

PICNIC IN THE PARK



YARD WASTE



COVID-19 VACCINE



HYDRANT FLUSHING



A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

Dear Residents,

The Village hopes that everyone is enjoying the ability to do more activities outside of your home, whenever possible. As we anticipate having more ability to host events, the Village has begun planning events for the remainder of the year. These events will be held based on the status of Governor Pritzker's executive orders. Please remember to be flexible and open minded with these events because of the unknown circumstances that may arise due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

The Village is beginning to book bands and restaurants for the Dining in the Park Event in Lehmann Park, in downtown Lake Villa. Last year, was our first year of hosting this event to help local restaurants during the COVID-19 pandemic. The event was such a success that we are going to host this event again for 2021. This event will be held on six Saturdays during the summer, at Lehmann Park, beginning June 5th. Please watch for announcements on the bands, restaurants, and other information on the Village's website and on our social media platforms.

The Lindenhurst/Lake Villa Community Partners are planning the Concerts in the Park series that began several years ago. The concerts are planning to continue at the Lehmann Mansion, Parkman Pavilion in Lindenhurst, Caboose Park and the new Lake Villa District Library building. Currently, eleven concerts are being planned, but remember the number of concerts and the layout might be altered depending on COVID-19 restrictions that are in place at that time. Again, please watch for information on the concert series on the Village's website and social media platforms.

The typical Celebration of Summer event that takes place in early June, will not occur then. The Village is hoping to hold this event some time later in the summer or in the fall.

Stay safe,

Jim McDonald, Mayor

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND THE VILLAGE

HYDRANT FLUSHING

The Village performs hydrant flushing in mid to late April. Signs will be posted as a reminder. You may experience rusty water or a temporary change of the water pressure during this process. If you notice rust in the water, let your water run for a few minutes until it clears. Avoid doing laundry when rust is visible in the water.

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.

YARD WASTE PROGRAM

Yard waste pick up begins April 1st and goes through November 30th. Yard waste stickers are now available in the Village Hall. Stickers are \$2.27 each. Or call Waste Management for an annual subscription at 800-964-8988. The annual subscription is \$72.14.

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.

PICNIC IN THE PARK

Back for the second year, are the Village of Lake Villa's Picnic in the Park event, at Lehmann Park. The first Picnic is scheduled for June 5th, from 4 pm- 9pm, pending the status of Governor Pritzker's executive orders. Join us for live music and great local food.

On the schedule for June 5th, from 6 pm - 9 pm, is The Unusual Suspects. The Unusual Suspects band plays a variety of 90's alternative, pop, and rock.

The Village has planned the following dates for more Picnic in the Park events, pending the status of the Governor's executive orders.

June 5th - The Unusual Suspects
June 19th - Scott Mears Country Classics
July 10th - The Rought Cuts
July 24th - TBD
August 7 - Scott Mears Country Classics
August 21 - Judson Brown Band

REGISTER FOR THE COVID-19 VACCINE

Registration is now open for the COVID-19 vaccine in Lake County. You will need a valid email address to create an account and contact information for any other people you wish to register. Anyone who lives or works in Lake County is eligible to register. Registering is free, easy, and secure—just visit AllVax.lakecohealth.org. If you are unable to register on-line, you can also register over the phone by calling the Lake County Health Department at (847) 377-8130.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Did you know?
Every Child 18 years
and Under May Receive
FREE LUNCH!



Free Meals may be Picked Up Curbside
at Peter J. Palombi Middle School
131 McKinley Ave.

Pick Up Days and Times

Tuesday: 11 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

3 days of Lunch

Friday: 11:00 a.m. — 12:30 p.m.

4 days of Lunch (includes Saturday & Sunday Meals)

***Children do not need to be enrolled at
District 41 or present at meal pick up*



FOLLOW THE VILLAGE ON SOCIAL MEDIA

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



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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.

EMERGENCY CALL SYSTEM

Regroup, is the automated calling system the Village uses to notify residents of important emergency information. The link to sign up for these notifications is on our website www.lake-villa.org.

WATER & SEWER BILL

To receive an electronic bill instead of a paper bill, please call 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.

You can view your utility bill and account history online at www.lake-villa.org. To access your account, you will need your account number and the Pin number from your bill. While online, you may also pay your utility bill via a credit card or e-check.

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WHERE DOES YOUR SUMP PUMP DRAIN?

Inflow and infiltration (I/I) are terms for the ways that snowmelt, stormwater runoff, and groundwater make their way into sanitary sewer pipes and eventually get treated, unnecessarily, at wastewater treatment plants.

Inflow is when clear water enters the wastewater system through sump pumps or foundation drains that are illegally connected to sewer lines. Inflow is greatest during major storm events.

Infiltration is when groundwater seeps into cracked or broken wastewater pipes. It is a steady contributor to the problem, causing water that should be filtering down and recharging the areas aquifers to end up going through the Wastewater Treatment Plant and eventually flowing down the Fox River.

I/I is a problem because it uses up fixed capacity in sewer pipes, pump stations and the wastewater treatment plant.

Inflow results in unnecessary expenses that can increase rates for all users. Inflow is a significant problem because during major rain a sump pump can add over 7,000 gallons of clear water to the wastewater system in 24 hours, the equivalent of the normal daily flow from 40 homes. In more extreme rain events, inflow can cause sewer backups into homes and businesses.

Familiarize yourself with your house plumbing system. If you have roof downspouts that are piped underground, a sump pump that has no identifiable discharge point, or foundation drains that don't discharge to the road side ditch or other low point on the lot, you may be contributing to the problem. Disconnect unlawful connections to the sewer system. Taking these steps will help the environment and reduce unnecessary treatment costs associated with treating stormwater that enters the sanitary sewer system.

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VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING SCHEDULE

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

April 5th, 2021 @ 7:00pm
April 19th, 2021 @ 7:00pm
May 3rd, 2021 @ 7:00pm
May 17th, 2021 @ 7:00pm

VILLAGE HALL

Village Hall will be closed May 31st, 2021 for
Memorial Day. Regular hours will resume the
next business day.

