

Village Views

JUNE 2022 - JULY 2022



A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

Dear Residents,

I would like to remind residents of the Police Department's Neighborhood Policing Program. This program is designed to promote a partnership and facilitate communication between the residents and the Police Department. This program gives 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 parol 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. For an in progress situation, please call 9-1-1 for emergency assistance or 847-356-6106 for non-emergency assistance.

You can find the contact information for the officer assigned to your neighborhood by visiting the Police Department Page of the Village website and page 4 of this newsletter. I hope you find this program helpful.

This summer, there will be lots of fun events going on in the Village. There are details on many of these in this newsletter. We will also be posting updates on all of the events on our social media and the Village website. I hope you will have the opportunity to enjoy some or all of them.

Have a safe and happy summer!

Respectfully,

Jim McDonald, Mayor





WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND THE VILLAGE

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY PART-TIME SEASONAL PUBLIC WORKS

The Village of Lake Villa, Illinois is seeking applicants for a part-time Seasonal Public Works Employee for the spring and summer months.

Responsibilites include mowing; pulling weeds; watering flowers/plants; cleaning the parks, raking beaches; vacuuming leaves; chiping branches; assisting with special events and emergencies. General maintenance of garages; emptying garbage cans; picking up garbage; cleaning vehicles; and all other duties as assigned.

Qualifications:

- Must be able to lift at least 80 lbs.
- Must be available for weekends
- Valid Driver's License to drive pick-up truck
- Knowledge of mowers and 4-wheelers

Interested candidates should submit an application to the Administrative Services Director at smichael@lake-villa.org. The position will remain open until filled.

A more detailed job description can be found at www.lake-villa.org.

CELEBRATION OF FALL

Celebration of Fall will be held at Lehmann Park on September 10, 2021. The event will be from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. followed by the ever popular FIREWORKS. More details coming soon!

CONCERTS IN THE PARK

Wednesdays 7-8:30pm:

- 6.1 Feel Good Party Lehmann Mansion
- 6.8 Cadillac Groove Parkman Pavilion
- 6.15 Hi Infidelity Lehmann Mansion
- 6.22 Classical Blast Parkman Pavilion
- 6.29 American English Caboose Park
- 7.6 Boy Band Night Lehmann Mansion
- 7.13 Student Body Parkman Pavilion
- 7.20 Serendipity Lehmann Mansion
- 7.27 Hillbilly Rockstars Parkman Pavilion
- 8.3 Good Clean Fun Lake Villa District Library

MISS LAKE VILLA

Miss Lake Villa Pageant applications are available on the Village website at www.lake-villa.org or at the Village Hall for young ladies wishing to participate. The 2022 pageant will be Tuesday, June 28th, 2022 at 7:00p.m. at the Lehmann Mansion.

Candidates will participate in an interview with a panel of judges as well as displaying their speaking skills and modeling abilities. They will also answer an impromptu question from the stage. The contestants range in age from 6 to 8 years old for the Little Miss competition; 11-13 years old for Junior Miss; and Miss Lake Villa contestants are 16-21 years old.

Currently, Miss Lake Villa is Alyssa Gallarneau, Junior Miss Lake Villa is Bridget Green and Little Miss Lake Villa is Hannah Smith.



GENERAL INFORMATION

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.

FOLLOW THE VILLAGE ON SOCIAL MEDIA

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







VEHICLE LICENSE DISCOUNT RATE

The Village of Lake Villa offers households with seniors 65 and over a discounted rate of \$12.00. Also, any household member who is on active military duty shall not be required to pay the fee.

YARD WASTE PROGRAM

Yard waste pick up begins April 1st and goes through November 28th. Yard waste stickers are now available in the Village Hall. Stickers are \$2.37 each. Residents can also call Waste Management for an annual subscription at 800-964-8988. The annual subscription is \$75.39.

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

WATER QUALITY REPORT

To view the Water Quality Report visit: https://www.lake-villa. org/2022waterreport to view the current annual water quality report. This report contains important information about the source and quality of your drinking water during 2021. For a paper copy, call the Village Hall at 847-356-6100

COMMUNITY POLICING PROGRAM

Below is a list of the subdivisions and the police officer that is assigned to that area. If you do not live in a subdivision, Lt. Decaro is your assigned officer. 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 be off or on vacation so there may be a delayed response. If you have any general questions or you cannot get in contact with your assigned officer, contact Lt. DeCaro at ext 402 or the email listed below.

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. Caliendo ext 441	acaliendo@lake-villa.org
Deep Lake Shores	Ofc. Caliendo ext 441	acaliendo@lake-villa.org
Ishnala Estates	Ofc. Caliendo ext 441	acaliendo@lake-villa.org
Winddance	Ofc. Dvorak ext 222	tdvorak@lake-villa.org
Savanna Springs	Ofc. Dvorak ext 222	tdvorak@lake-villa.org
Cedar Crossing	Ofc. Demski ext 407	ademski@lake-villa.org
Woodhill Estates	Ofc. Demski ext 407	ademski@lake-villa.org
Ishnala Country Estates	Ofc. Baghdasarian ext 423	jbaghdasarian@lake-villa.org
Amber Field Lakes	Ofc. Baghdasarian ext 423	jbaghdasarian@lake-villa.org
Prairie Trail	Ofc. Baghdasarian ext 423	jbaghdasarian@lake-villa.org
Northwood Trail	Ofc. Willer ext 408	jwiller@lake-villa.org
Cedar Ridge Estates	Ofc. Willer ext 408	jwiller@lake-villa.org

THE VILLAGE OF LAKE VILLA

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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 McDonald jmcdonald@lake-villa.org Village Clerk: Mary Konrad mkonrad@lake-villa.org

Village Trustees:

Allena Barbato abarbato@lake-villa.org Jake Cramond jcramond@lake-villa.org Karen Harms kharms@lake-villa.org kkruckeberg@lake-villa.org Kevin Kruckeberg Jeff Nielsen jnielsen@lake-villa.org Tom O'Reilly toreilly@lake-villa.org

VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING SCHEDULE

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

> June 6, 2022 @ 7:00pm June 20, 2022 @ 7:00pm July 18, 2022 @ 7:00pm

VILLAGE HALL

Village Hall will be closed July 4, 2022 for Independence Day. Regular hours will resume the next business day.

