

Hainesville Village News



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GIVE A PINT, GET A PINT!

DONATE BLOOD ~ SAVE LIVES ~ GET ICE CREAM!!

Village of Hainesville Blood Drive, Tuesday, May 17th, 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Heartland Coach Bus will be at the Village Hall (100 N. Hainesville Road) parking lot. **EVERY DONOR WILL GET A COUPON FOR A FREE PINT OF BASKIN-ROBBINS ICE CREAM!** Heartland is the sole provider to 63 Hospitals in the Chicagoland area and all of the Veteran Hospitals. Trustee Dena Hein

Emerson Acupuncture LLC (A local home based business) 773-600-9415

Traditional Chinese medicine is a great way to improve your health. TCM works on treating the person as a complete unit, not just the symptoms and can help with many different ailments. Spring is here and so is allergy season. Acupuncture helps to open your airways, improve your breathing and boost your immune system, just to name a few of the many benefits. Some foods that are beneficial for your lungs and sinuses are radish, turnips, ginger, fennel seed, mustard greens and watercress. **Free consultations available. Suzanne Cohen L.Ac.**

Public Works Springs into Action

Please join us in welcoming our new Public Works Supervisor, Mike DePouw. Mike started in late February and has been gearing up for the Spring-Summer season. Our seasonal workers will be returning by the end of May.

Crews are coming back this Spring to work on some areas that still have storm recovery work to be completed in addition to their regular duties.

This summer will mark year four of our five year plan for removal of all ash parkway trees. At the end of year five all ash parkway trees will be gone. Last summer we took out over 60 parkway trees. We were supposed to plant replacement trees in the fall (diversified native species). That did not happen due to the tornado and storm recovery. This year we will take out approximately 60 more parkway trees. You will receive a letter in the mail if your tree is being removed this year and approximate start time. We will only be replacing the trees that were taken out last year and this year's removal will wait for replacements next year.

ILLINOIS BUDGET IMPASSE LEADS TO CUTS IN 2016-2017 VILLAGE BUDGET

The 2016-2017 Village Budget which just went into effect May 1st has some serious cuts to the tune of over \$350,000! Due to the lack of action and still looming threats of loss of various funds from the State to the municipalities, the Village Board was very conservative in planning for this new budget year.

The Village continues to maintain and hold the recommended reserve funds and is not willing to jeopardize any of these funds. We are proud to say that regular services should remain strong. Special projects and extras have been curtailed.

Yard Waste Stickers are available at the Village Hall, Ace Hardware (Grayslake & Round Lake) Hainesville 7-11 & Walgreens, \$2.60 EA.

PLEASE KEEP LAWNS MOWED! IF YOU DO NOT TREAT FOR WEEDS PLEASE MOW BEFORE DANDELIONS GO TO SEED! DO NOT STORE GARBAGE CONTAINER IN FRONT OF GARAGE OR HOME.

Electric or gas scooters, mini bikes, ATV's are not allowed on Village streets or sidewalks OR WOOD CHIP PATH!!! PLEASE BE KIND AND DO NOT PARK OVER SIDEWALK AT ANY TIME. This is an Illinois State Law!

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LET'S TALK TRASH

White Goods/Appliances: Freon items are \$40.00 per item. Customer must call in by Tuesday 2:00 p.m. for Wednesday pick-up. This must be prepaid with a credit card. No charge for other appliances but you must schedule pick-up.

One bulk item is allowed each week BUT must be manageable by driver (not to exceed over 50 lbs. and less than 5 ft. long). Larger bulk item must be called in for pick-up and will be charged by size. These need to be prepaid too. Carpet must be rolled and tied with string, twine or duct tape. Each roll must be less than 5 ft. in length and not heavier than 50 lbs. Soaked carpet will not be picked-up. Please call Advanced Disposal for scheduling or if you need a replacement cart at 847-623-3870

12th ANNUAL VILLAGE-WIDE GARAGE SALE

Mark Saturday, August 6th AND Sunday, August 7th on your calendar as the dates for our 12th annual village-wide garage sale. The time will be 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. both days. You can sign up for both days or just one!

The HD Team from Baird & Warner in Libertyville, Hersain Rodriguez and Debbie Bacci will be sponsoring this year's garage sale. For your real estate needs contact hdteam@bairdwarner.com or call Hersain Rodriguez 847-530-7375 and Debbie Bacci 847-302-1456.

Sign-up deadline is Wednesday, August 3rd. Phone (847) 548-9249, or email georgeanndubenstein@hainesville.org providing your name, address, phone number AND whether you want the Salvation Army to pick up your leftovers. I will assume you will participate both days, unless you tell me "only Saturday" or "only Sunday." **PICK UP WILL BE MONDAY, August 8th.** Good luck to all! Georgeann Duberstein, Trustee

WATER RATE INCREASE EFFECTIVE MAY 2016 WILL BE REFLECTED ON YOUR JUNE 2016 UTILITY BILL

Effective May 2016, the monthly base rate for 8,000 gallons will be raised from \$26.60 to \$36.60 for a total increase of \$10 monthly. The rate for each additional 1,000 gallons will remain the same at \$3.50. This is the first water rate increase in over 20 years!

GARBAGE RATE INCREASE

This month you will see the garbage rate increase on your utility bill. The rate will increase from \$19.00 to \$19.20.

NEW SEWER BILLING CODES, SAME OLD CHARGES!

We previously coded all three of our sewer fees as SW. Residents would normally see two SW charges on their bill which has led to the question "why am I being double billed for sewer usage?" Hainesville residents are actually connected to 1 of 2 different treatment plants, the Fox Lake Sanitary District or the North Shore Sanitary District. The Fox Lake Sewer will now be coded as FS; North Shore Sewer will now be coded as NS. Every bill has the Hainesville Sewer fee which will now be coded HS. These codes have been changed to help our residents be clear about the breakdown of their bill.

HAINESVILLE UTILITY BILLING GOES GREEN!

Enroll in e-billing for your utility account! We will no longer be enclosing a return envelope in our bill mailings. Help us save a tree and sign up today! **We still have 2 free yard waste stickers for the next 25 residents who sign up!** Please visit our home page at www.hainesville.org to sign up for e-billing now!

Hainesville Celebrates Earth Day with a Clean-Up

On Saturday, April 23rd, the Village of Hainesville celebrated Earth Day with a clean-up. Ten National Honor Society students from Grayslake Central HS, Carmel HS, and Round Lake High School with their advisor, Peter Pettorini, joined 6 Hainesville residents to pick up trash and debris along the most trafficked parts of the Village.

As a thank you, the Village provided pizza for the volunteers. In total, thirty 42-gallon trash bags of debris were collected. This annual event was organized by Trustee Georgeann Duberstein and managed by Trustee George Duberstein.



Mark your calendars for Civil War Event Sat. September 10th and Sun. September 11th!

Hosted by the Northbrook Sports Club on their newly acquired 101 acre rural venue in Hainesville, Illinois. Event Highlights Include: - Infantry, Cavalry & Artillery battles - Era medical facilities and demonstrations - Bivouacs & Encampments - Period dressed civilians and Civil War souvenir merchants - Special Guests: The Lincolns & Elijah Haines (Village founder).

Event Chairman & Coordinator: Trustee George E. Duberstein

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