



# Village of Oak Lawn

A Community United E-Newsletter

June 2, 2010

*Keeping residents up to speed with the latest Village news*

## STREETS FOR RESURFACING FOR SUMMER 2010

The following streets will be resurfaced during the next few Summer months. New water mains will be installed on the streets highlighted in blue. This is not necessarily the order in which the streets will be resurfaced.

100th Place	100 <sup>th</sup> Street to 10036 Kilpatrick
100th Street	Central Avenue to Menard Avenue
102nd Street	Kolin Avenue to Keeler Avenue
102nd Street	Central Avenue to Menard Avenue
104th Place	Kilbourn Avenue to Kenneth Avenue
<b>104th Street</b>	<b>Karlov Avenue to Komensky Avenue</b>
108th Place	Kostner Avenue to Tripp Avenue
109th Street	Keeler to 4010 109th Street intersection
52nd Avenue	102nd Street to 105th Place
88th Street	52nd Avenue to Tulley Avenue
89th Street	Austin Avenue to Melvina Avenue
90th Street	Melvina Avenue to Ridgeland Avenue
91st Place	Keeler Avenue to Pulaski Road
92nd Street	Central Avenue to Major Avenue
96th Street	Ridgeland Avenue to Marion Avenue
98th Place	Cicero to 49th Avenue
98th Street	Cicero to 49th Avenue
99th Street	52nd Avenue to 49th Avenue
99th Street	Central Avenue to Major Avenue
49 <sup>th</sup> Avenue	89 <sup>th</sup> Street to 91 <sup>st</sup> Street
Alexander	52nd Avenue to Tulley Avenue
Alice Court	Oak Center Drive to 102nd Street
Arnold Place	4116 - Keeler Avenue
Cass	52nd Avenue to Raymond Avenue
Drury Lane	Minnick to Buell Court
East Shore Drive	Edison to 54th Avenue
<b>Elm Circle Drive</b>	<b>99th Street to 101st Street</b>
<b>Karlov Avenue</b>	<b>103rd Street to 104th Street</b>
Keeler Avenue	93rd Street to 93rd Place
Kenneth Avenue	95th Street to 96th Street
Kenneth Avenue	104th Place to 105th Street
Kilbourn Avenue	104th Place to 105th Street
Kilpatrick Avenue	99th Street to 99th Place

Kilpatrick Avenue	105th Street to 109th Street
Kolin Avenue	95th Street to 97th Street
Kolmar Avenue	95th Street to 96th Street
<b>Komensky Avenue</b>	<b>103rd Street to 104th Street</b>
Kostner Avenue	107th Street to 111th Street
Lacrosse Avenue	104th Street to 105th Street
Lawton	Campbell to 95th Street
Lockwood	103rd Street to 104th Street
Major Avenue	92nd Street to 93rd Street
Marion Avenue	95th Street to 97th Street
Marion Avenue	98th Street to 99th Street
Massasoit Avenue	92nd Street to 93rd Street
Menard Avenue	95th Street to 97th Street
Menard Avenue	91st Street to 93rd Street
Merrimac Avenue	95th Street to 96th Street
Merton Avenue	97th Street to 99th Street
<b>Oak Center Drive</b>	<b>52nd Avenue to Central Avenue</b>
Oak Park Avenue	91st Street to 95th Street
<b>Paxton Road</b>	<b>Little Cicero Avenue to Oak Center Drive</b>
Tripp Avenue	109th Street to 111th Street
Washington	102nd Street to 103rd Street



**Water Restrictions.** Odd numbered addresses may water on odd days and even numbered addresses on even days from **7:00 – 11 am** and **7:00 – 11 pm**. Automated underground sprinkling systems may be used between the hours of midnight and 5:00 a.m.

**2010-2011 Vehicle Stickers** will be available for purchase on June 1. Please bring your pre-printed form that you receive in the mail to purchase your sticker at the Village Hall. The fee is \$25 and senior citizens are eligible for one \$5 discounted sticker per household. Stickers must be affixed to your windshield by midnight, August 16 to avoid the \$10 penalty and an additional fine. **Hours:** Monday – Friday, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm.

## **Your questions...our answers**

**You asked:** Do I need a permit for to have a garage sale?

**We answered:** Yes, garage sale permits are available at the front desk of the Police Department for \$5. You must apply for your permit at least 24 hours in advance. You are allowed 2 permits per household per year. Hours of garage sales are: 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**If you have a question about Oak Lawn, please let us know. We'll put the answer in our *A Community United* e-newsletter.**

# GRAND OPENING

## NORTHERN BORDER & BAJA CALIFORNIA

Catering · Dine In · Carry Out  
[www.FreshBorderFoods.com](http://www.FreshBorderFoods.com)



OPEN  
June 1<sup>st</sup>

**What Side of the Border  
Will You Enjoy Today?**



FRESH  
Salsa Bar



708-907-5196

5273 West 95<sup>th</sup> Street in Oak Lawn  
Located across from the Oak Lawn Village  
Hall and Library



Sun. 12pm-8pm  
Mon.-Sat. 10:30am-9pm

 <p><b>FREE</b> Chicken, Beef, or Steak taco with any Purchase</p> <p><small>Limit one coupon per customer. Not valid with any other offer Expires: 8/31/10</small></p>	 <p><b>\$2 OFF</b> your Purchase of \$10 or more</p> <p><small>Limit one coupon per customer. Not valid with any other offer Expires: 8/31/10</small></p>	 <p><b>All Kids Meals \$2.99!!</b> <small>(Reg. Price)</small></p>
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## **Our Children, Our Government - a partnership for the future**

"Our Children, Our Government - a partnership for the future" is a program initiated by Mayor Heilmann several years ago. Children are elected by the principals of their school to participate in a morning of education at the Village Hall. The eighth grade students spend time with the Mayor, Clerk, Village Manager, Fire and Police Chiefs, and the 911 Emergency Communications Director to get a first hand view of how their Village Government operates on a day to day basis. On Friday, April 23, students from St. Germaine School visited the Village Hall and here is what they had to say.

*"Dear Mr. Heilmann,*

*First off, I want to say thank you, I had a great time and learned so much. It was such an amazing experience. You were all so welcoming and made us all feel comfortable. I never knew about our Oak Lawn government, there is so much that goes into your job. You would never expect Oak Lawn to be such an important and busy town. I had a blast at the police and fire stations. I am so happy I got the chance to experience and take a closer look at Oak Lawn. I am so proud to live in Oak Lawn; it is such a great town. You are such an important person in Oak Lawn, and I want to thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to teach us. I hope you continue with this program, it really does encourage students to learn more about the town they live in. Thank you all so much, I was so honored to be there.*

*Sincerely,*

*Molly Mayo"*

*"Dear Mayor Dave Heilmann,*

*Thank you for teaching us about our government. I did not realize what it took for our town to run. I also learned many other things about what we are doing inside that one building. Each department we saw relied on each other to succeed. I didn't know that our 911 Center was the Center for four or five different counties. I thought all your ideas were great for improving our town. The ice rink was the best idea. Also you should put in a Dick's Sporting Goods because the Sports Authority could run a monopoly in our town and this way the prices might go down for baseball bats, skate boards, and other sporting goods that are expensive. You had all great ideas for our town that we will prosper with in the future! I also thought that the Police Chief's idea to make all police cars black was a cool idea.*

*Sincerely,*

*Michael Walt"*

*“Dear Mayor Dave Heilmann,*

*Thank you so much for giving us an idea about how the government works each day. I think your job is very cool, and I would like to become a mayor one day. I think the ice rink by the Oak Lawn Library was a brilliant idea, and I would have never thought about that. I thought every part of the trip was great, although the 911 section was the best, ha-ha. When I am older I would also like to be a fireman, so I thought that the fire station was amazing! I also thought it was very cool to see the room of all the stuff the criminals were convicted of. Some of the things in there, I had no idea that they were ever made. The room with all the narcotics, gave me a scent that I will never forget, it was gross! All in all, I had a great time meeting all of you, and I would be more than happy to come back and visit again.*

*Sincerely,*

*David Nelson”*

*“Dear Mayor Dave Heilmann,*

*Thank you so much for taking the time out of your day to teach us how the government of Oak Lawn works. It's a lot easier to understand what happens at the village hall now, because I got to see what everyone did. Everything there was very interesting and I found out many new things that I didn't know before about the fire department, the ambulance, what the police do, and what you do during your job on a day to day basis. I had a great day and the pizza was awesome! Thank you so much again for doing all this for us, please thank everyone else that showed us around!!(:*

*Sincerely,*

*Molly Partyka”*

## **JOB OPPORTUNITY**

Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (MWRD) has posted two job openings for a Treatment Plant Operator I and Treatment Plant Operator II. Contact the Employment Service Office at 312.751.5100 or at [www.mwrd.org](http://www.mwrd.org) for information and applications. There is an examination process and the filing period for both positions is through **June 11**.

## COOK COUNTY BOARD OF REVIEW TAX APPEALS

Worth Township is open for appeals at the Cook County Board of Review until **June 21**. The Cook County Board of review is the second level of appeals in appealing property taxes. This a free service to all Cook County residents.

If you believe your home is incorrectly assessed, contact the Board of Review at 312.603.3644. You may visit the Board of Review's website at [www.CookCountyBoardofReview.com](http://www.CookCountyBoardofReview.com).



## COWS FLY IN OAK LAWN

The Children's Museum in Oak Lawn welcomed a new exhibit on Wednesday, May 19. A life size cow is now on display through a grant from the Midwest Dairy Association. More components of the exhibit promoting the importance of dairy will be arriving soon.

On Wednesday, May 19, the Children's Museum welcomed its 70,000<sup>th</sup> visitor!



**VILLAGE OF OAK LAWN  
CENTENNIAL GARDEN FLAGS  
\$5.00**

*Available at the Cashier's Window  
in the Village Hall*

## **2010 Summer Concert & Outdoor Movie Series**

We are pleased to announce our **2010 Friday Night Movie and Sunday Night Summer Concert** schedules. These events are free, so bring your picnic baskets, refreshments, lawn chairs, and blankets and enjoy some summer fun with the whole family!



### **Friday Night Movies (movies begin at dusk)**

**June 11<sup>th</sup> – *Blues Brothers* (Adult Night)**  
**June 25<sup>th</sup> – *Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince***  
**July 9<sup>th</sup> – *Beetlejuice***  
**July 23<sup>rd</sup> – *The Blind Side* (Adult Night)**  
**August 13<sup>th</sup> – *Twilight***  
**August 27<sup>th</sup> - *Up***



### **Sunday Night Concerts (7:00 pm)**



**June 13<sup>th</sup> – *Tin Horse* (Country)**  
**June 27<sup>th</sup> – *Professor John* (Rythym & Blues)**  
**July 11<sup>th</sup> – *New Invaders* (60's Rock&Roll tribute)**  
**July 25<sup>th</sup> – *Retroactive* (Motown/Disco)**  
**August 8<sup>th</sup> – *80's Enough* (80's Cover Band)**  
**August 22<sup>nd</sup> Fireworks Night – *Crawpuppies* (Classic Rock)**

Food will be available from the Oak Lawn Cub Scouts (hot dogs, soda & chips, Christensen's Wagon (popcorn & lemon shake-ups), and Cornerstone Cafe. The Village Green is located directly east of the Municipal Center and north of the Library.



## **THE VILLAGE OF OAK LAWN SALUTES OUR RESIDENTS IN THE ARMED FORCES**

**LCPL Trevor Mulrenin, US Marine Corp.  
Sgt. Michael Sorice, US Air Force  
Pfc Kyle Taylor, US Marine Corps  
Sp. Michael J. Roberts, US Army  
Captain Edward J. O'Connell IV, US Marine Corps  
Pfc James William Mazurek, US Army  
NC1 Lawrence R. Walton, US Navy  
Pfc Justin K. Cerniuk, US Marine Corps  
Pfc Santo J. Carollo, US Marine Corps  
Jamie Hojek, US Navy  
Pfc Antonio Fernandez, US Marine Corps  
Pfc Garrett Coffey, US Army  
TSgt. Matthew R. Marcinkowski, US Air Force  
Sgt. Daniel Villavazo, US Coast Guard  
Cpl. Andrew Chesna, US Marine Corps  
Staff Sgt. Christopher Reich, US Army Reserves  
Dennis A Youngren, SrA, US Air Force  
Captain David Pfeiffer, US Air Force  
Captain Craig Lanigan, Army Reserves  
Michael S. Zylius, US Navy  
Pfc Benjamin T. Kunst, US Marine Corps  
Sgt. Enrico DeLorenzo, US Air Force  
Sgt.Maj. Daniel S. Miller, US Marine Corp  
Rebecca Joy Inflow, US Naval Air Corps  
Pfc Stephen Lukaiewicz, US Air Force  
Sara Losos, AIC  
Pfc Christopher Mann, US Marine Corps  
1<sup>st</sup> Sgt Wade Pasquerrella, 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne  
Sgt. Jeff M. Marsinkowski, US Air Force  
Sp4 Archie Thompson, IV  
Pfc Justin Sanchez  
HM3 Leslye Thompson  
Sgt. Robert Sanchez, Jr.  
Keith Libner, US Marine Corps  
Cpl. John C. Hojek, US Marine Corps  
Sgt. Kevin J. Scharwarko, US Army  
Gustavo Guerrez, US Marine Corps  
Sp. Don Brady, US Army  
OS2 Stacy L. Johnson, USS  
Sp. Timothy Walker, US Army  
Officer Jason Hudson, US Army  
Sgt. Jennifer D. Kohany, Illinois Army National Guard**



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**Pfc John W. Campbell, US Marine Corps  
Cpl. John Elder, US Marine Corps  
Karl Schultz, US Navy  
Sgt. R.E. Carlson, US Marine Corps  
Sp4 Joseph J Necom, USA  
Sgt. John Patrick White  
Master Sgt. Michael Dignan, US Air Force  
Sgt. Matt Barkmeier, US Army  
Spec. Donald J. Balsavich  
LCPL Timothy A. Evans, US Marine Corps  
LCPO Ray Creevy, US Marine Corps  
LCPL John Eckert, US Marine Corps**

*The Village of Oak Lawn appreciates the many sacrifices our residents in the Armed Forces make for us on a day to day basis. Please keep them in your prayers. If you are an active service man or woman or have a loved one currently serving in the armed forces, please send their name and military information to [mgorman@oaklawn-il.gov](mailto:mgorman@oaklawn-il.gov). If any service man or woman would be interested in receiving the "A Community United" they may do so by sending their email information to [mgorman@oaklawn-il.gov](mailto:mgorman@oaklawn-il.gov).*

**The Village would like to welcome home any of our service men/women by displaying their name on the marquee along 95<sup>th</sup> Street. Please feel free to call the Mayor's Office at 708.499.7740 with the information regarding your loved one's homecoming.**

### **GreenCare for Troops**

GreenCare for Troops is a nationwide outreach program coordinated by Project EverGreen that connects local green industry professionals with men and women serving our country in the armed forces away from home. GreenCare helps more than 2,000 volunteers provide free lawn and landscape services for military families nationwide. The cost to manage the GreenCare for Troops Program is underwritten by Club Cadet Commercial. [www.projectevergreen.com](http://www.projectevergreen.com).



## FARMERS MARKET - NEW LOCATION !!!

Wednesdays June 2 through October 13  
7:00 am – 1:00 pm  
Dumke Drive & 52nd Avenue  
(South of the Gazebo and Oak Lawn Masonic Temple)

Come out and enjoy The Village of Oak Lawn Farmers Market at its “NEW” more spacious location. The market features a variety of fruits and berries, potatoes, and many leafy, green vegetables as well as juices, cheese, spices, jellies and jams, bread and pastries, sausages, fresh flowers and much more! The Oak Lawn Boy Scout Troops will be serving Chicago-style hot dogs, polish sausage, chips and soda. Christenson’s Popcorn Wagon dishing out snow cones, lemon shake-ups and buckets of delicious, buttery popcorn. Parking is available in the lots just east of the Library and all other surrounding Municipal Parking Lots



*The Running for Hope Association*

*Presents the*

*3<sup>rd</sup> Annual*

*Running for Hope*

*5k Run/Fun Walk - Keeler Park*

*June 6, 2010 - 8:00 am*

[www.runningforhope.net](http://www.runningforhope.net)



## Calling All Pet Owners and Shoppers

**Saturday, June 12  
Village Green**

Join the Oak Lawn Chamber of Commerce, with support from the Village of Oak Lawn, for our annual Pet Parade & Shop Oak Lawn Sale. The pet parade will kick off at 10:00 a.m. at Oak Lawn Hometown School, 99th St. and 54th Ave. Shop Oak Lawn under the Big Tent on the Village Green. There will be lot of Entertainment for all ages! Contact the Chamber at 708.424.8300 for further information.



**RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE®**

NEAR ADVOCATE HOPE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

### ***RECIPES FROM THE HEART***

**Cookbook - \$15.00**

**Ronald McDonald House near Advocate Hope  
Children's Hospital - 4410 W. 93<sup>rd</sup> St. - 708.423.5285.**

**Cookbook to benefit Ronald McDonald Charities of Chicagoland and Northwest Indiana, which provides a "home away from home" for families of children receiving treatment. This cookbook contains recipes used by volunteers of all the Chicagoland Ronald McDonald Houses. Please call the House to reserve a copy.**

# Advocate Hope Children's Hospital



PORSCHÉ

## PORSCHÉ SHOW N' SHINE PARADE

June 13

12:00 noon

2011 Porsche Cayenne S Raffle

Advocate Hope Children's Hospital is teaming with Porsche Club of America and the Village of Oak Lawn to host what could be the State's largest Porsche parade in history. The Porsche Club of America has chosen to raise charitable funds to benefit Advocate Hope Children's Hospital. They are expecting more than 1,200 Porsche owners to attend the parade and at least 100 Porsche vehicles will be on display after the parade at Hope Hospital until 3:00 pm. In addition to modern Porsches, there will be race cars, antiques and limited-edition Porsche models.

The parade will kick off at Shirey Cadillac, 10825 S. Central Ave. It will head north to 103<sup>rd</sup> Street, then eastbound to Kostner and northbound to Hope Hospital. If you would like to enter your Porsche in the parade, contact John Diwick at 630.270.5439 or [j.diwik@comcast.net](mailto:j.diwik@comcast.net). Entry fee is \$25 per car.

Raffle tickets for a **2011 Porsche Cayenne S** (MSRP value: \$79,000) are available for \$150 each. Drawing will be held at a special 'Drive for Hope' reception on July 3. You must be at least 23 years old to enter and need not be present to win. Winner will be notified by July 5 and is responsible for all license/delivery fees and federal, state and local taxes. Prize is not redeemable for cash. Raffle ticket purchases are not tax deductible and are non-refundable unless the raffle is cancelled. To purchase raffle tickets or for more information call HealthAdvisor at 800.323.8622 or visit [www.advocatehealth.com/Porsche](http://www.advocatehealth.com/Porsche).



AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE

Celebrate.

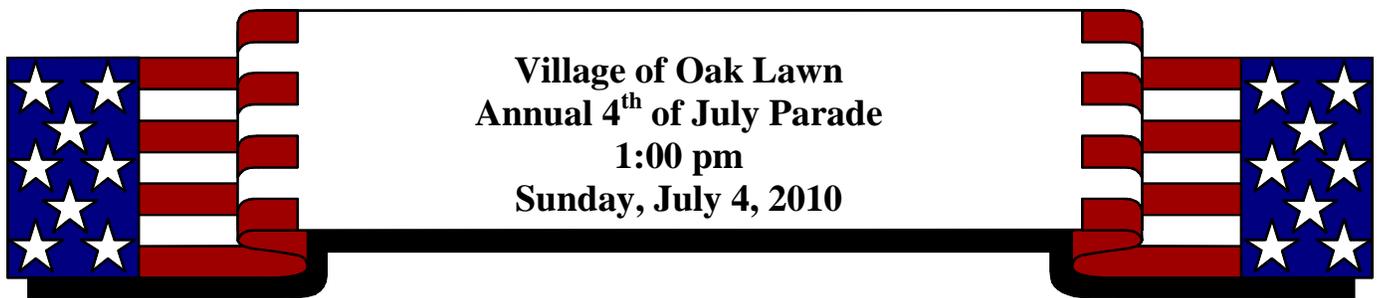
Remember.

Fight Back.

**American Cancer Society Relay for Life of Oak Lawn**  
**July 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> \* Oak Lawn Pavilion \* 94<sup>th</sup> & Oak Park Avenue**

**Opening Ceremonies – 2:00 pm**  
**Survivor Lap & Dinner – 6:00 pm**  
**Luminaria Ceremony – 9:00 pm**

[www.relayforlifeoaklawn.com](http://www.relayforlifeoaklawn.com) or 708.633.7770



The annual Fourth of July Parade brings together our community and it is truly a family event. The hometown flair of our parade makes it unique and great fun. The parade consists of over 100 entries which include military color guards to clowns, antique cars, dignitaries, parade units and marchers of all ages. The parade route will begin westbound on the north side of 95th Street from 51st Avenue to 55th Ct. We hope that you will join us on Sunday, July 4, 2010.

For further information or to download an “**Official Parade Application**” please visit our website at [www.oaklawn-il.gov](http://www.oaklawn-il.gov).

## **YOUR HEALTH**

### ***Oak Lawn Community Partnership Free Health Screenings***

**What:** Free blood pressure and hearing tests

**When:** Wednesday, **June 9**, 10:00 – 11:00 am

**Where:** Oak Lawn Public Library, 5300 W. 95<sup>th</sup> St., 708.422.4990

### ***Blood Drive - Oak Lawn Bible Church***

**When:** Saturday, **June 19<sup>th</sup>**, 8:00 am – 12:00 noon

**Where:** 9435 S. 54<sup>th</sup> Ave.

**Info:** To schedule your appointment, please call Courtney at 708.342.9722 or visit [www.heartlandbc.org](http://www.heartlandbc.org). A photo ID is required

**Family & Friends CPR Course**

**What:** This course sponsored by the American Heart Association is for all ages including schoolchildren, elder family members and caregivers. The course focuses on CPR and response to choking in adults, children and infants. It is not a certification course. \$20 fee.

**When:** Monday, **June 14**, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

**Where:** Community Pavilion, 9401 S. Oak Park Ave., 708.857.2420

**Extra-virgin olive oil vs. regular olive oil?**

Extra-virgin olive oils are the least processed form which makes them the most heart healthy. They contain the highest levels of polyphenols, an antioxidant that also can promote heart health. “According to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), consuming about 2 tablespoons (23 grams) of olive oil a day may reduce your risk of heart disease. You can get the most benefit by substituting olive oil for saturated fats rather than just adding more olive oil to your diet”.

[www.mayoclinic.com](http://www.mayoclinic.com)

**Resident and Business  
Emergency Contacts Wanted**

The Oak Lawn Emergency Communications Center (9-1-1 Center) is updating its list of Resident and Business Emergency Contacts. Each Resident or Business owner is asked to complete the information below, cut out this card and either drop it at the Village Hall or mail it back to Oak Lawn Emergency Communications 9446 S. Raymond Ave., Oak Lawn, IL 60453

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Resident's Name- \_\_\_\_\_  
 Resident's Address- \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone Number- \_\_\_\_\_

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Business Name- \_\_\_\_\_  
 Business Address- \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone Number- \_\_\_\_\_

Contact (1)- \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact (2)- \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact (3)- \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Date Completed- \_\_\_\_\_

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

**New Local History Exhibit**

**What:** Photographs and artifacts regarding 19 historic structures throughout Oak Lawn including the Auschwitz House, Keyhole House, Covington School and Trinity Lutheran Church.

**Where:** Oak Lawn Public Library, 9427 S. Raymond Ave., 708.422.4990

### ***Fore Matt – Golf Outing Fundraiser***

- What:** Golf fundraiser for the family of Matt Gulino. Matt was afflicted with Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura and was taken from his family at the early age of 49. Golf & Dinner - \$150. Golf - \$100. Dinner - \$50. Contact John Hickey at 708.805.9572 or [jhickey717@hotmail.com](mailto:jhickey717@hotmail.com).
- When:** Friday, **June 11**, 2010. Registration – 11:00 am. Golf – 12:00 noon. Open Bar – 6:00 – 8:00 pm. Dinner – 7:00 pm.
- Where:** Stony Creek, 5850 West 103<sup>rd</sup> Street, [www.GuilinoFamilyBenefit.com](http://www.GuilinoFamilyBenefit.com)

### ***St. Catherine's Carnival***

- What:** Carnival Rides, Kids Games, Bingo, Live Entertainment, Beer Garden, Raffle, Food Vendors & More! \$20 "Pay-One-Price" Tickets good all night/day on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Sunday. Good on Saturday from 2:00 – 7:00 pm or 7:00 pm – Midnight.
- When:** Wednesday & Thursday, **June 9 & 10**, 6:00 – 10:30 pm; **Friday, June 11**, 6:00 – 11:00 pm; **Saturday, June 12**, 2:00 pm – Midnight; Sunday, **June 13**, 2:00 -10:00 pm.
- Where:** St. Catherine of Alexandria Parish grounds, 10621 S. Kedvale Ave. Contact the Rectory at 708.425.2850 for further information

### ***Swim Like Me***

- What:** Staff from the Shedd Aquarium will be on hand to introduce the ocean environment of the Pacific Northwest through fun activities. Grades K-2
- When:** Thursday, **June 17**, 11:00 – 11:30 am or 1:00 – 1:30 pm
- Where:** Oak Lawn Public Library, 9427 S. Raymond Ave., 708.422.4990

### ***Summer Outdoor Movie Nights – Cloudy With a Chance Of Meatballs***

- What:** Outdoor movie night sponsored by Southwest Chicago Christian School and Calvin Christian Reformed Church. Bring your blankets, chairs and your favorite snacks.
- When:** Friday, **June 18**, 8:15 pm.
- Where:** West lawn of Southwest Chicago Christian School, 101<sup>st</sup> & Central Ave.

### ***Outdoor Water Sports***

- What:** Have fun in the park behind the Library playing games with water balloons, bubbles and more. Grades 3 – 5.
- When:** Tuesday, **June 22**, 11:00 am – 12:00 noon or 1:00 – 2:00 pm
- Where:** Oak Lawn Public Library, 9427 S. Raymond Ave., 708.422.4990

### ***Pirates & Mermaids Party***

- What:** Enjoy water inspired crafts, games and goodies. No advance registration. For children ages 2 – 7, with a caretaker.
- When:** Thursday, **June 24**, 11:00 am – 12:00 noon or 1:00 – 2:00 pm
- Where:** Oak Lawn Public Library, 9427 S. Raymond Ave., 708.422.4990



## Valley Learning Center Summer 2010

Moraine Valley Community College has a wide range of **COOL** Summer School programs for children and teens. Many educational, exploration, language, music, recreational and a variety of other programs to satisfy every child's curiosity. [morainevalley.edu/vic](http://morainevalley.edu/vic) For more information contact:

- Academic Classes & Camps 708.974.5735
- Music and Theater Camps 708.974.5318
- Sports Camps 708.974.5727

## **JUST FOR SENIORS**

### ***Entertainment by Double Nickel Chorus of Evergreen Park***

**When:** Monday, **June 21**, 10:00 am

**Where:** Oak Lawn Senior Center, 5330 W. 95<sup>th</sup> St., 708.499.0240

### ***Box Lunch Day***

**What:** Sponsored by Sports and Ortho, 9601 Southwest Highway. Cost is \$3.50. Tickets available at the Senior Center.

**When:** Thursday, **June 24**, 10:30 am

**Where:** Oak Lawn Senior Center, 5330 W. 95<sup>th</sup> St., 708.499.0240

## **Circuit Breaker and Illinois Cares Rx**

The Illinois 1363 Application for Circuit Breaker and Illinois Cares Rx is the form you must use if you choose to apply for a Circuit Breaker grant, optional help paying for prescription drugs or a license plate discount. The requirements are:

- 65 years of age or older before January 1, 2010 or totally disabled.
- Your total income in 2009 must be less than \$27,610 if filing for yourself or \$36,635 if filing for yourself and your spouse.

For further information or assistance in completing the application you may call the Senior Center at 708.499.0240.



**MOVIES AT THE SENIOR CENTER**  
Tuesdays at 1:00 pm  
Oak Lawn Senior Center, 708.499.0240  
5330 W. 95<sup>th</sup> St.

*If you wish to watch the movie closed captioned at 10:30 am please call the Center*

June 8<sup>th</sup> – Did You Hear About the Morgans  
June 15<sup>th</sup> – Up In the Air  
June 22<sup>nd</sup> – Leap Year  
June 29<sup>th</sup> – It's Complicated

## **SPORTS & RECREATION**

### **Summer Volleyball Camps**

**What:** Summer Volleyball Camps for kids entering K – 10 grades.

**When:** Monday – Thursday, **June 14 – 17.**

**Where:** Sand volleyball courts behind the Pavilion, 9401 S. Oak Park Ave.  
Contact 708.857.2420 for cost and more information.

### **Tai Chi**

**When:** Mondays, **July 12 through August 30**, 7:00 – 8:00 pm

**Where:** Oak View Center, 4625 W. 110<sup>th</sup> St. 708.847.2420

**Info:** Residents - \$64. Non residents - \$84

### **Special Recreation Programs**

The Oak Lawn Park District offers many wonderful programs for children with special needs as well as their families.

### **Parent Forum & Support Group for Parents of Children with Disabilities**

Special Recreation Department offers this support group the third Thursday of the month at the Oak View Center, 4625 W. 110<sup>th</sup> St., beginning at 7:00 pm. Free childcare is provided. For meeting topics and information, contact: Jacqueline Canty at 708.857.2200 or [jcanty@olparks.com](mailto:jcanty@olparks.com). Upcoming dates: June 17, July 15 and August 19.



## ***US CELLULAR FIELD EXPRESS***

Pace's US Cellular Field Express takes passengers directly from the Oak Lawn Metra Station to the ballpark. Parking is free on the Metra parking deck (no parking fees collected around game time). Bus stop is at 52<sup>nd</sup> & Yourell Drive. \$4.00 each way. [http://www.pacebus.com/sub/esp/white\\_sox\\_schedule.asp](http://www.pacebus.com/sub/esp/white_sox_schedule.asp)

Game Time	Bus Leaves Oak Lawn
12:05 p.m.	10:05 a.m.
1:05 p.m.	11:05 a.m.
2:55 p.m.	12:55 p.m.
3:05 p.m.	1:05 p.m.
6:05 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
7:11 p.m.	5:05 p.m.



### **WESTSIDE WARRIORS Football & Cheerleading Registration**

**Thursday, June 17, 6:00 – 9:00 pm  
Friday, June 19, 9:00 am – 2:00 pm**

***Registration is at the Johnston Center, 9400 S. Oak Park Avenue***

[www.leaguelineup.com/warriorsfootball](http://www.leaguelineup.com/warriorsfootball)

contact: Dave Markusic @ 708.979.6765

## **Saint Xavier's Summer Girl's Basketball Camp**

**Session I: June 14 – 15 Session II: June 21 – 25**

**1:30 – 4:00 pm - Shannon Center**

Saint Xavier University Women's Basketball Coach Bob Hallberg will host this camp for girls ages 7 through 15. All participants will receive a camp T-shirt. Cost for the girl's basketball camp is \$130 for one session and \$230 for both. Applications are available at the SXU Athletics Department or on-line at [www.sxu.edu/athletics](http://www.sxu.edu/athletics). For information contact Laura Kurzeja at 773-298-3785.

### **TIPS & TIDBITS**

#### ***Tornado Safety Tips***

When the sky looks threatening, tune in an AM radio station, such as WMAQ-670, WGN-720 or WBBM-780 and listen for emergency weather information.

Listen for the outdoor warning siren system.

- If at home, stay away from windows, outside walls and exterior doors. Go to a basement or to a small room, such as a closet or bathroom, in the center of a home on the lowest level.
- If in a school, stay away from windows and gymnasiums or other areas with wide roofs that could collapse easily.
- If in a shopping center or large building, look for a pre-designated shelter or go to a middle hallway on the lowest floor away from skylights.
- If you are in a car, leave it and find shelter. If none is found, lie flat in the nearest ditch or ravine and cover your head with your hands.

### **THANK YOU TO OUR 2009 FALL ON THE GREEN PREFERRED PROVIDERS**

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# Village of Oak Lawn Recycling Program

## CANS & FOIL

- Metal cans
- Aluminum cans
- Aerosol cans (non-hazardous, empty, e.g., whipped cream, hairspray)
- Foil, metal lids and food trays



*Rinse beverage and food cans, foil and trays*

## PAPER

- White, colored, glossy paper
- Catalogs
- Magazines
- Newspaper
- Cardboard (flattened and cut to fit loosely)
- Junk mail
- Manila folders
- Paper ream wrappers
- NCR (carbonless) paper
- Paperboard (e.g., office supply, cereal and tissue boxes)
- Paperback books
- Telephone directories
- Non-metallic wrapping paper
- Shredded paper
- Paper envelopes (plastic windows okay)
- Self-stick notes
- Paper bags
- Maps
- Paper egg cartons



*Staples, paper clips, labels and tape are okay*

## GLASS

- Bottles and jars



## PLASTIC

- #1-5, & #7 Containers (e.g., soda/water bottles, cottage cheese containers, yogurt cups, pipette boxes, triple-rinsed laboratory bottles)
- Aseptic containers (e.g., milk/juice cartons, drink boxes and pouches)



*Look for the number on the bottom of the containers*

## CARDBOARD

If your business generates a large quantity of cardboard, bin collection service for separated, flattened corrugated cardboard is available. Contact the Recycling Program.

## NOT ACCEPTED

- Paper, plastic or foil with food residue
- Waxy/ coated cardboard
- Film plastic (e.g., plastic bags, shrink wrap, bubble wrap)
- Plate glass (e.g., window panes, mirrors)
- Ceramics, porcelain
- Light bulbs
- Glassware (e.g., Pyrex)
- Hardback books
- Blueprints
- Photographs
- Thermal fax paper
- Frozen food boxes/cartons (e.g., ice cream)
- Carbon paper
- Metallic paper
- Paper napkins/towels
- Tyvek envelopes (e.g., overnight mailing packages)
- Plastic # 6- Polystyrene (a.k.a. Styrofoam blocks/ "peanuts", food containers/ cups)
- Plastic pipe/tubing



Contact Us  
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9446 S. Raymond  
(708) 636-4400  
[www.oaklawn-il.gov](http://www.oaklawn-il.gov)

## MIXED RECYCLABLES

**Place all recyclables together in the wheeled recycling cart.**

Please note the items that can and cannot be recycled. If you ever have any questions about what can and can't be recycled curbside, please contact [mgorman@oaklawn-il.gov](mailto:mgorman@oaklawn-il.gov). You can visit [www.Earth911.com](http://www.Earth911.com) to learn about alternate sites to bring your recyclable items that the Village cannot take curbside.

**It is Illegal to Discriminate Against Any Person based upon race, color, religion, creed, ancestry, national origin, age, sex, marital status, military status, unfavorable discharge from military service, familial status or physical/mental handicap**

**In the sale or rental of housing or residential lots  
In the appraisal of housing  
In the provision of real estate brokerage services  
In advertising the sale or rental of housing  
In the financing of housing**



**The Village of Oak Lawn would like residents to be aware of available resources for further information on Fair Housing. Please refer to the websites below.**

**Fair Housing Information**

**<http://www.hud.gov/offices/fheo/FHLaws/FairHousingJan2002.pdf>**

**Rental Housing Discrimination**

**<http://www.hud.gov/offices/fheo/>**

**Foreclosure Prevention**

**<http://www.makinghomeaffordable.gov/>**

**Housing Choice Voucher Program**

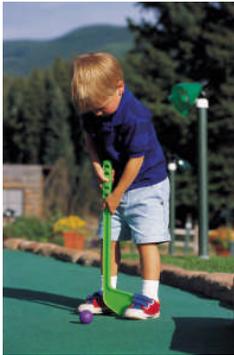
**<http://www.thehacc.org/index.aspx>**

**For further information please contact the Fair Housing Administrator  
9446 South Raymond Avenue, Oak Lawn, Illinois 60453, 708 499-7806**

**The Oak Lawn Fair Housing Commission meets the third Tuesday  
of January, April, July and October @ 4:00 p.m.  
in the Lower Level Conference Room.**

## **BUSINESS SPECIALS FOR OAK LAWN RESIDENTS ONLY**

Each e-mail will feature a few Oak Lawn businesses with special offers for our residents. Just mention that you are an Oak Lawn resident and read about the offer "A Community United" email newsletter. Our features for this edition are:



### **MINI-GOLF PARTIES AT STONY CREEK 5850 West 103<sup>rd</sup> Street**

Enjoy a fun time at our 18-Hole Miniature Golf Course: It's about fresh air, food and fun!

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- \*Patio Rental \*
- \*Food & Soda\*

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Contact Mary Grana at 708.398.6284 or [mgrana@olparks.com](mailto:mgrana@olparks.com)

### **BEAUTIFY OAK LAWN**

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Oak Lawn, IL 60453  
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### FREE ATTORNEY VISIT

***Attorney Michael J. Maslanka is offering a free, in-your-home, consultation to elderly (65 and over) or disabled Oak Lawn residents.*** Michael, an Oak Lawn resident, has been an attorney for 24 years and is a graduate of Brother Rice High School and St. Xavier University. You can reach Michael at (312) 641-2424.

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