Mark your Calendar:

**Village Vehicle Stickers**

Be sure to display your Vehicle Sticker on the passenger side of your windshield by May 1st.

**Street Maintenance Reminder...**

April 1st began Street Maintenance when Public Works repairs potholes, sewers and does street sweeping. Please follow the posted parking signs on your block.

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**Recreation Center**

Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri: 9:00 am - 9:00pm  
Sat: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Closed Sunday  
Phone: 708-667-7092  
Email: recdesk@harwoodheights.org

**Video Fitness Schedule**

The MAY schedule is posted on our website at www.harwoodheights.org, as well as at the desk in our Recreation Center.

**Note:** Some programs may require a Yoga mat.

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**Floral Arrangement Lesson**

**Friday, May 10 at 6:00 pm**

With Mother’s Day just around the corner, what a perfect opportunity to make your own floral arrangement. Joanne from Flower Fantasy will show you how to make a great gift for someone special! Supplies and fresh flowers will be provided for every participant. Cost is $15 per person - a first time special! Mark your calendar. Men...a perfect gift you make on your own that truly comes from the heart for that someone special! Call or visit the Recreation Center to reserve your seat. 708-667-7092

**Cooking Demonstration**

**NOTE: Change in Date**

**Monday, May 20th at 6:00 pm**

Due to a conflict in local events, we changed the date of this Event. Boris, Executive Chef from Ridgemoor Country Club, will join us and cook one of his signature dishes, a delicious pork tenderloin entree you can make at home. Show and tell with cooking tips and answers to questions. Take the recipe home and enjoy a sample tasting of the final dish! Cost is $12.00. Call or visit the Recreation Center to reserve your seat. 708-667-7092

**Crafters Wanted**

If you or someone you know is interested in participating in an upcoming Craft Fair, please call our Recreation Center at 708-667-7092 and give us your name, company, and goods you offer. The Recreation Center staff will be collecting information for a future Craft Fair for all to enjoy!

**Water Rate Increase**

Effective June 1, 2019, the City of Chicago is once again increasing their water rates for Harwood Heights. The increase is passed on to our residents to meet the cost of water owed to the City of Chicago and the maintainance of our sewers. Therefore you will notice a small 1% increase that is effective June 1st. However, despite the increase, our water & sewer rates are still one of the lowest in the area.

*More topics on reverse side.*
Village Fest
Mark your calendar for Saturday and Sunday, August 17 & 18 for another year of fun-filled festivities with entertainment, food, prizes & more. Details to come.

Prescription Drug Drop Off
Do NOT flush drugs down your drain or toilet. It will pollute our waterways. Bring them to the lobby of the Police Department where they can be properly disposed. Be sure to remove the labels on all containers.

Pets
Spring is a great time to walk your pets and enjoy the weather. Please do NOT leave home without a bag to pick up after your pets. Be a responsible pet owner. Don't leave it up to your neighbors and do NOT throw waste into another's garbage can.
Thank you!

Noise?
Bothered by airplane noise? call: 1-800-435-9569
Log on to: www.flychicago.com for the latest developments.

Your Village Board:
Mayor Arlene Jezierny
Clerk Marcia Pollowy
Trustees:
Ziggy Lewandowski
Terry Schuepfer
Larry Steiner
Annette Brzezniak-Volpe
Anna Brzozowski-Wegrecki
Giuseppe Zerillo

Village-wide Garage Sale Weekend
The Village’s annual Garage Sale will take place June 21, 22, and 23. Please register by calling the Village Hall at 708-867-7200.

Big Garbage Day
Held the week of June 24 on your normal garbage pick-up day.

Shredding and Recycling
Shredding and Recycling will take place in July and details will be announced in our June Newsletter.

Tree Program
If you are interested in our 50/50 program to plant a tree on your parkway, please visit our website or the Village Hall to review the trees that are appropriate for the parkways and available to order.

Economic Development & Infrastructure
The Old Warsaw property will be torn down once the demolition permits are obtained from Cook County and presented to the Village.

The Green Alley projects are underway for 7500 Winnemac/Argyle and 6400 Sunnyside/Forest Preserve Drive. We appreciate the cooperation of our residents. While there is always an inconvenience during construction, the end result will improve the area.

The 7400 & 7500 blocks of Argyle will soon undergo street paving and widening on the 7400 block. Funding was just obtained through working with Cook County. We will proceed as soon as the design, engineering and contract bidding are complete. This street is in dire need of improvement. Thank you to the residents for your patience.

Cullom Street
Resurfacing from Sayre to Newcastle and Alley Resurfacing along Leland between Newland and New England will soon begin. Bids have now been awarded and once we meet with the contractor, we will advise when these projects will begin.

Rodent and Pest Control
The Village does what we can for rodent control but we need your cooperation as well. Garbage cans MUST be closed at all times. Do NOT place any garbage on the ground. If you are in need of an additional can, they are available at a minimal cost. Litter, high weeds, piles of wood on the ground, and shrubs along alleyways all provide a hiding place for rodents.

Bait stations are set up in alleys where rodents are reported. Do not touch these boxes and keep pets away as they contain poison pellets. Restaurants and grocery stores are required to bait their garbage in alleys and in their garbage corrals.

As much as we all like animals, please do NOT feed them unless you have proper feeding structures from pet stores and follow its procedure. Any standing water must be constantly changed to prevent attracting mosquitoes. Placing food or bird seed on the ground can attract rodents and other wild animals.