



SUMMER 2015

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E-NEWS

Sign up to receive emergency notifications, the latest information on community events, construction updates and other news at www.cityoflakeforest.com. Click on the "Subscribe" button on the home page.

***Celebrate Forest Park
on Sunday, June 14 at 3 p.m.***



MAYOR'S MESSAGE

As residents of Lake Forest, we have the privilege of enjoying the City's beauty year round, but especially during the summer months. School is out; the beach is open; snowbirds return to town and outdoor activities and festivals take place. Please take advantage of all there is to offer, whether it be by car, bicycle or on foot.

We know that summer is also construction season and, although these projects may present some minor inconveniences, they will also greatly enhance our City by preserving, improving and revitalizing our local infrastructure. I encourage you to check the "Construction Sites" section on

the City's website (look for the orange cone) for the latest information on construction projects in town. Each project is listed alphabetically and is continuously updated. Interactive maps show



site plans, aerial views, ongoing construction photographs, projected time lines and contact information. This has proven to be a very effective way of communicating important information to our residents.

As new technologies and formats for social media have become available, we have had to redefine how we communicate with residents. As efficient as these forms of communication are, we know that the residents of our community still prefer to discuss issues that are important to them in person. The volunteers who serve on the City Council and Boards and Commissions continue to make themselves available in person and by phone or mail. The City staff is also available to address your issues and concerns. The City hosts over a dozen public meetings each month and offers Community Engagement Forums on various topics throughout the year. Ward Meetings are held annually in the spring and the Town Hall meeting takes place each fall. Task Forces, Visioning Sessions and Ad Hoc Committees are formed to tackle specialized projects. The most recent example of this was the formation of the Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital Advisory Committee, which was highly instrumental in recommending the final plan for the new hospital.

Additionally, neighborhood meetings are initiated when needed so residents have a chance to talk with City officials

and staff about issues that may affect their daily routines.

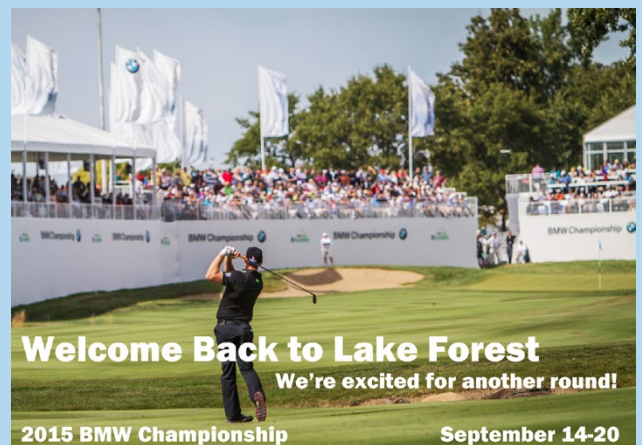
We shall continue to utilize current technologies as communication tools for providing up-to-date information and will select the best products to be used in a fiscally responsible manner. Community-wide surveys are conducted every five years or so via hard copy and online forms. Public information is communicated through the Dialogue, local newspapers and online media as well as the City's website, LFTV, email campaigns and social media outlets. Community portals and information on resources for residents, visitors and businesses, are also available on the City website. Services such as police and fire dispatch and public meeting web streaming are examples of the City becoming more operationally efficient and economically responsible.

The City of Lake Forest encourages community engagement in all its forms. Please feel free to contact the City Council or staff at any time with questions, comments or suggestions. With the arrival of warmer temperatures, please take time to enjoy the beauty and vitality of your City!

Donald P. Schoenheider



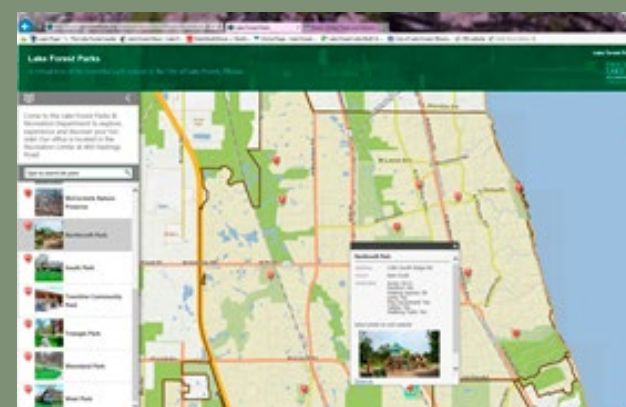
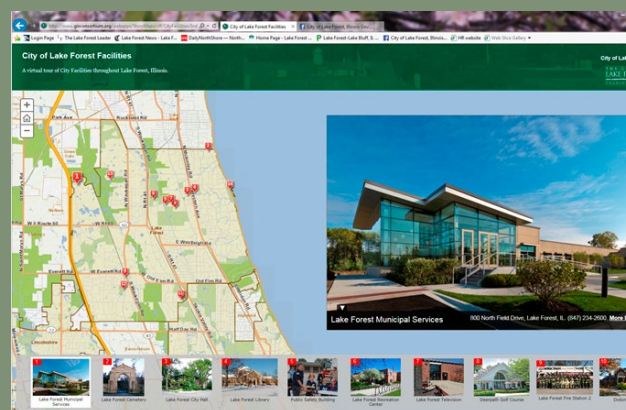
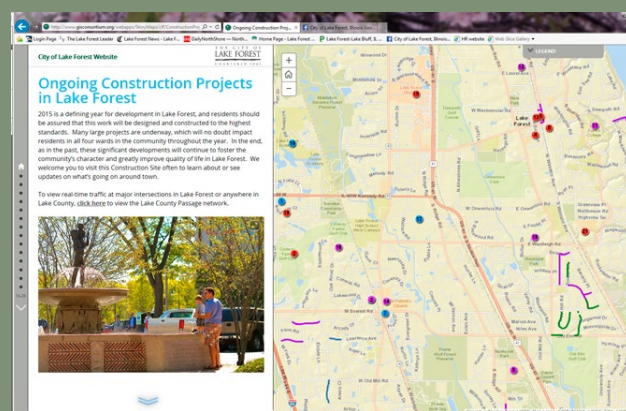
Did you know that all proceeds from the BMW Championship benefit the Evans Scholars Foundation? Since 1930, the Foundation has sent more than 10,000 student caddies to college. This year's LFHS recipients are Trevor Martinez, going to University of Wisconsin in Madison, and Sean Casey, attending the University of Illinois in Champaign/Urbana.



USE OF NEW TECHNOLOGIES

AT WWW.CITYOFLAKEFOREST.COM:

- **Construction Sites** Click on the News item next to the orange cone on the home page. Get the latest information available on proposed developments or construction projects as they progress through the City's process with review boards. Check street repairs scheduled in your neighborhood. You may also view real-time traffic at major intersections in Lake Forest or anywhere in Lake County at this location.
- **Mobile Going Responsive** The City's mobile version of the website is currently undergoing necessary redesign elements to become a responsive website. This means that regardless of which device you are using, the website will respond to your browsing preferences. The content on the page is formatted and scaled to view legibly, whether you are on a cell phone or a desktop. Responsive websites are quickly becoming industry standard.
- **Lake Forest Property Search** Here's where you can find important information about your property and Lake County PIN number, township information, schools, ward and precinct information, elected officials including U.S. and State, your Aldermen, refuse and recycling pickup dates, zoning and more. Click on Maps and Parking on the home page and enter an address.
- **City Buildings and Parks** Check out the City's facilities and beautiful community and neighborhood parks. Click on Maps and Parking on the home page and opt to Find City Buildings or Find City Parks.
- **Online Water Billing Payments** At the top right of the home page, click on the Quick Link to set up an account and pay your water bills online.
- **Emergency Notifications and E-News** Click on the Subscribe button on the home page to sign up for emergency notifications through the Code Red System, City news, programs, events and reports from Lake County.
- **Lake Forest Go** Stay tuned to learn more about this exciting educational and entertaining tour application, similar to what is used in museums. It is currently being locally created exclusively for the City of Lake Forest.
- **Social Media Guide for Businesses** A guidebook has been written for small businesses and regularly updated to help them build a robust online presence and to support their social networking needs.





ELECTRICAL AGGREGATION UPDATE

Over the last three years, the North Shore Electricity Aggregation Consortium has been in a contract agreement with

MCSquared Energy Services, saving Lake Forest residents approximately \$4.8 million. The City conducted an extensive due diligence process to determine if a new supply agreement should be considered with an alternative electricity provider and solicited bids from qualified providers in November of 2014. The reason the City did not renew its agreement with MCSquared is because a rate lower than ComEd's could not be guaranteed. Currently, prices from these alternative energy suppliers are not indicative of the Consortium entering into a minimum one-year agreement price lock, as margins between ComEd and these suppliers are not advantageous over the long term. For the time being, Lake Forest residents will receive electricity from ComEd unless a more viable rate from an alternative supplier is identified by the Consortium, or unless residents choose to use another supplier. As a new initiative, the Consortium is exploring natural gas options for the future, as well as evaluating energy efficiency options. If residents wish to purchase "green" energy, the City recommends using Constellation Energy Services, which provides this option.

KNOW YOUR NEW ALDERMAN

**Timothy P. Newman,
Second Ward**

Mr. Newman grew up in central Illinois and attended Purdue University as a recipient of the Evans Scholarship from the Western Golf Association. Moving to Chicago in 1979, he earned an MBA in Finance from DePaul University. Tim and his wife, Diane, moved to Lake Forest in 1994 along with their son, Alex. Tim works in Lake Forest as a Wealth Management Advisor with Merrill Lynch. He is past President of the Lake Forest Caucus, the Lake Forest Club and The Rotary Club of Lake Forest-Lake Bluff. He also served for six years on the Lake Forest Plan Commission.



Tim replaced Alderman David L. Moore, who served the Second Ward since 2010 until moving to the First Ward in May. Mr. Moore was Chairman of the Public Works Committee, served on the Housing Trust Fund Board and was liaison to CROYA and Business/Commerce. Thank you for your service!



Forest Park Celebration

Be a part of this free historic event on
Sunday, June 14, 3-5 p.m.

2 p.m. Trolleys run from East Train Station to Forest Park

3 p.m. Festivities Begin - Marching Band,
Scavenger Hunts, Ice Cream

3:45 p.m. Bill Kurtis, Master of Ceremonies

4:15 p.m. Historic Commemorative Photograph
of All in Attendance

6 p.m. Last Trolley returns to East Side Train Station

Park uptown and take the trolley or walk or bike to Forest Park!

www.forestparkproject.com

Check out our award winning sailing programs at
LFRec.com and sign up today!



FOREST PARK BEACH 2015

Welcome

Forest Park is one of the most beautiful beaches on the North Shore. Offering fun for all ages year-round the property includes beautiful sand beaches and walking paths, sheltered pavilions that may be reserved, a fishing pier and watercraft program, sailing programs, boat launching ramp and storage area, playground and sand volleyball courts, a fire ring and seasonal food services.

Already, visitors have begun to see the wonderful vision unfolding with the opening of the vistas, removal of invasive tree species and the close of the infrastructure replacement work. We appreciate your patience as we make these exciting rehabilitation enhancements to our unique lakefront park. We encourage residents to walk, bike or carpool to the beach to help reduce the volume of cars seeking parking spaces. Come out and enjoy a day at our beautiful beach!

Opening Information

Lifeguards are on duty Memorial Day weekend then daily beginning Saturday, June 6, through Monday, September 7, from 10 AM-7 PM. Beach guards are on duty beginning May 23, from 9 AM - 11 PM daily. Non Resident fees will be enforced beginning May 23. For general beach information please contact the beach office at 847-810-3665.

Safety & Rules

A day at the beach is one of the best ways to enjoy the summer. We would like to take this opportunity to remind you of some of our general rules.

- We encourage our patrons to ride their bicycles or rollerblade to the beach but we require that you park your bicycle in the racks provided at the top of the bluff and that you remove your rollerblades (skates) before you descend the steps to the beach. Bicycles, rollerblades (skates) and skateboards are not permitted on the lower level of Forest Park Beach.
- Please do not walk, run, bicycle, rollerblade (skate), skateboard or push a stroller down the roads leading to the beach.
- Although the rocky areas are beautiful to look at and very tempting to climb on, they are off limits to patrons. Please do not climb on the rocks.
- Pets are not allowed at the beach.
- Please be aware that children 10 years and under must be accompanied by an adult while at the Forest Park Beach and while in the water.
- Alcohol is prohibited at the Forest Park Facility.
- Personal grills are not allowed at the Forest Park Facility.
- No smoking is allowed at the Forest Park Facility.

Our staff is committed to providing a safe, clean, fun and exciting place for all residents of Lake Forest. Enjoy the summer. See you at the beach!

A more extensive list of rules is available in the Recreation Office or at www.cityoflakeforest.com

Watercraft Program

Get on the water with our watercraft: single and double kayaks, 420 sailboats, windsurfers, and paddleboards! All equipment is on a first come first serve basis and is located at cell 4 next to the Boat Pavilion. Hours 10am-5pm Monday-Sunday. Contact Morgan Collins for more information at 847-810-3664.

Watercraft	Hour	Full Day
Kayak	\$20/hour	\$65/day
Double Kayak	\$25/hour	\$75/day
Windsurfer	\$35/hour	\$75/day
Paddle Board	\$35/hour	\$75/day
Sailboat	\$40/hour	\$140/day

Forest Park Grand Reopening June 14, 2015

Save the Date

Be a part of history in Lake Forest by participating in the Ribbon Cutting and community photograph for the dedication of the newly renovated Forest Park with Bill Kurtis as Master of Ceremony. Immediately following the Ribbon Cutting, the gathering of citizens will turn for an all-community picture which will be proudly displayed at City Hall and in the historic records. There will be trolley service from town and scavenger hunts and ice cream for the children. Everything starts at 3:00pm., so don't be late, you don't want to miss a thing!

Please mark your calendar for **June 14th** and stay tuned for more details at www.ForestParkProject.com.

Calendar of Events

May 23, 24, 25	Memorial Day Weekend- Begins Non-Resident Fee Enforcement
June 6	Lifeguards begin full duty
June 14	Forest Park Grand Reopening Celebration
July 4	Fourth of July Festival and Fireworks at Deerpath Park
July 24	North Shore Cup
August 1	Starlight Theater - Free Family Event at the Beach
August 5	Lake Forest Day
September 5 - 7	Labor Day Weekend
September 7	Lifeguards end full duty
September 26-27	Family Campout at the Beach - registration required

For more information on pavilion rentals, watercraft launching, and watercraft storage please visit www.cityoflakeforest.com



Beach Conditions

BEACH & WATER CONDITIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT

Beach Hotline: 847-234-6702, Press 8

Beach Office: 847-810-3665

Sailing Office: 847-615-4592



BEACH AREAS (CELLS) AND ALLOWED USES

There are four distinct beach areas:

Cell 1: The northern portion is used for launching small, non-motorized crafts such as kayaks, wind surf boards, rowboats, canoes and sunfishes. No trailers are allowed to park in the north parking lot. The southern portion is for swimming only, dedicated to patrons 21 years and older. This cell is a "swim at your own risk" area.

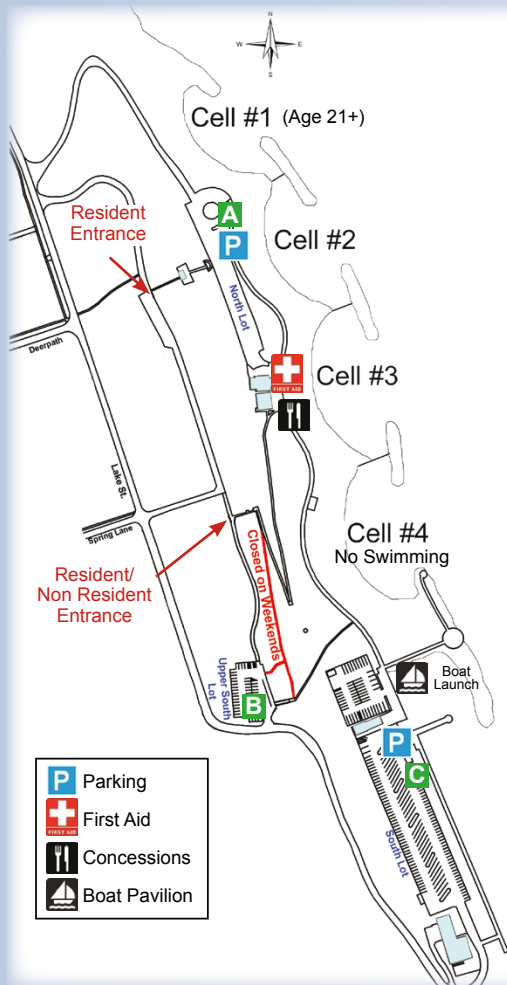
Cell 2 & 3: For swimming only. Rafts that require oars and/or rafts that hold more than 2 people are not allowed.

Cell 4: Used for boats only. NO SWIMMING OR WADING is allowed. Small crafts such as kayaks, wind surf boards, rowboats, canoes, Optis, Sunfish, and Waverunners are allowed. Watercraft with outboard engines are prohibited from utilizing this cell.

PARKING

Parking will be available only in the North Lot (A) and Upper South Lot (B) this summer for vehicles displaying the City of Lake Forest vehicle sticker, Beach Parking Permit or Boat Launch Permit. The Ring Road will be available for driving through the park and briefly stopping to drop off or pick up beach visitors, but no parking on the Ring Road will be allowed. Non-residents must pay a \$10 per person per visit daily cash fee when arriving at the park for access but this does not include parking. For a non-resident to park at the beach they must purchase an annual Beach Parking Permit for \$910. Once all beach lots are full, patrons must park at the City-owned lot at the train station.

Annual City vehicle stickers & non-resident parking permits may be purchased Monday-Friday from 8:30am-4pm at Municipal Services Building, 800 N. Field Drive. Residents also have the option to purchase their City vehicle sticker on-line at www.CityofLakeForest.com. For details on daily or annual boat launching and related fees, visit the City's website or call 847-615-4592. Once all beach lots are full, patrons must park at the City-owned lot at the train station. The following map details key parking and informational areas related to beach use this summer.



North Lot: A For cars with City of Lake Forest Vehicle Sticker, or a North Beach Parking Permit.

Upper South Lot: B For cars with City of Lake Forest Vehicle Sticker, or a Upper South Beach Parking Permit.

Lower South Lot: C For cars and vehicles with trailers that display a Boat Launch Parking or South Beach Parking permit only.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Is there a charge to use the beach?

On Saturdays, Sundays and holidays only, beginning May 23 through September 7, (Labor Day), a fee of \$10 per person per day will be charged for beach access (does not include parking) to non-resident patrons of any age and residents *without proof* of Lake Forest residency. No refunds will be issued due to inclement weather.

What can be used to show proof of residency?

Residents that drive to the beach and their guests will be allowed to enter at no charge if a valid Lake Forest vehicle sticker is affixed to the lower right hand corner of the vehicle.

Residents that walk or ride bicycles will have to present an appropriate ID. These include driver's license, state ID, student ID, Lake Forest water bill, or a Forest Park Beach ID. A free Forest Park Beach ID can be obtained at the Lake Forest Recreation Center, 400 Hastings Rd, between the hours of 8:30 AM - 9 PM Monday - Thursday, 8:30 AM - 5 PM Friday, 9 AM - 5 PM Saturday.



Will residents be charged a fee if they do not have an ID with them?

Yes, residents without proof of Lake Forest residency will be charged the \$10 daily fee on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

What type of payment will be accepted at the facility?

Admission: Cash only. No credit cards will be accepted. Food: cash, all major credit cards

What if a paying guest would like to leave the facility and return the same day?

A daily wristband will be issued to any paying guest who wishes to leave the facility and return on the same day from the cashier located at the end of the wooden walk ramp entrance.

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

Inclement weather can close the beach at anytime. The water and sand will be cleared for 30 minutes after thunder or lightning has been identified and will continue to be closed until 30 minutes past the last indication of thunder. Should a dense fog roll in, the Beach Supervisor/Manager will determine if the low level of visibility becomes a hazard for the swimmers to be seen by the Lifeguards. If that determination is made, the water will be cleared until the fog lifts.

FIRST AID

If you find yourself in need of first aid, please notify a Lifeguard or come to the office, located in the building at the North Pavilion. Look for the FIRST AID sign on the door.

LOST PARENT / CHILD

If you are lost or separated, please ask any Lifeguard or Beach Guard to help you. You can find Lifeguards in their guard chairs, stationed at the drive entrances to the beach or at the Guard Office/ First Aid Station, located at the North Pavilion. We will ask for a detailed description of the person/ people such as age, size, clothing and last place seen. If you are bringing children of any age with you, please discuss the above mentioned guidelines with them and point out the Lifeguards should they need help.

LAKE FOREST LIBRARY BOOK CART

The Lake Forest Library offers a book lending cart at Forest Park Beach. It is located under the North Pavilion and is open to the public Sunday- Saturday 10:00 AM- 7:00 PM during our summer season. It is offered free of charge with a self serve array of book choices.

VISIT THE YACHT CLUB

The Lake Forest Yacht Club is for sailors who launch in Lake Forest. The club hosts several sailing and social events throughout the year. For further information contact Lake Forest Yacht Club at WWW.LFYC.NET.



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- TIME:** 6 - 10 pm - gates open at 5 pm
- PLACE:** Deerpath Community Park, 400 Hastings Rd. Lake Forest, IL
(a 5 minute walk from East Train Station)
- TICKETS:** \$15 Lake Forest / Lake Bluff Residents
\$20 Non Resident
Kids 5 & Under Free
- PARKING:** Regular Parking Pass: \$25 day of event only
Premier Parking Pass: \$50 (until sold out)
- VIP PASSES:** \$75 ADULT (Include food & drink)
\$25 CHILD -12 yrs & under
\$250 FAMILY (Includes 2 Adult VIP passes,
4 Child VIP passes, Premier parking – a \$300 value)

Visit www.FriendsLFPR.org to learn more

Did You Know?
Incredible community assets such as
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LAKE FOREST PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT BRINGS YOU...

Concerts in the Square 2015



Thursday Evenings

6:30 - 8:30PM

MUSIC, FOOD AND FUN FOR
THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Schedule

- June 18 – **R-Gang** - classic R&B and soul music
June 25 – **Expo' 76** - music that houses the golden era of AM radio
July 2 – **Mason Rivers** - the band that rocks country
July 9 – **Spoken Four** - songs from the 50s to today's Top 40
July 16 – **Class of 68** - a combination of "classic rock" and "soul music"
July 23 – **Rockin' Fendershirts** - Car Show - favorite rock 'n' roll oldies
July 30 – **The Turnstyles** - contemporary/classic rock

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Start Lake Forest Day with our Fun Run,

Lake Forest Day

2015

5K FUN RUN

Deerpark Community Park

August 5, 2015 - 7:00am

This event will consist of a 5K Run/Walk and a Kids Klub, featuring supervision and Kids Events. All participants will receive a souvenir T-shirt on race day. Awards will be presented to the top male and female athlete finishers in each age division. Runners are strongly encouraged to pre-register at the Recreation Center to help race coordinators prepare and plan for the run.

Get Fit this summer for the Fun Run with our **3-Month Summer Pass from Lake Forest Fitness Center**. Available May 1 - August 1 for \$90R/\$115NR. No enrollment fees and very affordable with a savings of about 30%. Great for returning college students too! Sign up today and get race-ready this summer!

Register for the race on www.LFRec.com and start L.F. Day invigorated!



ANNUAL WATER QUALITY REPORT

To learn more about Lake Forest's drinking water and to view the 2015 Annual Water Quality Report, which contains important information about the source and quality of your drinking water, please go to www.cityoflakeforest.com, click on the "Permits and Applications" button and enter Water Quality Report in the blue search box or go to http://www.cityoflakeforest.com/assets/1/7/2014_Water_Quality_Report.pdf. If you would like a paper copy of the Report mailed to your home, please call 847.810.3542.

4TH OF JULY HOLIDAY SANITATION SCHEDULE

City offices will be closed on Friday, July 3 in observance of the Fourth of July holiday. However, there will be no change in refuse, recycling or yard waste collection for the Fourth of July holiday week (Monday, June 29-Friday, July 3). For further information on refuse collection services, please call 847.615.4264.



NORTHWESTERN LF HOSPITAL

Scheduled to open in the fall of 2017, construction is underway! Several large berms, or drumlins, are being formed with the excavated soil from the project. Along with the more than 700 trees that will be planted, the drumlins make up a landscape plan that both highlights nature and provides a buffer. For those interested in keeping an eye on the project as it progresses, please visit www.nlfh.nm.org, click on "Project Updates" and then "Construction Camera."

New Hospital Facts:

- Five interconnected pavilions
- 114 private inpatient beds
- 116 acres of open space
- More than 7,000 feet of pedestrian and bike paths

Please contact Sarah M. Burke, Director of External Affairs, at 312.925.8193 or saburke@nm.org with any questions or concerns.



PURCHASE AN EARTH MACHINE

The City has been working with "Green Minds of Lake Forest and Lake Bluff" to promote ecological education in the community. Some recent programs that were recently held at Elawa Farm, Lake Bluff Library and Lake Forest College include the topics of "Pesticides vs. Natural Lawn Care" and "Composting at Home."

As a result of this collaborative effort, The Earth Machine is available for Lake Forest residents to purchase for \$55, compared to over \$100 at local retailers. To place your order, simply call 847.810.3542 and the City will deliver it to your home and send you an invoice.

Purchase of The Earth Machine also includes a Home Composting Handbook with assembly instructions, how to compost, what to compost and using compost. Typical items to compost include kitchen and yard greens (fruit and vegetable scraps, coffee grounds, rice and pasta, flowers, hedge clippings and grass) and kitchen and yard browns (coffee filters, stale bread, leaves, small twigs and leaves).

Did you know that by home composting, 700 pounds of organic waste and 171 pounds of food waste per household each year can be diverted from landfills?

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For more information on Green Minds, send a message to greenmindsflb@gmail.com or visit the Facebook page.



DICKINSON HALL

Age Spectacularly!

100 E. Old Mill Road; 847.234.2209; reservations required for all programs.

Check www.dickinsonhall.com for detailed information.

Tuesday, June 9, 5:30 p.m.: "Ready, Set, Retire...Are You Ready?" How will your lifestyle change? How will your insurance needs change? Free.

Friday, June 19, 5 p.m.: "Summer Solstice Friday Night Supper Club"; join us for wine, appetizers, dinner and musical entertainment. \$18/\$23 nonmembers.

Thursday, June 25, Men's Group Luncheon, 12 noon: "Real Estate: What is happening, How to Prepare and Market your Home" presented by Brad Andersen and Scott Lackie of Griffith, Grant and Lackie. \$15.

Wednesday, July 1, 11 a.m. BBQ Lunch: "Stars and Stripes with Rick Pickren"; Rick has shared the stage with George Strait, Merle Haggard, The Judds and more. \$15/\$23 nonmembers.

LAKE FOREST LIBRARY

**360 E. Deerpath;
847.234.0636; www.lakeforestlibrary.org.**

Summer Reading Programs: This year's programs for children, teens and adults begin on Monday, June 1

and run through Saturday, August 1. Stop by the Library to register. Great prizes! Sponsored by Friends of Lake Forest Library.

Where to Return Library Materials: All materials (books and magazines), except DVD2GO DVDs, may be returned to the Library's circulation desk, the drop box behind the Library, and the Telegraph Road Train Station's drop box. DVD2GO DVDs must be returned to the DVD2GO box inside the Telegraph Road Train Station. Interlibrary loan items (i.e. materials from other libraries) should be returned to the Lake Forest Library circulation desk.



Committee Representing Our Young Adults

**CROYA Student Union; 400 Hastings Road;
847.810.3980; www.croya.com.**

Activator Music Academy, under the direction of Ami Crawford, will offer 8 weeks of private and group instruction, Open Mic Jams, drum circles and more during June and July. For more information, contact Ami at crawfora@cityoflakeforest.com or 847.810.3988. CROYA's awesome Summer Calendar includes:

June 8: High School Work Trip

June 15: Summer Student Union Drop-In Hours begin

June 17: Summer Youth Meeting and LB 4th of July Parade Float Building begins

July 1: Summer Youth Meeting

July 4: Lake Bluff Parade Entrant

July 15: Summer Youth Meeting

July 28: Lake Forest Day Parade Float Building begins

August 5: Lake Forest Day Parade Entrant

August 14: Last day of Student Union Drop-In Hours



**LAKE FOREST
FIRE DEPARTMENT**

SUMMER POOL SAFETY

As summer temperatures sizzle with heat and humidity, families will be enjoying the splashy refuge of swimming pools. But while parks and beaches have trained lifeguards on duty, home pools do not. Each year, more

than 300 children under the age of 5 drown in residential swimming pools, often in their own back yards.

- Constant supervision is the primary element in preventing pool and beach tragedies
- Children should always be supervised by an adult and never by other children
- Flotation devices, toys and inflatable swimming aids are not baby sitters, and they are not safety devices
- Keep several life preservers near the pool and be sure a phone is nearby
- Remove all toys when you leave the pool, which may attract children to your pool when it is unattended
- If you own a pool, your children should already know how to swim

Stay cool and be safe this summer! If you have any questions, please contact the Lake Forest Fire Prevention Bureau at 847.810.3891.



OPEN AIR MARKET

5th Annual Lake Forest Open Air Market

Summer starts June 20 in Lake Forest with the opening of the 5th Annual Lake Forest Open Air Market. The Market, open from 8 a.m.-1 p.m., will run through October 10 and is located at the East Train Station parking lot, 695 N. Western Avenue, with free parking in all City lots.

Over 30 vendors will showcase fresh Michigan fruit, locally grown vegetables, artisan breads, almond croissants, local jam, fresh cut flowers, plants, local bison meat, spices/herbs, sea salts/pepper grinders, Door County whitefish, local honey, coffee, tea, gluten-free items, appetizers, crackers, smoked trout, Mirai corn, salsa, a variety of desserts such as pies, cupcakes, pies, cookies and chocolates and lastly, knife sharpening, soaps and lotions.



FoodShareFood, the market's locally-grown CSA (Community Supported Agriculture) started by student Karl Morcott, will enter its second year with an expanded program. Receive Open Air Market food direct to your doorstep each Saturday and at the same time,

support FoodShareFood's program to donate a box of food to charity for every three boxes purchased. Karl will be working with Amidei Market, Elawa Farm, Churchill Farms and Twin Farm Gardens. To place an order, visit www.FoodShareFood.com.

The Open Air Market will feature local kid vendors and a different local music artist each week. Also new this year, Tesla Motors will be showcasing a car each month starting on Saturday, June 30 with a free raffle to win a weekend in a Tesla. Lastly, a free Mini-Triathlon will take place for families and kids on Saturday, August 22 at 9 am. Visit www.cityoflakeforest.com for more information.

CALENDAR

MAY

23-25: Beach Opening Day - non-resident fees begin.

JUNE

8: Lake Forest College summer courses begin. www.lakeforest.edu.

13: "Shaw Town" Premiere and Garden Party at Ragdale, 6 p.m. www.ragdale.org.

14: Forest Park Celebration, 3-5 p.m. www.forestparkproject.com.

15: Lake Forest College Summer Open House, 1-4 p.m. for prospective students. www.lakeforest.edu.

18 and 25: Concerts in Market Square, 6:30-8:30 p.m. www.lfrec.com.

20: Open Air Market opens at East Train Station, 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

20: Annual Summer Solstice Party at Elawa Farm; 6:30 p.m. www.elawafarm.org.

25: "American Fusion Music" at Ragdale, 7 p.m. www.ragdale.org.

JULY

2, 9, 16, 23 and 30: Concerts in Market Square, 6:30-8:30 p.m. www.lfrec.com.

4: Lake Forest Friends of Parks & Recreation's "Festival & Fireworks", 6 p.m. at Deerpath Park, www.friendsLFPR.org.

6: GLASA's "Tickets for Charity" partnership with the Encompass Golf Championship. www.glasa.org.

13: Lake Forest College Summer Open House, 1-4 p.m. for prospective students. www.lakeforest.edu.

23: "The Ragdale Ring Revue" at Ragdale, 7 p.m. www.ragdale.org.

AUGUST

4: Lake Forest Day Carnival at West Park, 6-10 p.m. www.post264.org.

5: Lake Forest Day 5K Fun Run at Deerpath Community Park, 7 a.m.; Parade on Western Avenue at 10 a.m. followed by Carnival at West Park until 11 p.m. www.post264.org.

10: Lake Forest College Summer Open House, 1-4 p.m. for prospective students. www.lakeforest.edu.

20: "Look Again: Stories of Discovery" at Ragdale, 7 p.m. www.ragdale.org.

22: Lake Forest Open Air Market Mini-Triathlon, 9 a.m.





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6/1, 6/15, 7/6, 7/20, 8/3 – City Council, 6:30 p.m.

7/9 – Senior Resource Commission, 1 p.m., Dickinson Hall

6/9, 7/14, 8/11 – Library Board, 7:30 p.m., Library

6/16, 7/21, 8/18 – Parks and Recreation Board, 6:30 p.m.

6/3, 7/1, – Building Review Board, 6:30 p.m.

6/10, 7/8, 8/12 – Plan Commission, 6:30 p.m.

6/22, 7/27, 8/24 – Zoning Board of Appeals, 6:30 p.m.

6/24, 7/22, 8/26 – Historic Preservation Commission,
6:30 p.m.

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CITY HALL

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Open 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.,
Monday–Friday

MUNICIPAL SERVICES CENTER

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PUBLIC SAFETY BUILDING

(Police and Fire Departments)
255 West Deerpath
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8 a.m.-6 p.m., Weekends
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COMPOST/RECYCLING CENTER

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