village Hall for assistance.

While online, you may also pay your utility bill via an e-check or credit card. Residents and business owners may also sign up for auto debit to have their bill automatically debited from their account on the due date.

#### FOLLOW THE VILLAGE ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter for news and updates:





# WATER & SEWER E-BILLING

To receive an electronic bill instead of a paper bill, please call the Village Hall at (847) 356-6100, or send an email to webmaster@lake-villa.org to enroll. When emailing your request, please include your name, account number, and home address.

## EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

The Village subscribes to "Regroup" an emergency notification system. If you want to make sure you will be notified of emergencies such as weather and water main break issues, be sure to visit the Village website www.lake-villa.org and click on "Regroup" at the bottom of the home page. You will then be able to create a log in and then enter your contact information. If you need assistance signing up, please contact Village Hall.

#### **OPEN BURNING**

Pursuant to Village Ordinance, open burning is prohibited within the corporate limits of the Village. The open burning ban includes leaves, yard waste, garbage, and tires. Residents conducting an open burn in violation of this Ordinance may be ticketed.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### **SWIMMING POOL GUIDLINES:**

Chlorinated water discharged directly to surface waters (wetlands, lakes, streams, and rivers), roadways or storm sewers has an adverse impact on local water quality and wildlife. High concentrations of chlorine, as are present in swimming pools, are toxic to wildlife and fish. Appropriate preparations should be made prior to draining a pool. It is recommended that one of the following measures be used:

De-chlorinate the water in the pool prior to draining. This can be done through mechanical or chemical means. These types of products are readily available at local stores. Or, drain the pool over a period of several days across your lawn using the following additional guidelines:

- 1) Allow pool water to sit at least 2 days while receiving a reasonable amount of sunlight, and without further addition of chlorine or bromine. It is recommended that the chlorine level be tested after 2 days to ensure that safe levels are met (below 0.1 mg/l).
- 2) Pool discharge should be directed across your lawn, not down your driveway or into nearby storm sewer inlets. The storm sewer system leads directly to wetlands, streams, lakes or rivers.

These recommendations are based on guidance from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. Visit www.epa.state. il.us/water for additional information.

#### **BRANCH PICKUP**

Waste Management will be collecting branches on your normal garbage day. Branches must be bundled and tied together in no longer than four foot lengths and should not weigh more than fifty pounds. An unlimited amount of bundles may be placed at your curb for collection.

#### YARD WASTE STICKERS

Do you have yard waste to dispose of? Yard waste stickers are now available in the Village Hall. Stickers are \$2.22 each. Note that only cash or checks can be accepted.

Just place your yardwaste in Kraft style yardwaste bags, place the sticker on the bag, and leave at your curb. Waste Management will pick it up on your normal garbage day.

## RENTAL UNIT INSPECTIONS REQUIRED

Do you rent out your home? To ensure that rental dwelling units are habitable and safe for tenants, a building and life safety inspection is required before a new tenant can occupy the rental unit. This effort includes the owners of these units obtaining a certificate of occupancy from the Village of Lake Villa. For more information, please contact the Village at (847)356-6100.

#### MISS LAKE VILLA PAGEANT

The Miss Lake Villa Pageant was held at the Lehmann Mansion in June. Contestants were judged on interviewing skills, modeling, public speaking, grace and poise. Contestants were also required to answer impromptu questions from the stage. The girls ranged in age from 6 to 8 years old for the Little Miss competition; 11 to 13 years old for Junior Miss; and Miss lake Villa contestants were 16 to 21 years old. Congratulations to our new Queens!

Alexis Norris, Miss Lake Villa 2019 Alessandra Barbato, Junior Miss Lake Villa 2019 Talula Buchner, Little Miss Lake Villa 2019

A huge thank you goes out to our former Queens: Miss Lake Villa Quinnlyn Meadowcroft, Junior Miss Lake Villa Gabrielle Green, and Little Miss Lake Villa Jenna Marasco. We appreciate all of your hard work and your sterling representation of the Village of Lake Villa.



# MUSIC IN THE PARKS

### **WEDNESDAYS 7-8:30PM**

Enjoy a relaxing evening outdoors with FREE, live musical entertainment, thanks to Community Partners and local sponsors. Bring your blankets, lawn chairs & coolers. Food and beverages will also be available for purchase at all locations.

Date	Band	Venue
July 24	Blooz Brothers	Parkman Pavillion
July 31	Kashmir	Lehmann Mansion
August 7	Trippin Billies	Parkman Pavillion
August 21	Sushi Roll	Parkman Pavilion



#### **CALL BEFORE YOU DIG**

Know what's below. Call Before You Dig. Call JULIE at 1-800-892-0123 to ensure you don't hit an underground utility.

#### THE VILLAGE OF LAKE VILLA

www.lake-villa.org 65 Cedar Avenue Lake Villa, Illinois 60046

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

 Village Hall
 (847) 356-6100

 Village Fax
 (847) 356-6217

Police and Fire Emergency 911

Police Non-Emergency (847) 356-6106 Fire Non-Emergency (847) 356-2525

Village Officials

Mayor: James McDonaldjmcdonald@lake-villa.orgVillage Clerk: Mary Konradmkonrad@lake-villa.org

#### **Village Trustees:**

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# VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING SCHEDULE

Village Board now meets the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month.

August 5th, 2019 @ 7:00pm August 19th, 2019 @ 7:00pm September 2nd, 2019 No Meeting September 16th, 2019 @ 7:00pm

#### VILLAGE HALL

Village Hall will be closed September 2nd, 2019 for Labor Day . Regular hours will resume the next business day.

