



The Mayor's MESSAGE

MAYOR ARLENE JEZIERNY

JUNE/JULY 2021

Dog Walking:

Please be a good neighbor and pick up after your pets. Let's keep our neighborhood clean and respect our neighbors. Also, dogs must be on a leash while you are walking them.

Cat & Dog license:

Don't forget to get a Cat & Dog license tag. The cost is \$2.00 to register. Please bring proof of rabies vaccine.

Block Parties:

Considering a block party? A permit must be obtained from the Village. Note: no confined bounce house or similar will be allowed and CDC guidelines must be followed.

Prescription Drugs

If you have any unused medications, DO NOT flush them down the toilet or dispose of them in the sink. You can properly dispose them at our Police Department. A drop box is located in their lobby. Remove your information from the containers.

Covid Vaccines

Have you received your Covid vaccine?

CALL: 1-833-308-1988

Home bound? Call the Cook County hotline at:

1-833-308-1988.

After your vaccine, please follow the CDC guidelines: <https://www.cdc.gov>

Safety Tips:

Don't invite crime, make sure you lock your house and car. Don't leave items in your car that are visible from the outside.

Don't let strangers in your home even if they pose as public works or utility workers. Imposters will use scare tactics such as water contamination, survey of property information, water leakage or gain access posing as AT&T, ComEd or Nicor employees. Please call the police at 911 and let us verify their identity.

July 4th holiday. Fireworks are illegal. They will be confiscated and you will be issued a ticket. This is for your safety and that of others. Attend a park or public display where fireworks are handled by professionals.

Village Events:

The Village will not be holding a Fest this year due to the hardships on businesses and the Village during the Covid pandemic. However, we look to 2022 as this is the Village's 75th Anniversary and, if all goes well, we will all celebrate safely.

We are planning a Car Show for this Fall. We will announce the event once the date, time and location are finalized.

Senior Meetings begin - Friday, June 11th @ 10:00am

Residents age 60 & over are welcome to join. Bake Sale @ 10:00 am; Meeting at 11:00 am. Lunch will be served. As an extra precaution, please wear your mask if you have not been vaccinated. Any questions, contact Michael Kawell, President of Senior Club at 708-867-7200.

Village-wide Garage Sale - June 25-26-27.

Please call the Village to register 708-867-7200.

Big Garbage Day

Big Garbage Day is the week of June 28 on your regular garbage pickup day.

Electronic Recycling and Paper Shredding - July 10th

Electronic Recycling and Paper Shredding for HH residents from 9:00 am - Noon at the Village Hall.

Secretary of State Office:

All driver's license and ID card expiration dates are extended to Aug 1, 2021 but not to commercial licenses. License plate stickers can be purchased on line. Your receipt as proof of registration compliance is good for no more than 30 days from the expiration of the previous license plate registration sticker date.

Craft Fair - October 2 & 3 (Sat. & Sun.):

If interested in participating as a vendor, please contact Mike Grono at: 708-867-7200 Extension 213.

Fitness Classes:

Zumba is offered every
Thursday 6:00 - 6:45 pm
Cost is \$5 per class

Dancercise resumes every
Saturday 10:00 - 10:45 am
Cost is \$5 per class

Hosting an Event?

Rooms are available to rent for parties and gatherings. Rooms are clean and sanitized. Interested? Call Liz at the Village Hall at: 708-867-7200

Recreation Center Operation:

Mon-Fri: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm;
and 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am - Noon
Closed Sunday & Holidays
Phone: 708-667-7092

Email: recdesk@harwoodheights.org

Village Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:00a-5:00p
Website: www.harwoodheights.org

**Village Hall and Rec Center
will be closed on July 5 for
4th of July weekend.**

Your Village Board:

Mayor Arlene Jezierny
Clerk Marcia Pollowy

Trustees:

Ziggy Lewandowski
Terry Schuepfer
Larry Steiner
Annette Brzezniak-Volpe
Anna Brzozowski-Wegrecki
Giuseppe Zerillo

Questions?

My office door is always open to residents and businesses. To make an appointment, simply call my direct line: 708-867-7205

Robo Call Notifications:

Automated calls are sent to your home or cell phone to inform you of any emergencies, events or immediate information.

Call or use website to register:
867-7200 www.harwoodheights.org

Registration Open for Small Star Athletes and Crafty Kidz Register at the Recreation Center Phone: 708-667-7092

Small Stars

These fun energetic classes offer a structured program of basic skills, drills, & games for multiple sports. **Parent Tot** are ages 2-5 with parent participation. **Biddy** are ages 4-7 without required parent participation. Fees are \$15 resident; \$20 non-resident. Sessions are 5 weeks. Min 4/Max 10

Small Stars - Parent Tot - (Parent participation)

Session I	May 12-June 9	Wed	10-10:45 am
Session II	June 16 - July 14	Wed	10-10:45 am

Small Stars - Biddy

Session I	May 12-June 9	Wed	11-11:45 am
Session II	June 16 - July 14	Wed	11-11:45 am

Crafty Kidz

These classes offer the opportunity for kids to create crafts with step by step instruction allowing creativity without boundaries. **Parent Tot** are ages 2-5 with parent participation. **Biddy** are ages 4-8 without required parent participation. Fees are \$15 resident; \$20 non-resident. Sessions are 5 weeks. Min 4/Max 10

Crafty Kidz - Parent Tot - (Parent participation)

Session I	May 13-June 10	Thurs	10-10:45 am
Session II	June 17 - July 15	Thurs	10-10:45 am

Crafty Kidz - Biddy

Session I	May 13-June 10	Thurs	11-11:45 am
Session II	June 17 - July 15	Thurs	11-11:45 am

Water, Sewer & Garbage Fees

Effective June 1st, you will notice a slight increase in your water and sewer bill due to the City of Chicago's increase charged to the Village. There is also an increase of \$2.50 per month for your garbage collection.

Village Improvements

Each year the Village applies for grants to help keep up with improvements in our community. The grants can only be used for specific projects once they are approved. These grants help to improve and maintain roadways, alleys, sewers, lighting, and sidewalks including ADA requirements.

As construction projects take place, it can be a mess with trucks, parking, detours, and dealing with garbage pick-ups, etc Notifications are sent to those residents immediately affected by the ongoing project.

We want to thank everyone for your understanding and patience as projects take place. We understand traffic patterns change to avoid construction. Please note that any improvements are for the good of the community as a whole.

Please avoid any of these construction areas for your safety and that of others.

Thank you!