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20TH ANNUAL DOWNTOWN BLOCK PARTY!

For the 20th consecutive summer, the Village of Mount Prospect will host our annual Block Party featuring music, food, and activities for the whole family. This year's edition takes place July 27th and 28th in the heart of downtown Mount Prospect at the corner of Emerson Street and Busse Avenue.

The fun kicks off at 4:00 Friday, running through 11:00 that night, and then again from 11:00 am to 11:00 pm on Saturday. Saturday features fun for the kids including bounce houses, an inflatable giant slide, a mini Ferris wheel and mini merry-go-round from noon to 6:00 pm, along with face painters, ponies, and a craft booth from 2:00 to 6:00 pm.

LINE-UP FOR LIVE MUSIC Friday

6:30 Brass Buckle Band 9:00 Rod Tuffcurls & The Bench Press

Saturday

4:00 Jimmy Nick & Don't Tell Mama

6:30 Fletcher Rockwell

9:00 Sixteen Candles







"People love the atmosphere of this successful community event. Local restaurants, local businesses, great music and free kids activities all in one place!"

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Local restaurants will be serving a wide variety of tantalizing food along with specialty beverages. For a complete listing of food providers visit mpblockparty.com. Or call Village Hall 847.392.6000.

Free parking is available in the East Commuter Lot (Northwest Highway & Route 83) and in the Village Hall Parking Deck (50 South Emerson Street).

Admission is free for this community-wide celebration. No outside coolers will be allowed into the block party. For more info, visit mpblockparty.com or facebook.com/MtProspectParty.

Join the Village, the Chamber of Commerce and friends and neighbors for a great weekend of fun and community spirit.

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Community Events



Mount Prospect Lions Club Farmers' Market Sundays | 8am-1pm Through October 14 EAST COMMUTER LOT Northwest Hwy & Emerson

Check out a wonderful array of fruits, vegetables, herbs, flowers and other goodies. For more info, visit mplions.org.



Mount Prospect Community Band Summer Festival of Music

Mondays | July 2-July 30 7:30pm VETERAN'S MEMORIAL

BANDSHELL I LIONS PARK 411 South Maple Street

Join the MPPD for a Monday Night Concert series. The Community Band will play a free concert every Monday night during the Summer Festival of Music. For more info about the series or to see the themes for individual programs, visit mppd.org.



Senior Walking Club Tuesdays | July 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31 | 8:30am PARK ON CENTENNIAL DR.

(behind Mt. Prospect Plaza) Get the health benefits of a good walk and enjoy the companionship. For info call Human Services





4th of July Parade

Wednesday | July 4 | 1pm Parade kicks-off at Emerson Street and Prospect Avenue and makes its way to Melas Park along Prospect and Central Road. For details, contact Jill Friedrichs at 224.595.5231.

Sponsored by the Mount Prospect Special **Events Commission**



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Lions Club Sümmer Festival

July 4, 7 & 8 | 1-11pm July 5 & 6 | 6-11pm **MELAS PARK**



Busse & Central Roads Five days of fun with rides, good food, live music, a cash raffle, beer and wine garden and fun games

for kids! The festival kicks off with a pancake breakfast on Wednesday, July 4 (7-11am). Fireworks on July 4 & 8. Join the festivities on Sunday, July 8 for Family Day where kids can enjoy the rock climbing wall and programs by MP Police, Lattoff YMCA, Science Academy and Purple Me Green from 10am-2pm. Pre-sale discount ride tickets (\$5 off) on sale at eight locations in MP, including the Lions Club Farmers' Market on Sunday mornings. For details and locations of pre-sale wristbands, visit mplions.org.



Throwback Thursday Concert and Event Series

Thursdays | July 5-26 7:30pm VETERAN'S MEMORIAL

BANDSHELL I LIONS PARK 411 South Maple Street Concerts, movies and activities hosted by the MPPD.

For more info visitmppd.org/news-andevents/thursdayconcerts.



Ageless Grace Fridays | July 6, 13, 20 & 27 | 1:30pm VILLAGE HALL



our weekly seated exercise class. FREE. Call Human Services at 847.870.5680 for more details.



Bluesmobile Cruise Nights Car Show Saturdays | 3-9pm Through September 29

EAST COMMUTER LOT Northwest Hwy & Emerson View the coolest classic cars around. Shows take place every Saturday night

with themed nights each week. For more info, visit mplions.org.



12th Annual Sister Cities Family French Festival

Monday | July 9 6:30-7:30pm MOUNT PROSPECT PUBLIC LIBRARY

10 South Emerson Street Celebrate Bastille Day with oundation. Bring the family

for a festive event that celebrates MP's French Sister City, Sèvres through the Mount Prospect Sister Cities Commission. Rose Nadolsky, from the Old Town School of Folk Music, will have everyone singing, clapping, dancing, and having a great time. C'est magnifique! Program best suited for children ages 3-7, but all are welcome. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Visit mppl.org, call 847.253.5675, or stop by the Library to register.



Mooovies Under the Stars...at Dusk!

Wednesday | July 11 Peter Rabbit VILLAGE HALL

50 South Emerson Street Bring blankets and snacks! FREE. For more info, visit capannaris.com/events.



River Trails Park District Christmas in July

Thursday | July 12 6:30-9pm



Join Santa at the Woodland Trails Pool this July! Join us for decorations, reindeer

games, holiday treats, and more! Free for pool pass holders, \$3 non-pass holders. All ages welcome! For more info call 847.255.1200 or visit rtpd.org.



Fridays on the Green Summer Concert Series

Fridays | 6-8pm July 13 & August 10 VILLAGE HALL

50 South Emerson Street Join Experience Mount Prospect for the summer

concert series. Pack a picnic dinner or grab something from one of the downtown restaurants and enjoy a concert on Centennial Green, FREE,

July 13 | Suburban Cowboys **August 10 | Petty Kings**



Talk & Chalk on Centennial Green Saturday | July 14 | 9-11am CENTENNIAL GREEN AT VILLAGE HALL

50 S. Emerson Street Come by for an outdoors Meet and Greet with Village Trustees. Families

are welcome! There will be a number of child-friendly activities. Designed to offer residents an opportunity to share questions, concerns, comments and ideas with the Board in an informal setting.



Pop-up: Virtual Reality Tuesday | July 17 | 6-9pm MOUNT PROSPECT **PUBLIC LIBRARY**

10 South Emerson Street Experience the excitement of virtual reality using the Oculus Rift. Challenge yourself to a VR travel

game that allows you to explore the world and guess your location without leaving the comfort of the Library. All ages welcome. Call 847.253.5675 for more info.



Life as a Prairie Girl I Thursday | July 19 9:30-11:30am Life as a Prairie Girl II Thursday | July 19 1:30-3:30pm

MOUNT PROSPECT HISTORICAL SOCIETY 101 South Maple Street

In the first session explore life in the late 19th century as a prairie girl. Make dolls, try old-fashioned chores and games, learn about helpful plants in the garden, and make lemonade from scratch. For girls who have already completed Prairie Girl I. Try your hand at sewing, make a paper doll chain, whip up a no-bake summer treat, and plant a flower in a tin can. For girls entering grades 2-5. \$25 per child or \$40 per child if attending both sessions. Space is limited. To register by July 7 visit mtphist. org or call 847.392.9006 for more details.



Friends of the Library Used Book Sale

Saturday | July 21 9am-4:30pm Sunday | July 22 | 12-4pm

MOUNT PROSPECT **PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Friends 10 South Emerson Street Stock up on great books

at bargain prices! There's a special members-only preview sale on Friday, July 20 from 6:30 to 9:30 pm, followed by two days that are open to the public. Funds raised will help the Friends support additional Library programs, events, and services. For more information on the Friends and how to become a member, visitmppl.org or call 847.253.5675.



The Science of History! Thursday | July 26

9:30-11:30am MOUNT PROSPECT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

101 South Maple Street Celebrate Illinois' (The Land of Lincoln) Bicentennial with this tribute to one of its most

famous citizens. Kids design and build paper towel tube Lincoln Log cabins. For boys and girls entering grades 3-5. \$25 per child. Space is limited. For reservations visit mtphist.org or call 847.392.9006 for more details.



Living the Revolution: A Patriotic Experience Thursday | July 26

1:30-3:30pm MOUNT PROSPECT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

101 South Maple Street Children will explore what life was like growing up

during the Revolutionary War. Find out what school was like, what games were popular, and try some tasty food and drinks from the 18th century. Create secret codes or use invisible ink to send messages and learn about a young patriot's life. For boys and girls entering grades 3-5. \$25 per child and space is limited. To register visit mtphist.org or call 847.392.9006 for more details.



River Trails Park District Pool Party with the Police

Thursday | July 26 6:30-9pm

WOODLAND TRAILS POOL 1500 East Euclid Avenue Join the MP Police

Department and RTPD

for a night of music, pool games, food giveaways, and much more! Free Event. All ages welcome! Call Crime Prevention at 847.870.5650 for more details.



Downtown Block Party

Friday | July 27 4pm-11pm Saturday | July 28 11am-11pm *Emerson St & Busse Ave* Great food and entertainment with free kids' activities on Saturday! For

info, visit mpblockparty.com or facebook.com/MtProspectParty or email meghan@mountprospectchamber.org. Sponsored by the Village of Mount Prospect and the Mount Prospect Chamber of Commerce.



Five-0 5K Run/Walk Saturday | July 28 | 8am MOUNT PROSPECT POLICE DEPARTMENT



police department. This fun run requires registration and is \$25 for ages 11 and over and \$15 for ages 10 and under. Registration and more info can be found at mountprospect.org/police.



Brass Band Bash Saturday | July 28 | 6-9pm VETERAN'S MEMORIAL BANDSHELL | LIONS PARK

411 South Maple Street
Join the MPPD for a free
evening of music featuring
three premier brass bands,
including the Illinois Brass

Band. Listen to marches, Broadway show tunes, jazz, Dixieland, movie soundtracks, and more. So grab your blanket and chair and enjoy the show. The concert will be held rain or shine, and concessions will be available for purchase.



Mooovies Under the Stars...at Dusk! Wednesday | August 1 Coco



VILLAGE HALL

50 South Emerson Street Bring blankets and snacks! FREE. For more info, visit capannaris.com/events.



The 50s Plus Breakfast Hour Thursday | August 2 9-10am



VILLAGE HALL
50 South Emerson Street
Residents 50 years and
older are invited to attend.
Join your Village team and

the Chamber of Commerce to learn and have fun. For more information, please call 847.870.5680. FREE.



Ageless Grace

Fridays | August 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31 | 1:30pm VILLAGE HALL COMMUNITY ROOM



50 South Emerson Street Seniors are invited to exercise their mind and body at our weekly seated exercise

class. FREE. Call Human Services at 847.870.5680 for more details.



Document Destruction Event

Saturday | August 4 9am-12pm MOUNT PROSPECT PUBLIC WORKS



1700 West Central Road Hosted by the Village with the Solid Waste Agency of

Northern Cook County (SWANCC). Details can be found on PAGE 6.



Senior Walking Club Tuesdays | August 7, 14,

21 & 28 | 8:30am PARK ON





Walking Club. For more info call Human Services 847.870.5680 FREE.



Mount Prospect National Night Out Tuesday | August 7 5:30-8:30pm

VETERAN'S MEMORIAL BANDSHELL I LIONS PARK

411 South Maple Street
The Mount Prospect Police
Department, with the Mt.

Prospect Park District will sponsor *National Night Out*, a nationwide crime and drug prevention event. Grab dinner from one of the food trucks, enter the donut eating contest, and enjoy the emergency vehicle show, music, demonstrations and more. Call Crime Prevention at 847.870.5650 for more details.



River Trails Park District Glow in the Hole Fundraiser Bags Tournament

Friday | August 10 | 7 pm ROB ROY GOLF COURSE 505 E. Camp McDonald Have a great time and support a worthy cause. Two

levels for all types of players, cash prizes for 1st place, and a full service bar. Proceeds help fund program scholarships, summer camp and special projects. Teams consist of two people over the age of 21. Register at the Weiss Community Center, 1500 E. Euclid Ave. Deadline Monday, August 6. \$50 per team of 2. For more info call 847.255.1200 or visit rtpd.org.



Family Bike Ride Saturday | August 18 | 9am REGISTRATION MELAS PARK

Central & Busse Roads
Five mile or ten mile ride
with a shorter ride for the
youngsters. Sponsored
by the Mount Prospect

Special Events Commission. For more info, contact Teresa VanOpdorp at 847.337.7923 or specialevents@ mountprospect.org.



Chalk the Walks Tuesday | August 21

4-7pm MELAS PARK



receive a 24-pack of sidewalk chalk, a designated sidewalk square, and an ice cream treat. Sponsored by the MPPD. For info or to register, visit mppd.org. Use code 34125.



56 MUSIC FIX 1st Annual Mount Prospect Local Music Fest

August 24, 25 & 26
PARTICIPATING LOCATIONS
THROUGHOUT VILLAGE

What do you get when you have local musicians and

residents of Mount Prospect who want to create a cool music weekend? The 1st Annual Mount Prospect Local Music Fest! Get ready to experience local musicians rockin' out at participating locations throughout the Village. In partnership with the Mount Prospect Chamber of Commerce. For details, visit 56musicfix. org and mountprospectchamber.org.



Volunteer Expo Saturday | August 25 10am-3pm MOUNT PROSPECT PUBLIC LIBRARY

10 South Emerson Street Find the right volunteer opportunity for you! Connect with more than 20

nonprofit organizations and learn about their work and current volunteer needs. Participate in *speed-volunteering* and take a few minutes to find a fun way to help your community. This event is open to everyone, including teens, adults, families, and children. Call 847.253.5675 for more information.



MPPL Foundation Concert: Kaleidoscope Eves

Tuesday | August 28 7:30pm MOUNT PROSPECT

PUBLIC LIBRARY

10 South Emerson Street

Kaleidoscope Eyes, Chicago's premiere acoustic Beatles tribute band, returns for a spectacular concert to pay homage to one of the greatest rock groups this world has ever known. Listen to great melodies, harmonies, and musicianship. This program is sponsored by the Mount Prospect Public Library Foundation, which raises funds for special programming and events. Visit mppl. org, call 847.253.5675, or stop by the Library to register.

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SPECIAL REPORT | New Public Safety Facilities

In 2017, a detailed Space Needs Analysis was completed relative to our current Public Safety Building at 112 East Northwest Highway. The outcome of the study was covered at the November 28, 2017 Committee of the Whole meeting (mountprospect.org/SpaceNeedsStudy). After a thorough review by the Village Board, with input from appropriate sources, it was determined that the Village would be best served with a stand-alone Police Station.

The Village evaluated several locations and on March 6, 2018, the Village Board voted unanimously to acquire a building located at 799 Biermann Court in the Kensington Business Center for \$5,120,431 inclusive of property tax proration. This property meets several key criteria including location, size, and cost. The building is a suitable size (103,126 SF) and layout (single floor), and its condition is suitable for adaptive reuse. The site has frontage along Kensington Road, which will become the main public access with an address of 911 East Kensington Road.

According to the Space Needs Analysis study, costs for a standalone police headquarters were in the range of \$39.65 million dollars. By performing an adaptive reuse of this location, the Village expects the costs to be in the range of \$29.5 million dollars, a savings of \$10 million. The current goal is to break ground later this year or in early 2019.

The process led to discussion on next steps for Fire Station 13. Analysis related to calls and coverage deficiencies led to a detailed Station Location Analysis by the Illinois Fire Chief's Association (IFCA). The results recommended the

relocation to 111 East Rand Road as discussed by the Village Board on April 10, 2018 (mountprospect.org/FireHQ).

The study's predictive modeling relative to response time goals indicates that relocating Station 13 will result in a significant improvement in EMS and Fire response times throughout District 13 as well as Station 14. 111 East Rand Road's dual frontages on both Rand and 83/Main Street are vital to the achieving the four minute targeted response time throughout the district.

In addition to location, 111 East Rand Road is large enough to accommodate both the Fire Administration and the Fire Prevention Bureau; having both entities in one location is more effective and efficient for communication and operations. The total budget estimate, including property acquisition and adaptive reuse of the existing building is \$10,055,000. This is a savings of \$4.03M when compared to a new construction alternative

Staff and the Village's financial advisor PMA have created a funding plan for these two projects that is structured to ensure the current tax levy plan is not impacted/increased. Elements of the plan include the refinancing of callable Series 2009 bonds, use of capitalized interest, and the planned drawdown of excess reserves. This approach allows this critical project to move forward without raising property taxes.

Additional information on both the Police and Fire relocation projects are available on the Village website under the *Transparency* button.

Did you purchase your vehicle sticker?



The deadline for purchasing your 2018-19 vehicle sticker was April 30. Not having a current sticker on a locally registered vehicle will expose you to the possibility of getting a citation from the Police Department. A citation can lead to a fine, the cost of the sticker purchase, as well as a late purchase penalty.

New residents or businesses, or those

who have purchased their vehicle after May 1 have a 30 day grace period in which to buy the sticker. Proof of purchase and move-in date are required to take advantage of the grace period. If you switch vehicles during the year, remove the sticker from the old car and contact the Finance Department with information on the new vehicle to determine eligibility to transfer the sticker to the new vehicle. For details, call 847.392.6000 or visit mountprospect.org/vehiclestickers.

Ribbon Lutting

Wednesday | May 2 FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON (formerly Country Inn & Suites) 2200 S. Elmhurst Road 847.290.0909 www.starwoodhotels.com



Friday | May 4 Groundbreaking Ceremony 20 WEST SITE 20 West Northwest Highway



Friday | May 4 ANDY'S FROZEN CUSTARD 205 East Rand Road 847.262.4546 www.eatandys.com



Sunday | May 20 Ribbon Cutting with new Pastor COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 407 North Main Street 847.392.3111 | www.cpchurch.org



Community/Economic Development

Summer Lelebrations!

80th Annual Lions Club Summer Festival



A wonderful summer tradition returns as the Mount Prospect Lions Club hosts their annual Summer Festival July 4-8. Get together with family, friends and neighbors at Melas Park for five days of fun rides, great food and live music. Hours are 1-11 pm on the 4th, 7th and 8th, and

6-11 pm on the 5th and 6th. Everyone is also invited to help us kick-off the celebration with a pancake breakfast on the 4th from 7-11 am. There will be two fireworks displays, July 4th and 8th.

Five dollars-off pre-sale discount ride tickets are on sale now at eight locations in Mount Prospect including the Lions Club Farmers' Market on Sunday mornings. See mplions.org for more details and locations of pre-sale wristbands.

56 MUSIC FIX 1st Annual Mount Prospect Local Music Fest!



The Mount Prospect Chamber of Commerce helps present the 1st Annual Mount Prospect Local Music Fest! The 56 Music Fix will feature local musicians and residents coming together to make music. Join us at locations throughout the Village August 24th through the 26th and enjoy a great new experience sure to become an annual

tradition. Visit 56musicfix.org or mountprospectchamber.org for details about this music weekend!

Online Bill Management

Online options now exist to manage and pay your water, sewer and refuse bills. The Village website at mountprospect.org includes a View Bill or Account History option on the Utility Bills page. There you can use your credit or debit card to securely pay your water, sewer or refuse bill 24 hours a day. There are no service fees for using online pay. You may also visit the website to set up authorization for direct debit, which allows the Village to automatically deduct the amount due from your bank account.

As always, you can still pay your bill through direct mail, in person at the Finance Department or by using the 24 hour payment boxes located outside the front door of Village Hall and in the parking garage, next to the library book return.

Randhurst Village

Since the 1960s, Randhurst Village has been the site of an iconic shopping center in Mount Prospect. Despite many changes, and economic ups and downs, the center continues to thrive and remains a landmark in our community.

With the closure of all the stores owned by Bon-Ton, the soon to be vacant Carson Pirie Scott building will provide an ample amount of space for new retailers to setup shop in the center. The expansion of outlot buildings and related construction have been in full swing, and the shopping center is buzzing with a number of great



new businesses including McAlisters Deli, Tide Cleaners, Kiddie Academy, Club Pilates, and Mod Pizza.

The future of Randhurst Village is bright and blooming with possibilities! Please make sure to check it out for shopping, dining and entertainment this summer. To stay current on projects throughout the Village call the Planning Division at 847.818.5328.

Building Department Permits

It is common for residents to question the need for permits for work being done on their home. The fact is, avoiding the permitting process is not only a direct safety hazard, it can also adversely affect the value of your home.



The Village requires permits on any project that involves structural items, gas, electricity, and/or water for our community safety. This includes items like water heaters, furnaces, air conditioners and generators. As part of the permitting process, inspections are required to ensure that your contractor performed the work and/or installed your new mechanicals correctly.

Without minimizing the importance of public safety, permits are also essential to protecting the value of your home. For instance, if you install a gas fireplace without a mechanical permit and your house burns down because of faulty installation, your insurance may not cover the damage.

Further, when it comes time to put your home on the market, permits and inspections can help validate your home's

value. If the sellers can't substantiate that the work was done with permits, the appraiser might not give full value for the improvements. If the house doesn't appraise for the sale price, your sale could be in jeopardy.

If you have questions regarding work requiring permits, call 847.870.5675 or email building@mountprospect.org.

Public Works

Caring for New Trees

To help ensure that the Village's urban forest thrives, the Forestry/Grounds Division is asking residents to pay close attention to proper tree watering this summer and fall, especially in areas where many new trees were planted in the past few years.

During the first few years, prior to establishment, it's important that young trees receive at least one inch of water every seven to ten days. A thorough, deep watering is much better than frequent shallow ones. Watering is easy to do, and inexpensive considering the numerous benefits that trees provide.

Not enough water can cause serious stress to trees; primary effects occur as various plant tissues such as leaves, twigs and roots dry and become desiccated. In this instance, you may notice a yellowing and browning of the leaves, first along the margins, then progressing toward the center of the leaves. Prolonged drought will also cause the death of fine roots. This inhibits water absorption into the tree, reducing the vitality of the plant.



Secondary effects include stress, which can inhibit the production of defensive chemicals in trees, making them more susceptible to climate extremes, such as winter injury, high winds and sunscald. Trees may also become more vulnerable to insect and disease pathogens. Oftentimes when a tree is stressed, an insect or disease invades the tree opportunistically.

Established trees, although generally fine with normal precipitation, may also need water in periods of extreme heat or drought. You can contact Public Works for more tips on how to keep your trees properly watered at publicworksdept@mountprospect.org or 847.870.5640.

Reforestation Efforts

In response to extensive tree loss in recent years, the Village continues our reforestation efforts throughout the community. The effort to replace every tree that was lost will continue, budget permitting, in the fall. If you lost a tree in the parkway, notification will be sent to you in advance of the re-planting.

Trees will be replaced in the order they were removed. In some cases replacement trees will not be available until the following year.

Trees will still be hand-selected by Village staff at an Illinois nursery and planted by a landscape contractor. Trees will have a one-year guarantee. Eight to ten different species are generally available per planting season. All requests for fall planting must be received at Public Works no later than August 1.

If you are interested in having a parkway tree planted please contact the Public Works department at 847.870.5640 or publicworksdept@mountprospect.org.

2017 Water Report Available Online

The Illinois and federal Environmental Protection Agency are now allowing water suppliers to offer electronic delivery of their annual Consumer Confidence Reports. This use of electronic delivery, or e-delivery, will save thousands of dollars in printing and postage costs for the Village. The use of the e-delivery method fully meets the public notification requirements. Please go to mountprospect.org/CCR2017 to view your 2017 annual water quality report and learn more about your drinking water. This report contains important information about the source and quality of your drinking water during 2017. If you would like to receive a paper copy of the 2017 Annual Water Quality Report or have questions about the report, please call Public Works at 847.870.5640 or you can email your request to publicworksdept@mountprospect.org.

Keep Water Traps Wet

Floor drains in your home feature traps that, while usually unseen, serve a significant purpose. The traps in floor drains, or any other drain that hasn't been used often, can dry out causing a situation that can allow gas from the Village's sewer system to seep into the room.

You can eliminate this problem by maintaining a small layer of fresh water topped with cooking oil in the lower portion of the drain. The oil floats on top of the water and seals it against evaporation allowing your drain to hold water in the trap much longer.

Document Destruction Event

The Village of Mount Prospect will hold a document destruction event on Saturday, August 4 from 9:00 am to noon. The event will take place at the Public Works facility at 1700 West Central Road.

The free event provides an opportunity to securely destroy sensitive papers such as medical records, tax forms, and bank statements. The event will be held in conjunction with the Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC).

Paper documents to be destroyed should be brought in paper shopping bags or cardboard boxes. **Materials in plastic bags cannot be accepted.**

The event is open to residents of Mount Prospect only, so be prepared to present your ID. There is a limit of six file-size boxes or paper shopping bags per vehicle. Paper clips and staples do not need to be removed, but please remove binders. You will not need to exit your vehicle as workers will take paper out of your vehicle and place it in toter carts. The documents will then be loaded into an on-site shredding truck. The paper will be cross-shredded, baled, and recycled.

All questions should be directed to the Public Works department at 847.870.5640 or publicworksdept@mountprospect.org.

Watering Restrictions

In order to ensure that there is a continuous adequate water supply for drinking, bathing and fire protection, the Lake Michigan water allocation program requires water suppliers to restrict outdoor water use. Water conservation measures are an important first step in protecting our water supply.

It is unlawful for any person to use any water, whether drawn directly or indirectly from public wells or public water supply distribution systems for the purpose of watering or sprinkling lawns and gardens, or for the purpose of filling swimming pools, outside washing, or other exterior uses, except as provided below:

- Watering and/or sprinkling shall be permitted for odd numbered addresses on odd numbered dates and for even numbered addresses on even numbered dates. All such watering and/or sprinkling shall be accomplished only between the hours of 4:00 pm and 10:00 am.
- Newly sodded areas of lawns may be watered at any time on any day for the two week period following the installation of such sod.
- These rules are in effect seven days a week.

If you have any questions, please call Public Works at 847.870.5640.

Cart Storage

In order to keep our community more attractive, and to maintain healthier living conditions, please adhere to the following rules for storing your refuse carts.

- Carts and yard waste containers may be stored in the garage, side or back of property.
- For houses on a street corner, if carts or yard waste containers are stored on the side of the house facing the adjacent street, they must be screened (by bushes or a fence).
- Do not store carts or yard waste containers in front of the property. Storing carts in front of the property is a violation of Village Code and may result in a citation
- Do not place carts or yard waste containers at the curb earlier then 4:30 pm. the day before collection.
- Do not leave carts at the curb beyond your scheduled collection day. Leaving carts at the curb beyond your scheduled collection day is a violation of Village Code and may result in a citation.
- Multi-family residents such as those residing in town homes should check with your association for further restrictions for cart storage.

Work Zone Safety Tips

For many workers, the *office* is actually a vehicle. To keep these workers and others safe, American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE) members have developed safety tips for drivers passing through work zones.

According to ASSE, transportation accidents have been the leading cause of on-the-job deaths in the United States every year since 1992. In 2007 alone, 835 deaths resulted from motor vehicle crashes in U.S. road construction work zones. To play your part, follow these tips while driving through a work site:

DO...

- Pay attention to the orange diamond-shaped warning signs or electronic message boards posted in advance of a road construction project.
- Stay alert. Dedicate your full attention to driving.
- Minimize distractions. Avoid changing radio stations or using a cell phone while driving in a work zone.
- Drive carefully and slowly through the construction site; always obey the posted speed limits in the work zone area.
- Pay close attention and heed directions on work zone warning signs. Signs and work zone flaggers save lives.
- Watch for stopped or slowing traffic. Do not tailgate.
- Expect the unexpected. Anticipate potential dangers.
- Watch how the traffic ahead is flowing.
- Keep an eye out for construction workers, their equipment and vehicles, as well as the vehicles around you.
- Use extra caution when driving through a site at night.
- Watch for detours and lane diversions.

DO NOT...

- Speed up or slow down significantly while going through a work zone.
- Slow down to look at the construction work being done.
- Resume normal speed until after you emerge completely out of the work zone area.
- Tailgate. Most of the accidents within a work zone are rear-end collisions.
- Change lanes within a work zone.

Unlimited Organics Collection

The existing yard waste collection program has been expanded and renamed as the Organics Program. While the Village will continue to pick up yard waste, residents may also place organic matter



such as fruits and vegetables out for collection.

All yard waste and organics material will be collected in unlimited quantities for no additional charge, but residents must provide their own rigid container or obtain one through the cart rental program for collection.

Please visit mountprospect.org/organics or contact Public Works at 847.870.5640 for more information.

Fire Department

Beat the HEAT for a Healthy Summer

With summer in full swing, it's more important than ever to keep a few tips in mind as you beat the **H-E-A-T**.

HYDRATE It is important to drink even if you are not feeling thirsty. Remember that caffeine and alcohol can dehydrate your system so avoid them on warm days.

EDUCATE YOURSELF | Always be aware of the forecasts, temperature and heat index.

ACT QUICKLY If you or someone else encounter any signs of a heat related illness, it is imperative that you seek immediate medical attention. Move to a cool area whenever possible.

TAKE IT EASY If you must be outdoors in extreme heat, take frequent breaks and avoid overexertion.

Heat related illness can manifest itself in a variety of symptoms. While some can be managed at home, many are best treated by a medical professional.



Should you experience a rash or minor muscle cramping, get to a cool place and drink fluids, particularly water. If you encounter any of these symptoms, it is recommended that you call 9-1-1.

MODERATE SYMPTOMS

Excessive sweating Irritability
Headache Accelerated heart rate
Nausea/vomiting

Dizziness Weakness Thirst

SEVERE SYMPTOMS

Confusion
Fainting
Seizures
Excessive sweating
Red, hot and/or dry skin

Very high body temperature

For more information, visit The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) at www.cdc.gov/extremeheat/warning.html

Safety Tips When Using the Grill

While July is the perfect month to enjoy grilling, it is also the peak time for grill related fires. To keep your family safe this grilling season, follow these important tips:

- Check the gas tank hose for leaks before using it for the first time each
 year by applying a light soap and water solution to the hose. A propane
 leak will release bubbles.
- The grill should be placed well away from the home, deck, railings and out from under eaves and overhanging branches.
- Keep children and pets at least three feet away from the grill area.
- Keep your grill clean by removing grease or fat buildup from the grills and in trays below the grill.
- Always make sure your gas grill lid is open before lighting it.
- When finished using a charcoal grill, let the coals completely cool before disposing in a metal container.



The most important thing to remember is to never leave grilling unattended! For more information regarding grilling fires or general fire safety, please contact the Mount Prospect Fire Prevention Bureau at 847.818.5253.

Hands-Only CPR

In 2017, the Mount Prospect Fire Department received a Community Action Grant award from Illinois Heart Rescue to assist with CPR training efforts. The Illinois Heart Rescue Project aims to improve how Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) is recognized, treated and measured in the United States. The grant program was developed to provide financial assistance in the form of CPR training materials to non-profit, government, municipal, district agencies and community organizations within Illinois to develop community level interventions aimed at awareness and education related to SCA, Bystander Compression Only (or Hands-Only) CPR and AED use. As part of the grant, the Fire Department received 8 CPR training kits with mannequins.

The Fire Department is currently utilizing the training kits to teach Hands-Only CPR to junior high and middle schools, churches, local businesses, and at public events. The next scheduled Hands-Only CPR public event will be at our annual Open House on Saturday, September 22. A Spanish-language training class will be offered at the Community Connections Center, 1711 W. Algonquin Road. This project will continue through 2018 to satisfy the grant requirements. Moving forward, the Fire Department will continue Hands-Only CPR training as part of its public education efforts.

Hands-Only CPR has been documented to dramatically improve survival rates for victims of out of hospital cardiac arrest. According to a study published in the New England Journal of Medicine, for every minute that a victim of SCA does not receive CPR, their chance of death increases by 10%. That means if no CPR is performed within 10 minutes, the victim has a 0% chance of living.

For questions about the Hands-Only CPR training program or to schedule a training session, please call the Fire Prevention Bureau at 847.818.5253.

Police Department

Five-0 5K Run/Walk

The Mount Prospect Police Department is excited to announce our first ever Five-0 5K Run/Walk. Join us Saturday, July 28 for a great new summer event. The run/walk will kick-off at 8:00 am from the Police Station at 112 East Northwest Highway. Registration is \$25 for those 11 and older, and just \$15 for anyone 10 and under. Full details are available at mountprospect.org/police.



Enroll in the Citizens Police Academy

Applications are now being accepted for the 2018 Citizens Police Academy. The Academy is open to any Village resident 18 or older who is free of any past criminal history.

Classes will run for eleven consecutive Monday nights beginning September 10 and ending on November 19. Sessions run from 6:30 to 9:30 pm and will take place at the Mount Prospect Police Department and various locations throughout the Village.

The Academy allows citizens to get a firsthand look at police operations and provides the opportunity to experience police work from the officer's point of view. Topics covered include traffic enforcement, crime scene processing, traffic crash investigation, and criminal law, with Academy students having the opportunity to make simulated traffic stops. The highlight of the Academy is the evening where students get to use the department's pistol range.

Applications are available at the Mount Prospect Police Department front desk and mountprospect.org/police. The deadline for applications is 9:00 am, August 27. If you have any questions regarding the Citizens Police Academy, please call Officer Greg Sill at the Mount Prospect Police Department, Crime Prevention Unit, at 847.870.5650.

Pool Party with the Police

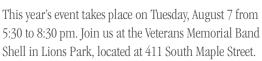
Come join representatives from the Mount Prospect Police Department as

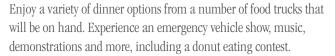


they host a FREE pool party for kids with the River Trails Park District with games, music and more. The event will take place at the Woodland Trails Pool. 1500 East Euclid Avenue on Thursday, July 26, 2018 from 6:30-9:00 pm.

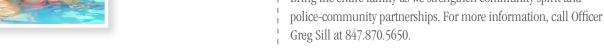
Annual National Night Out on August 7

The Mount Prospect Police Department, with the Mount Prospect Park District will sponsor the Village's celebration of National Night Out, a nationwide crime and drug prevention event.





Bring the entire family as we strengthen community spirit and



Street of the Week Program

Mount Prospect police officers will concentrate their traffic enforcement efforts by implementing the Street of the Week program on designated roadways for one week periods. Here are the dates and the corresponding roadways for the program in the months ahead:

July 2-8 | Northwest Highway (Rt. 14) July 9-15 | Lonnquist Blvd July 16-22 | Elmhurst rd (Rt. 83) July 23-29 | Golf Road (Rt. 58)

July 30-August 5 | Burning Bush Lane August 6-12 | Busse Road August 13-19 | Euclid Avenue August 20-26 | Lincoln Street



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Human Services

Open Enrollment for Medicare D Prescription Drug Program

The open enrollment period for Medicare D begins on October 15th and will run through December 7th of this year. In addition to the complexity, every year there are changes in premiums, co-pay amounts, deductions and coverage tables for various drugs.

To help you with the process, volunteers from the Senior Health Insurance Program (SHIP) and Human Services staff members will be available to assist you with navigating the Medicare website to determine the appropriate coverage for you, including determining whether you are eligible for extra help with your plan premiums and co-pays.

If you are interested in some assistance, call 847.870.5680 to obtain a worksheet so an appointment can be scheduled for you. Time slots are limited so reach out today.



Back to School Supply Drive

With the start of the school year not too far away, we are again collecting school supplies for children from kindergarten through 12th grade from families in need. Supplies are being collected at the following sites from Monday, July 16th through Sunday, August 5th:

- VILLAGE HALL | 50 South Emerson
- POLICE AND FIRE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING LOBBY | 112 East Northwest Highway
- MOUNT PROSPECT PUBLIC LIBRARY | 10 South Emerson
- COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS CENTER | 1711 West Algonquin Road

Stay Active

Join the Mount Prospect Village Nurse and the Mount Prospect Medical Reserve Corps Nurses at free exercise events weekly. The Mount Prospect Medical Reserve Corps Nurses host the Senior Walking Club every Tuesday morning from 8:30 to 9:30 am at the park on Centennial Drive, behind Mt. Prospect Plaza. The Village Nurse leads Ageless Grace, a seated exercise program to music that works the body and the mind, every Friday from 1:30 to 2:00 pm at Village Hall in the Community Room.



Community Connections Center

Things are always busy at the Community Connections Center so we recommend you follow our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/communityconnectionscenter. You can check our calendar, view current happenings and get updates on your favorite and new programs.



1711 West Algonquin Road Mount Prospect | IL 60056 847.506.4930

Hours

Monday-Friday 11am - 7:30pm Friday prior to the 2nd Saturday of each month 11am-3pm 2nd Saturday of each month 11am-3pm



VILLAGE OF MOUNT PROSPECT

Mount Prospect | Illinois 60056 50 South Emerson Street www.mountprospect.org

VILLAGE HALL HOURS

Monday - Friday | 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Emergency	Village Hall	(includes Finance & Village Administration)	Village Clerk	Television Services	Community Development	Building Division	Environmental Health	Planning Division	Fire Department (non-emergency)	Human Services	Police Department (non-emergency) 847,870.5656	Public Works	Water Billing

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Sundays from 8am-1pm through October 14!

Get the freshest produce in town every Sunday a good cause Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin morning until fall. Lots of vendors and all for area farmers, specialty crafters, unique food items, other one-of-a-kind vendors, etc Downtown EAST COMMUTER PARKING LOT at the corner of Northwest Highway and Emerson

We are a food drop off location for the Mount Prospect Food Pantry.



Coffee with Council

a holiday) from 9 to 11 am at Village Hall, 50 of every month (unless there is a conflict with anything concerning Mount Prospect. Coffee with Council is held on the second Saturday Frustees and Department Directors about Meet informally with the Village Board of South Emerson Street.

For more information call the Village Manager's Office at 847.392.6000 or visit mountprospect.org.

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