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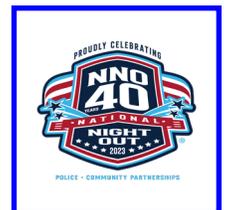
From the Desk of Village President Daniel Tannhauser As I begin my fourth year as your Village President, I am happy to provide you with an update on some of the street improvement projects that were completed in the last year. Charmaine Road, Courtland Avenue, Winona Street and Winnemac Avenue were resurfaced. The scope of this project involved the replacement of curbs, gutters, sidewalks and driveways and apron replacement, as well as inlet, catch basin, manhole and storm sewer replacement. Improvements to Winnemac/Winona/Courtland included partial curb & gutter, sidewalk and driveway apron spot repair as directed by the Engineer. Additionally, all streets received ASDA upgrades and pavement striping. In addition, portions of Osage, Orange, Opal, Ozark and Ozanam, as well as Berteau, Oleander and Osceola Avenues were resurfaced. The scope of this project involved the milling of the deteriorated surface and the subsequent replacement of all binder and surface courses.

This year, Moreland, Mission and Monterey Drives from Argyle to Foster will see street improvements of full curb, gutter and sidewalk removal and replacement, driveway replacement as necessary, removal of the existing asphalt, drainage structure and storm sewer pipe replacement as necessary, paving of the roadway, and restoring disturbed areas of the parkways with sod. A water main replacement project on Ozark from Montrose to Irving Park Road is scheduled to begin in late August. Updates of these projects can be found on the Village's website.

The Village's much anticipated official 75th anniversary celebration will take place August 24th - 27th at the property of the former Divine Savior Church. On Page 2 of this newsletter is a schedule of events. As you can see, we have four days of entertainment, food, bingo, carnival rides and so much more. On Saturday, we will start the day with a Community Parade at 11:00 A.M. at Lawrence & Thatcher and proceeds to Montrose Avenue. Saturday activities will culminate with a spectacular fireworks show. Please plan on joining us at this official celebration of this very special occasion.

As summer begins to draw to a close and the thought of many residents turns to "back to school" preparations, we hope that you are able to enjoy these last few weeks of summer. On behalf of myself and the Village Board, we want to take this opportunity to wish all our students good luck on the upcoming 2023/2024 school year.

National Night Out On August 1st, the Norridge and Harwood Heights Police Departments, in conjunction with the Villages of Norridge and Harwood Heights, Norwood Park Township, School Districts 79, 80, 86 & 234, the Norwood Park Fire Protection District, and the Norridge Park District, held their 2nd Annual National Night Out. National Night Out is an annual community campaign that promotes the relationship between neighbors and law enforcement while bringing back a true sense of community. Due to the publisher's deadline of this newsletter, information and pictures will be available in the October newsletter, as well as a complete list of sponsors.



Schedule of Events



UNLIMITED RIDE SPECIALS **\$30** THURS 5:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M., SAT & SUN 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. **\$35** FRI 5:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M., SAT 6:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.

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5:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
CARNIVAL RIDES
FOOD COURT
BEER GARDEN
7:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M.
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5:00 P.M. - 10:30 P.M.
CARNIVAL RIDES
FOOD COURT
BEER GARDEN
8:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
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11:00 A.M.
COMMUNITY PARADE HICKS
OFF AT LAWRENCE & THATCHER
1:00 P.M. - 10:30 P.M.
CARNIVAL RIDES
FOOD COURT
BEER GARDEN
3:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
BINGO
5:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
OTHERWISE CIVILIZED
8:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
TODD & THE TEN PINS BAND
10:00 P.M.
FIREWORKS

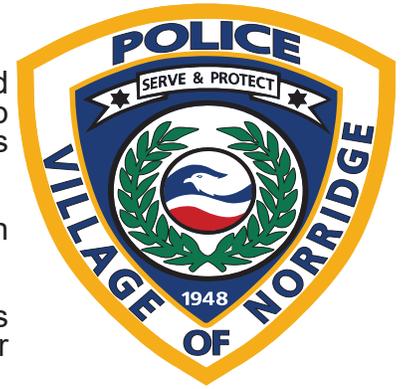
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1:00 P.M. - 9:30 P.M.
CARNIVAL RIDES (CLOSES 9:00 P.M.)
FOOD COURT
BEER GARDEN
3:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
BINGO
4:30 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.
CHICAGO'S OWN PIANO MAN
7:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M.
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CHURCH PROPERTY)

From the Desk of Chief Brian Goss As a savvy consumer, you should always be on the alert for shady deals and scams. Keep these quick consumer tips in mind to avoid becoming a victim:



- Be wary of promises to fix your credit problems, low-interest credit card offers, deals that let you skip credit card payments, work-at-home job opportunities, risk-free investments, and free travel. A deal that sounds too good to be true usually is!
- Don't share personal information with someone you don't trust. Learn how to recognize fraud.
- Beware of payday and tax refund loans. Interest rates on these loans are usually excessive. A cash advance on a credit card may be a better option.
- Read and understand any contract, legal document, or terms of service before you sign or click "I Agree". Do not sign a contract with blank spaces or incomplete terms. Some contracts include a clause that prohibits you from taking legal action and requires you to engage in mandatory arbitration with a company in the case of a dispute.
- Get estimates from several contractors for home or car repairs. Make sure the estimates are for the exact same repairs for a fair comparison.
- Before you buy, make sure you understand and accept the store's refund, return and early termination or cancellation policies, especially for services and facilities that charge monthly fees.
- Double-check the final price when you pay for your purchases. Speak up if you think the price that has been charged is incorrect. Remember, when shopping online, your purchase may include additional fees, such as shipping, handling, and convenience fees that are not calculated until you check out.
- When shopping online, look for the padlock icon in the bottom right-hand corner of your screen or a URL that begins with "https" to ensure that your payment information is transmitted securely.
- Don't buy under stress. Avoid making big-ticket purchases during times of duress (e.g., coping with a death or debt).
- Notify your lender immediately if you are having difficulty making payments on loans, so that you can work out a payment plan.

QUICK TIPS FOR AVOIDING FRAUD There are many varieties of consumer fraud, but the most common ones are variations of fake check scams, credit repair, free trip offers, and sweepstakes. Here are some tips to help you avoid being a victim:

- Don't give out personal information. Be suspicious of anyone you don't know who asks for your Social Security number, birthdate, credit card number, bank account number, password, or other personal data.
- Don't be intimidated. Be suspicious of calls or emails that want you to provide or verify personal information immediately. Answer that you are not interested and hang up or don't reply to the email.
- Monitor your accounts. Review bank and credit card statements carefully, and report unauthorized transactions to your financial institution immediately.
- Use a shredder. Tear or shred credit offers, bank statements, insurance forms, and other papers with personal information.
- Ignore unsolicited offers. Don't respond if someone you do not know asks you to send money or money orders to claim a prize, lottery, credit card, loan or other valuable offer.

2023 Touch-a-Truck will be held on Saturday, September 16th in front of the Village Hall. Come join us between the hours of 12:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. for a fun-filled family event. Scheduled to appear are trucks from Norridge Public Works, Norridge Police Department, Norwood Park Fire Protection District, Bosman Disposal, H & H Electric, Com Ed, Salvation Army, Norridge Park District and so much more. Free face-painting, snacks, and give-a-ways are just some of the highlights planned for this event.



Fall Electronics & Recycling Event will be held on August 19, 2023 for Norridge residents only. At the Montrose Police Garage, 4348 N. Ottawa Avenue, you may drop off all electronics. CRT, flat screens, projection tv's and monitors will be accepted for \$20 per unit. Cash or credit cards only, no checks. We will also accept old bicycles at this location. Please stay in your car and one of our volunteers will remove your electronics from your car.

At the Norridge Village Hall, 4000 N. Olcott Avenue, we will offer paper shredding, prescription and over-the-counter drugs, ink jets, toner cartridges, cell phones, gym shoes, flags and eye glasses drop-off. Please stay in your car and one of our volunteers will remove everything from your car. If you have any questions, please contact the Village Hall at 708-453-0800.

Please note, beginning in 2024, the Village will hold one electronic and recycling event every year in the fall. Mark your calendars now for the Annual Electronics and Recycling Event which will be held on October 5, 2024.

Fall Clean-Up Week will be held the week of October 9th - 13th. On your regular garbage day you may dispose of garbage and general rubbish, furniture, appliances (never leave doors on any discarded appliances). **ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED:** tires, lawn mowers, hazardous waste, electronics, building and remodeling materials, furnaces and air condition units.

2nd Annual Halloween Decorating Contest is just around the corner. Start making plans as details will be outlined in the October issue of this newsletter, as well as our Facebook and Instagram pages.

10th Holiday Open House & Tree Lighting will be held on Saturday, November 25th from 4:30 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. outside in front of the Village Hall. Santa will be stopping by to hear the wishes of all the good little boys and girls of our Village, and will assist President Tannhauser in lighting the official Village Christmas tree and municipal buildings. Face painting, hot chocolate and cookies are just some of the fun that is planned for this popular event. Remember, please bring a non-perishable item for the Salvation Army's Holiday Food Drive, and a toy for our Toys-for-Tots drive.



4th Annual Santa Send-Off will take place on Saturday, December 16th. Let's send Santa back to the North Pole in style by lining the streets as he leaves for the North Pole to get ready for Christmas Eve. Watch this newsletter for Santa's route.

Friendly Visitor Program The Senior Assistance Center offers a program to help combat loneliness among older adults. This program provides companionship to older adults in our community who are lonely, isolated, or have difficulty leaving their homes. Volunteers visit local seniors two times monthly for a social visit to have coffee, read the news, share memories, play a game or chat. For further information about how to sign up for the program or to volunteer to become a friend to senior, contact Alyssa Flavin, Executive Director at aflavin@sac-il.org or 708-456-7979.