



MOUNT PROSPECT SENIOR BUZZ NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 2024

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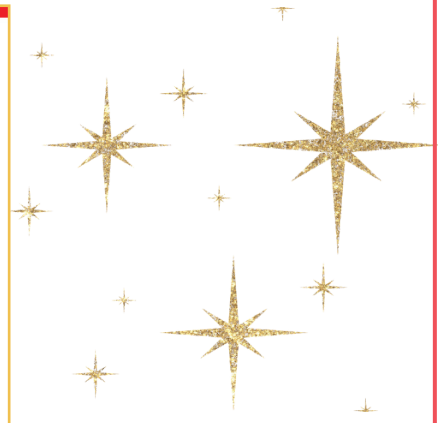
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WEDNESDAY 🍷 NOVEMBER 27 🍷 4 – 7 PM

FARLEY COMMUNITY ROOM AT VILLAGE HALL | 50 S. EMERSON ST.

Creative vendors with gifts just in time for the holidays!



Tree Lighting at 5 p.m.
Wednesday, November 27
Edwin and Elsie (Meyn)
Busse Park (across the street
from Village Hall)

SENIOR HUB



Senior Hub is your one-stop shop for senior resources, socialization opportunities, and village senior programming. Discover the resources you need to thrive in your community!

Village Hall, Farley Community Room, 50 S. Emerson St.

Hours: Mon - Fri 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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Holiday Donations Needed

The Human Services Department is collecting food donations to make the holidays special for families experiencing a financial hardship.

Residents who would like to donate can do so by dropping off donations at Village Hall **Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.** Simply bring donations to the Human Services Department located at **50 S. Emerson St., 2nd Floor**. If assistance is needed unloading items, please contact (847) 870-5680.



SENIOR CONNECTIONS

Thursday, November 7, 2024

Farley Community Room
50 S. Emerson St., Mount Prospect

9 - 9:30 a.m.

Come enjoy Prospect High School Madrigal Singers Performance.

9:30 - 10 a.m.

Village updates

10 - 11 a.m.

Stay to meet your neighbors.

No registration required. Mount Prospect residents only. If you have any questions, call (847) 870-5680.

Illinois Secretary of State RULES OF THE ROAD



Wednesday, November 6, 2024
1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Village Hall, Board Room (3rd Floor)
50 S. Emerson St., Mount Prospect

Illinois Secretary of State Rules of the Road Review Course is intended to give drivers the information and confidence they need to pass their license renewal test.



HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT STAFF MEMBERS

Director: Julie Kane

Deputy Director: Esther Salutillo

Senior Services Social Worker: Ginny Thomas

Police Social Worker: Karyn Nelson

Police Social Worker: Sandy Ziesak

Community Social Worker: Jhoana Mendoza-Torres

Community Social Worker: Jacqueline Damian

Public Health Nurse: Nicole Cooper-Ffrench

Senior Activities Coordinator: Lisa Tenuta



VILLAGE OF MOUNT PROSPECT
**HUMAN SERVICES
DEPARTMENT**

Office Manager: Esther Grimaldo

Administrative Assistant: Rosaura Gonzalez

Administrative Assistant: Slav Mirkovic

Therapy Dog: Hoover

Human Services

50 S. Emerson St.

Mount Prospect, IL 60056

Phone: (847) 870-5680

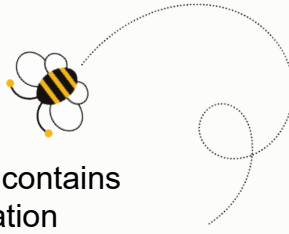
Community Connections Center

1711 W. Algonquin Rd.

Mount Prospect, IL 60056

Phone: (847) 506-4930

Stay Current



Published six times per year, the Senior Buzz contains details on Village services, community information and a calendar of activities - all targeted towards older adults!

The Senior Buzz Newsletter is available in print or online. Call the Human Services Department at 847-870-5680 to register to receive the Senior Buzz Newsletter.

Print copies can be mailed to Mount Prospect residents only, who do not have access to email.



FARLEY COMMUNITY ROOM GROUPS

<i>Walk-ins are welcome</i>	
Every Monday	Bridge (Card Game) 1-4 p.m.
1st Tuesday of the Month	Woman's Club 11 a.m.
2nd Tuesday of the Month (Sept.-Apr.)	Mount Prospect Garden Club 11 a.m.
3rd Wednesday of the Month	Sew Bee It Quilters 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

<i>Walk-ins are welcome</i>	
Every Wednesday	Mahjong 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Every Wednesday	Senior Men's Club 12 - 4 p.m.
Every Thursday	Hand and Foot (Card Game) 12 - 4 p.m.
Every Friday	Bridge (Card Game) 1 - 4 p.m.



OFFICE CLOSURE:

Village Hall will be closed to the public on Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29 in observance of Thanksgiving Day and on Tuesday, December 24 and Wednesday, December 25 in observance of Christmas.

FREE COVID-19 OR FLU VACCINES AT HOME

AgeOptions is working with Chicago Internal Medicine Practice and Research to administer in-home Flu and Covid-19 vaccines for people 60+ and persons with disabilities living in Suburban Cook County.

Who can Qualify?

Residents living in Suburban Cook County
Residents over the age of 60
Person with disabilities or caregiver
Residents who have trouble getting out of the house

Call AgeOptions at (708) 383-0258 or visit

AGEOPTIONS www.ageoptions.org/covid to schedule your appointment.

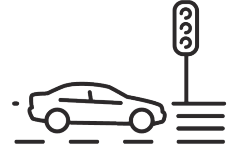
SENIOR ONLY DMV CENTER

Evanston Civic Center

2100 N. Ridge Avenue
Evanston, IL 60004
Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Walk-ins welcome.

*Offering Driver and Motor Vehicle services
(including driving tests)*

For more info or help with online renewals, Seniors may call (800) 252-8980 and press 2.



HEALTH & WELLNESS

FIT 4 LIFE Fitness Programs!

Easy-to-follow Zumba ®

Choreography that focuses on balance, range of motion, and coordination. Come ready to sweat, and prepare to leave empowered and strong.

1st Friday of the Month

Farley Community Room - Village Hall
50 S. Emerson St., 10 - 10:45 a.m.

NOVEMBER 1, 2024

DECEMBER 6, 2024

Seated Exercise with the Village Nurse

Join the nurse for a socially engaging, full body, and low-impact workout. The class aims to increase strength, improve flexibility, and promote daily movement.

2nd, 3rd & 5th Thursday of the Month

Farley Community Room - Village Hall
50 S. Emerson St., 11 - 11:45 a.m.

NOVEMBER 14, 2024 *(no classes on 11/7 & 11/28)*

DECEMBER 12, 2024



No registration required.

Must be a Mount Prospect resident.

Call (847) 870-5680 with any questions.

Whole Body Wellness with Angela C-IAYT

This program is designed to support good posture and lung function, maintain joint mobility, stimulate brain function and the vagus nerve, and improve balance and core strength.

4th Thursday of the Month

Farley Community Room - Village Hall
50 S. Emerson St., 11 - 11:45 a.m.

NOVEMBER 21, 2024

DECEMBER 19, 2024 *(no class on 12/26)*

WEEKLY HEALTH SCREENING CLINICS



TUESDAYS

9 - 11 a.m.
Village Hall - 2nd floor
50 S. Emerson St.
Mount Prospect
(847) 870-5680



2ND & 4TH TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Community Connections Center
1711 W. Algonquin Road
Mount Prospect
(847) 506-4930

CLINIC INCLUDES FREE:

- Blood Pressure Reading
- Heart Rate
- Oxygen Saturation Level
- Fasting Blood Glucose



Total Cholesterol Screening - \$2.00

APPOINTMENT REQUIRED

Must be a Mount Prospect resident.

ADDITIONAL TESTS AVAILABLE:

Appointments available Wed-Fri

- Complete Lipid Panel - \$20.00
- A1C Testing - \$20.00

***A1C result tells you what your average blood sugar (glucose) level was over the past 3 months. It is a simple fingerstick test that requires no fasting and gives you your results in 5 minutes.*

***8 Hour Fast Recommended for Blood Glucose, Total Cholesterol Screening and Complete Lipid Panel*



NURSE'S LENDING CLOSET

The Village of Mount Prospect offers durable medical equipment FREE of charge for up to three months (one month for transport wheelchair). Must be a Mount Prospect resident.

Items available in the Nurse's Lending Closet include:

Wheelchairs, Bedside Commodes, Walkers, Canes, Crutches, Knee Scooters, Grabber Tools, Shower Chairs, Shower Stools, Tub Transfer Benches, Sock Aid, Toilet Seat Risers, Shoehorns and Bed Rails.

Location:

Village Hall
Human Services Department
(2nd floor)
50 S. Emerson Street
(847) 870-5680

Hours of Operation:

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays
8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.



FREE CONFIDENTIAL MEMORY SCREENINGS

The Village Nurse is now offering FREE confidential memory screenings by appointment only. The screenings are part of an initiative of the Alzheimer's Foundation of America designed to promote proper detection of memory problems. While the screening results are not a diagnosis, they can help identify any memory issues to be addressed with a physician.

Must be a Mount Prospect resident.

Location:

Village Hall
Human Services Department
(2nd floor)
50 S. Emerson St.
Mount Prospect
Call (847) 870-5680 to book your appointment.



FIRE EXTINGUISHER SAFETY!



Cooking fires are the most common cause of home fires in the United States, with peak months being during the holiday season. We know how to prevent fires, but what happens if ultimately one starts?

Having a working smoke and carbon monoxide alarm is the number one home defense. A working smoke alarm will warn you early, giving you time to get out and stay out!

A fire extinguisher in your home is another essential tool that keeps you safe. Home fire extinguishers are categorized as an ABC Fire Extinguisher. These types of extinguishers can put out pretty much any type of fire within your home. The Class A fire extinguisher will put out fires that are caused by wood, paper, cloth, rubber, trash and plastics. The Class B fire extinguisher will put out fires that involve flammable liquids, oil, gasoline and paint. The Class C fire extinguisher will put out

fires that involve energized electrical equipment such as home appliances and computers. It is important to use only the recommended extinguisher for each kind of fire. ABC fire extinguishers combine all three classes into one extinguisher.

The proper way to use a fire extinguisher is by remembering the acronym **PASS** –

P stands for **Pull** the pin on the fire extinguisher. This will break the tamper seal that prevents the pin from coming out accidentally and depressurizing the extinguisher.

A stands for **Aim** the nozzle at the base of the fire. The base is where the fire is the hottest and also the area you should aim to put out.

S stands for **Squeeze** the handle to release the extinguishing agent.

S stands for **Sweep** back and forth ensuring you are aiming at the nozzle.

Check your fire extinguisher gauge every month to make sure that it is consistently pressurized. Read the instructions and know how far the extinguisher will discharge the contents. Keep fire extinguishers in different locations around your home such as your kitchen, garage, basement, laundry room and near your outdoor grill. Replace your fire extinguishers every 12 years. Once you use your fire extinguisher once, replace it with a new one. Fire extinguishers are only meant to be used once. If the fire is not extinguished or becomes too big to fight, please get out and stay out.

Never turn your back to a fire, and as always remember, call 9-1-1 in case of an emergency.

The Mount Prospect Fire Department does not accept old or expired fire extinguishers. You can recycle old extinguisher units, sometimes for a small fee with these companies:

Henrichsen's Fire and Safety Equipment Company (847) 459-7877

Fox Valley Fire and Safety Co. (847) 695-5990

Fredriksen Fire Equipment Co. (630) 595-9500

If you have any questions regarding your fire extinguisher, feel free to call the **Fire Prevention Bureau** at (847) 818-5253.





THINGS TO KEEP IN YOUR HOME DURING WINTER

Winter is right around the corner and cold weather can be challenging, especially for seniors, so it's important to prepare ahead of time. Ensure your home is well-insulated, and check that your heating system is in good working order before the cold sets in. Keep extra blankets and warm clothing on hand, and stock up on essentials like non-perishable food, bottled water, and medications in case of power outages. Stay informed by checking weather reports, and consider signing up for emergency alerts. If mobility is a concern, arrange for someone to check on you regularly. Taking these steps can help you stay safe and comfortable all winter long.

THINGS TO KEEP IN YOUR CAR DURING WINTER

- Ice scraper/Snow Brush
- Shovel
- Gloves and other Warm Clothing
- Blanket
- Flashlight
- Reflector or Flares
- Rock Salt/Sand or Kitty Litter
- First Aid Kit
- Extra Windshield Washer Fluid
- Chain or Rope
- Cell Phone and Car Charger
- Basic Tool Kit
- Water and Non-perishable Snacks
- Sunglasses (to reduce sun glare/snow)
- Jumper Cables
- Half Full Tank of Gas



MOUNT PROSPECT POLICE DEPARTMENT

3160 BEAT MEETING

Monday, November 18 at 6 p.m.
Location: Moretti's
1799 S. Busse Road
Mount Prospect



3168 BEAT MEETING

Wednesday, November 20 at 7 p.m.
Location: Police Headquarters
911 E. Kensington Road
Mount Prospect



SCAN HERE TO LEARN THE
BEAT BOUNDARIES AND
TO CONTACT YOUR
OFFICERS.

Join Mount Prospect Police Department to meet the officers who work in your neighborhood and hear about crime trends in the area.

Everyone is welcome to attend!

Mount Prospect Police Department
911 E. Kensington Rd.
Mount Prospect, IL 60056
Phone: (847) 870-5656
Fax: (847) 392-1070
TDD: (847) 392-1269
Email:
policedepartment@mountprospect.org





TRUE CRIME FINANCIAL FRAUD

Wednesday, November 6 at 7 p.m.
Location: Mount Prospect Public Library
10 S. Emerson St., Mount Prospect

Detective John Napoleon of the Mount Prospect Police Department will review real case examples of common financial scams, offer tips on how to keep your finances safe, and discuss what to do if you are the victim of a financial crime. Call the Mount Prospect Public Library at (847) 253-5675 to register.



DROP-IN CROCHET AND KNIT GROUP

Thursday, November 7 & December 5 at 7 p.m.
Location: Mount Prospect Public Library
10 S. Emerson St., Mount Prospect

Bring your latest knit or crochet projects and share your enthusiasm with other needlecrafters. No registration required.



Mount Prospect
Public Library



THE UNTOLD STORY BEHIND MAHJONG

Thursday, November 14 at 7 p.m.
Location: Mount Prospect Public Library
10 S. Emerson St.
Mount Prospect

Learn about the history and cultural significance of the ancient game of mahjong with Yvonne Wolf of Chinese Intercultural, LLC. Call the Mount Prospect Public Library at (847) 253-5675 to register.



MINDFUL CHAIR YOGA

Tuesday, December 3 at 11 a.m.
Location: Mount Prospect Public Library
10 S. Emerson St., Mount Prospect

Join Mount Prospect Public Library for a gentle seated yoga practice incorporating breath awareness, meditation, and aromatherapy. This program is presented in partnership with Mather, a not-for-profit organization dedicated to enhancing the lives of adults ages 55 and older. Call the Mount Prospect Public Library at (847) 253-5675 to register.

COMPUTERS

- The Library provides more than 50 e-Net computers for the public and 11 express (Internet only).
- They also provide a Large Text/Screenreader computer, loaded with the Zoom Text program.

CHROMEBOOK/HOTSPOT BUNDLE

- The Library offers Chromebooks with hotspots for two weeks to use at home. Call the Library to place a hold, and pick up the computer using Parking Lot Pickup at the Main Library or South Branch. Basic setup instructions for use available in English and Spanish.

HOTSPOTS

- The Library offers hotspots for two weeks. Call the Library to place a hold, and pick up using Parking Lot Pickup at the Main Library or South Branch. Basic setup instructions included.

MOUNT PROSPECT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Main Branch: 10 S. Emerson St., Mount Prospect, IL 60056 | (847) 253-5675
South Branch: 1711 W. Algonquin Rd., Mount Prospect, IL 60056 | (847) 590-4090

PARK DISTRICT INFORMATION



TRIBUTE TO ELVIS (TRIP)

Thursday, November 21
 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. - Cost: \$95
 Henry Jacobs Mansion
 (leaves from Weiss Community Center)

If you are looking for an authentic and respectful Tribute to Elvis, look no further. Transportation and lunch are included. For more information call (847) 255-1200 or visit: www.rtpd.org.



SWEET REMINDERS (TRIP)

Tuesday, December 3
 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. - Cost: \$89
 Chandler's
 (leaves from Weiss Community Center)

This show is sure to put you in the mood to Deck your Halls and Jingle your Bells! It features plenty of beautiful vocals, interesting songs, fun facts, and a healthy dose of humor while never forgetting the true meaning of Christmas! Transportation and lunch are included. For more information call (847) 255-1200 or visit: www.rtpd.org.

PROSPECT HEIGHTS PARK DISTRICT

ARTS SHOWCASE

SAT, NOVEMBER 9
10AM-3PM

Get a head start with your holiday shopping...

- CRAFT/VENDOR FAIR
- KIDS HOLIDAY SHOPPING BOUTIQUE
- SILENT AUCTION

...and enjoy the

- COMPETITION DANCE TEAM PERFORMANCES



PLEASE BRING IN A NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM FOR ST. ALPHONSUS FOOD PANTRY
 110 W CAMP McDONALD ROAD, PROSPECT HEIGHTS IL 60070 | 847.394.2848 | WWW.PHPARKS.ORG



Enjoy Our New Senior Offerings

Free! Walking Tuesdays

Get moving in the gym at Lions Recreation Center

Tuesday, 9:00-12:00 PM
Year Round Activity

Free! Arts & Craft Workshop

Exercise your creativity. A great time to socialize and create something new.

Friday, Jan. 17
10:00-11:00 AM

Free! Stay Connected Stitch by Stitch

Knit, crochet, needlepoint or embroider while sharing tips and making friends!

Thursday, 9:30-11:00 AM

\$1 Bingo Bonanza

Drop in and pay \$1 at the desk to play!

Wednesday, 12:30-1:30 PM
Nov. 6 • Nov. 20 • Dec. 4
Dec. 18 • Jan. 8 • Jan. 22

Variations-Ballet for Seniors

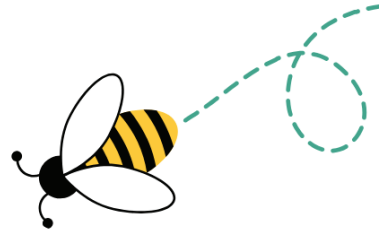
Monday, 11:15 AM-12:00 PM
Jan. 13-March 3
R \$80 NR \$90 49000
Registration Begins Nov. 4

Open Pickleball

Monday-Friday
1:00-4:00 PM
Daily Rate R \$5 NR \$7
10 Play R \$40 NR \$50

For details call
847-640-1000
or visit
mppd.org

at Lions Recreation Center 411 S. Maple St.



Friends of Mount Prospect Library

The Friends of the Mount Prospect Public Library are currently looking for volunteers to help with book sales and an individual to help coordinate volunteers for events and activities. For more information visit: www.mppl.org/about-us/volunteer

Hands-On Suburban Chicago

Hands-On Suburban connects people to enriching volunteer experiences. Visit www.handsonsuburbanchicago.org for more information or call (847)228-1320.

St. Mark Lutheran Church Pad Site

The PADS shelter at St. Mark needs volunteers on Monday nights from November through April. St. Mark Lutheran Church provides shelter, dinner, breakfast, and fellowship to support the homeless community. For more information contact Mike Mokate at (847) 846-6576 or mike.mokate56@gmail.com

Frisbie Senior Center

If you are interested in learning about volunteer opportunities at the Frisbie Senior Center, please send inquires to info@frisbieseniorcenter.org or call (847)768-5944.

Mount Prospect Parks Foundation

The Foundation is the fundraising arm of the Mt. Prospect Park District. Through a variety of annual events, the Foundation supports purchases on behalf of the district. For details visit the Parks Foundation page at mppd.org or contact Ruth Yueill at ryueill@mppd.org (847)255-5380 ext.103.

The Mount Prospect Historical Society

Do you have a dramatic flair and enjoy school-age kids? Consider volunteering for the Schoolmarm/Schoolmaster Team at Mount Prospect's own 1896 Central School. Contact Amanda Marcus for details. Call (847)392-9006 or email amarcus@mtphistory.org.

Connections to Care

Connections to Care Is looking for volunteers that are responsible drivers that would be interested in helping a passenger get to and from appointments. The volunteering hours are flexible. For more information, call (847)222-9227 or visit <https://connectionstocare.org/>

COMMUNITY EVENTS

PROSPECT HIGH SCHOOL FALL PLAY

Friday, November 1 at 7 p.m.
Saturday, November 2 at 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.
Prospect High School Theatre
801 W. Kensington Road, Mount Prospect
Cost: \$12.00



Don't miss **A Monster Calls**, a powerful tale of a 13-year-old boy confronting fear and loss. Guided by a mysterious tree monster, Conor navigates his darkest moments to find hope and healing. Based on the award-winning novel, this unforgettable production brings imagination to life. Tickets are available at <https://www.phsfinearts.com/>

PROSPECT HIGH SCHOOL FALL CHOIR CONCERT

Wednesday, November 6 at 7 p.m.
Prospect High School Theatre
801 W. Kensington Road, Mount Prospect
FREE



PICKLEPALOOZA

Saturday, November 23 at 8 a.m.
Gary Morava Recreation Center,
110 W. Camp McDonald Road,
Prospect Heights
\$25/team



This will be a 1-day tournament with one bracket. Skill levels and ages may vary. For more information and to register visit: www.phparks.org.

ARLINGTON JAZZ EXCHANGE

Sunday, December 8 at 3 p.m.
Forest View Educational Center
2121 S. Goebbert Road, Arlington Heights



All-volunteer musical group dedicated to the study and performance of big band jazz music. Tickets are free but ticket reservations are still required.

For more information visit ce.d214.org or call (847) 718-7700.

THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON

Tuesday, November 19
Frisbie Senior Center
52 E. Northwest Highway, Des Plaines
Cost: \$12 - Member; \$15 Non-Member
Pre-registration required
Call (847) 768-5944 for details.



Frisbie Senior Center

22ND ANNUAL COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

Wednesday, December 25
Frisbie Senior Center
52 E. Northwest Highway, Des Plaines
No cost, donations welcome
Pre-registration required
Call (847) 768-5944 for details.



The 32nd Annual Senior Celebration Day



Thursday, November 7, 2024 • 4–7:30 p.m.

This **FREE EVENT** will be held at the Forest View Educational Center: 2121 South Goebbert Road, Arlington Heights (enter Door 34)

Informative Exhibitors and interactive presentations, Bingo (play free), entertainment and more!

Food available for purchase from Rep's Place!

Admission ticket is required for entry. Call 847-718-7700 or email ce@d214.org



COMMUNITY EVENTS



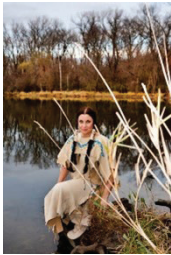
**Arlington Heights
Memory Cafe**
November 20, 2024 &
December 18, 2024
1:30 p.m.
1801 W. Central Rd.

Free social gathering for people living with memory impairments accompanied by a family member, friend or care partner. To register call Erin Mercado or Jasmine Chorath at Catholic Charities: (847) 253-5500.



**Online Thrive with
Pride Cafe**
November 27, 2024 &
December 25, 2024
11 a.m.

A safe gathering space for LGBT+ older adults to socialize with peers and seek and offer support. Contact AgeOptions at (800) 699-9043 to register.



**Afternoon Tea:
Sacagawea Adventures
with Lewis and Clark**
Saturday
November 9, 2024
1 p.m.
103 S. Maple St.
Cost: \$25

Who was Sacagawea? In this engaging, interactive, history experience, become immersed in Sacagawea's life, her experiences, and her incredible journey into the Louisiana Purchase as the companion of explorers Lewis and Clark. Learn more about this Lemhi Shoshone tribeswoman and what an indispensable part of the most significant journey in U.S. history she was. Register at www.mtphist.org.



**Second Sundays
at the Society**
November 10, 2024 &
December 8, 2024
11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Mount Prospect
Historical Society
101 & 103 S. Maple St.

November's theme is turkey, and December's theme is gingerbread. Stop by these open house events for a variety of hands-on activities. This FREE event welcomes all ages. The Dietrich Friedrichs House Museum will also be open for tours. No registration is necessary.

**Movies @ MPPL: Horizon: An
American Saga - Chapter 1**
Thursday, November 14, 2024
2-4:30 p.m.
Mount Prospect Public Library
10 S. Emerson Street
Meeting Room A, room 154
Join Mount Prospect Public Library for a screening of "Horizon: An American Saga - Chapter 1". Chronicles a multi-faceted, 15-year span of pre-and post-Civil War expansion and settlement of the American west. Starring Kevin Costner, Sienna Miller, Sam Worthington. Directed by Kevin Costner. This film will be shown with closed captioning. (2024, R; 181 minutes; Western Epic, Drama, Western)

MPHS Book Club
Thursday, November 14, 2024, 7 p.m.
Central School, 103 S. Maple St.
Suggested donation: \$5
Read Mid-century Boy My Suburban Childhood: From Ike to the Beatles by David Hoppe on your own then join Mount Prospect Historical Society in Central School for a discussion about the book. Explore one boy's view of Mount Prospect from the late 1950s through 1976 as he experiences Mount Prospect's schools, businesses, and growing community. The author examines how the "boomer" generation created (and dismantled) culture. A copy is available at the Mount Prospect Library and on Amazon. Register at www.mtphist.org.



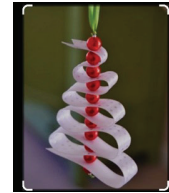
**36th Annual Holiday
Housewalk**
Friday,
December 6, 2024
3:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.
We-Go Park
Neighborhood
Cost: \$30

The Mount Prospect Historical Society will hold its annual Holiday Housewalk on the afternoon and evening of Friday, December 6 in the We-Go Park neighborhood of Mount Prospect. This will be the Society's 36th annual Housewalk and non-refundable tickets will be sold for \$30 each, beginning November 1 at local ticket outlets and online at www.mtphist.org.



Winter Evergreen Class
December 9 & 10, 2024
7 p.m.
Central School
103 S. Maple St.
Cost: \$50

Join Mount Prospect Historical Society for a fun evening out while creating a beautiful winter evergreen arrangement! All supplies will be provided, but bring your own gardening clippers/shears. Register at www.mtphist.org.



Bessie's Workbasket
Wednesday
December 11, 2024
10 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Central School
103 S. Maple St.
Cost: \$10

Finish out the year by making ornaments in this fun, monthly class. To register, visit: www.mtphist.org/bessies-workbasket.

Movies @ MPPL: Argyll
Thursday, December 12, 2024
2-4:30 p.m.
Mount Prospect Public Library
10 S. Emerson Street
Meeting Room A, room 154

Join Mount Prospect Public Library for a screening of "Argyll" A reclusive author who writes espionage novels about a secret agent and a global spy syndicate realizes the plot of the new book she's writing starts to mirror real-world events, in real time. Starring Henry Cavill, Bryce Dallas Howard, Sam Rockwell. Directed by Matthew Vaughn. This film will be shown with closed captioning. (2024; PG-13; 139 minutes; Spy, Action, Comedy, Thriller)

