



Mayor's Letter

At long last, the winter of 2008 is over and it's time to get outdoors and enjoy the spring weather. The Village staff is putting the final touches on the upcoming event season which promises to be our best yet. Several

local companies have partnered with the Village to cosponsor 2008 events namely **the Daily Herald, Baxter & Woodman, Tyndale House Publishers, Carol Stream Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites, the Carol Stream Park District, Chamber of Commerce, Christopher Burke Engineering Ltd., CH2MHILL, Berlin Ind., Ancel, Diamond, Glink, Bush, DiCianni & Krafthefer P.C., Hometown RV, Communications Supply Corporation, Comcast and Rainbow Academy.** For those companies still considering an event sponsorship, it is not too late as several summer concerts are open for corporate sponsorship as well as the Culture Counts Festival and the annual Oktoberfest. The support is greatly appreciated from these fine companies as it allows us to stretch our programming dollars that much more to bring quality entertainment to our Town Center.



On January 22nd, Den leaders and boy scouts from Pack 196, Den 2 from Western Trails School presented the colors at the Village Board meeting. Special thanks to **Kyle Zermuehlen, Trevor Wyer, Nathan Engler, Scott**

Cibic, Andrew Klingberg, Mark Cerabona, Zak Kowalczyk, Jarod Battisto, Ashir Mahendra and Nick Thomas who took time out of their busy night to visit us. That same evening, **Luanne Triolo**, the Chamber's Executive Director presented a \$600 contribution to the Social Services Unit to support the 2008 Christmas Sharing Program. To top off the meeting, an official from the Suburban Branch of the American Public Works Association was in attendance to present the Village with a 2007 award for outstanding road improvement project for the complete rebuilding of the north section of Fair Oaks Rd.

On February 4th, the Police Department honored its volunteers for their outstanding contribution during 2007. Mostly graduates of the Citizen Police Academy, this great group of citizen volunteers generously donates their time in support of their public safety mission. In 2007, department volunteers donated 1,616 hours helping out at events, shuttling squads and vehicles for serv-



ice, helping catalogue in-car camera footage and in the process saving the community approximately \$30,650 in avoided staff overtime costs. Special recognition was given to **Andrea Rider** who volunteered 226 hours, **Bill Makowski**, who donated 197 hours and **Ron Mason**, who donated 173 hours. Andrea, Bill, Ron and all of the other volunteers are greatly appreciated for all you do for our community.

At that same meeting, the coaching staff and players of the 80 lb. Gold Carol Stream Panthers Football team were on hand to receive an honorary proclamation recognizing the team for their undefeated 2007 season. Accepting the proclamation was head coach **Mike Pauletti** and his coaches **Michael Milan, Tim Winkelman, Vince Gratzke, Nick Sperlazzo and Phil Perez.** After sweeping the regular season, the team went undefeated in the playoffs by besting the Wheaton Rams Blue team 6-0, the South Elgin Patriots Red team 23-0 and the Bartlett Raiders 14-0 in the championship game. Congratulations again to these youth athletes for their play and more importantly the sportsmanship they showed all season.



On February 19th, the Village Board and I hosted **Nataliya Kulinich**, a Rotary Youth Exchange student from Russia, who is attending Glenbard North H.S. and living with **Greg & Heidi Clayton.** Visiting with Nataliya were two other fel-

low Glenbard North H.S. students **Meghan Muzzy and Cardaeja Burns**, both Carol Stream residents and Rotary Youth Exchange students as well. Both Meghan and Cardaeja will be leaving this fall to live and study in Brazil.

The Village Board and I have been very busy establishing goals and direction for the upcoming fiscal year. Working with a professional facilitator and the Village staff, several goals have been identified that include a thorough review of our permit review and approval processes for retail construction projects, working to identify long-term funding sources for capital improvement projects. Approximately \$37 million dollars in capital improvement projects have been identified through FY 2012 many of which have no funding source. Another goal that the Board and I identified as needing attention includes streamlining the permit review and approval process for smaller home improvement projects such as the installation of decks, sheds, patios and other accessory projects.

Mayor's Letter continued

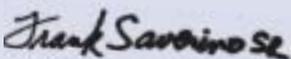
This past January, the Board and I adopted the Greenest Regions Compact of Metropolitan Chicago which commits the Village to strive to improve the environment in the Chicago region. Goals of this compact include promoting water conservation, establishing e-waste programs, participation in the Northern Illinois Energy Project's residential lighting program to name a few. Examples of the Village's commitment to incorporating sustainable business practices includes the change to a recycling toter program, the replacement of some service vehicles with hybrid vehicles, the installation of an E-85 fuel tank at our fueling depot, the adoption of anti-idling measures for the Village fleet, and the adoption of a prewetting for snow removal to reduce the amount of road salt applied on streets.

In the coming months, the Village will be working with a contractor to install water service to the Southwest Corridor along the northside of North Ave. in support of future commercial development. This project will provide fresh drinking water to Benjamin School and the District Administrative Center. Another project in the near future includes the construction of a pedestrian pathway along Kuhn Rd. that connects the Lies Rd. pathway with the Great Western Trail. In November, the Village was successful at securing \$1.16 million in federal funds to help finance this important public improvement. This fiscal year, engineering and design work will be done with construction scheduled for the spring of 2009.

The Village continues preparations for implementing an Automated Traffic Light Enforcement Program which allows governments with traffic safety authority to install red light cameras to record traffic violations at targeted intersection. State law allows law enforcement agencies to utilize this current technology to aid in improving traffic safety. This technology will prevent the loss of life and property and allow the department to redeploy its traffic officers to other traffic support duties. Once an intersection analysis is conducted, the camera hardware will be installed at targeted intersections sometime this summer with the program to commence shortly thereafter. Updates will be provided in future newsletters as the program implementation date nears.

In closing, have a wonderful spring and I look forward to seeing all of you at the annual Mother's Day pancake breakfast on Sat. May 10th, the upcoming 4-day "Summer in the Center" festival that begins Thursday evening, June 5th and at the 4th of July Parade and evening music concert and fireworks extravaganza at the Town Center, scheduled for Friday, July 4th.

Sincerely,



Frank Saverino Sr.
Mayor

Welcome Norm Sturm Village's 1st Emergency Management Coordinator

Norm Sturm joined the Village's management team this past March as its first Emergency Management Coordinator. In the post 9/11 era, the federal government's Office of Homeland Security has taken the lead in preparing the nation's cities in disaster preparedness as well as emergency response and recovery. Over the past 6 ½ years, a significant amount of staff time has been committed to the training of the Village's Crisis Management Team in strengthening its role in managing all phases of a disaster/emergency. As more regulations get passed down from the federal level, the Village needed a disaster management professional to help us organize our efforts toward meeting these new requirements.



Norm comes to the Village with a 28 year background in the fire service. Norm began his career in 1979 as a firefighter with the Addison Fire Protection District and in 1981 was licensed as an emergency medical technician with the district. Norm rose through the fire service ranks becoming a Lieutenant in 1995, Captain in 1997, Deputy Chief in 2006. Norm retired from the fire service in 2007 to become Deputy Director of Operations with the DuPage County Office of Homeland Security, a position he held until joining the Village.

Aside from strengthening the Village's emergency preparedness and response capabilities, Norm will be working with community agencies, schools, civic groups on emergency preparedness and disaster response. Norm and his wife Jan reside in unincorporated Wayne Township with their 14 year old son Jonathan. Norm and Jan have 2 older children Bradley, 26 years old and Catherine 24. When you cross paths with Norm, please extend a warm Carol Stream welcome to him.

Community Blood Drive

When

Wednesday, April 30th

Where

Bielawski Municipal Center

Address

500 N. Gary Avenue

Time

2:30 pm – 7:30 pm



Crime/Fraud Alert - Beware of ATM Skimming Artists

A team of organized criminals are installing equipment on legitimate bank ATM machines in the Midwest and other areas of the country to steal ATM cards and associated PIN numbers. The equipment used to capture your ATM card and PIN numbers are cleverly disguised to look like normal ATM equipment. A 'skimmer' is mounted to the front of the normal ATM card slot that reads the ATM card number and transmits it to the criminals sitting in a nearby car. In addition, a camera is mounted to capture the keystrokes used to enter the password. With this information, the thieves can easily create a duplicate card and get into the account. If you see an attachment like this, do not use the ATM and report it immediately to the bank using the 800 number or phone on the front of the ATM unit. Below are precautions to be taken by residents when using their banks ATM machine to significantly reduce the likelihood of becoming a victim of ATM skimming or other related bank fraud crime.

- Always protect your PIN #.
- Don't write your PIN number down
- Cover the keypad while you enter the number
- Don't give the number out to anyone
- Know where the security cameras are located. While many ATMs have cameras, they won't be positioned to record the keypad.
- Be wary to any offers of 'help' with your ATM transaction.
- Be suspicious of a machine that has signage indicating you should use a specific machine.
- Use a different machine if you feel uncomfortable about the ATM instructions
- Report anything that seems suspicious or strange about the ATM machine to your financial institution.
- Alert the bank during hours or emergency 9-1-1 when closed to immediately report any suspicious activity around an ATM. This could include anyone who offers to help you, tries to look over your shoulder, or is taking pictures in the area.
- Call the bank immediately if your card is held by the machine.
- Be on the lookout for fraudulent withdrawals on your monthly statement.
- Conduct ATM transactions during the day - most ATM crime occurs in the evening



Consider Us for Your Next Event



Historic Farmhouse @ 301 N. Lies Rd. - Hold your next event at the Carol Stream Historic Farmhouse. Surrounded by towering trees and vintage landscaping, this gracious historic home is waiting to welcome you and take you back in time. Businesses looking for a retreat-like setting to host a corporate planning session will be right at home here with access to conference tables, a projection screen and an overhead console. Host a music recital in the gracious sitting room or a bridal/baby shower in the restored private parlor. The sprawling grounds include a quaint gazebo, the perfect location to recite your wedding vows. The Historic Farmhouse and its grounds are smoke free.



Ross Ferraro Town Center @ 110 N. Lies Rd. - Prominently located at the southwest corner of Gary Ave. & Lies Road, the Carol Stream Town Center is a beautiful 22-acre public open space that includes miles of landscaped walkways, a gazebo, a gateway arch and a cascading fountain as the signature corner feature. Among the Town Center's several amenities is a reception tent with seating capacity for a 300-person catered meal or a 400-person cocktail reception. Conveniently located north and east of the private access drive, the reception tent has full electric service, two handicap accessible restrooms and paved parking for over 200 vehicles. Recite your wedding vows under the quaint outdoor pavilion and stay afterwards to have your wedding pictures taken.

For more information on the Historic Farmhouse or Town Center Reception Tent or to book your upcoming event, phone the Office of the Village Manager at (630) 871-6250.

2008 Rental Rates:	Resident	Non-Resident
*Farmhouse/Tent (4 hr. min.)	\$500	\$600
Refundable Security Deposit	\$150	\$150
Additional Hourly Rate	\$75/hr.	\$100/hr.
<i>*includes event insurance & amplification permit if needed</i>		

Carol Stream "Relay for Life"

Glenbard North High School
990 N. Kuhn Rd.
Starts @ 6 pm - Fri., June 13th
Ends @ 7 am - Sat., June 14th

Let's get our community spirit together for a great cause and fight the battle against cancer! For more information, phone Kristin @ (630) 932-1141. It is not too late to:

- Register a Team
- Join a Team
- Volunteer To Help w/ the Event
- Make a Donation/Purchase a Luminaria Bag
- Be Recognized Being A Cancer Survivor
- Become a Sponsor

Relay for Life planning committee meeting schedule is as follows:

Thursday, April 10th • 6 - 7 pm
Glenbard North H.S. Faculty Lounge

Thursday, May 1st • 6 - 7 pm
Glenbard North H.S. Faculty Lounge

Thursday, June 6th • 6 - 7 pm
Glenbard North H.S. Faculty Lounge

Mercury Contamination ALERT

Recycle Compact Fluorescent (CFL) Light Bulbs

CFLs contain a small amount of mercury and should be disposed of properly, ideally recycled. The following hardware store accepts used/burned out CFLs for recycling:



Ziegler Ace Hardware (Heritage Plaza)

806 Army Trail Rd.
Carol Stream, IL. 60188
(630) 213-3400

Store Hours

M-F: 8:00 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Sat.: 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Sun.: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.



What to Do if a Fluorescent Light Bulb Breaks

EPA is continually reviewing its clean-up and disposal recommendations for CFLs to ensure that the Agency presents the most up-to-date information for consumers and businesses.

Fluorescent light bulbs contain a very small amount of mercury sealed within the glass tubing. EPA recommends the following clean-up and disposal guidelines:

1. Open a window and leave the room for 15 minutes or more.

2. Carefully scoop up the fragments and powder with stiff paper or cardboard and place them in a sealed plastic bag.

- Use disposable rubber gloves, if available (i.e., do not use bare hands). Wipe the area clean with damp paper towels or disposable wet wipes and place them in the plastic bag.
- Do not use a vacuum or broom to clean up the broken bulb on hard surfaces.

3. Place all clean-up materials in a second sealed plastic bag.

- Place the first bag in a second sealed plastic bag and put it in the outdoor trash container or in another outdoor protected area for the next normal trash disposal. Note: Some states prohibit such trash disposal and require that broken and unbroken lamps be taken to a local recycling center.
- Wash your hands after disposing of the bag.

4. If a fluorescent bulb breaks on a rug or carpet:

- First, remove all materials you can without using a vacuum cleaner, following the steps above. Sticky tape (such as duct tape) can be used to pick up small pieces and powder.
- If vacuuming is needed after all visible materials are removed, vacuum the area where the bulb was broken, remove the vacuum bag (or empty and wipe the canister) and put the bag or vacuum debris in two sealed plastic bags in the outdoor trash or protected outdoor location for normal disposal.

Carol Stream Historical Society News

Historical Society to Host Quilt Show

'Stitches in Time' is the theme for the quilt show the Carol Stream Historical Society will host on **Tuesday, April 29 at 7:00 p.m.** at the Carol Stream Historic Farm House located on Lies Road (west of Hampe Park). Highlighting the evening will be the presentation and donation of a 19th Century reproduction of a quilt made by the "Seams Like Fun" quilt group. The project is log cabin blocks in a barn-raising setting with reproduction fabrics such as what might have been used at the time the farmhouse was constructed in the late 1870's.



The quilt will be on display at the farmhouse in the future. The 'Seams Like Fun' quilt group was formed in 2003 by ladies who wanted an outlet for their individual and charitable quilting endeavors. With an average of 15 members, the group not only participated in national quilt undertakings, but also have made and donated quilts to several groups throughout the area. If anyone is interested in displaying a quilt that evening and telling of its origin, contact Barbara at (630) 665-0686. The public is cordially invited to join the Historical Society and the quilt group for an interesting program on April 29th. Light refreshments will be served.

Share Your Memories

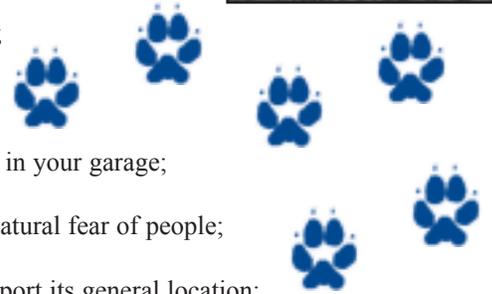
On Tuesday, June 24, Carol Stream Historical Society will present an evening entitled 'Share Your Memories of Carol Stream'. The meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. at the Carol Stream Historic Farmhouse located on Lies Road, just west of Hampe Park. Residents are asked to bring pictures and memorabilia they have collected over the years about the village. Whether you have lived here for 30 years or just a few, the society is interested in you sharing your particular history of our town.

Coyotes in Springtime

Residents might want to keep a closer eye on their pets during the spring as adult coyotes vigilantly guard their dens and the young pups in them. If a coyote den is approached, inadvertently or otherwise, a coyote's instinct is to convincingly drive off the threat be it an animal or person. Coyote dens have been identified in areas of the Village along detention pond shorelines planted with native vegetation and wildflowers. The Village's policy regarding coyotes is and continues to be coexistence as they are integral to nature because they help keep a balance as a predator controlling the population of small rodents as well as Canadian Geese. The keys to coexistence with coyotes is eliminating food sources in and around your home and making them uncomfortable when crossing paths with one. To this end, heed the following coexistence tips:



- * Regularly clean in and around elevated bird feeders and don't overfill your bird feeder;
- * Clean and cover your barbecue grill after use;
- * Discontinue putting dog or cat food and water bowls outside;
- * If you store pet food in your garage, do not leave it open;
- * Keep lids secured on your refuse cans, regardless of whether they are stored outside or in your garage;
- * If you have fruit tree, regularly pick up fallen fruit from the ground;
- * Never, ever, purposely feed a wild animal, especially a coyote as they can lose their natural fear of people;
- * If seen, take the time to alert residents in the neighborhood of their presence;
- * If I observe an injured (limping or missing fur from mange) coyote, contact 9-1-1 to report its general location;
- * Do not feed feral cats; coyotes prey on the cats and feed on cat food left out for them;
- * Minimize ground cover vegetation near children's play areas, to avoid attracting rodents and small mammals that in turn attract coyotes;
- * Should you cross paths with a coyote, stand tall, make eye contact and stare it down, clap your hands, wave your arms but never run;
- * If a coyote stands its ground, spray it with a garden hose or make loud noises by blowing a whistle or banging pots & pans.



Gayle Dubowski Memorial Scholarship Fund

To honor the memory of Carol Stream resident and N.I.U student Gayle Dubowski, a memorial scholarship fund has been established with Harris Bank. Interested residents, friends and benefactors can make a donation by visiting any Harris Bank location requesting the teller to reference either Mr. Joseph Dubowski or account number 7801919157.



Donations to the Memorial scholarship fund can also be made by mail by sending a personal check payable to The Gayle Dubowski Scholarship Fund with a note directing the check to be deposited into account number 7801919157. The mailing address is as follows:

**Harris Bank
c/o Nick Torres
1121 S. York Rd
Elmhurst, IL 60126**

Memorial Scholarship Fund donations can also be made electronically using the following Harris Bank routing and account reference numbers

**Routing # - 071025661
Account #: - 7801919157**

Rotary Club Awards Cloverdale School a Carol Stream Cares Grant

Through a generous grant from the Carol Stream Rotary Club, the Cloverdale School Student Council is saving soles by putting their best foot forward. On January 14th, the student group launched the 'Share Our Soles' project which sought to collect 634 pairs of gently worn shoes by April 16th. Rotarians, Bob McNees, Debra Cartwright, and Jim Bailey visited the school this past February 21st to present Cloverdale School with a check for \$300 to assist in funding this project. The Rotary Cares grant will be used to help defray the cost of shipping the shoes inside the U.S. and abroad where the shoes are most in need.

To date, 275 pairs of men's, women's, and children's shoes of all types have been collected, sorted, and cleaned by the Student Council under the guidance of moderators, Pam Hart and Colette Bertrand. Tags bearing a student's initials and the words, "*I hope these shoes carry you far,*" are attached to each pair of shoes once they've been cleaned. "*The whole school is involved,*" Ms. Bertrand said. "*The students are having a ball keeping track of the projects' progress through hall displays.*"

The Carol Stream Rotary Club initiated the Carol Stream Cares grant program to support community service projects initiated by local student groups. The Club's support goes beyond just the funding aspect to include promotion of the service project itself as well as direct assistance in carrying out the project.



Earth Day & Recycling Events

5th Annual Electronics Recycling Day

Saturday, April 19th • 8 am – 2 pm

SIMS Recycling Solutions – 1600 Harvester Rd.,
West Chicago

From Rt. 64 turn left on Powis Rd. 1 ½ mile to Harvester Rd.

Regular phones, personal computer equipment & accessories, fax machines, scanners, speakers, TV's, stereos, VCR's DVD players & Game Systems (Ninetendo & Play Station etc.)

For information, phone (630) 231-6060.



City of Wheaton Recycling Extravaganza

Saturday, April 19th • 9 am – 3 pm

Metra Commuter Parking Lot- Liberty & Carlton Dr.

Books, scrap metal (swing sets, railings, washers, dryers, pots & pans, metal hangers, etc), torn/ faded American Flags (to be properly retired), eye glasses, hearing aids, keys, gym shoes, cell phones, lawn mowers, garden tools, home repair tools, bicycles (working/broken), SLA Batteries (car, motorcycle, marine, lawn mower, sump pump, RV, all types of sport vehicles) For information, phone (630) 545-9710.

Village of Glen Ellyn Recycling Extravaganza

Saturday, April 26th • 8 am – Noon

Metra Commuter Lot – Duane & Lorraine
(just west of the Public Library)

Items Accepted: Cell phones, laser & inkjet cartridges, books, American Flags, hearing aids, eyeglasses, clean PVC pipe, scrap metal (swing sets, siding, pots & pans, metal hangers, tin, washers, dryers, stoves, hot water heaters, wagons, etc), #1 plastics - pop bottles, #2 plastics - milk/laundry jugs, juice pouches, bottle caps, fire extinguishers, bicycles- working or broken, home repair & lawn tools, lawn mowers, loose & broken jewelry, beads, record albums, neckties, buttons, vintage clothing, toys, coats, clothes, small appliances.



EPA Mobile Household Hazardous Waste Collection

Saturday, May 3rd • 8 am – 3 pm

Elmhurst Public Works Center- 985 S. Riverside Dr.

Directions: Roosevelt Rd. east to north bound IL. Rt.

83 / proceed to Riverside Dr. across from Sugar Creek Golf Course

Acceptable items include acids, cleaning solvents, mercury, oil based paints, thermostats, insecticides, wood stains & varnish, pool chemicals, fertilizers/pesticides, fluorescent light ballast, poisons, fluorescent light bulbs, household batteries, thermometers, automotive fluids, asbestos mercury containing items and medicines. For information, phone (630) 407-6760 or visit www.dupageco.org/edp



DuPage Writer's Group Calendar

April 14th: **Writer's Support Group Meeting** 7-9 pm

Carol Stream Public Library

April 21st: **Speaker's Series - speaker TBD** 7-9 pm

Carol Stream Public Library

April 30th: **Writer's Support Group Meeting** 7-9 pm

Brew House Café

May 12th: **Writer's Support Group Meeting** 7-9 pm

Carol Stream Public Library

May 28th: **Writer's Support Group Meeting** 7-9 pm

Brew House Café

The Carol Stream Public Library is located at 616 Hiawatha Dr. and the Brew House Café is located at 1057 Fountainview Lane. Budding writers and poets can join the DWG for \$25/yr and find the literary support, encouragement and inspiration from fellow writers.



Youth Council Corner

This past November, Trustee Matt McCarrthy and the current members of the Youth Council met with Congressman Peter Roskam of the 6th U.S. Congressional District at Glenbard North H.S. at a town hall meeting with youth. The council members were fully engaged in the discussion with Congressman Roskam and issues pertinent to teens including school funding, school safety, homeland security as well as the rising costs of college were discussed at length.

The local Youth Council has several exciting events planned during the spring and summer. Once again, council members will provide hospitality service during the annual Mother's Day Breakfast. The Council is also actively planning the 3rd Annual Youth Council Musicfest (aka Teen Music Festival), to be held on Sat., June 7th during the community's annual summer festival and will be soliciting requests during April from teen bands looking to perform in the festival. Council members are planning a community-wide food drive this summer to help replenish food supplies at some of the local food pantries. Any local high school student from Carol Stream interested in local government and community outreach might consider applying to serve on this dynamic civic group. Inquiries can be directed to Council Liaison, Trustee Matt McCarthy @ MMcCarthy@carolstream.org



Bike Safety Rodeo

Sat., May 31st • 9 am – Noon • Ferraro Town Center

Children ages 3-15 participate in a bike safety course.

Raffle prizes, refreshments, giveaways and visits by McGruff, Ozzie the Cougar and Sparky the Fire Dog. For information, contact Officer Richard Garza at 668-2167 ext. 6201.



Arbor Day Recycling Event Shreds Light on Identity Theft

On Sat., April 26th from 9 AM to 12 PM, the Village will be hosting a Community Paper Shredding and Electronics Collection Event at the Ross Ferraro Town Center. Shredding personal documents to help reduce the risk of identity theft is an important part of managing your finances. Residents are allowed to bring up to 4 bankers boxes of personal documents. Shredded paper waste generated from this event that is shredded will be recycled into post-consumer products like paper towels and napkins.

In addition, residents can also bring their used/unwanted electronics for recycling collection to ensure the components containing lead, mercury and other hazardous materials are kept out of landfills. Any questions regarding this scheduled community recycling event, contact the Public Works Dept. at **630-871-6260** or by e-mail at publicworks@carolstream.org



Computer Peripherals

- CD, CD-RW and DVD Drives
- CPUs
- Hard Drives
- Laptops and Notebooks
- Monitors
- Printers
- Routers
- Scanners
- Servers
- ZIP and Floppy Drives
- Networking Equipment
- Rechargeable Batteries

Office Equipment

- Adding Machines
- Answering Machines
- Fax Machines
- Multifunction Machines
- Postage Machines
- Electronic Staplers
- Home Entertainment
- Metal or Plastic Speakers
- Microwave Ovens
- Copiers
- MP3 Players
- Plastic Games - Battery or Plug in
- Modems
- Radios, Stereos, Boom Boxes
- Air Conditioners

Communication Equipment

- Adapters, chargers for any device
- Battery Back-Ups
- Data Cartridges
- Digital Cameras
- Corded phones
- DVD/Video Players
- Cordless phones
- Electronic Game Devices
- Pagers
- Pocket PCs
- Any cable or wire from electronics, cords, plugs, loose wiring from any home entertainment system or other
- Any Electronic or Battery Operated Gadgets

Analog Cell Phones Unable to Access Emergency 9-1-1 Service

This past February, AT&T Mobility, Alltel, Cellular One, Dobson, US Cellular and Verizon Wireless and several other cellular providers turned off their analog networks making the ability to make a call to the emergency 9-1-1 call center virtually impossible. Residents with older model cellular phones and late model phones from Donated Programs will be adversely impacted by this change. Cell phones that do not have any of the following features are of the analog type:

- **Text/Instant Messaging** • **Internet Browsing** •
- **MP3 player or integrated camera** • **a SIM Card** •

Most cell phones over 5 years old are analog no longer have emergency 9-1-1 service. The National Emergency Number Association (NENA) advises those unable to determine whether your cell phone's 9-1-1 service has been discontinued to visit a local cellular phone retail location for follow up assistance. A store representative should be able to determine if a cellular phone is analog or digital. If you are affected by this discontinuation of service, you may want to contact the Donated Phone Program that issued your phone. The DuPage County Sheriff's Communications Center located at 501 N. County Farm Rd. operates the area's largest cell phone donation program and can be contacted at (630) 407-2317 should you need to obtain a donated digital phone.

Reporting Power Outages to Com-Ed

When severe weather causes power outages, Com-Ed asks residents who have lost power to call **1-800-EDISON** to report the outage. Com-Ed relies on both its monitoring program at its Emergency Operating Center and customer reports to determine where the outages are. **Com-Ed advises customers to call every 8-12 hours** to ensure restorations do not leave some isolated customers or areas without service.

When restoring power during a widespread outage, Com-Ed uses a prioritized response as follows:

- **Life Safety Facilities** (Hospitals)
- **Emergency Response Agencies** (Police/Fire/ Water Pumping Facilities)
- **Senior Facilities**
- **High Rises**
- **Outages affecting the largest number/ concentration of customers**



For more information - visit the Com-Ed web site at www.comed.com

Yard Waste Pick Up Resumes April 7th Collection Week

Flood Brothers will resume yard waste collection service during the week of April 7th. Yard waste stickers can be purchased for \$1.80 at the following 7 area outlets:

- **Municipal Center/Police Records** – Gary Ave. & Fullerton Rd.
- **Jewel Foods** - County Farm & Army Tr. Rds. (**Heritage Plaza**)
- **Family Foods** - County Farm & Army Tr. Rds. (**County Farm Plaza**)
- **Carol Stream Food Mart** - Elk & Idaho Trs.
- **Ace Hardware** – 806 Army Trail Rd. (**Heritage Plaza**)
- **Dominick's**- Geneva & Schmale Rds. (**Geneva Crossing**)
- **Convenient Food Mart** - Kuhn Rd. & Munson Dr.



For more information on yard waste service, phone Flood Brothers Disposal & Recycling Systems at 261-0578.

Projects Requiring a Building Permit

Permit applications and guidelines are available in the Village Hall lobby or can be downloaded from the Village web site @ www.car-olstream.org/ReferenceDesk/Forms/Forms.htm#Beginning

Work done prior to securing a permit is subject to increased fees and fines. Decide early on whether you or your contractor will apply for the necessary building permit(s). **Once a building permit has been issued, you are required to clearly post the permit either in the front window or on the door of the building.** Common projects that require a building permit include:

- A/C Units
- Basements (Finished)
- Decks
- Driveways
- Electrical Work
- Fences
- Fireplaces
- Furnaces
- Gazebos
- Garages
- Lawn Sprinkling Systems
- Patios
- Porches
- Room Additions
- Satellite Dishes (>3ft.)
- Sheds
- Above Ground Pools
- Below Ground Pools
- Water Heaters



Simple Steps Toward Cleaner Air

Clean Air Counts aims to reduce smog-forming emissions by 5 tons/day. Many daily activities, from driving your car to cleaning your home, release these emissions. By making a few small changes in habits and consumption, you can join over a thousand households and businesses in helping to improve our air. Here are a few examples:



- Use energy-efficient compact fluorescent light bulbs
- Purchase no- or low-VOC cleaning products and paints
- Drive less, use public transit, and walk or bike whenever possible
- Mow your lawn and fill your gas tank in the evening or cooler part of a summer day

Join Clean Air Households today for more information on how to keep the air clean and how to identify environmentally friendly household products. As you adjust your habits, you can track how you have benefited our air quality through your Clean Air Counts personal online profile, and see Clean Air Counts' progress toward our 5 tons/day goal. Help us prove that voluntary citizen action can make a difference for our air! For more information, log onto www.cleanaircounts.org/

Cell Phone Battery Drop Off Locations

Consumers use an average of six wireless products in their day-to-day lives. The average cell phone is replaced (or upgraded) every 18 to 24 months generating a significant amount of used cell phones and batteries. Residents are encouraged to visit the local retailers below who have a *Call2Recycle* collection box in their store.

Lowe's

400 W Army Trail Rd

Ziegler's Ace Hardware

806 W Army Trail Rd

Home Depot

475 S Schmale Rd



If you are unsure whether your project requires a permit or have questions about building codes, permit fees or the permitting process, call the Community Development Department at 871-6230 before starting work.

11¢ Sewer Rate Increase Effective May 1st

On May 1st, the Village's sewer rate will increase by 11¢/1,000 gal., from its current rate of \$2.40/1,000 gal. to a revised \$2.51/1,000 of water consumption. This rate increase is needed to assist in the funding of planned sewer maintenance system improvements. For a family consuming on average 10,000 gallons a month, the net increase in your bill with the new rate will be approximately \$1.10/ month or \$13.20 over an entire year.

Life Link Ensures Phone Service for Low Income Families

The Illinois Link-Up and Lifeline program helps low-income individuals and households obtain local telephone service. **Link-Up provides up to \$42 towards the cost of hooking up a new telephone** in a low-income residence. The **Lifeline program provides a partial subsidy for monthly local phone bills.**

To qualify for these programs, individuals or families must receive benefits under any one of the following programs:

- Medicaid
- Food Stamps
- Temporary Assistance to Needy Families
- Low Income Home Energy Assistance
- Supplemental Security Income
- Free National School Lunch Program
- Federal Public Housing

If you are a recipient of one of these programs, you should call your local telephone company to confirm your eligibility.

AT&T Customers Ph: 1-888-256-5378
Verizon Customers Ph: 1-800-483-4000

Tell your local phone company that you want to sign up for the Lifeline & Link-Up programs. If you already have phone service in your home, you may still qualify for the Lifeline program that reduces your monthly local phone bills.



Feral Cat Population Explosion

There are an estimated 60 million feral cats in the United States today. Each year, an estimated 15 million homeless animals are euthanized using public tax dollars. Feral cats are a growing problem in our area as they are now the most common carrier of rabies with 250 confirmed cases in 2000. Feral kittens are a frequent cause of large scale rabies outbreak when handled and transported to public places where the disease incubates and then gets transmitted.

The primary cause of this public/animal health problem is cat owners who carelessly fail to have their cat spayed or neutered and then allow it to roam free or callous pet owners that 'dump' their unwanted after losing interest in providing for its care.

Another critical factor in the explosion of feral cats is the unsuspecting public who innocently feeds a stray(s) cat out of sympathy believing they are helping matters rather than helping to foster a growing public health problem. In providing feral cats or colonies with a food source, the general public is the critical factor in allowing stray cats to reproduce in great numbers. As with humans, animal birth rates decrease when food sources are scarce

State law considers a person that keeps, harbors or cares for an animal its legal OWNER. To this end, an animal owner is thereby required to provide food, water, shelter and veterinary care as necessary and therefore subject to local ordinances and state laws governing stray animals and the limit on number of animals that a resident can lawfully care for.

Residents are asked to partner with the Village and county health and animal control authorities to limit the possibility of disease amongst our healthy pets and keep our community free from disease. Those aware of anyone feeding feral cats are asked to phone 9-1-1 and report it to the responding officer.

Emerald Ash Borer and Ash Trees in Carol Stream

The Illinois Department of Agriculture notified Carol Stream officials that during their coordinated EAB surveillance efforts in DuPage County, they detected four infected ash trees in and along the Klein Creek tributary adjacent to both Volunteer Park and Carol Stream Fire Protection District Headquarters which is located north of North Ave. near the intersection with Kuhn Rd. State Agriculture officials were drawn to the trees as they demonstrated signs of vertical dieback at the top of the leaf canopy indicative of EAB infestation.

The life cycle of the EAB during the winter has the larvae remaining under the bark. In the late spring when the weather turns warmer; the larvae hatch in a 7-10 day period and begin feeding into the core of the tree interrupting its ability to transport nutrients up the trunk to the branch canopy. Home and business owners are asked to become familiar with the proper identification of ash trees and the physical evidence of damage caused by the EAB.

Home and business owners are also asked to prepare for the possible arrival of EAB onto their own property. In doing so, property homeowners are strongly encouraged to conduct inspections of their ash trees from spring (April) through the autumn (November). Since regular surveillance is paramount to a successful eradication and removal program, the following protocol will greatly assist the Village in controlling for the EAB:

- 1) Identify the trees on your property, and know which trees are ash trees.
- 2) Look for signs of distress in your ash trees, including Canopy Dieback, Bark Splitting, Basal Shoots, and excessive Wood Pecker activity.
- 3) If your ash trees are beginning to show signs of distress, have them examined by a certified arborist
- 4) If the tree has been deemed infected with the Emerald Ash Borer, have it removed and process by a tree company that has signed an Illinois Department of Agriculture Emerald Ash Borer Compliance Agreement. A list of certified companies can be found at www.illinoiseab.com.
- 5) Contact the Public Works Department at (630)871-6260 if you remove an infested tree from your private property.

Additional information can be found on the Village's website,
www.carolstream.org/Services/PublicWorks/Streets/EmeraldAshBorer.htm



Tribune Author Visit Set

Author **Rick Kogan** accompanied by evocative color photographs by coauthor Charles Osgood will speak about his latest book, **'Sidewalks' – Portraits of Chicago** which chronicles his return to the lost places and people of Chicago, and take readers down the quiet byways and thriving thoroughfares, pointing out the characters and cornerstones, the oddities and institutions that make the Chicago what it is. Residents are encouraged to attend this literary appreciation event to be held on **Tue., April 22nd at 7pm at the Bielawski Municipal Center**. This free event is sponsored by the Village.



Rick began his career working for the *Chicago Sun-Times* during the Democratic Convention of 1968. He is currently senior staff writer and columnist for the *Chicago Tribune Sunday Magazine* and host of the popular *WGN-AM Sunday Papers* radio program. He was named Chicago's Best Reporter in 1999, Chicago's Greatest Living Journalist in 2002, and was inducted into the Chicago Journalism Hall of Fame in March 2003. A longtime friend to Ann Landers and her editor for the last five years of her life, Kogan lives with his wife in Chicago.

College Scholarship Opportunities

Carol Stream Woman's Club Scholarship

Female high school seniors planning to attend college in the fall of 2008. The scholarship honors a student who best demonstrates strong academic achievements while balancing extra curricular activities, community involvement, and strong leadership with respect to the 6 pillars of character (www.charactercounts.com). **Application deadline - Tuesday April 8th** For more info, e-mail Karen at bobwrz@yahoo.com or visit your High School's Guidance Office.



Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Scholarship

DuPage County students with high academic attainment/potential and limited family income. Scholarship funds general education to achieve short-term training (2 years or less) in growth occupation skills or general post-secondary education. **Application deadline – Friday, May 16th** For information, phone (630) 682-7000. Download application online at www.co.dupage.il.us/humanservices - CSBG Scholarship

State Senator Carole Pankau (23rd Illinois Senate District) Legislative Scholarship)

Students who are High School seniors or in college and reside in the 23rd Illinois Senate District may apply for a full 1-year tuition scholarship to the Univ. of Illinois or any other state-supported 4-year university. The prospective student must also be able to fulfill the admission standards of the school chosen and have been accepted by that institution. Scholarships are based on a combination of academic potential, leadership qualities and financial need. **Application deadline – Tuesday, April 15th** For more information, phone (630) 582-0390 on weekdays between 10 am - 3 pm.

Vehicle Registration: May 1st - June 30th

Village residents may purchase a vehicle license sticker during regular business hours (Monday 7AM to 7 PM and Tuesday-Friday 7 AM to 5 PM) beginning Thursday, May 1st. The following fee payment schedule has remained unchanged for the last 16 years:

Sticker Fee Schedule:

Passenger Car	\$15
'B' Truck	\$20
'C' Truck	\$27
'D' Truck	\$34
'E' Truck	\$45
'F' Truck	\$56
'G' Truck	\$79
Motorcycle	\$ 9
Transfer Fee	\$ 1
Seniors	\$ 3

Village Hall Extended Hours:

Sat., May 3 rd	- 9 am - 1 pm
Sat., May 10 th	- 9 am - 1 pm
Sat., May 17 th	- 9 am - 1 pm
Sat., May 24 th	- 9 am - 1 pm
Sat., May 31 st	- 9 am - 1 pm
Sat., June 7 th	- 9 am - 1 pm
Sat., June 14 th	- 9 am - 1 pm
Sat., June 21 st	- 9 am - 1 pm
Mon., June 23 rd	- 7 am - 7 pm
Tue., June 24 th	- 7 am - 7 pm
Wed., June 25 th	- 7 am - 7 pm
Thu., June 26 th	- 7 am - 7 pm
Fri., June 27 th	- 7 am - 7 pm
Sat., June 28 th	- 9 am - 3 pm
Sun., June 29 th	- ALL DAY @ Police Records Walk Up Counter
Mon., June 30 th	- 7 am - 7 pm



Satellite Sticker Locations:

West Suburban Bank

1380 Army Trail Rd.

M-Th 8:30am-6pm / F 8:30am-7pm / Sat 8:30am-3pm

West Suburban Bank

401 N. Gary Ave.

M-Th 8:30am-6pm / F 8:30am-7pm / Sat 8:30am-3pm

National City Bank

560 Army Trail Rd.

M-F 9am - 7pm / Sat 9am - 4pm

Currency Exchange

365. N. Gary Ave.

M-F 9am - 8 pm / Sat 9am - 5 pm

Currency Exchange

724 Army Trail Rd.

M-F 9am - 8pm / Sat 9am - 6pm / Sun 10am - 3pm

Currency Exchange

527 S. Schmale Rd.

M-W 9am-8pm / Th- F 9am - 9pm / Sat 9am - 5pm / Sun 10am - 3pm

Charter One Bank

451 Schmale Rd.

M-Th 9am-5pm / F 9am - 7pm / Sat 9am - 1pm

Residents with **pre-printed** vehicle license applications may purchase stickers at the walk-up lobbies of the banks listed. Vehicle(s) registered at these local currency exchanges will be accompanied by a \$1 service charge. These local currency exchanges will have blank vehicle license applications for residents who have not received a pre-printed registration form in the mail. **After June 30th, the cost doubles (100% increase).**

Watering Restrictions

Automatic sprinkler systems and continuous watering devices **are the only uses subject to water use restrictions.** Watering with a hand held device that has an automatic shut off nozzle is not regulated.

Odd-Even Day Restrictions: Homes with even numbered addresses (i.e. 172 Thunderbird Tr.) can water on even numbered dates (May 2nd), while homes with odd numbered addresses (i.e. 283 Idaho Tr.) can water on odd numbered dates (June 17th). **Odd-even day restrictions are in effect all year round!**



Residents may water new lawns and landscaping from sun up through midnight for 14 consecutive days from the date of planting. To avoid ticketing, residents must register their property address by phoning (630) 871-6220 by 4:30 p.m. (Mon.-Thu.) for weekday projects and by 12:30 p.m. on Friday for weekend projects.

Volunteers Needed

**Earth Day Clean Up of
Great Western Bike Trail /Ill. Prairie Path
Sat., April 26th - 9 am-Noon (Rain or Shine)**

Volunteers must provide workboots, gloves and garbage bags to fill. If you are looking for a meaningful way to spend a few hours during Earth Week, contact Don Kirchenberg @ 630-853-7650 or Ray Bartel @ rbartel399@aol.com.



**8th Annual Pond & Stream Sweep
Sat., June 7th - 8 am (Rain or Shine)**
Village provides gloves, bags, trash grabbers & training to help clean up several ponds and stretches of Thunderbird & Klein Creek. Phone Engineering Services at (630) 871-

6220 or email engineeringservices@carolstream.org

21st Annual Independence Day Parade

Event planners, float builders, float judges, clowns and parade route security marshals are needed. For more information, phone Kim Gieser at 681-7562 or Linda McCarthy at 588-0205 or visit the parade web site @ www.carolstreamparade.com

July 4th Parade Fundraiser

The Carol Stream 4th of July Parade Committee will host a fundraiser on Wednesday, April 30th at Culver's, 290 S. Schmale Road in Carol Stream. Thanks to franchise owners Steve and Amy Adams, a portion of all sales between 10:30AM-10:00PM will be donated to help fund this year's 4th of July Parade. Come out and meet your friends and neighbors at Culver's and help support the effort to make the community's 2008 4th of July Parade the best ever.



July 4th Parade Scheduled

This year's Independence Day Parade is scheduled for Friday, July 4th and will kick off at 10am from eastbound Lies Road at County Farm. Members of the community are needed to assist with this all volunteer effort. If you would like to assist as a parade volunteer visit the 4th of July Parade web site at www.carolstreamparade.com Parade donations are needed and can be mailed to:

**Carol Stream 4th of July Parade Committee
P.O. Box 88171, Carol Stream IL. 60188**

Mosquito Control & West Nile Virus Infection Protection

To prevent your property from being a drought mosquito-breeding site, follow the precautions below:

- Get rid of old tires, tin cans, buckets, bottles** and all other water holding containers.
- Drain or fill-in any low places** (ruts and puddles) in your yard.
- Keep drains, ditches and culverts clear of trash and weeds** so water drains properly.
- Keep lids on your trash containers** to keep out rainwater.
- Repair leaky pipes and outside faucets.**
- Empty wading pools each week** and store them indoors when not in use.
- Make sure your swimming pool** is working properly and cared for while on vacation.
- Fill in hollowed out tree stumps** with sand or concrete.
- Change the water in** birdbaths, plant pots, and drip trays at least once a week.
- Cut your grass short** and trim your shrubbery to eliminate hiding places for mosquitoes.
- Store boats** covered or upside down and remove rainwater weekly.
- Repair window screens.**
- Make sure **ornamental ponds** are stocked with fish who will eat mosquito larvae.

The key to controlling the WNV is by reducing breeding sites and larviciding (egg destruction) **and not adult spraying as is commonly thought.** Spraying (fogging) only kills those mosquitoes that come in contact with insecticide droplets and adult mosquitoes commonly return to a breeding area shortly after the spray agent has dissipated. Residents living in Bloomingdale and Wayne township portions are asked to report areas of excessive mosquito infestation and areas of standing water to Clarke's "**Mosquito Hotline**" at **1-800-942-2555.**

The DuPage County Health Department (DCHD) will collect ONLY dead crows and blue jays as part of its West Nile Virus surveillance effort **until such a time it can confirm the virus's presence in the county.** Once WNV is confirmed, these birds will no longer be collected. To report a dead crown or blue jay, phone DCHD at (630) 682-7979 ext 7046. If a sick or injured bird other than a crow or blue jay is found, contact the Willowbrook Wildlife Center at (630) 942-6200. Download a Mosquito Prevention & Control Fact Sheet from the Illinois Dept. of Public Health web site at:

www.idph.state.il.us/envhealth/factsheets/psreduction.htm

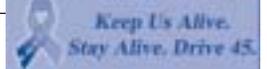
Smoke Free Complaint Hotline

As of January 1, 2008, individuals can file a complaint by calling the Illinois Department of Public Health's toll-free complaint line at 866-973-4646 (TTY 800-547-0466, hearing impaired use only). Illinois residents can also download a written complaint form that can be faxed or mailed to the IDPH by typing in the following web link:

www.idph.state.il.us/smokefree/Smokefree_PrintableComplaintForm.pdf

Capital Improvement Projects

Work Zone Safety



Surface Overlay - Street overlay projects involve spot repairs to curbs and sidewalks, edge grinding 1 ½” of the existing pavement and the placement of a new asphalt surface.

Structural Overlay - Structural overlay involves removing 2” to 6” of asphalt surface followed by a leveling layer of asphalt, road fabric, and two inches of surface. Project streets will be temporarily disrupted during the summer months, but should always remain passable.

Name	From	To
Antigo	Spring Valley Dr	Big Horn Trail
Bowstring Court	Appomattox Tr	End
Big Horn Trail	Spring Valley Dr	Antigo Trail
Appomattox	Spring Valley Dr	Antigo
Brave Court	Spring Valley Dr	End
Provincetown	Tamarac	Dorchester
Hampton Dr.	Provincetown Dr	Chatam Dr
Chatham Dr.	Provincetown Dr	Hampton Dr
Princetown Ct	Hampton Dr	End
Sommerset Court	Dorchester	End
Sommerset Dr	Dorchester	Dorchester
Longmeadow	Birchbark	Provincetown
Dorchester Dr.	Lies Rd	County Fram Rd
Hoover Drive	Elk Trail	Daybreak
Daybreak Lane	Hoover Dr	Elk Trail
Allegro Ln	Daybreak Lane	Hoover Drive
Eclipse Drive	Daybreak	Hoover Drive
Camelot Lane	Daybreak Lane	Hoover Drive
Concord Court	Concord Lane	End
Concord Lane	North Avenue	President Street
Lenox Court	Concord Lane	End
Fairfield Court	Concord Lane	End
Pembroke Court	President Street	End
Brompton Court	President Street	End
Arlington Court	President Street	End

Street	From	To
Lies	Easton Dr	County Farm Rd
Kuhn	Woodhill	Lies
Tubeway	End	Gary Avenue
Westgate	St. Charles Rd	Tubeway
Village	Gary Ave	Kehoe Blvd



Fullerton Ave Rehabilitation (from Gary Ave. to Schmale Rd.)

The top 2 ½ “ of asphalt surface course on Fullerton Ave. will be removed and replaced with asphalt leveling binder and surface courses. Full depth patching will be performed at severely deteriorated sections. The entire pavement surface will receive area reflective crack control treatment prior to placement of the surface course. Deteriorated driveways, storm sewer structures as well as curb and gutter sections will be repaired to Village criteria. Geometric and railroad grade crossing improvements will be made where feasible.

If you have any questions regarding road construction projects, please phone the Engineering Services Department at (630) 871-6220 or via e-mail at engineeringervices@carolstream.org.

8th Annual ‘Wheels of Justice’ Scheduled for Saturday, May 24th

On Saturday, May 24th, the Carol Stream Police Department is hosting their 8th annual ‘Wheels of Justice’ emergency vehicle show from 11 am – 2 pm at the Ross Ferraro Town Center. Admission and all activities are free of charge to the public. Over 30 different law enforcement agencies have signed onto to display a vehicle from their fleet to include Police squads and motorcycles, DARE program vehicles, Fire Trucks and fire fighting support vehicles. Those attending this **FREE** event will have an opportunity to vote for their favorite vehicles with awards given. Young kids can visit DAREN, the D.A.R.E. mascot and McGruff, the Crime Dog and receive special giveaways. Other activities include face painting, balloon sculpting, a coloring contest and prizes.

Trained EMTs will conduct **FREE CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS**. Adults will have the opportunity to participate in a simulated DUI driving course and have their children fingerprinted for their personal records. Food and beverages will also be served for a nominal fee by the FOP Lodge #45. For more info, contact **Ofc. Chuck Ranweiler at (630) 871-6215, or at cranweiler@carolstream.org**.

Outdoor Severe Weather Sirens

When outdoors during forecasted severe weather, it is important to keep your ear and eye to the sky. The Village has 6 outdoor warning sirens at strategic locations to alert those outdoors to immediately seek shelter indoors. **Severe weather sirens are not designed to be heard by those indoors**, as TV and radio are their source for emergency information. A severe weather siren will be activated when:



1. a tornado has been sighted within 5 miles of the Village limits by a trained weather spotter; or
2. a trained weather spotter observes firsthand severe winds causing structural damage to a home or building; or
3. a warning has been issued by the National Weather Service (NWS) that the community is in the direct path of an oncoming tornado.

Once activated, sirens are not resounded for the same storm cell or tornado sighting. A warning siren is resounded for a new confirmed sighting or a different storm cell that meets activation criteria. **Outdoor warning sirens are never sounded to signal an ‘all clear’ advisory. Residents should monitor radio and TV for the issuance by the NWS of an ‘all clear’ advisory. A siren sounded after a local activation should never be interpreted as an ‘all clear’ as it may be a siren activation from a neighboring community.**

Carol Stream Job Board as of March 2008

The jobs listed below are provided as a service to the residents and businesses in the Village. Please contact the business directly to inquire about a listed job(s).

Job	Business	Contact	Address	Phone/Fax	Wage	Date
CNC Brake Press Operator	Total Staffing Solutions	M. Somogyi	150 N. Gary Ave.	(630) 221-8100	\$13.00-\$15.00/hr	2/1
Brake Press Operator	Total Staffing Solutions	M. Somogyi	150 N. Gary Ave.	(630) 221-8100	\$12.00-\$14.00/hr	2/1
Welder (Mobile Service)	Total Staffing Solutions	M. Somogyi	150 N. Gary Ave.	(630) 221-8100	\$15.00-\$20.00/hr	2/1
Office Secretary	Community Auto Body, Inc.	Ed Zuniga	25W658 St. Charles Rd	(630) 871-8840	DOQ	2/1
Auto Body Tech/Bodyman	Community Auto Body, Inc.	Ed Zuniga	25W658 St. Charles Rd	(630) 871-8840	DOQ	2/1
Temp Delivery Drivers	FedEx Ground	Anne Parel	205 Della Court	(847) 682-2549	\$12.63/hr.	2/13
Whse Worker Heavy Lifting	Lagasse Sweet	Tony Izzi	230 E. Lies Road	(630) 871-3042 f (630) 871-4170	\$10.75/hr.	2/1
Mechanic	Illini Power Products	Don Hatch	44 Randy Road	(630) 462-7280 f (630) 462-7444	DOQ	2/1
Package Handler	FedEx Ground	Michelle B.	205 Della Court	(630) 916-5537	\$9.50-\$10.00/hr.	2/1
Warehouse Worker	Vaxcel International	Daniel Aguirre	121 E. North Ave.	(630) 682-8767 f (630) 682-8850	\$9.00-\$10.00/hr.	2/1
Forklift Operator	Vaxcel International	Daniel Aguirre	121 E. North Ave.	(630) 682-8767 f (630) 682-8850	\$10.00-\$11.00/hr.	2/1
Customer Service/General Office	Vaxcel International	Emily Dinh	121 E. North Ave.	(630) 682-8767 f (630) 682-8850	\$9.00-\$11.00/hr.	2/1
Group Leader	Peacock Engineering Co.	Human Resources	720 Center Ave.	(630) 588-5983 f (630) 845-8088	DOQ	2/1
Machine Operators	Peacock Engineering Co.	Human Resources	720 Center Ave.	(630) 588-5983 f (630) 845-8088	DOQ	2/1
Material Handlers	Peacock Engineering Co.	Human Resources	720 Center Ave.	(630) 588-5983 f (630) 845-8088	DOQ	2/1
Servers	Peppercorn's	Paul	877 Geneva Rd.	(708) 715-3927	DOQ	2/1
Class C Driver	Cort Furniture	Ron	161 S. Gary Ave.	(630) 684-1501	DOQ	2/1
Shipping/Bulk Order Filling PT&FT	United Stationers Supply Co.	Michelle Alcala	810 Kimberly Drive	(630) 690-1400 f (630) 690-2866	\$10.50/hr.	2/1
General labor	Com2Computer & Technologies	S. Baloch	195 E. Kehoe Blvd.	(630) 653-2662	DOQ	2/1
Computer Tech	Com2Computer & Technologies	S. Baloch	195 E. Kehoe Blvd.	(630) 653-2662	DOQ	2/1
Driver	Com2Computer & Technologies	S. Baloch	195 E. Kehoe Blvd.	(630) 653-2662	DOQ	2/1
Office Assistant	Com2Computer & Technologies	S. Baloch	195 E. Kehoe Blvd.	(630) 653-2662	DOQ	2/1

Recycling Toters Must be Screened Properly



Recurring complaints of improperly placed residential refuse containers and recycling toters continues. The 65-gallon recycling toters have greatly reduced the incidence of windblown debris and substantially increased the community's recycling rate. The community standard requires these containers to be screened from curbside view on all days other than a resident's collection eve and day. During the spring months, Code Enforcement Officers will be canvassing neighborhoods to post educational flyers at residences found in violation of the Village's Health Code regarding the proper placement of solid waste containers (9-1-7). Individual homeowners put on notice are asked to familiarize themselves with the community standard detailed in that section of the code and bring their property into prompt compliance to avoid follow up enforcement. In the event of continued noncompliance, a ticket will be issued to the property owner.

Joe Cotton Ford Honored for Community Work

The **Annual Salute to Dealers** is a recent Ford Motor Company tradition conducted under the guidance of Edsel B. Ford II, a member of Ford's Board of Directors. Launched in 2001 to demonstrate the company's commitment to its thousands of dealer principals who step beyond their showroom doors to make a difference where they live and work, the Salute to Dealers award program recognized Joe Cotton Ford and only 8 other dealerships among the 6,000 dealerships nationwide at a Feb. 8th awards ceremony in San Francisco. Paul Cotton, the long-time dealership managing executive is accustomed to being recognized in the greater Carol Stream community who relayed in receiving the award that *"The most rewarding moments come in quiet exchanges with residents who express thanks for generosity at a time of need."* A visit to a chiropractor found Paul being thanked by a patient whose children received toys at the Annual Christmas Sharing Toy distribution event held on the dealership's showroom beginning in 1985.



The Christmas Sharing program is just one of the many local community events which the Joe Cotton dealership lends its support to. Paul Cotton makes periodic visits to local high schools to share guidance about safe driving, vehicle insurance, consumer credit and automotive industry careers. The dealership also hosts approximately 26 weekend car washes each year to help student athletes, cheerleaders and church groups raise funds for various program expenses. The commitment to community service continues with the sponsorship of local park district sports teams as well as generous support of the annual American Cancer Society 'Relay for Life' held each June at Glenbard North H.S.

The Carol Stream community is fortunate to have a business such as Joe Cotton Ford who day-in and day-out exemplifies community and corporate stewardship in its business model. Hats off to Joe Cotton Ford on receipt of the 2007 Ford Salute to Dealers Award.



Business Profile: Olive Grove Landscaping

Olive Grove Landscaping, Inc., located at 300 Commonwealth Drive is a full service landscape contractor that offers a wide variety of landscaping services for the commercial and residential client. Founded in 1995 by its President, Sam Zeitoun and his brothers, the company was named after the elder Zeitoun (grandfather), a Palestinian olive grove farmer. In 2003, the company moved to its current location in Carol Stream and has steadily grown its client base and employee group to its current 25 person workforce. is a member of the Associated Landscape Contractors of America (ALCA).

Olive Grove has been the principal landscape project for several noteworthy projects, including *The Ross Ferraro Park at Town Center* and *Day Lily Park* at the southeast corner of Gary Ave. and St. Charles Rd. in Carol Stream. The company's staff of professionals designs and builds commercial and residential hardscape and landscape projects as well as offering high quality property maintenance services of outdoor living spaces, such as decks, patios, gardens and water features. The company's creative designers dubbed 'The Landscape Masters' are fully capable of designing any size outdoor improvement project to be carefully and meticulously installed by its trained staff of field professionals.

Carol Stream is proud to highlight Olive Grove Landscaping, a member of the Carol Stream Chamber and the Associated Landscape Contractors of America (ALCA). For more information, visit their company's website at <http://www.oglandscaping.com/>.

2007 Citizens of the Year



Linda Court



Ken Cerabona



Maria Depa



Darel Malcom

The 42nd annual Citizen of the Year recognition dinner was held Saturday, February 2nd at the Carol Stream Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites. Out of a field of 17 nominees, the following nine residents were recognized for their outstanding contributions to our community.

Linda Court
nominated by Glenbard North PTSA

Ken Cerabona
nominated by Boy Scout Troop 196 Western Trails School

Special Citizens of the Year

Maria Depa nominated by Glenbard North PTSA
Darel Malcom nominated by the Chamber of Commerce

Special Citizen of the Year honors. This year's recipients of the Special Judges Recognition award include **Mike Holmgren, Christie Ruffino, Ryan Bonelli, Diane Wells** and **John Mensik**. The Village congratulates this year's award winners and the other nominees for their countless hours spent in strengthening our community. The Village also offers a sincere thanks to all those other residents who generously offer their time and support in making Carol Stream all that it can be.

Planning a Block Party?

Download a block party permit application from the Village web site @ www.carolstream.org/ReferenceDesk/Forms/Administration/BlockPartyApp.pdf



For questions, phone the Village Manager's Office at (630) 871-6250.

A Call for Beautification Nominations

A Community Pride Award nomination form can be downloaded from the web site @:

www.carolstream.org/ReferenceDesk/Forms/Administration/ComPrideForm.pdf

2008 Nomination Form Community Pride Award

If you would like to nominate a property for the Community Pride Awards Program or would like to be on the Beautification Committee, please complete this form and mail or drop it off at the Village Hall.

The deadline to submit nominations is 6/21/08

I would like to nominate the following property address for a Community Pride Award:

Please check the category for which the property is being nominated for:

- Landscape features
- Building façade improvement

Volunteer Sign Up Form

I would like to be a Community Pride Judge.

Name: _____

Address: _____
Carol Stream, IL 60188-1899

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Government Meeting Calendar

Village Hall Hours:

Mon.: 7 am - 7 pm
 Tue.-Fri.: 7 am - 5 pm

Police Dept. Walk Up:
 24hrs/day 7 days/week

Phone Numbers:

General	665-7050
Mayor	871-6250
Public Works	871-6260
Police Adm.	668-2167
Water Billing	871-6222
Building	871-6230
TDD	668-5785

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7	Mon.	Listening Post	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
7	Mon.	Village Board	Municipal Center	8:00 pm
10	Thu.	Dist. 93 School Board	Carol Stream School	7:00 pm
14	Mon.	Bd. of Fire & Police Com.	Municipal Center	7:00 pm
14	Mon.	Park District Board	Aldrin Center (331 Illini)	7:00 pm
14	Mon.	Fire Protection District	Fire House #1 (365 Kuhn)	7:00 pm
14	Mon.	Benjamin School Dist. 25	Dist. Administrative Ctr.	7:00 pm
14	Mon.	Plan Commission/ZBA	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
21	Mon.	Listening Post	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
21	Mon.	Village Board	Municipal Center	8:00 pm
16	Wed.	Public Library Board	Carol Stream Library	7:30 pm
24	Thu.	Dist. 93 School Board	Dist. 93 Admin. Center	7:00 pm
28	Mon.	Park District Board	Aldrin Center (331 Illini)	7:00 pm
28	Mon.	Fire Protection District	Fire House #1 (365 Kuhn)	7:00 pm
28	Mon.	Plan Commission/ZBA	Municipal Center	7:30 pm

May

5	Mon.	Listening Post	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
5	Mon.	Village Board	Municipal Center	8:00 pm
8	Thu.	Dist. 93 School Board	Heritage Lakes School	7:00 pm
12	Mon.	Bd. of Fire & Police Com.	Municipal Center	7:00 pm
12	Mon.	Park District Board	Aldrin Center (331 Illini)	7:00 pm
12	Mon.	Fire Protection District	Fire House #1 (365 Kuhn)	7:00 pm
12	Mon.	Plan Commission/ZBA	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
12	Mon.	Benjamin School Dist. 25	Dist. Administrative Ctr.	7:00 pm
19	Mon.	Listening Post	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
19	Mon.	Village Board	Municipal Center	8:00 pm
21	Wed.	Public Library Board	Carol Stream Library	7:30 pm
22	Thu.	Dist. 93 School Board	Dist. 93 Admin. Center	7:00 pm
26	Mon.	Memorial Day Holiday	Municipal Center	CLOSED
27	Tue.	Park District Board	Aldrin Center (331 Illini)	7:00 pm
27	Tue.	Fire Protection District	Fire House #1 (365 Kuhn)	7:00 pm
27	Tue.	Plan Commission/ZBA	Municipal Center	7:30 pm

June

2	Mon.	Listening Post	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
2	Mon.	Village Board	Municipal Center	8:00 pm
9	Mon.	Bd. of Fire & Police Com.	Municipal Center	7:00 pm
9	Mon.	Park District Board	Aldrin Center (331 Illini)	7:00 pm
9	Mon.	Fire Protection District	Fire House #1 (365 Kuhn)	7:00 pm
9	Mon.	Plan Commission/ZBA	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
9	Mon.	Benjamin School Dist. 25	Dist. Administrative Ctr.	7:00 pm
12	Thu.	Dist. 93 School Board	Dist. 93 Admin. Ctr.	7:00 pm
16	Mon.	Listening Post	Municipal Center	7:30 pm
16	Mon.	Village Board	Municipal Center	8:00 pm
18	Wed.	Public Library Board	Carol Stream Library	7:30 pm
23	Mon.	Park District Board	Aldrin Center (331 Illini)	7:00 pm
23	Mon.	Fire Protection District	Fire House #1 (365 Kuhn)	7:00 pm
23	Mon.	Plan Commission/ZBA	Municipal Center	7:30 pm

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