



VILLAGE OF HARWOOD HEIGHTS NEWSLETTER

# The Mayor's MESSAGE

MAYOR ARLENE JEZIERNY

August 2025

## Recreation Center Activities:

**Zumba Thurs 6:00 - 6:45p**  
High energy aerobic exercise in dance style routines. \$5/class

**Flex, Stretch & Tone Chair Yoga Wed 10:30 - 11:00a**  
Seated or non-seated group class. Low impact cardio and increased flexibility. \$5/class

**Yoga for Wellness (WSSRA) Ages 40 & Up Tues 10:00 - 11:15a**  
Collaborative program with the WSSRA. Registration accepted through the WSSRA (847-455-2100)

**NEW! Strength & Stretch Tues. 6:00 - 6:45pm**  
Enhance physical strength, develop endurance, increase muscle tone, promote good posture and elevate confidence. \$15/class or \$125 for a 10/Class punch card.

**Dancercise returns the month of November.**

## Upcoming Events...

### **Octoberfest (held in September) September 19-20-21 (Friday-Sunday)**

A large tent will be the location of food, entertainment, crafts and contests. It is situated on the grassy area just off the parking lot of St. Rosalies. Entrance fee is \$15.00. See enclosed flyer for more information and times of entertainment.

### **Garage and Yard Sale - September 19-20-21 (Fri-Sun)**

The last Garage and Yard sale had very hot weather. Based on a number of calls, we will hold another in September. If interested, contact the Village Hall and indicate days and whether it's a garage or yard sale. Please respond by Tues. September 16th at noon.

Big Garbage Day Week will follow after the Garage & Yard Sale during the week of September 22.

### **Car Show - September 28 (Sunday)**

It's our 6th Annual Car Show! Spectators can view cars from 9:00am - 1:30pm. Car registration is from 8:30am - 11:00am and the cost to register is \$20.00. Trophies will be awarded at the show. A "DJ" will entertain along with door prizes for spectators.

### **Craft Fair October 3 & 4 (Saturday & Sunday)**

Join us for an assortment of Crafts just in time for the holidays. Makes great gifts, too. Entrance fee is \$1.00. Food is available to purchase. More information coming next month.

### **Hydrant Flushing - September 15th**

The Village's Water Department will be conducting hydrant flushing during week of September 15th.

This routine maintenance is important in keeping our system clean and operating efficiently. You may notice temporary discoloration or a slight drop in pressure. Simply run your cold water tap for a few minutes until it clears.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we work to maintain the quality of our water system.

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## Play Bingo and support scholarships for RHS students.

The Ridgewood Foundation hosts monthly Bingo games (Sept - May). The proceeds are used to fund annual scholarships to students for their continuation of education at a community college, university, professional or trade schools.

Doors open at 5:00 pm; first game at 6:00 pm



**BINGO**  
Invest in Our Future

**SAVE THE DATES!**

September 13, 2025  
October 11, 2025  
November 8, 2025\*  
December 13, 2025  
January 10, 2026  
February 14, 2026  
March 14, 2026\*  
April 11, 2026  
May 9, 2026

**\$25**  
for 15 Games  
Two \$500 Coverall

7500 Montrose Ave. Norridge, IL 60706  
Doors open at 5pm | First game is called at 6pm  
Concessions, Raffle Prizes & 50/50!

\*Salvation Army Nights

### Your Village Board:

Mayor Arlene Jezierny  
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### Trustees:

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Giuseppe Zerillo

### Village Hall and Recreation Center:

Village Hall - 708-867-7200  
Recreation Center - 708-667-7092

### Recreation Center Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:00am-1:00pm  
and 3:00pm-7:00pm  
Saturday 9:00am-Noon  
Closed Sunday & Holidays

## Project Updates:

### Ainslie 7400 & 7500 and Oketo (Ainslie to Lawrence) and Olcott (Strong to Gunnison)

Construction continues on the 7400 and 7500 blocks of Ainslie. Construction will also take place on one half of Oketo from Ainslie to Lawrence and also on Olcott from Strong to Gunnison. Please use caution when traveling or walking in these areas. Try to avoid these areas as much as possible.

We extend our thanks to Commissioner Maggie Trevor for working with us by providing the funding for these improvements.

**Thank you Maggie!**



## Thank you to All and to our Fest Sponsors

We wish to give thanks to our Fest Sponsors for their contribution for our latest festival earlier this month. (See flyer enclosed) Please support our Sponsors for their community support. Thanks are also in order for our Volunteers, Public Works and Police Departments. Also thanks to St. Rosalies Pastor Fr. Greg Lorenz for the use of their parking lot and land for our Carnival and Fest events!

## Kids Classes at the Recreation Center

Classes are in session every week and ongoing except the first Wednesday and Thursday of each month.

Monthly Fee: Residents \$12; Non-Residents \$15

### Wednesdays

**Small Stars Sports**  
(Parent/Tot Class)  
10:00 - 10:45am  
Ages 2-5

### Thursdays

**Krafty Kids**  
(Parent/Tot Class)  
10:00 - 10:45am  
Ages 2-5

### Thursday

**Little Athletes**  
1:15 - 2:00pm  
Ages 4-7

# Oktoberfest 2025

## LOCATION

**St. Rosalie Catholic Church**  
6750 W Montrose Ave,  
Harwood Heights,  
IL 60706

773-849-9913 - call  
ilovegrillandlemonade@gmail.com - email

## ADMISSION

**Adults 18 & older**  
**\$15 per day or**  
**\$30 for three-days**

**Kids 17 & Younger**  
**are FREE!**

\*Friday NORBI / Rafal Brzowski concert \$40  
\*\*Sunday 7thHeaven concert \$25



**NORBI**

**FRIDAY**



**RAFAL BRZOWSKI & FRIENDS**

**FRIDAY**



**7th HEAVEN**

**SUNDAY**

# CONCERT

**TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE ENTRANCE**



**MARCUS BAND**  
**ALL WEEKEND LONG**



**ELVIS**  
**SATURDAY**



**GERMAN BAND**  
**SATURDAY**



**MARSZALEK BAND**  
**SATURDAY**



**THE MUSIC COMPANY**  
**SATURDAY**

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# Oktoberfest 2025

**German Beer**  
 Fire Department,  
 Police, Sheriff  
 Equipment Display

**Eagles Soccer Academy**  
**German Food**



**Wisłoka Raffle**  
 Soccer Academy

**Dzika Fitness Show**

**Military Show**  
 12 pulk Ułanów  
 Podolskich Chicago

**FRIDAY**  
**SEP. 19 2025**  
 start 5:00 PM  
**DJ Marcus**

**Polish Mega Artist**

**NORBI**  
 8pm -10pm

**Rafal Brzozowski & Friends**  
 10pm - 11.30pm

**SATURDAY**  
**SEP. 20 2025**  
 2:00 PM-12:00 AM

**The Music Company**  
 Oktoberfest Live Music  
 2pm-6pm

**Elvis**  
 & Shakin' Stevens Show  
 by Jarek Spychalski  
 6:30- 8pm

**Marszałek Band**  
 8-10pm

**Marcus Band**  
 10-12am

**SUNDAY**  
**SEP. 21 2025**  
 1:00 PM-9:00 PM

Move your body dance  
 Dzika Fitness  
 1pm - 2 pm

**Keith Stars & Polka Confetti Band**  
 2pm - 5pm

**7th HEAVEN**  
 5pm-7pm

**DJ Marcus**  
 7pm -9pm

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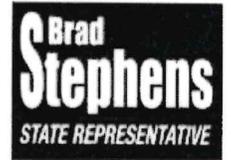
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A Very sincere Thank You to all those who sponsored our Harwood Heights Summer Fest. Without you, none of this would be possible



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