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## Mayor Emanuel Announces Riverwalk Attractions To Open For Summer 2015

Full Array Of Chicago Dining, Educational, Cultural And Recreational Activities To Be Available This Summer  
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## Farewell From Bea McDonough



Bea McDonough will be leaving the Norwood Chamber of Commerce as of June 1st to accept the full-time position as Director of Sales at the Norwood Seniors Network. We are grateful to be keeping her in our Community.  
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## EPL Peregrine Falcons Were Named And Banded By Experts From The Field Museum On Wednesday, June 3rd

Mary Hennen and Josh Engel, from The Field Museum, will band falcon chicks born at the Evanston Public Library Peregrine Falcon nesting site. The baby falcons (eyases) will also be named at the event which is free and open to the public. Hennen and Engel will take questions from the press and the public. Limited seating is available on a first come first serve basis.



This is the 12th consecutive year that a pair of Peregrines has nested at the Evanston Public Library. This is the 10th year that Nona, the mother, and Squawker, the father have nested together at the Library.

Once on the Endangered Species list, Peregrine Falcons have made a dramatic recovery. Today there are about 20 pairs of Peregrines in the Chicago area. The banding process is a critical tactic in supporting the Peregrine population. The baby falcons will be removed from the nest, brought indoors for banding, blood sampling, and viewing, then returned to the nest. While some bird species are sensitive to human disturbance at the nest, Peregrines are able to handle it. The adults exhibit defensive behaviors such as yelling and flying at the intruders, but they are willing to accept the young when they are returned to the nest.

The EPL falcons can be viewed live at [www.epl.org/falconcam](http://www.epl.org/falconcam). There is also a Yahoo group for Evanston Peregrine Falcon Watch. More information about the Chicago Peregrine Falcon program can be found at <http://fieldmuseum.org/explore/illinois-peregrines>.

## SUMMER BEGINS JUNE 21<sup>ST</sup>!

Don't Forget To Enjoy The Day With Your Family And Friends At "The Saint Thecla Parish 2nd Annual Block Party"

June 6th from Noon to 10:00 p.m.

6333 N. Newcastle, Chicago

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## ST. THECLA ANNOUNCES IT'S ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE



Holiday, Treasures, Kitchen & Linens Depts. Snack Bar, Too!

Thursday, June 18<sup>TH</sup>  
12pm - 8pm

Friday, June 19<sup>TH</sup>  
9am - 6pm

Saturday, June 20<sup>TH</sup>  
9am - 4pm

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# June Health Events For Area Residents

Community First Medical Center, 5645 West Addison Street, Chicago, will offer the following health events in June.

Free skin screenings will be offered Friday, June 5, 1:00-3:00 p.m.; and Monday, June 8, 6:00-8:00 p.m. Taraneh Firoozi, M.D., will perform a total body screening or check specific sites of concern. Registration is required by calling 773-794-8486.

A free Healthy Aging Program will be held Friday, June 12, from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. This program is for individuals aged 55 and older and consists of social time, health topics and guests lectures. Salme Drunge, Director of Health Information Management, will discuss the Health Information Portability Act and patients' rights to confidentiality. Registration is not required.

Maryville Crisis Nursery will present a parenting session titled "What's Up Doc," Tuesday, June 16, at 6:00 p.m. A free dinner and childcare service will be



## Community First Medical Center

provided. Registration is required by June 15, at 3:00 p.m., by calling 773-205-3637.

Staff from the Social Services Department will lecture on caring for the caregiver and grief support Wednesday, June 24, at 2:00 p.m. in Centennial

Conference room A. Registration is required by calling 773-794-8486. Free with refreshments provided.

A diabetes screening will be held on Thursday,

June 25, from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. No fasting/preparation needed. There is a \$10 fee payable in cash or check at the screening. To register please call 773-794-8486.

In honor of National Aphasia Awareness Month, there will be a free lecture, "Aphasia: Let's Talk." Shawn Ehlert-Katzman, Speech Pathologist, will define aphasia, its causes and treatment. The lecture will be held Thursday, June 25 from 2:00-3:00 p.m. In Conference room A. Registration is required by calling 773-794-8486.

The Arthritis Support Group will meet on Thursday, June 25, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. This session is free. Registration is not required.

Free blood pressure screenings will be offered Friday, June 26, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., in the hospital's main lobby. A health care professional will perform screenings and answer questions about blood pressure readings. Registration is not required.



## Community First Medical Center

5645 W. Addison Street | Chicago IL 60634  
1-773-282-7000 | www.cfmedicalcenter.com



### Portage Park

Effective January 1st, Our Lady of the Resurrection Medical Center, 5645 W. Addison Street, Chicago IL changed ownership and its name to "Community First Medical Center". Our new name reflects our commitment to the community and speaks to our "patient before profit" approach to providing award winning compassionate care.

We look forward to improving the patient experience, while continuing the tradition of providing the highest quality clinical care established in 1955!

Sincerely,

Leadership

Community First Medical Center

### Awards and Recognition

**NCDR (National Cardiovascular Data Registry) Action Registry – GWTG (Get with the Guidelines):**  
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**American Heart Association American Stroke Association:**  
Primary Stroke Center  
TJC Advanced Disease Specific Primary Stroke Center Certification

**Leapfrog Safety Score:**  
A (Fall 2014)

**Society of Cardiovascular Patient Care:**  
Chest Pain Certified

**American Hospital Association:**  
Hospital Engagement Network

**EDAP Emergency Department:**  
Approved for Pediatrics

**Illinois Hospital Association Hospital Engagement Network:**  
Scored third in the state

**CAP College of American Pathologists:**  
Accreditation

**Consumer Reports:**  
named OLR:  
#2 in patient safety in the city of Chicago in five categories

**IAC (Intersocietal Accreditation Commission):**  
Echocardiography Accreditation

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# Neighborhood Farmers Markets

## Chicago Farmers Markets

Chicago Farmers Markets presented by Country Financial open across Chicago this spring and run through October. The city-run markets sell fresh fruits, vegetables, plants and flowers, and some community markets also feature music programming, prepared food and local artisan (non-food) vendors. A complete list of all markets with dates and times can be found at [chicago-farmersmarkets.us](http://chicago-farmersmarkets.us).

### 2015 Schedule Of Downtown And Neighborhood Farmers Markets

#### Weekly Neighborhood Markets

##### TUESDAYS

###### \*Lincoln Square

(Lincoln/Leland/Western)

June 2 – October 27; 7 a.m.-1 p.m.

##### WEDNESDAYS

###### Devon Community Night Market - New Market

(2720 W. Devon Ave.)

July 8 – September 9; 4 p.m.-8 p.m.

##### THURSDAYS

###### Argyle Night Market

(Argyle & Sheridan Rd.)

July 9 – September 3; 5-9 p.m.

##### SATURDAYS

###### Lincoln Park

(Armitage & Orchard)

May 9 – October 24; 7 a.m.-1 p.m.

##### Northcenter

(Belle Plaine/Damen/Lincoln)

June 13 – October 24; 7 a.m.-1 p.m.

##### SATURDAYS

###### Morton Grove

6210 W. Dempster

8 a.m. to Noon

##### SUNDAYS

###### Portage Park

Northwest Corner of Portage Park at Berteau

& Central

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

#### Downtown Markets

##### TUESDAYS

###### \*Federal Plaza (Adams & Dearborn)

May 19 – October 27; 7 a.m.-3 p.m.

##### Museum of Contemporary Art (MCA)

(Chicago & Mies van der Rohe Way)

June 2 – October 27; 7 a.m.-3 p.m.

##### THURSDAYS

###### \*Daley Plaza (Washington & Dearborn)

May 14 – October 29; 7 a.m.-3 p.m.

##### Willis Tower (233 S. Wacker Dr.)

June 25 – October 29; 7 a.m.-3 p.m.

\*MARKET ACCEPTS LINK

## Jefferson Park Sunday Market

The Jefferson Park Sunday Market which is held in Jefferson Park from 9:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on alternate summer Sundays will begin on June 14th. The market which sells fresh produce, bake goods, and food from food trucks is held on the corner of Long and Lawrence. Volunteers are always welcome. Entertainment by local musicians often brightens the days. For more information contact Merril at 847 902 2961 or Jefferson Park Sunday Market or [facebook.com/JeffersonParkSundayMarket](http://facebook.com/JeffersonParkSundayMarket). Dates for the summer are June 14, June 28, July 12, July 26, August 9, August 23, Sept. 13, Sept. 27, Oct. 11, October 25. The Sunday Market will go on rain or shine. Volunteers do not have to commit for the entire season; one day will help.

## "COOL & DAMP"

### Good, Or Bad For Your Plants?

By Nick Urhausen, Urhausen Greenhouses

While the spring of 2012 is remembered for being unusually warm and mild, not to mention a consecutive string of about ten 80 degree days in March, the spring of 2015 will be recalled as being cool and wet. Looking back, it seems like it was raining every other day, and we even had several flooding storms. In fact, many of us had water in our basements. Concerning the coolness, many days – even the ones that were "warm" – turned cool as evening approached, and cool damp lake air filtered in. Most nights this spring were at or below 50 degrees. So how do these damp and cool conditions affect plants?

The primary effect of wet, cool weather on plants in general is that it slows their growth. Most plants prefer a warm temperature to optimally grow roots into the soil. The cool temperatures inhibit the root growth which then translates to less top growth. Mind you, some plants do really well with the cool temperatures. However, many of our favorites like Coleus, Vinca Periwinkle, Sweet Potato Vine, the herb Basil, Cucumbers, to name a few, really struggle with the cold. Excessively cool temperatures (like night temperatures around 50 degrees) can cause a stunting effect whereby the plant is "frozen in time" by the cool temperatures. Then extra warm temperatures are needed to shake the plant out of its initial cold shock. This cold shock or stunting can be accompanied by defoliation (the process of leaves randomly falling off) on some occasions. This is especially true of Sweet Potato Vines.

Excessive dampness caused by flooding or repeated rains promotes root rot. Several customers reported that their Vinca Periwinkle was experiencing root rot. Others had rot problems with their tropical Caladiums. When it is cool and damp, planting young tender annuals into a cold, damp soil usually presents problems. The coolness prevents the plant from robustly growing, while the excessive dampness challenges the plant's ability to dry out and grow. It is almost like repeatedly dunking someone in water. If dunked enough times, eventually one cannot take it and they expire.

The purpose of writing on the topic of how cool damp weather affects plants is to inform the reader of the truth. Knowing this information will help you diagnose problems in the future. Ultimately, we cannot control the weather; however, being armed with the knowledge can help us understand what is going on when it happens in the future.

Urhausen Greenhouses is located at 6973 N. East Prairie Road in Lincolnwood.  
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## Mark Your Calendars for the Skokie Farmers' Market

Visit the Skokie Farmers' Market opening on Sunday, June 14, 2015. The Market will be open every Sunday through Sunday, October 25, 2015. Hours are 7:30 a.m. until 12:45 p.m. Arrive early for the best selection. The Market is relocating back to the west half of the Village Hall parking lot at 5127 Oakton Street.

A wide selection of fresh grown seasonal fruits and vegetables are always in abundance at the Farmers' Market. Also available are fresh baked goods, farm fresh eggs, a variety of mushrooms and cheeses, fresh cut flowers and plants and much more.

Special attractions to the Market include:

- June 14 - Grand opening!
- June 21 - Music by Gene
- June 28 - Steve Martin Blues
- July 5 - Meet members of the Consumer Affairs Commission
- July 12 - Music by Doug Blake
- July 19 - RC Juggle and music by Steve Martin Blues
- July 26 - Chef Demo with Sweetie Pies Bakery and music by Gene
- August 2 - Music by Doug Blake

- August 9 - Music by Gene
  - August 16 - RC Juggle & Music by Gene
  - August 23 - Music by Doug Blake
  - August 30 - Backlot Bash & Music by Gene
  - September 6 - Amadeo String Duo
  - September 13 - Music by Doug Blake
  - September 20 - Document Destruction event & Music by Gene
  - September 27 - RC Juggle & Music by the Amadeo String Duo
  - October 4 - Music by Doug Blake
  - October 11 - Music by Gene
  - October 18 - RC Juggle
  - October 25 - Trick or Treat!
- Sponsored by the Consumer Affairs Commission, there will be some new vendors and other fun surprises at this year's Farmers' Market for families including chef demos, document destruction event on September 20, balloon artist and a variety of musicians. Visit [www.skokie.org](http://www.skokie.org) for details. For more information on the Skokie Farmers' Market contact Janelle Silva, Market Manager, at 847/933-8257 or visit [www.skokie.org](http://www.skokie.org).

## Edison Park Farmers Market

Wednesday, June 24 • 4-8PM

6730 N. Olmsted

Center Metra Parking Lot (Across From Edison Park Inn)

Come one, come all to this family friendly, dog friendly neighborhood event! Fresh produce, soaps, homemade doggie treats, cheese, inflatable, acoustic entertainment by Robbie Gold, balloon artist, and specialty beers.

\*Please note this parking lot will be closed at 7am. Violators will be towed at owner's expense. Alternate parking is available in the east and west Metra parking lots).



## Downtown Evanston Farmers' Market 40<sup>th</sup> Year

The Downtown Evanston Farmers' Market kicks off its 40th year. It features fresh and locally grown fruit, vegetables, flowers and plants, along with meat, cheese, eggs and bakery items. The market will take place every Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. through November 7 at the intersection of University Pl. and Oak Ave., behind the Hilton Garden Inn. Parking is free in the adjacent 1800 Maple Avenue Self Park Garage with ticket validation at the City of Evanston tent (click on map to expand).

LINK cards are accepted and reusable bags are sold on site. Popular canning and food preservation workshops will be back at the market again this year in June, July and August, with exact dates to be announced.

For more information, visit [cityofevanston.org/market](http://cityofevanston.org/market), or call 311 (847-448- 4311 outside of Evanston). Community members can also sign up to receive information about Farmers' Market vendors, upcoming programs and events at [cityofevanston.org/newsletter](http://cityofevanston.org/newsletter).

## St. Demetrios Church 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Greek Fest Seeks Crafters for our AGORA (Marketplace)

in our air-conditioned Miller Center. Booth set up with three eight-foot long tables plus two chairs. *Call for pricing.*

The deadline for reservation of space is **July 1, 2015.**

Fest Dates: Friday thru Sunday  
**August 21, 22, & 23**

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## St. Bartholomew Church St. Bart's Music Fest

Friday June 5th to Sunday June 7th – 4924 W. Addison Street  
Music – Food & Refreshments – Bingo

Pull Tabs – Pot O' Gold

Children's Games 3- 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday  
\$5.00 Admission (\$20 Family) at the Gate



## Do's and Don'ts Of Negotiations



**Karen Feldman**

When you are negotiating in a real estate transaction, it pays to have an experienced and knowledgeable Realtor to negotiate on your behalf. Here are some tips in preparation for the transaction.

Before you even find a home, get financially qualified and be able to provide proof. This will help if you are competing with another buyer for the same house. It implies you are organized and shows the seller you can actually afford the home.

Terms of the contract can hold great weight with both buyers and sellers. Closing date may be too long for buyers to lock in a competitive interest rate and too short for sellers to find a new home to go to. This could affect both buyer and seller financially.

Don't consider decor as an expense. Anywhere you will go, you will need to personalize your home. This point usually just insults sellers. Expect to paint and do new flooring in any house you purchase.

Don't get hung up on a number. Sellers and buyers are guilty of this. The difference on a monthly payment of a few thousand dollar is minimal. Both sides need to feel a small victory, even if it's \$100.

Base your purchase/selling price on the current market. A seller won't come ridiculously down low because a buyer simply can not afford the house and a buyer doesn't pay above market value just because a seller has a number in mind.

Remember, it's business, but also remember it may be an emotional transaction. Being courteous and sincere can go a long way with the other side.

Lastly, an inspection is a process for the buyer to discover the nuts and bolts of a house and any defects and deficiencies. It is not an opportunity to get a lower purchase price.

Keep in mind the other side's perspective at all times, it can help you get a good deal. If the transaction hurts a little on both purchaser's and seller's side, it's likely a fair deal.



*Karen Feldman*  
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## 2015 Starlight Concert Series Returns With 10 Free Shows Beginning June 6

The City of Evanston's 2015 Starlight Concert Series kicks off on Saturday, June 6 at 4 p.m. with a high energy performance from Velocity at Dawes Park, located on Sheridan Rd. at Church St., in Evanston. Velocity combines a sizzling rhythm section with Chicago's finest vocalists. The band's expansive repertoire includes jazz standards, R&B, Soul, Motown, Classic Rock, Contemporary Top 40, and everything in between.

In the event of rain, the Starlight Concert will be relocated to Temperance Beer Co., located at 2000 Dempster St. The concert is a part of the Arrington Lakefront Lagoon Dedication, which begins at 3:30 p.m., to celebrate its reopening. Throughout the dedication, wine, beer and food will be available for purchase from Sips on Sherman, Temperance Beer Co., and Kefi Greek Tavern. To learn more about the Arrington Lakefront Lagoon event, click here.

Evanston's Starlight Concert Series runs through July 28 and features 10 free outdoor concerts at nine park locations throughout the city. Start times vary.

In addition to the kick-off event, there will be another special concert for the "Juneteenth Celebration" on Thursday, June 18 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Twiggs Park, located on Simpson St. at Dodge Ave. The celebration event will feature fun activities from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., such as face painting, beading and percussion instrument-making crafts, live music from DJ Rob Simmons and more! At 7 p.m., the main program will begin with poetry readings from the Fleetwood-Jourdain Theatre, followed by a performance from Blue Train, a jazz ensemble drawn from Evanston Township High School and led by Seth Bearman. Food trucks, in-

cluding Chicago Cupcake and Grill Chasers, will also be on site for attendees to purchase delicious bites leading up to the main event.

Other performers in the Starlight Concert Series include hip-hop and soul group Sidewalk Chalk, Latin band Grupo Cumbé, contemporary Zydeco and Creole band Jeffrey Broussard & The Creole Cowboys, and many more!

### Food Trucks

Due to high demand, food trucks will make an appearance at concerts on June 23 and July 14, in addition to the Juneteenth Celebration. On Tuesday, June 23, community members are encouraged to arrive early and purchase delicious bites from Chicago Cupcake and Grill Chasers while listening to big band era tunes at the Prohibition Orchestra of Chicago concert at Bent Park, located on Central St. at Cowper Ave.

A variety of food trucks, including Chicago Cupcake, Grill Chasers, Hummingbird Kitchen, Sweet Ride Chi, 5411 Empanadas, Taquero Fusion and Pierogi Wagon, will also be available on Thursday, July 14 while guests enjoy the R&B, funk and soul tunes from R-Gang during the Food Truck Fest event at Brummel Park, located on Brummel St. at Elmwood Ave.

Please note that all concerts are free to the public. To view the complete concert schedule, visit [cityofevanston.org/starlight](http://cityofevanston.org/starlight).

In the event of inclement weather, rain site information will be available after 4:30 p.m. on the show date by calling 847-448-8058 or 847-448-4311. For convenience, residents can simply dial 3-1-1 while in Evanston.

## Niles Township Sponsors Free Health Fair

Maintaining its tradition of providing Niles Township residents with information and referrals for human services, the township is sponsoring a health fair to assist community members on Friday, June 19th from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. The event will take place at the Township office located at 5255 Main Street in Skokie.

Attendees can have a glucose or osteoporosis screening, body fat analysis and blood pressure check courtesy of NorthShore University Health System or Walgreen's. White Crane Wellness will offer prostate cancer screenings. The Chicago Lighthouse is presenting information on low vision aid technology and CKF Acupuncture will discuss rapid release pain relief through acupuncture. Zounds Hearing will be on-hand to offer video otoscope examinations of the inner ear. Illumident will provide toothbrushes and oral health information.

Township representatives will share information about Access to Care, a medical assistance program available to income eligible residents in Cook County who have no health insurance. Medicare/Medicaid information for senior citizens will also be available from Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois. Representatives of Age Options and the Coalition of Limited English Speaking Elderly will have literature on-hand for senior citizens

Costco and Whole Foods Market Northbrook will provide healthy snacks and water to attendees and Lifeway Kefir of Morton Grove will provide samples of Kefir their high-protein cultured milk smoothie.

Participating vendors at the Health Fair include:

**Abington of Glenview, Age Options, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois, Coalition of Limited English Speaking Elderly, CJE Senior Life, CKF Acupuncture, COSTCO, Illumident, North Shore University Health System, White Crane Wellness Center, Walgreens Whole Foods and Zounds Hearing.**

Marilyn D. Glazer, Supervisor of Niles Township, stated, "it is critical that everyone in Niles Township have access to healthcare information and resources. The township staff and our healthcare partners will be on-hand to provide advice and information. This is a great opportunity to learn from leading providers at no-cost."

Since 1850, Niles Township Government has been dedicated to improving life for its residents. Niles Township is located in the northeast corner of Cook County. With a population of over 102,000 the Township includes the villages of Skokie, Lincolnwood and Golf, and sections of Morton Grove, Niles and Glenview.

For more information on the health fair, phone Kitty Kendrick at (847) 673-9300.

## Talk To A Lawyer For Free On Saturday, June 20, 2015

Attorneys with the Chicago Bar Association's Call-A-Lawyer program will be taking calls on Saturday, June 20th, from 9 a.m. to noon at no cost. Call (312) 554-2001 to speak with an attorney about any legal question or issue.

Callers may explain their situations to an attorney who will then, if able, suggest self-help strategies or provide advice to help resolve their issues. If callers need further legal services, or have questions beyond the scope of the attorney's practice area, they will be advised to see their own attorney or to contact the CBA Lawyer Referral Service (LRS) for referral to an attorney in the appropriate area of law.

The LRS has over 300 prescreened, qualified lawyers experienced in almost every area of law. Meeting the American Bar Association's Standards for Lawyer Referral, the service has some of the highest experience requirements for its member attorneys in the entire nation.

Call-A-Lawyer events are held from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. on the third Saturday of each month. The number to call is (312) 554-2001.

When contacting the LRS during normal business hours M - F, callers can be referred to attorneys practicing in over 40 different ar-

reas of law including:

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- Real Estate (including buying or selling real estate, foreclosure defense, and landlord tenant issues);
- Employment Law (including wrongful termination, harassment and discrimination); and
- Numerous other areas of law.

In An Emergency After Normal Business Hours: You can reach a lawyer 24/7 for help with criminal defense, personal injury and family law matters by calling 312-554-2001

### About the Chicago Bar Association

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## The Forest Glen Community Club Announces Second Garden Walk On Saturday June, 27, 2015

The Forest Glen Community Club is pleased to respond to high demand and conduct the second Forest Glen Garden Walk on Saturday June 27, 2015 from 10 am to 3 pm. Tickets are \$8 in advance / \$10 at the gate and include a map for a self-guided tour of the gardens and presentations by Master Gardeners. Attendees will enjoy exclusive one-day access to the gardens of this already naturally lush Chicago neighborhood. Residents of the neighborhood today cultivate their yards with great pleasure and creativity. Rain gardens, koi ponds, English cottage style, and unique specimens abound in this extremely walkable and charming neighborhood. Attendees will find each garden to hold a delightful surprise from carousel horses to lawns transformed into fairy prairies to Master Gardener presentations. The 2015 Garden Walk features 7 new gardens!

Forest Glen is an area of 550 homes is bordered on one entire side by forest preserve. Forest Glen has a long history of stewarding its outdoor spaces, from its beginnings as part of the Indian Boundary Line, to its time as a cherry orchard, to its vigorous response to Dutch Elm disease, resulting in 600 replaced trees. The woods still hold ancient elms, ducks and chickens wander the streets, and a picturesque bridge crosses the North Branch of the Chicago River.

All proceeds from this event benefit beautification of public areas for the enjoyment of all.

Forest Glen Community Club's Garden Committee develops and maintains extensive and award-winning spaces on Edens Parkway, Forest Glen, Elston and anywhere a seed may find purchase.

### Event Details

Date: Saturday, June 27, 2015  
Times: 10 am - to 3pm  
Check in: 5303 N LaPorte Ave, Chicago IL 60630  
Ticket: \$8.00 in advance, \$10 day of  
Transportation: Metra Milwaukee North, Forest Glen stop, Free, plentiful, street parking

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## Reminder - Deadline Extension 2nd Annual Juried Art Fair!

Join us! Art in the Village, Winnetka, IL  
Saturday, June 27th, 10am-6pm and Sunday,  
June 28th, 10am-5pm

Due to a number of artists' requests, the deadline for Art in the Village has been extended to Monday, 3/9/15.

Find our application on Zapplication.com. If you would rather apply by mail, please print from the application PDF link on our website or contact our office and we can mail you a paper application. The jury will be meeting later in the week of 3/9.

Be a part of this early show and get the summer started in beautiful Winnetka!

Please let us know if you have any questions. We hope you will join us at our show this summer! Thank you!

Questions? [www.northshoreartleague.org](http://www.northshoreartleague.org) or 847-446-2870.



## Mayor Emanuel Announces Riverwalk Attractions To Open For Summer 2015

### Full Array Of Chicago Dining, Educational, Cultural And Recreational Activities To Be Available This Summer

As part of his efforts to transform the river into a recreational frontier, Mayor Rahm Emanuel today announced that phase two of the Chicago Riverwalk will open tomorrow, and also announced the lineup of vendors that will provide dining, educational, cultural and recreational activities along the waterfront stretch from LaSalle to Lake Shore Drive for the 2015 summer season. The exciting new lineup includes numerous dining options, live entertainment, biking, kayaking, cruises, boat rentals and water taxis. The Riverwalk will also offer live music later this summer through the Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events (DCASE).

"It's exciting to see the vision of the Riverwalk coming together and becoming a reality. It's a big step forward in making the river the next great recreational frontier in Chicago," said Mayor Emanuel. "Memorial Day Weekend has long been the unofficial start to summer in Chicago and I can't think of a better time to start to open up the Riverwalk so families can relax, have lunch or dinner and enjoy our great city."

Located along the main branch of the Chicago River, the Riverwalk is being constructed as a continuous walkway and recreational amenity connecting the lakefront with the heart of downtown.

"The Chicago River is one of our city's greatest – and underutilized -- natural assets. I commend Mayor Emanuel's effort to connect the lakefront with the heart of downtown and to turn the valuable, underused real estate along the river into an attraction for city residents and tourists alike," said Senator Durbin. "I supported TIFIA's expansion and am pleased Chicago seized the opportunity to tap the program for this valuable project."

The newest section, which opens tomorrow, connects to the existing Riverwalk east of State Street to Lake Shore Drive. The three new sections are thematically named: The Marina (from State to Dearborn) will feature a restaurant and area for boats to dock; The Cove (Dearborn to Clark) will offer rentals and other amenities for kayakers; and the River Theater (Clark to LaSalle) will connect Upper Wacker to the River through a series of steps and a ramp designed to accommodate wheelchairs and strollers. The Marina and the Cove are now open, and the River Theater will open in early June.

The final phase of the Riverwalk will begin this summer extending the River walk to Lake Street, with the following three themed sections: The Water Plaza (LaSalle to Wells); The Jetty (Wells to Franklin) and The Boardwalk (Franklin to Lake).

The six new sections of the Chicago Riverwalk are financed through the U.S. Department of Transportation's Transportation Infrastructure Finance Innovation Act (TIFIA) program.

In addition, DCASE will offer weekly music series and programming, which will take place later this summer; a full list of programming and events will be released in the coming weeks.

Mayor Emanuel's goal of making the Chicago River the city's next recreational frontier launched in 2011 with the construction of three new bathhouses in neighborhoods throughout the city, as well as a fourth in the Bridgeport neighborhood that is set to be completed by 2016. The city's commitment to investing in increased recreational usage of the river ways is also evident in the recent expansion of Ping Tom Memorial Park that opened along the Chicago River, north of 18th Street at the edge of the Chinatown and South Loop neighborhoods. The park reflects the City's pledge to river development with a \$6 million investment in new parkland, riverwalk, native plantings, topography, new vistas, boat landings and a "disappearing" staircase into the water.

The Chicago Department of Transportation (CDOT) has been working on the Chicago Riverwalk since East-West Wacker Drive reconstruction began in the 1990s. The roadway was reconfigured to accommodate the expansion of the riverwalk to promote a pedestrian walkway and activate the space as a public amenity. The East-West Wacker Project included utility build-outs for the future Riverwalk build-out for the entire length from Michigan to Lake Street.

**PICK UP THE NEXT EDITION OF OUR VILLAGE NEWS FOR A LISTING OF DINING AND ACTIVITY VENDORS DUE TO OPEN SOON!**

## Take The K.I.S.S. Principle Home For National Safe Boating Week

May 11, 2015 – May 16-22 is National Safe Boating week, reminding anyone who spends their time on the water to think about ways they'll have a great summer and avoid any chance of becoming US Coast Guard statistic. The BoatUS Foundation for Boating Safety and Clean Water has four tips that follow the familiar K.I.S.S. principle – but with a bent for boating safety – that are near universal:

Keep your life jackets handy: This means readily accessible within arms reach, not still in it's plastic bag or behind compartment doors buried under junk. Better yet, wear it. You'd be surprised at how comfortable and slim today's newest inflatable life jackets are.

Instruct your passengers on where to sit and how to move about the boat safely. This applies to all boats, but the smallest ones can have biggest problems: swamping, large wakes and overloading can turn your day into one you'd rather forget.

See that all passengers are briefed on where emergency equipment is kept and how to use it: don't forget to show how to use the VHF radio, and what everyone needs to do in case someone falls overboard (designate a spotter).

Share your float plan with someone ashore to let them know where you're headed and expected to return. The simple act of telling someone has been demonstrated to greatly reduce a rescuer's response time.

For more information on boating safety or to take a no cost online boating safety course, go to BoatUS.org.



### New DCASE Opportunities Newsletter

Do you know that DCASE is now sending a separate monthly email focused on opportunities, including grants, artist calls and professional development, for artists and creative professionals? If you would like to receive this mid-month newsletter, visit our website at <http://www.cityofchicago.org>.

## Chicago Cultural Affairs

Spring has sprung in Chicago! Discover how to put a "spring" in your step this month with FREE events presented by the Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events.



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## Farewell to the Norwood Chamber, and Thank You For Everything



It is with a heavy heart that I say farewell to the Norwood Park Chamber of Commerce. I am resigning from the Executive Director position effective June 1, 2015.

This email is intended to express my sincerest gratitude towards all of you for all your help and support throughout my employment at Norwood Park Chamber. I have been given a wonderful opportunity to advance my career working with a neighborhood business, Norwood Seniors Network, as their full time Director of Sales.

With my resignation announcement, I would like to begin by thanking all the Chamber Board members and especially, Chamber President, Pat Riordan from Riordan Insurance Group who worked closely with me to grow the chamber business membership. I also thank Mary O'Connor for her mentorship and guidance over the years and former President Michael Kinsch,

from Windy City Motors, who believed in me and gave me the initial opportunity to manage the chamber.

Hired just 2 days before the annual 2012 Norwood Park Fall Fest, I jumped into this position with great determination and enthusiasm. It has been a whirl wind experience; from opening the new chamber office on Northwest Hwy to running festivals and networking events to hosting the Norwood Park Carnival, to welcoming new businesses, neighborhood parades, social media marketing to assisting business with city services. I have had the fortunate opportunity to see the Norwood Park neighborhood flourish over the last few years. Partnering with the businesses and the supportive board leaders, we have been committed to improve the community and positively impact our growing economy.

I'm pleased to introduce Alyssa Triptow, Norwood Park Chamber's new Executive

Director (who started training a few weeks ago), she will be a great asset for the business community. Alyssa brings a new energy to the chamber, she is a recent graduate of Eastern Illinois University with a background in public relations and advertising. She can be contacted at the chamber office and her email is: <mailto:ATriptow@NorwoodPark.org>

Though I'm excited to be embarking on this new chapter in my life, I'm sad to be leaving some of the people I have spent so much time with over the past few years. I take with me fond memories, valuable skills, and I hope to one day leave an impression on others similar to the ones you have left on me. Thank you for this opportunity and I look forward to hearing of your future successes.

Best regards,  
Bea McDonough

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## FLAG DAY

Each year on June 14 we celebrate the birthday of the Stars and Stripes, which came into being on June 14, 1777. At that time, the Second Continental Congress authorized a new flag to symbolize the new Nation, the United States of America.

The Stars and Stripes first flew in a Flag Day celebration in Hartford, Connecticut in 1861, during the first summer of the Civil War. The first national observance of Flag Day occurred June 14, 1877, the centennial of the original flag resolution.

In 1916 President Woodrow Wilson issued a proclamation calling for a nationwide observance of Flag Day on June 14. It was not until 1949 that Congress made this day a permanent observance by resolving "That the 14th day of June of each year is hereby designated as Flag Day....". The measure was signed into law by President Harry Truman.

Although Flag Day is not celebrated as a Federal holiday, Americans everywhere continue to honor the history and heritage it represents.



## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

*"I Pledge Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, Indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for All"*

The Pledge of Allegiance received official recognition by Congress in an Act approved on June 22, 1942. However, the pledge was first published in 1892 in the Youth's Companion magazine in Boston, Massachusetts to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America, and was first used in public schools to celebrate Columbus Day on October 12, 1892.

In its original version, the pledge read "my flag" instead of "the flag of the United States." The change in the wording was adopted by the National Flag Conference in 1923. The rationale for the change was that it prevented ambiguity among foreign-born children and adults who might have the flag of their native land in mind when reciting the pledge.

The phrase "under God" was added to the pledge by a Congressional Act approved on June 14, 1954. At that time, President Eisenhower said: "in this way we are reaffirming the transcendence of religious faith in America's heritage and future; *in this way we shall constantly strengthen those spiritual weapons which forever will be our Country's most powerful resource in peace and war.*"

## The American's Creed

*I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed, a democracy in a republic; a sovereign nation of many sovereign states; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.*

*I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it, to support its constitution, to obey its laws, to respect its flag, and to defend it against all enemies. (Authorized Version)*

The Creed was written in 1918 by William Tyler Page of Friendship Heights, Maryland in the course of a nation wide contest on the subject. Page was a descendent of President Tyler, and Representative John Page, who served in the Congress from 1789-97. William Tyler Page began his government career as a Congressional page in December of 1881. In 1919 he was elected Clerk of the House of Representatives, and held that position until December of 1931. A new post, Emeritus Minority Clerk, was then created for him which he occupied until his death on October 20, 1942.

*(The above information has been Taken from "Our Flag", printed by authority of Senate Concurrent Resolution 61, 105th Congress.)*

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*(From literature by the VFW National Veterans and Military Services)*

1. The flag should be hoisted briskly and lowered ceremoniously.
2. The flag is never allowed to touch the ground or the floor.
3. When hung over a sidewalk on a rope extending from a building to a pole, the union stars are always away from the building.
4. When vertically hung over the center of the street, the flag always has the union stars to the north in an east/west street, and to the east in a north/south street.
5. The flag of the United States of America should be at the center and at the highest point of the group when a number of flags of states or localities or pennants of societies are grouped and displayed from staffs.
6. The flag should never be festooned, drawn back, nor up, in folds but always allowed to fall free.
7. The flag should be displayed at half-staff until noon on Memorial Day then raised to the top of the staff.
8. Never fly the flag upside down except as a signal of distress in instances of extreme danger to life or property.
9. The flag is never flown in inclement weather except when using an all-weather flag.
10. The flag can be flown every day from sunrise to sunset and at night if illuminated properly.

## American Legion Meetings

Edison Park Post 541 of the American Legion will be meeting on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month at the Edison Park Field House, 6755 N. Northwest Hwy, Chicago, IL 60631. The meeting will start at 7:30 P.M. and is open to all Veterans who served in any branch of the United States military services during the armed conflicts listed below.

We are also forming a Sons of the American Legion Squadron. The requirement for becoming a member is:

All male descendants, adopted sons and stepsons of members of The American Legion and such males descendants of veterans who died in service during WWI - WWII - Korean War - the Vietnam War - Lebanon Grenada - Panama and the Persian Gulf War, during the delimiting periods set forth in Article 1 of the National Constitution of the The American Legion or who died subsequent to their Honorable Discharge form such Service shall be eligible for membership in the Sons of the American Legion.

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By Wayne Mell – Artistic Director

People are always asking Wendy Kaplan and I about the grand piano that used to live on the stage. You may recall that the Skokie Theatre was originally renovated as a concert hall, and Bob Acri used to play the most beautiful concerts on that magnificent instrument.

Someone told us it got lost. Someone else told us it was stolen. (Imagine sliding that your purse or pocket and walking casually out the theatre). But the bottom line is that it was no longer there when we received the keys. Just like the Bermuda Triangle or the Kardashians, its fate remains one of the unsolved mysteries of the modern world.

But thanks to American Music World in Niles, the grand piano returns for the full month of June. They delivered a beautiful instrument to us last week and have agreed to loan it to us for the entire month. And we have planned many grand events to be worthy of such a grand piano.

On June 14, classical pianist Conley Johnson will perform an intimate evening exploring the passions of Beethoven, the taste of Chopin, the wistful charm of Liszt, and the exquisite balance of Galuppi, paying homage to the romantic masters of the Golden Era. He is known for his sensitivity and authenticity at the piano as he pursues his goal: to follow in the romantic style of Rachmaninoff, Paderewski, and Friedman, and to achieve a personal artistry on par with theirs.

On June 13, Operatic soprano Christine Steyer stars in her hit one-woman show called "So You Want To Be a Diva?" filled with humorous and touching stories, mixed with opera, art, songs and modern cabaret, plus an audience sing-along and diva trivia too!

Pianist Bobby Schiff teams up with acclaimed violinist Daniela Bisenius on June 19th for a rich and romantic evening with an eclectic mix of styles including classical (Rachmaninof, Faure, Khaciaturian), popular jazz standards, and electrifying Gypsy European music!

Daryl Nitz Entertainment is parading a cacophony of the biggest Cabaret stars in Chicago through the theatre all month, paying tribute to the greats like Billie Holliday, Frank Sinatra, Doris Day, Mel Torme, Louis Armstrong, and others. On June 6th, "Signature With a Song" honors many of these legends and the song that made them famous. June 12th is a centennial birthday celebration for Billie Holliday. June 20th is a party for Frank Sinatra's 100th birthday. And he concludes the month on June 26 with "The Nitz and Howe All-star Celebration", an anniversary celebration of Chicago's longest running cabaret show with plenty of guest stars.

And finally on June 27, the grand finale to the month, our hometown's most exciting performer, Charlene Brooks, takes on Broadway's most dynamic composer, Stephen Sondheim in evening of breathtaking music unlike any she's ever performed.

Times and prices vary, so visit our website at SkokieTheatre.org for more information. Or call our box office at 847-677-7761. And help us thank American Music World for their generosity by stopping by their showroom at 7727 N. Milwaukee Ave in Niles. Maybe you'll bring home an instrument and inspire the next generation of grand stars.



**Buddy Guy To Headline The Chicago Blues Festival**

*The Three-Day Event Will Also Mark The Centennial Of Blues Pioneers Muddy Waters And Willie Dixon*



The Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events (DCASE) announces the headliners for the 32nd Annual Chicago Blues Festival.

Buddy Guy, Taj Mahal Trio, Toronzo Cannon, Syl Johnson, Clarence Carter, Zora Young, Big Bill Morganfield, Mud Morganfield, Bobby Dixon, Alex Dixon, Billy Branch and others will perform June 12-14 at the Petrillo Music Shell in Grant Park.

Chicago soul man Syl Johnson will headline the Petrillo stage on Friday, June 12 at 8:25pm. He has forged a career in both blues and soul producing hits like "Different Strokes," "Is it Because I'm Black" and "Take me to the River."

Then Chicago's own Buddy Guy will bring his rhythm and blues to the Petrillo stage on Saturday, June 13, at 8:05pm. Recently honored with a Grammy® Lifetime Achievement Award, Buddy Guy is one of the most talented blues guitarists of his generation.

The historic festival finale at the Petrillo Music Shell on Sunday, June 14, at 5pm is a talent packed lineup of artists honoring Muddy Waters and Willie Dixon. Performers include family members Big Bill Morganfield and Mud Morganfield (sons of Muddy Waters) as well as Bobby Dixon and Alex Dixon (son and grandson of Willie Dixon).

The popular day stages will also feature local and national blues musicians celebrating the genres rich tradition and heritage. Stages and performance times are: Bud Light Crossroads stage, 11:15am-5:30pm; the Jackson Rhythm and Blues stage, 11:30am-5:30pm and the Pepsi Front Porch, noon-5:30pm.

The Chicago Blues Festival is FREE admission and open from 11am to 9:30pm daily. For a complete schedule and festival details, please visit [chicagobluesfestival.us](http://chicagobluesfestival.us).

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Library Director Karen Danczak Lyons said, "The Evanston community regularly donates thousands of great books that we sell to support library services throughout our community. Our book sale room is transformed into a bookstore of the highest quality. I encourage everyone to come see it for yourself; I'm sure you'll leave with wonderful treasures to share and enjoy."

Book Sale Hours:

Friday, June 12 and Saturday, June 13 from 10:00AM to 5:30PM.

(Early Bird Preview: Friday, June 12 from 10:00 AM to Noon. \$5 Fee.)

Sunday, June 14, from Noon to 5:30PM. (All books reduced to half-price.)

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## Charles Levy Elected VP, Township Officials Of Cook County



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Mr. Levy, a resident of Lincolnwood, has served Niles Township Government since becoming a trustee in 1979. Since his election as Clerk in 1989, he has served in that capacity. Charles has practiced law for over 50-years and is past President of the Illinois Township Attorneys Association.

Since 1850, Niles Township Government has been dedicated to improving life for its residents. Niles Township is located in the northeast corner of Cook County. With a population of over 102,000 the Township includes the villages of Skokie, Lincolnwood and Golf, and sections of Morton Grove, Niles and Glenview.

## Our Committee Believes Many Of Our Alumni Live In Your Area

Dear Editor:

Prosser Career Academy and their friends, 2148 N. Long Av., Chicago, IL 60639, are holding a Meet and Greet the New Principal, Dr. Mark Schall, fund raiser. All proceeds will go toward after school and extra curricular activities. The event will be a buffet dinner and tours of the school. The Meet and Greet will take place from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. in the south gym on Friday, June 12th. The cost before the event will be \$25.00. At the door, the cost will be \$30.00, cash only. Entrance to the event will be from the south parking lot door. Make checks for reservations or donations payable to: Friends of Prosser, and mail to the school. For more information, contact either Mrs. Scott or Sherry Heard at 773 534 3201.

Sincerely, C.M. Blumenthal, Alumni Board Member, 773 736 1702  
Thank you for any consideration and help.

## Skokie Synagogue To Host Program On Sports And American Judaism

The Men's Club of Ezra-Habonim, the Niles Township Jewish Congregation, 4500 W. Dempster, Skokie, will host a program entitled "Searching for Meaning & Community: The Historical Challenge of Sports to American Judaism," Wednesday, June 17, starting at 7:30 p.m.

This event is free and open to the public.

Speaker for the evening is Howard Romanek, an accomplished Social Studies teacher and coach. "Many have commented on the similarities between sports and organized religion," Romanek says. "Both offer the individual a sense of purpose and the opportunity to be involved with something larger than oneself. How has Judaism responded for over a century to the challenge of sports and the desire to be accepted in America?"

Romanek will answer his own question in this unusual and informative evening.

For further information or for reservations, please call the office of Ezra-Habonim, the Niles Township Jewish Cong., 847-675-4141.

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## St. Thecla Seniors Meetings

St. Thecla Seniors located at 6725 W. Devon meet at 11:30 a.m. on the first and third Thursdays of the month in the Queen of Peace room. There is a short meeting followed by sweet rolls and coffee. Bingo and cards are played. We have parties!!! Please join us as you may like us! For information, please call Joanie at 312/608-4092.

## Evanston/Skokie Valley Metropolitan Family Services - Giving Hope And Opportunity To Families

With your help last year Metropolitan served more than 53,000 individuals and families in the Chicago area, helping them become more self-sufficient and strengthening family bonds. Learn more about our organization by visiting our website, [metrofamily.org](http://metrofamily.org).

## Norwood Park Seniors Club

at 5801 N Natoma Chicago meet the second and fourth Thursday of the month. We play pinochle and bingo, have parties on special occasions. Meetings start at 10:30 with coffee and a sweet roll. Call Joan at 773-774-7075.

## Taking Care Of Rover After You're Gone



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Your pet may have been with you for years. In fact, pet ownership can likely lead to a higher life expectancy. A report by The British Journal of Health Psychology found that pet ownership resulted in lower blood pressure, lower cholesterol, and better overall health. In fact, pets may be especially helpful when you are in the greatest need. A study in Public Health Reports found the heart attack survival rate among pet owners was 28% higher than among those without pets. Many people suspect these health benefits of pet ownership result from the companionship the pet provides. In many cases, pets are considered a member of the family.

We plan for our human family members with a Will, a Living Trust, and other vehicles to ensure they are taken care of. However, we often forget about our furry and feathered family members or assume that one of our surviving family members will take on their care. However, if we do not make arrangements for our pets, they may join the hundreds of thousands of

sad pets who end up in shelters or are euthanized because their owner is no longer able to take care of and provide for them. For example, according to the ASPCA, 2-3% of pets entering shelters each year do so because of the death or disability of their owner. That is between 120,000 to 240,000 loving cats and dogs who end up in shelters, or worse, because of their owner's death or disability. None of us like to consider our own mortality. When doing your planning, don't forget the pet members of your family. These loving, vulnerable members of your family need you to plan for them, too.

While you cannot prevent your own death or disability, you can prevent your loving pet from ending up in a shelter or being euthanized at your death. You can arrange with your friends or family for someone to be your pet's caretaker upon your death or disability. The estate plan you create for your family should include a "Pet Trust," a trust which ensures that your loving pet is cared for even after you are gone. An estate planning attorney can designate the primary caretaker in your Trust. You should also name an alternate caretaker, in case your primary caretaker is unable or unwilling to fill that role when the time comes. Additionally, the ideal caretaker for your pet may not have the financial resources to meet your pet's needs, particularly if your pet has specialized dietary and health concerns. You can leave a list of your pet's foods, medicines, veterinarian, and other useful information for your pet's caretaker. Your Trust can set aside some money to provide for your pet's food and medical needs for the remainder of your pet's years. Your Trustee will administer that money and is under a duty to use the money that you set aside for your pet's needs. If you choose, you can even pay your pet's caretaker a monthly stipend or a set sum for taking on this responsibility. If you have no friends or family to act as caregiver for your pet, consider designating a charitable organization such as Best Friends ([www.bestfriends.org](http://www.bestfriends.org)), Bideawee ([www.bideawee.org](http://www.bideawee.org)), or a similar pet adoption / rescue agency to take your pet, along with a donation, to the charity as part of your estate plan. A qualified estate planning attorney, one who focuses his or her practice in estate planning, will know how to craft a Pet Trust to provide for your loving pet.

Your pet has provided you with love and affection. Now, you can do something to ensure that someone is there to love and care for your pet, even if you are no longer able to do so. Do the loving thing, call your estate planning attorney today to arrange for a Pet Trust.

*Chester M. Przybylo is a founding member of the prestigious American Academy of Estate Planning Attorneys, a nationally acclaimed organization whose members are dedicated to the highest standards of estate planning and elder law. His Chicago-based firm, Chester M. Przybylo and Associates, has served its clients for over 45 years. Visit the firm website for helpful information on estate planning: [www.PlanOurEstate.com](http://www.PlanOurEstate.com), or call 773-631-7100 for an appointment.*

## Kiwanis Of Ravenswood

The Kiwanis Club of Ravenswood meets at Noon every 2nd & 4th Thursday (with some exceptions) at the Hilltop Restaurant, NW corner of California & Foster Avenues, Chicago. Plenty of FREE PARKING is available in the lot west of the restaurant, on the north side. To confirm the meeting dates please call Maria Bappert at 773-728-8127. Thank you.

JUNE, 2015 DATES - PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

June 11 - Regular Club Meeting followed by a Board Meeting. We will have the Annual Nominations and Elections for our Club on that day.

June 14 - Flag Day. Honor our Veterans and fly the Flag.

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# Chicago Bike Week To Promote Cycling June 12-19 As Part Of Bike Chicago 2015

**Includes A Screening Of Napoleon Dynamite In Millennium Park, The Chicago Triathlon Checkpoint Challenge, Bike Fashion Show And The Bike To Work Rally At Daley Plaza On June 19**

The Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events is pleased to announce the schedule for Chicago Bike Week presented by the City of Chicago and Goose Island Beer Company, taking place June 12-19 as part of Bike Chicago 2015.

Throughout the week, the benefits of bicycling in Chicago – whether to work, for leisure or for fitness – will be promoted through various free events including a downtown bike tour, a movie night in Millennium Park, a bike-centric urban adventure race, a bike fashion show and the Bike to Work Rally on Daley Plaza. For more information including the complete schedule, visit [bikechicago.us](http://bikechicago.us).

2015 Chicago Bike Week Schedule of Events:

## Friday, June 12 – Sunday, June 14

Kickstart by Mountain Dew Free Bike Valet  
32nd Annual Chicago Blues Festival  
Grant Park – SE Corner of Monroe St. and Columbus Dr.  
11 a.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Help kick-off Chicago Bike Week by biking to Blues Fest; the parking's on us! Cyclists are encouraged to bike to the festival in Grant Park and enjoy the complimentary Kickstart by Mountain Dew Bike Valet. For more information including the full line-up for the FREE admission Chicago Blues Festival is available at [chicagoobluesfestival.us](http://chicagoobluesfestival.us).

## Friday, June 12 – Friday, June 19

Bike Commuter Challenge  
Various locations and times

In 2014, this week-long event attracted over 6,000 participants from 650 Chicagoland companies and organizations. Participation is easy! You don't have to bike all the way every day – biking to your local bus or train stop counts. Meet other bike commuters all week at more than 40 events around the region. It's easy, free and, most of all, fun! Produced by Active Transportation Alliance. For more information, visit [bikecommuterchallenge.org](http://bikecommuterchallenge.org) or call 312.216.0488.

## Monday, June 15

South Loop Bike Tour, led by Chicago Neighborhood Bike Tours  
Meet at Buckingham Fountain in Grant Park  
6 p.m. Ride

Join us for a FREE 2-hour bike tour of the South Loop, including the Museum Campus and North-erly Island. Pre-registration is required. Ride limited to 150 participants. Visit [bikechicago.us](http://bikechicago.us) for registration and event details.

## Tuesday, June 16

Bike Chicago Film: Napoleon Dynamite (Rated PG, 96 min.)  
Millennium Park's Jay Pritzker Pavilion  
6:30 p.m.

Don't miss this quirky, offbeat 2004 comedy featuring the socially-awkward, yet endearing, teenage Napoleon as he helps his new friend win the class presidency in their small-town high school while dealing with his eccentric family life at home. Bring a blanket, enjoy Goose Island concessions and watch some "sweet" bike jumps. Wednesday, June 17

Two Wheels, One City Ride: Celebrating Chicago's Diversity on Bicycles  
Meet at Daley Plaza – 50 W. Washington St.  
6 p.m. Ride

A Slow Roll Chicago Wednesday evening ride created especially for Chicago Bike Week in partnership with Active Transportation Alliance and the Chicago Cycling Club. Cyclists of all levels and backgrounds are encouraged to join this ride highlighting Slow Roll Chicago's work to create a diverse and equitable bicycle culture. Riders will meet at Daley Plaza at 5:30 p.m. and depart at 6 p.m. for a journey through the Loop, Pilsen and surrounding neighborhoods, finishing back at Daley Plaza at 8:30 p.m. For details, visit [slowrollchicago.org/bikeweek](http://slowrollchicago.org/bikeweek).

## Thursday, June 18

Chicago Triathlon Checkpoint Challenge  
Meet at Millennium Park's Cloud Gate, aka "The Bean"  
6 p.m.

Chicago's first ever, bike-centric adventure race! Participating cyclists will receive a set of clues, identifying the location of several checkpoints throughout the city. Cyclists will earn points as they traverse the city, snap photos and complete various challenges. Participants will then reconvene in Millennium Park at 8 p.m. for awards, raffle prizes, complimentary Goose Island beer (ages 21 and over) and the Downtown Sound Concert at the Jay Pritzker Pavilion. Helmets and smart phones required. For details and advance registration, visit [bikechicago.us](http://bikechicago.us).

## Friday, June 18

Bike Fashion Show and Pop-up Shops  
Daley Plaza – 50 W. Washington St.  
7 a.m. – 3 p.m., Pop-up Sale  
Noon, Fashion Show

The runway meets the street in this fashion show and pop-up sale spotlighting the hottest biking and sportswear brands for men and women from some of Chicago's very own designers and boutiques. Browse the pop-up shops and enjoy one of the City of Chicago's most popular Farmers Markets.

## Friday, June 19

Bike to Work Rally  
Daley Plaza – 50 W. Washington St.

The week's festivities culminate on Friday, June 19, from 7 to 9 a.m. at the Bike to Work Rally presented by the City of Chicago and Goose Island Beer Company on Daley Plaza (50 W. Washington). Join thousands of cyclists for camaraderie and a FREE continental breakfast provided by 7-Eleven. All cyclists will also receive a FREE T-shirt as well as use of the valet bike parking compliments of Kickstart by Mountain Dew.

## Goose Island Beer Company, Presenting Sponsor

Presented by the City of Chicago and Goose Island Beer Company, Bike Chicago 2015 is a celebration of Chicago's commitment to become even more bicycle friendly and environmentally conscious. After you finish your ride this summer, take your taste buds for a spin with your favorite Goose Island beer at bike-friendly craft beer destinations throughout Chicagoland. For more information about our beers and events visit [Gooseisland.com](http://Gooseisland.com).

Bike Chicago 2015 is presented by Goose Island Beer Company in partnership with Kickstart by Mountain Dew, 93XRT, Aquafina, Transamerica Chicago Triathlon, Chicago Transit Authority, 7-Eleven, Southwest Airlines, and Active Transportation Alliance. For more information and details on Chicago Bike Week and Bike Chicago 2015, please call 312.744.3316 or visit [bikechicago.us](http://bikechicago.us). Join the conversation on Facebook (Bike Chicago) or follow us on Twitter at @ChicagoDCASE, #ChiBikeWeek.

## Department Of Cultural Affairs And Special Events

The Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events (DCASE) is dedicated to enriching Chicago's artistic vitality and cultural vibrancy. This includes fostering the development of Chicago's non-profit arts sector, independent working artists and for-profit arts businesses; providing a framework to guide the City's future cultural and economic growth, via the 2012 Chicago Cultural Plan; marketing the City's cultural assets to a worldwide audience; and presenting high-quality, free and affordable cultural programs for residents and visitors.

## The Best Things In Life Are Free, Including Boat US' Online Boating Safety Courses

For boaters, the best things in life are free – the serenity of open water, a breeze filling a sail, or a fishing hole that beckons. And best yet, even the BoatUS Foundation's online state Boating Safety Course won't cost you a penny. As boating season begins, the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators and the BoatUS Foundation for Boating Safety and Clean Water encourage boaters to take a no cost boating safety education course as part of the Spring Aboard Campaign which starts today running through April 26. The Foundation offers online courses approved for 34 states.

"It's central to our mission that boating safety education be accessible to anyone, so offering this free course is vitally important to what we do," said BoatUS Foundation Director of Education, Amanda Pérez. "The Spring Aboard Campaign is a great way to raise awareness."

Over one million boaters have taken the Foundation's courses since 1997. Pérez added, "We realize that the costs of our passion can add up quickly and we want to do what we can to make it easier for boaters to get on the water."



**Take a BoatUS Foundation online course any time, any place, including the backyard.**

## Free Bike Safety Rodeo At Niles Township June 13th

Niles Township is conducting its Bike Safety Rodeo on Saturday, June 13, 2015 from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. The event will take place in the parking lot of the Township office at 5255 Main Street in Skokie. In the event of inclement weather, the rain date is June 14.

Participants can participate in the bike safety check, helmet fitting, ride the skills course and compete in the slow/fast race competition. Free ice cream treats will be given to participants enjoying the festivities.

"The bike rodeo is a fun event that helps children learn safety habits as they begin enjoying the summer months," said Scott Bagnall, Assessor of Niles Township.

Since 1850, Niles Township Government has been dedicated to improving life for its residents. Niles Township is located in the northeast corner of Cook County. With a population of over 102,000 the Township includes the villages of Skokie, Lincolnwood and Golf, and sections of Morton Grove, Niles and Glenview.

## Bicycle Safety Day Is Saturday June 6!

Join your friends and neighbors at the annual Village of Skokie Bicycle Safety Day, Saturday, June 6, 2015, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Oakton Park's Parking lot (Oakton Street at Knox Avenue). The rain date for this event is Saturday, June 20, 2015.

Children through age 14 can participate in games and win prizes. A bicycle safety course will test their knowledge of the law and their ability to properly handle a bicycle. Bicyclists can register their bicycles with the Skokie Police Department this day as well.

The Skokie Public Safety Commission sponsors this event and the members of the Skokie Park District, Skokie Police Department and the Skokie Fire Department also join to help to promote pedestrian and traffic safety.

For more information, contact the Traffic Engineering Division at 847/933-8232.

## Tuesday's Child 10-Week Behavioral Summer Camp Starts June 23

Make summertime work in your child's favor with a summer camp experience that is packed with fun and focuses on behavior. Tuesday's Child's low staff-child ratio of 4-1 coupled with evidence-based behavioral interventions supports children in a play-based setting.

This year's Summer Camp runs from June 23 to August 28: Tuesdays to Thursdays, 9:30 AM to 3:30 PM; Friday, 9:30 AM to 12:00 noon. Half day sessions are available; Thursday is a full day due to weekly field trips. Summer Camp is held at Tuesday's Child, 3633 N. California Avenue, Chicago. For information and registration, call 773-423-5055.

The Tuesday's Child Behavioral Summer Camp is a phenomenal opportunity for children age six and younger to receive behavioral support in a fun environment. As they enjoy the experience, learn and grow, Summer Camp prepares them to enter school in the fall.

Tuesday's Child, Chicago Behavior Management Experts, work with young children whose behavioral challenges may have prevented them from being successful in other summer camps. Structured, supervised socialization activities help them address challenges and enjoy camp activities.

This year's camp is expected to be a great experience – just like last year's – with daily visits to the park, new themes and fresh activities. Field trips include visits to Schaumburg Water Works, Pump It Up and Monkey Island. Summer Camp concludes with a Family Picnic and Awards Ceremony for everyone who attends and recognizing each child's unique strengths.

For more information, contact Katie Conklin, Tuesday's Child, 773-423-5055, or visit [TuesdaysChicagoChicago.org](http://TuesdaysChicagoChicago.org).

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# Village Cooking Corner

## BAKED COD FISH ALA KALAMATA (BAKALIARO PLAKI)

From the Kitchens of Anastasia E. Weaver

This is a recipe that was handed down to me by our mother who came from the area of Kalamata the capital of Messinia in the southern tip of the Peloponnese in Greece. It is a favorite in homes throughout Greece and the United States.

- 4 to 6 filets of fresh cod
- 1 finely sliced onion
- 2 garlic cloves, mashed
- ½ cup extra virgin olive oil
- Juice of 1 lemon
- 1 cup water
- ½ cup currants, or raisins soaked in 1 cup of white wine
- 1 (16 oz) can whole tomatoes chopped
- Several whole cloves
- 2 Tbsp. chopped parsley
- Salt and pepper to taste

This recipe is better if you are able to purchase (dry cod fish - bakaliaro\*) rather than fresh cod. But either will work fine. Assuming you purchase dry cod fish, place in water so that you can get rid of the heavy salt. Keep in water for a full day and change the water frequently. Rinse and saute in hot oil until slightly browned. If you use fresh cod, you will not need to saute, but the flavor of the dry cod fish is really extraordinary.

Place the cod filets in a greased baking pan. Sprinkle each steak with salt and pepper; rub with garlic and pour lemon juice over the fish. Lightly, saute in olive oil the onions, parsley and the tomatoes. Add the currants or raisins, wine, cloves and 1 cup of water. Simmer about 5 minutes. Pour this sauce over the fish and bake at 400 degree F for about 45 minutes to an hour. Baste the fish several times as it is baking. You may have to add just a little more water as it bakes.

This is great served with green vegetables e.g., Dandelion greens or Endive, seasoned with salt extra virgin olive oil and lemon juice and a crusty Greek bread for dunking the delicious sauce.

\* May be found in any Greek or Italian market

Suggestion: leftovers, if any, makes a great sandwich the next day. Serves 4

## Visit Chicago Brauhaus During The Summer Concert Series In Lincoln Square

The annual Summer Concert Series, Lincoln Square's favorite free summer event, will begin soon!

The series will occur every Thursday evening from 6:30pm - 9:00pm in Kempf Plaza (across from Chicago Brauhaus) through August 29th.

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## Respunzel Project At Resurrection

The Resurrection College Prep High School motto "Charity and Truth" was in action on Tuesday, May 19, 2015 as students and staff lined up to have their hair cut by local stylists who came to Resurrection as part of the ResPunzel Project. The annual hair donation project is hosted by the Resurrection Science Club and hair is donated to the Pantene Beautiful Lengths Program to make wigs for women who are faced with hair loss from cancer treatment. The 2015 ResPunzel Project was held after prom season and 98 participants donated 8 or more inches of hair. Pantene works closely with the American Cancer Society to produce and distribute real-hair wigs, at no cost, for female cancer patients. Local hair stylists donated their services to the ResPunzel Project. The goal of the on-going annual project is to collect enough hair donations from Resurrection and the community to equal the length of two braids which could wrap around the entire academic area at Resurrection.



Local hair stylists volunteered their services to the ResPunzel Project. Students donated 8 or more inches of hair and 98 participants at Resurrection donated.

Resurrection Science Department Chair Dawn Konow started the ResPunzel Project in 2009 to honor her mother, Dolores Pienta, who is a two time cancer survivor, and in memory of her sister-in-law, Colleen Pienta, who passed away due to ovarian cancer. Mrs. Pienta joined the students at this year's ResPunzel event and was joyfully sharing hugs with the students. "My mother has always helped with ResPunzel behind the scenes by counting, packaging and shipping the donations," said Ms. Konow, "and I knew that she would enjoy seeing our students donate today."

Resurrection College Prep High School, located at 7500 West Talcott Avenue in Chicago, is the largest all girls' Catholic, Christian college preparatory high school for young women on the north side of Chicago. Since its founding in 1922, Resurrection has graduated nearly 14,000 alumnae. For more information about Resurrection College Prep High School, call 773.775.6616 Ext 129 or visit www.reshs.org.

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## Filipino-American Fiesta

The Edison Park United Methodist Church, 6740 N. Oliphant Ave., Chicago, will host a Filipino-American Fiesta on Sunday, June 7. The event, will be held from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. It will include a Thanksgiving service at 10:30 a.m., a buffet luncheon featuring Filipino specialties, and cultural presentations, including music and dance. The public is invited to join in the celebration.

Admission is free. All ages are welcome to attend, but children must be accompanied by an adult.

For more information, call the church at 773-792-3030 or email to edisonparkumc120@gmail.com. The pastor is the Rev. Victor Melad Jr..



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