

VILLAGE OF CLARENDON HILLS TRUSTEE TOPICS

www.clarendonhills.us

May/June 2018

Message from the President

Dear Friends and Neighbors:

I want to start off by sending a whole-hearted thank you to our nearly 9,000 residents as well as our local business owners. Your dedication and commitment to our Village has landed us at the top of several Niche.com's "Best Places to Live" lists. Looking at statistics ranging from cost of living, to public schools, to crime and safety, Niche named us the #1 Best Place to Live in Illinois and #3 Best Place to Live in the United States (to view a list of the complete rankings, visit our website at: Clarendonhills.us/profile). With all the great amenities our Village offers, these rankings should come as no surprise. Our charming Village offers the perfect blend of great schools, access to downtown Chicago, family activities and events. We are always looking to improve and make our community even better.



Village President
Len Austin

I want to thank our school districts' staff and elected board members for ensuring our children are prepared to take the next step in their lives. I want to thank our police and fire departments for their commitments to our wellbeing and making Clarendon Hills a safe place to live. I want to thank our Public Works staff who is out there rain or shine, in the cold and heat ensuring our water is flowing, and streets are clean and plowed. I also want to thank our Village staff and elected board members, our Park District staff and elected board members and the Library staff and elected board members. Thank you all!!

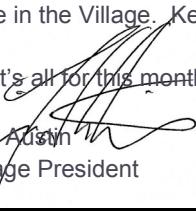
Summer is right around the corner and our Village has activities and events for all to enjoy. From the Chamber of Commerce's Daisy Days and Farmers' Market to Park District events, we have something for the entire family, including the Village's summer concert series, Dancin' in the Street. During these Wednesday night concerts head downtown Clarendon Hills where you can enjoy food, drinks, live music and dancing. These concerts are always a good time and there is something special about seeing neighbors pour into downtown from all sides against the backdrop of a setting sun. I can't wait!

We are always continuing to improve our Village. This year's Water Main Replacement Program is in full swing with our Road Replacement Program on deck. In March, the Village's contracted crews began replacing 90 year old mains under Tuttle Avenue and Arthur Avenue. In late May, the road construction will take place on Arthur Avenue, Woodstock Avenue (between Burlington and Chicago), Tuttle Avenue, Oxford Avenue (between Burlington and Chicago), and Norfolk Avenue (between Mohawk Drive to Oxford Avenue). The road construction will include a new asphalt overlay and the installation of the concrete ribbons seen in similar projects throughout the Village. All construction for these programs is expected to be completed in October. The water main replacement work is done in conjunction with our road program so we can avoid ripping up brand new streets to make emergency repairs on older water mains. While the length of the construction may seem daunting, it is the most efficient way to ensure our infrastructure is up to date.

On another note, I want to remind residents that warm weather often lends itself to greater water consumption. If you are looking to control water costs this season, try installing low flow and energy efficient fixtures. If you have a sprinkler system, try reducing the amount of time your sprinklers are on. Reduction in sprinkler usage and installing efficient fixtures are the best ways to keep your water consumption under control.

And finally, I want to encourage residents to support our local businesses. Shopping local keeps your sales tax dollars here in the Village, creates jobs and allows us to continue to provide the quality public services our residents have come to expect. Our Village has so much to offer from fine and casual dining to gift shops and specialty stores to everything in between. I know when I need groceries, I head down to the Jewel on 55th Street because I know my sales taxes will stay here in the Village. Keep this in mind next time you go shopping!

That's all for this month. See you at the concert series in June!


Len Austin
Village President

For questions, contact the Village Hall at (630) 286-5400

SUMMER IN CLARENDON HILLS!

Keep up with all the events this summer by following us on Facebook!

www.facebook.com/VillageofCH



Daisy Days

On June 15th and 16th, the Chamber of Commerce will host its' annual Daisy Days event in the downtown. This event is for the entire family, offering carnival rides, live music, Daisy Idol singing competition, crafts, reptiles and more!

** Event Schedule subject to change*

Friday, June 15th (6 PM – 10 PM)

6 PM Food/Rides Open

7 PM Live Music ~ **Folk Yeah!**

For more information go to www.clarendonhillschamber.com

Saturday, June 16th (8:30 AM - 10 PM)

8:30 AM	Police Bike Auction
10 AM - 11 AM	Dave DiNaso Reptile Show
11 AM	Rides open
11:15 AM	Clogger's Delight
12 PM - 1 PM	Recording Artist Academy Performer
1 PM - 2:30 PM	Clarendon Hills Idol on stage
1 PM - 3 PM	Park District Face Painting
2:30 PM - 3 PM	Recording Artist Academy Performer
3 PM - 4 PM	Dave DiNaso Reptile Show
4 PM - 6 PM	Eric Howell Solo - Acoustic Artist
7 PM	Live Music ~ Fossil Fuel!



Daisy Dash

A Father's Day tradition here in Clarendon Hills is the Daisy Dash 5k walk/run. This year is no exception. The event will be held on Sunday, June 17th starting at 8 am. This fund raising event starts off from the downtown. Registration is strongly recommended. To register and/or find out more about this great event go to www.daisydash.com

Dancin' in the Street

That's right, we dance in the street (Prospect Ave.) on Wednesday nights starting June 20th! Bring your appetite and favorite lawn chair. Tasty food and beverages will be sold while live music is played. This is a great time to get out of the house, see some neighbors and meetup with old and new friends. Arrive at 6:30 PM to get a bite to eat and be ready by 7:00 PM for the live music.

Find out more at www.clarendonhills.us/concerts

Per Village Ordinance, no private alcohol allowed.

Line Up

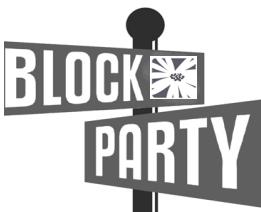
- 6/20 - Underwater People (Cool Pop and Rock)
- 6/27 - Porky's Groove Machine (Nerd Funk)
- 7/04 - No Concert
- 7/11 - Bopology (Jazz)
- 7/18 - The Millennials (Classic Rock and Pop)
- 7/25 - Libido Funk Circus (Dance, Disco, 60's thru Today)
- 8/01 - South of Disorder (Buffett and the Beach)
- 8/08 - No Band Scheduled—Make Up Date

Thank You Sponsors:

- Village Veterinary Practice
- The Mike McCurry Group
- Band & Wire Orthodontics
- Domino's
- Hamel Dental
- Dana Santi Pilates Studio
- Clarendon Hills Bank
- Moda Eyecare
- Just Escape Room
- Christopher B. Burke Engineering
- Klein, Thorpe & Jenkins

Fire Works

Fire Works in Clarendon Hills are presented by the Hinsdale Golf Club. While the private golf club is not open to the public, residents are able to enjoy the fireworks from Prospect Park. Fireworks are held on July 4th around 9:30 pm.



Block Parties

Are you planning your neighborhood block party? Please note that if your party involves closing off any part of the street you will need to fill out a Block Party Application.

Applications can be completed online at www.clarendonhills.us/blockparty

Around Town

Board Meetings

May 7th at 7 PM

May 21st at 7 PM

June 4th at 7 PM

June 19th at 7 PM

ZBA/Plan Commission

May 17th at 7:30 PM

June 21st at 7:30 PM

www.clarendonhills.us

Library

May 10th at 6 PM to 8 PM

Write Letters of Gratitude to U.S.

Troops! Open to all ages.

June 18th and 19th

Bag Sale Book Sale

\$5.00 per bag

www.clarendonhillslibrary.org

Park District

May 21st at 10 AM to 12 PM

Earth Day Celebration at

Prospect Park (Bird feeder building, flower planting and face painting!)

Bring old gym shoes and crayons for recycling.

FREE event.

June 22nd at 11 AM to 12:30 PM

Concert in the Park with Jeanie B!! and Sidewalk Chalk Fest at Prospect Park
FREE event.

www.clarendonhillsparkdistrict.org



Village Hall Closed

Monday, May 28th in observance of Memorial Day

Wednesday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day

Weekdays from Noon to 1 PM for lunch

Lions Park Pool

The Clarendon Hills Park District's Lions Park Pool will open for the 2018 season at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 26th, remaining available for recreational swimming until 6 PM on the first day of the aquatics season. Additional hours over the Memorial Day weekend holiday are from 11:30 AM to 6 PM on Sunday, May 27th and Monday, May 28th. The daily admission rate for residents of Clarendon Hills is \$8.00 per person for swimmers 3-59 years of age. Season pool passes also remain on sale at the Community Center, 315 E. Chicago Avenue.

Clarendon Hills Park Foundation Presents "Bees on Parade"

Come get a first look at the artwork of these glorious bees at the Reveal Picnic Party on Saturday, May 19th from Noon to 2 PM at the Clarendon Hills Park District Community Center located at 315 E. Chicago. Ten Bee sculptures that have been painted by talented local artists will be displayed at the picnic before being display throughout the Village starting in June. Several of these works of art will be auctioned off at the Park District's Fall Festival. For more information contact www.CHParkFoundation.org or 630-325-7427.



Announcing the start of our
Annual Raffle ticket sales!

Find us at our booth during
DAISY DAYS

Saturday, June 16th.

12:00 – 5:00pm

Downtown Clarendon Hills.

630.988.2850
www.clarendonhillshistory.org

Refuse and Yard Waste Stickers

The new rate for Refuse and Yard Waste stickers is **\$2.55 per sticker**. These rates are effective 7/1/18 to 6/30/19.

Other Republic Services rates are as follows:

Weekly Can rate: \$21.98

(Senior rate \$18.98)

Back Door Can Service rate: \$33.07

Yardwaste Toter rate: \$27.32

Find out more at

www.clarendonhills.us/refuse



Smart 911 is a free secure service to help you when you call 9-1-1. Once signed up, first responders will be aware of important information such as medical issues, pets in the home, emergency contact, etc.

Sign up at www.Smart911.com

Trustee Topics**Village of Clarendon Hills**

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Clarendon Hills, IL 60514

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Vehicle Stickers

Vehicles: Residents are required to purchase a village sticker for each vehicle they will have housed in Clarendon Hills. The annual license period begins July 1st of each year and ends on June 30th of the next year. Stickers can be purchased starting May 1st.

New residents must obtain a Village Sticker within 30 days of moving to the Village.

Passenger Car \$40, Motorcycle \$30, and Seniors (62+) 50% off. An additional 50% late fee will be added to stickers purchased after July 1st.

Crosswalk Safety

Whether you walk, bike or drive, take 5 seconds to follow crosswalk safety guidelines. You forfeit your rights as a pedestrian if you cross elsewhere. You need to make sure the road is clear in both directions and before crossing in a crosswalk. Be sure you are seen before you cross.



Watering Restrictions

Water Restrictions are enforced from May 15th - September 15th. Residents south of the Burlington Railroad tracks may use water outdoors on odd numbered day (1st, 3rd, 5th, etc.) Residents north of the Burlington Railroad tracks may use water outdoors on even numbered days (2nd, 4th, 6th, etc.)

NO WATERING IS ALLOWED BETWEEN 10 AM AND 4 PM.

Please note that watering restrictions apply to lawns, trees, shrubs and gardens only.

Permits for watering newly installed lawns and landscaping are available for a \$25.00 fee payable at the Village Hall.

Bikes in the Downtown

Per Village Code, no person shall ride a bicycle on a sidewalk in the business district at any time. **Bikes should be walked through the downtown business district.**

Find Recent Village Board Actions at www.clarendonhills.us/AgendaCenter

Contact Us

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Finance Dept.: Press 2

Building Dept.: Press 3

Administration: Press 4

Public Works: 630-286-4750**Non-Emergency:**

Police: 630-286-5460

Fire: 630-286-5430

www.clarendonhills.us

Community Numbers:

Park District: 630-323-2626

Public Library: 630-323-8188

Online Transaction Safe**Zone Location:**

Police Station (448 Park Ave.)