



# Village of Oak Lawn

A Community United E-Newsletter

November 17, 2009

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



## Wishing you a Happy Thanksgiving

As we approach the end of 2009, the year in which we have celebrated our Centennial, we have much to be thankful for in this Village.

I am thankful for our soldiers who are away from their families and fighting for our country. I am thankful for the employees of our Village and for the many ways - often unnoticed - in which they reach out to help residents. I am thankful to all who serve the Village, whether on boards, commissions, or even a few hours of volunteer work. I am thankful to you, our residents, for choosing Oak Lawn to live and raise a family and make it the stable and strong community it is. I am thankful for your kindness, input, patience, criticisms and compliments, all of which help me and those who work for you in the Village to learn, grow, understand, and serve you better. And I am thankful for my wonderful family and friends, as I am sure each of you are, for without them life would seem meaningless.

I am thankful for the good health of every resident who enjoys it, the efforts of those who work to preserve it and the prayers of so many that our families are blessed with it this and every year.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving.

***Mayor Dave Heilmann and Family***

## **Oak Lawn Sales Tax Data**

The economy has continued to cause declines in sales tax revenue for Oak Lawn and every community. Sales taxes account for 31% of our general fund revenues. The sales taxes for the 3rd Quarter of 2009 were \$386,000 less than the 3rd Quarter of 2008.

The total amount of sales tax revenue collected as of October 31, 2009 was \$9,553,229, which is \$1,304,286 less than the comparable period of 2008.

In addition we are seeing a decline in income tax revenue from the State of Illinois with forecasts that this will be significantly lower in 2010.

Board and management continue to work through our budget during these difficult times to make sure we are being as efficient as possible while still providing a standard of excellence in Village services.

## **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 from our community 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, November 6, students from Southwest Chicago Christian School visited the Village Hall and here is what one of the students had to say.

***"Dear Mayor Heilmann,***

***Thank you for the opportunity to talk with you today. It was a great experience for me to learn about the local government, its function and daily operations. Here is my quote highlighting the best part of my day.***

***My favorite part of the "Our Children, Our Government Program" was the time I was able to have talking with Mayor Heilmann about the daily functions and duties of the local government.***

***Thank you again,***

***Tom Iwema"***

***Student at Southwest Chicago Christian School***



## SANTA ON THE GREEN

Join us on Saturday, November 28th, 2009  
The Village Green  
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

A *Holiday Parade* will “kick off” at 1:00 p.m. from the Police Department and proceed on Oak Street to the Gazebo

**Santa Claus** will arrive with the Parade and be available for pictures in the gazebo and to hear children’s requests along with

**Frosty the Snowman - The Elf - Toy Soldier - Stilt Walker**

*(bring your camera)*

The hospitality tent will feature Face Painters, Christmas Caroling by the Covington School Choir and Cookies, Hot Cocoa & Egg Nog will be served

“Children can take a train ride on the mini-polar express”

“Enjoy a horse-drawn winter sleigh ride”

*This holiday celebration is brought to you by The Village of Oak Lawn and the Oak Lawn Special Events Commission*





**Brown eco-friendly yard waste bags** are on sale at the Cashiers Window. The cost is \$3.00 for 5 bags. The Village is no longer selling plastic leaf bags, however, if residents have any left over they are welcome to use them. The last day of yard waste pickup will be **December 4**.

**The Village Hall will be closed for business Thursday & Friday, November 26 & 27** in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday. Garbage service will be pushed back one day.

### **Volunteers Needed**

The Oak Lawn Community Partnership is looking for volunteers to rake leaves for seniors in the Village. The Partnership will provide equipment, transportation & lunch after the project. This is a great and rewarding way to earn service hours.

**Saturday, November 21**

8:00 am – 1:00 pm

Meet at Village Hall

9446 S. Raymond Ave.

To volunteer or for more information contact  
Jim Pacetti – (708) 499-7880 or [jpacetti@oaklawn-il.gov](mailto:jpacetti@oaklawn-il.gov)

## **YOUR HEALTH**

### ***Saint Xavier University H1N1 Flu Clinic***

**What:** Free vaccinations available on first-come, first-served basis. No appointment is necessary. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention list the following as high priority groups: Health care and emergency medical service personnel; children and young adults ages six months through 24 years; 25-64 year olds who have medical conditions which put them at high risk for complications from influenza; household contact and caregivers of children younger than six months of age; and pregnant women.

**When:** Wednesday, **November 18**, 2:00 – 8:00 pm

**Where:** Shannon Center which is located on the west side of the St. Xavier University campus, 3700 W. 103<sup>rd</sup> St., Chicago

**Info:** [foot@sxu.edu](mailto:foot@sxu.edu). 773.298.3937. [www.sxu.edu](http://www.sxu.edu)

### ***Cook County H1N1 Clinic Information***

**What:** Residents of suburban Cook County are eligible for H1N1 vaccinations at any of its clinics. Call 708.836.8600 or 708.974.6160 to make an appointment. Due to the high volume of calls you might experience a longer wait time. You must be in one of the high priority groups.

**When:** Appointment lines are open Monday through Friday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm.

**Where:** Southwest District Clinic, 5<sup>th</sup> District Court Building, 10220 S. 76<sup>th</sup> Ave.,

**Info:** 708.974.6160. TDD: 708.974.604

<http://www.cookcountypublichealth.org>

### **LUCKY 5 RAFFLE BENEFITS PARK LAWN**

**Tickets are still available for Park Lawn's Lucky "5" Raffle.**

**Tickets - \$50**

**Grand Prize - \$5,000**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - \$1,500**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - \$500**

**Drawing – December 15 at 3:55 pm**

***(Only 555 tickets will be sold)***

**For an additional \$15, you can purchase a 50/50 raffle ticket. The winner will split the pot with Park Lawn.**

**Tickets available at Park Lawn**

**10833 S. LaPorte**

**[www.parklawn.com](http://www.parklawn.com) or 708.425.6867**

### ***SCHOOL NEWS***

#### ***School District 123 Early Childhood Screening***

**What:** Children, ages 3-5 years, will be screened in the areas of motor, concepts, self help, social, and speech/language development. The district boundaries are as follows: North-87<sup>th</sup> St., South-107<sup>th</sup> St., East-Pulaski Rd, West-Central Ave.

**When:** **November 20**, 2009, **February 5 & April 16**, 2010.

**Where:** Brandt School, 8901 S. 52<sup>nd</sup> Ave.

**Registration:** Call Lola Vertucci or Ann Contino at (708) 423-8363.

Free for residents

#### ***MONTHLY VEHICLE STICKER GIVEAWAY***

Each month the Village will randomly draw the name of an Oak Lawn resident from our "A Community United" e-mail database. Congratulations to this month's winner: **DONALD & PATRICIA WEISS**

## Job Opportunity with U.S. Census Bureau

The U.S. Census Bureau will be at the Village Hall on the following dates to test people interested in a temporary or part time job: December 9, 10, 11, 14, 15 and 17. Testing will be in the Auditorium on the 2<sup>nd</sup> level of the Village Hall on the aforementioned dates at 9:30, 11:30 am, and 2:00 pm. A representative from the Bureau will be on site from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm to answer any questions.

All applicants must bring two forms of identification to the testing location and pass a written test. For further information visit [www.2010censusjobs.gov](http://www.2010censusjobs.gov) or call 708.668.9730 or 866.861.2010.

## SPORTS & RECREATION

### *“The Producers”*

**When:** November 20, 21 & 22

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

**Info:** Tickets available at the Box Office at Oak View Center. Contact Chris Tiesch at 708.857.2200 or [theatre@olparks.com](mailto:theatre@olparks.com)

### *Turkey Shoot Free-Throw Contest*

**What:** Parents & kids team up to compete in a free throw contest. Teams grouped by age. Each team gets 10 free throws. Raffle prizes for all children. Register in advance.

**When:** Sunday, **November 22**, 11:00 am

**Where:** Community Pavilion, 9400 S. Oak Park Ave. , 708.857.2200

### *“My Sister’s Keeper” – Free Movie Screening*

**When:** Tuesday, **November 24**, 2:00 pm & 7:00 pm

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

### *Oak Lawn Ice Arena Family Fun Night*

**What:** Family skate and mini lesson. Admission and skate rentals are free.

**When:** Wednesday, **November 25**, 6:20 – 8:30 pm

**Where:** Oak Lawn Ice Arena, 9320 S. Kenton Ave, 708.857.5173



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

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

# Cook County Sheriff Thomas J. Dart



Come meet Sheriff Thomas J. Dart, your Local Government Officials, Business Owners, Community Groups, Fellow Residents and Parents.

## TOWN HALL MEETING FOR WORTH TOWNSHIP

When: **Thursday, November 19, 2009**  
**At 6:30 p.m.**

Where: **Shepard High School**  
**13049 South Ridgeland Avenue**  
**Palos Heights, Illinois**

The Cook County Sheriff's Office will provide expert information and advice on these important topics:

- Gang activities in Worth Township
- DUI/Distracted Driving (including new texting ban laws in 2010)
- Safe Holiday Shopping Tips/Protect Yourself Personally and Financially

**“LET’S GET AHEAD OF CRIME”**

**FREE EMERGENCY CELL PHONES FOR SENIORS WILL BE AVAILABLE**

For more information, please call the Sheriff's Police Community Policing Unit at (708)865-4776.

## **MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

### ***Friends of Kevin Gray Benefit***

**What:** Benefit for the family of Captain Kevin Gray, 22 year veteran of the Chicago Fire Department who tragically lost his life in a traffic accident on his way home from work leaving behind his wife and four children.

**When:** Sunday, **November 22**, 2:00 – 7:00 pm

**Where:** 115 Bourbon Street, 3359 W. 115<sup>th</sup> St., Merrionette Park

**Info:** [www.friendsofkevingray.com](http://www.friendsofkevingray.com). Michelle Slisz – 312.656.0195

### ***Christmas Crafts and Vendor Bazaar at Our Lady of Loretto***

**What:** Variety of Handmade crafts will be available. Venders with quality merchandise will be on hand. A diner, bakery, pictures with Santa and raffles also.

**When:** Sunday, **November 29**, from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm

**Where:** Our Lady of Loretto Parish Hall, 8925 S. Kostner, Hometown

**Info:** Pat Walker – 708.425.4206. [www.ourladyloretto.com](http://www.ourladyloretto.com)

### ***Energy Assistance Fair***

**What:** Cook County Commissioner Joan Patricia Murphy is hosting this fair for Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) as well as Nicor Sharing and ComEd assistance programs. Bring the following documents to apply: proof of gross income for the last 30 days; Social Security cards for all household members; copies of your current Nicor & ComEd bills; and/or if you rent and utilities are included, bring proof of rental agreement stating your monthly rent amount and landlord information.

**When:** Saturday, **December 4**, 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Where:** Crestwood Bingo Hall, 5441 W. 127<sup>th</sup> St.

**Info:** Call CEDA at 708.339.3610 or 708.371.1522

### ***Letters to Santa***

**What:** The Oak Lawn Park District will have a mailbox just for Santa to drop your child's letter off. Make sure your child's name and address is on so Santa can respond. The fee is \$2.00

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

**When:** Letters must be dropped off by **December 4**.

### ***Annual Breakfast with Santa***

**What:** Join Santa for a delicious warm breakfast. Registration deadline is December 1. No walk-ins allowed.

**When:** Saturday, **December 5**, 9:00 am

**Where:** Stony Creek Clubhouse, 5850 W. 103<sup>rd</sup> St., 708.857.2433 ext. 2301

### ***Holidays Around the World***

**What:** Kidworks Touring Theatre Company brings alive holiday traditions celebrated around the world. Free admission

**When:** Sunday, **December 6**, 3:00 – 3:45 pm

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

### ***Seasons Greetings starring Donn De Santo***

**What:** Donn De Santo and his wife Rosie will play standards as well as contemporary music and music from the twenties. Buffet lunch included. Cash bar available. Registration deadline is December 1

**When:** Tuesday, **December 8**, 12:00 pm

**Where:** Stony Creek Clubhouse, 5850 W. 103<sup>rd</sup> St., 708.857.2433 ext. 2301

### ***Trillium***

**What:** Free concert featuring this talented quartet which will perform an energetic array of Celtic, folk, ragtime and bluegrass music

**When:** Sunday, **December 13**, 2:00 – 3:30 pm

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

### ***Cooking for Kids***

**What:** Kids in grades 3 – 5 will create Holiday Cookie Jars. Advanced registration is required. \$5 nonrefundable fee.

**When:** Tuesday, **December 15**, 4:00 – 5:00 pm

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

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

**Boost Mobile**

**City Beverage – Budweiser**

**Mancari's Chrysler Plymouth**

**Marketplace of Oak Lawn & Green Oak Shopping Center**

**Mesirow Financial**

**Standard Bank & Trust Company**

**Veolia Environmental Services**

**Warren Oil**



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

**Sgt. Michael Sorice, US Air Force  
Pfc Kyle Taylor, US Marine Corps  
PFC 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  
Lt. Colonel John Paul Klatt, US Air Force  
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  
Spc. Don Brady, US Army  
OS2 Stacy L. Johnson, USS  
Sp. Timothy Walker, US Army**



**THE VILLAGE OF OAK LAWN  
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**Officer Jason Hudson, US Army  
Sgt. Jennifer D. Kohany, Illinois Army National Guard  
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**

*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)**.*

# 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  
Village of Oak Lawn  
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 this edition are:



### WINTER'S ON ITS WAY

### IS IT TIME FOR A NEW FURNACE?

Oak Lawn resident with 25 years of experience in removing, installing and servicing furnaces and air-conditioners! Need your furnace cleaned and checked? Will beat ANY estimate! All work warranted. Free Estimates. **15% discount to Oak Lawn residents.** Call Ron @ 708-567-1982 or 708-346-0369.



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- 150 People - \$1500 off your final banquet bill
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- 100 People - \$800 food credit

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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.

***Offer good through December 31, 2009.***

## RESUME WRITING SERVICES

Sending out your resumes and not getting the response you're looking for? Recent college grad? Old resume needs tweaking? ***I CAN HELP!*** I am an HR Manager (and Oak Lawn resident) with more than 20 years of experience in Human Resources. Over the course of my career I have literally reviewed 10s of thousand's of resumes. I know what works and what doesn't. I know what kind of resumes HR professionals find most informative and easiest to read. With the job market the way it is today, it is essential to have a resume that captures the HR professional's interest. ***So who better to write your resume than ME!*** Rates are reasonable and turnaround time is quick. **(Also offering Cover Letter writing services as well).**

**GET YOUR RESUME TO THE TOP OF THE PILE! - 20% DISCOUNT TO OAK LAWN RESIDENTS!!**

Sandy Killeen  
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