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Village of Addison

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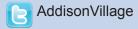
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A Message from the Mayor ...

Dear Friends.

While I was watching the much promoted and publicized Chicago NASCAR event in July, it occurred to me how focused the drivers were on what was ahead of them and what was behind them. Their actions and reactions were based on their anticipation of future events and on what they had already experienced. Few, if any, were able to "enjoy the moment."



Now that summer is in our rear view mirror, many of us tend to refocus our attention on the upcoming holiday season, and much like the NASCAR drivers, miss the enjoyment that being "in the moment" can bring.

As we move into fall, we have the opportunity to enjoy a host of activities and events that showcase the Addison Advantage.

With the leaves change of colors we can enjoy the beauty of the season with family and friends by visiting our many parks, walking paths, and bike trails throughout the Village. What better time to enjoy outdoor dining than by visiting the multitude of restaurants that bring a diverse flavor to our community? Maybe viewing the latest blockbuster movie offers an opportunity to escape from your daily work schedule. It's also a great time to get those last few rounds of golf in before the snow falls. If bowling is your game, you can enjoy the ambiance of Stardust Bowl, the largest consecutive lane bowling facility in the country.

This is also the time of year that Addison demonstrates its gratitude to those who have served in the military, as well as its concern for those of our neighbors in need.

On Nov. 11, we will dedicate the new Veterans' Circle, giving the monument the prominence, and our veterans the recognition, that is so richly deserved. Later that evening, we will come together for the Mayor's Community Charity Ball. Since 1991, we have raised nearly \$1.5 million, all going to local charities. I encourage you to consider attending one or both of these special events.

So, as we transition into fall, let's make sure to "be in the moment" to experience and enjoy the many opportunities that are part of the Addison Advantage!

Sincerely,

Rich Veenstra

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Behind the Advantage

Our business community – both industrial and commercial – is the backbone of our village. *Addison Community Television* has begun highlighting businesses on its *Behind the Advantage* series, which is also available on our YouTube Channel (VillageAddison.) Recently, Mike Tynus (left to right) and Alyssa Smith interviewed Ed Stevenson, Director of Golf, at *The Preserve at Oak Meadows* for the show.





WEATHER WARNING

Addison WANTS YOU TO

BE ALERT OF SEVERE WEATHER



SIGN UP TODAY

Visit

AddisonAdvantage.org
to sign up for CodeRED

Weather Warning and to
begin receiving automated
alerts the moment you're
immediately impacted by
severe weather.



RECEIVE ALERTS

Alerts for severe thunderstorms, flash floods and tornadoes will be delivered via phone call, text, email or a combination of all three, based on your specific preferences.



BE ALERT

Residents in the direct path of severe weather will receive alerts after a warning is issued by the National Weather Service. Listen carefully to the message and take immediate action, if indicated, to protect yourself, your loved ones, and your property.

CodeRED Weather Warning phone number: 800-566-9780

Save this number in your phone's contacts so you can easily recognize the message as a severe weather warning.

Code Enforcement is for Everyone

Property maintenance codes contribute to the well-being of our community. The preservation of life and safety, the reduction of crime as well as the maintenance of property values over time are a direct result of the application and enforcement of property maintenance codes.

The Village of Addison has adopted the 2018 International Property Maintenance Code, which applies to all existing buildings, structures and properties within our community.

This code addresses property maintenance standards such as weeds, grass height, painting the exterior surfaces of buildings, properly displaying your address so it can be visible to police and fire personnel, preventing trash, garbage and refuse from accumulating, limiting the number of occupants that reside in a residence and many more ranging from plumbing, electrical, mechanical and fire safety.

If you have any questions regarding the enforcement of property maintenance codes, please call 630-693-7530 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you would like to report a property maintenance problem, you can either call the preceding number or download the free Addison Connected App on your cell phone by visiting the App Store.

Holiday Hours

Village Offices Closed
Monday, Sept. 4
in observance of Labor Day

Thursday, Nov. 23 and Friday Nov. 24 for Thanksgiving

Garbage service delayed by one day for the rest of the week

Infrastructure Rehabilitation Project Begins

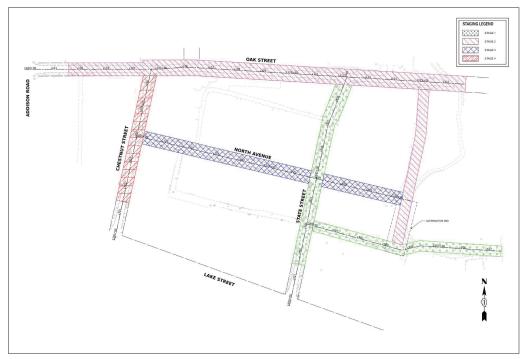
Addison's Oldest Subdivision Get Federal Funds for Improvements

The residential area north of Lake Street and east of Addison Road is one of the very first subdivisions developed in Addison, and dates from the early 1920's.

Surprisingly, the infrastructure put in place at that time, primarily water mains and sewers, are 100 years old and still in operation! It is a testament to the quality of materials, construction methods, and most importantly, the craftsmanship of that time that has proven to outlast most of our "modern" infrastructure built in the decades that followed.

The Village of Addison will begin a two-year infrastructure rehabilitation project in the area this summer.

All public water main, sewers, curbs, roadway, and a portion of the sidewalks will be replaced. The combined sewer



system will be replaced with separate sanitary and storm sewers.

In addition, private water service connections to the homes will be replaced in areas where lead piping was used on homes in Addison, and throughout the country, prior to 1940.

The project is 100 percent federally funded by a grant from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), with an estimated total cost of \$5 million.

Historical Museum Debuts Artifacts from Strauschild Family

One of Addison's families of long standing recently made a significant donation of items to the Addison Historical Museum.

The Strauschild family lived in Addison from the mid-1850s until 2022.

According to museum records, the family patriarch, Phillip Strauschild, built the family home at 237 E. Lake St. around 1857.

His descendants continued to live in the home until his great-granddaughter Marilyn Pawels sold it; in March 2023, she passed away at the age of 97.

Ms. Pawels and her estate kindly donated many significant artifacts, photos and documents to the Addison Historical Museum.

Among them were a German stein, an Eastlake mantle clock and an Eastlake roll-top desk. The desk belonged to her grandfather, Charles F. Strauschild, and is now on display in the Century House.

He started out as a harness maker, taking over his father Phillip's business. Later he served as Addison Village Clerk and Trustee from 1887-88; undertaker; Justice of the Peace; board member of the Chicago and

Elgin Electric Railroad; officer of the Addison Mutual Farm Insurance Company; World War One registration official; notary public; and election judge.

In addition, items relating to the military service of Ms. Pawels' uncle Walter F. Strauschild, and her brother Barry Pawels, were donated. Strauschild served during World War I, and Pawels served in the Korean Conflict.

Donated items include partial uniforms, medals, discharge papers and photographs. Some of these are on display in the Military Room of the Historical Museum.



This Eastlake roll-top desk was donated by the Strauschild family, and can be seen in the Century House.

The museum is open Wednesday through Friday, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m., and the second Saturday of the month from noon to 4 p.m. Admission is free.

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Who Do I Call?

Need Help? Have a question?



Village Hall Business

Emergency	911
General Information	630-543-4100
Branch Pickup	630-620-2020
Building Permits	630-693-7530
Business License	630-693-7573
Cable Television	630-693-7551
Code Enforcement	630-693-7530
CodeRED	630-693-7550
Community Development	630-693-7530
Community Relations	630-693-7550
Crime Prevention	630-543-3080
Dead Animal	630-620-2020
Environmental Services	630-279-2140
Finance	630-693-7570
Flood Control	630-279-2140
Human Resources	630-693-7504
Liquor License	630-693-7510
Police Non-Emergency	630-543-3080
Public Relations	630-693-7550
Public Works	630-620-2020
Real Estate Transfers	630-693-7570
Recycling	630-279-2140
Sewer Backups	630-279-2140
Stray Animals	630-543-3080
Street Lights	630-620-2020
Traffic Violations	630-543-3080
Tree Trimming	630-620-2020
Water Billing	630-693-7570
Website Information	630-693-7500
Zoning Regulations	630-693-7530

Village Board

Mayor Richard Veenstra	630-693-7510	
Village Clerk Lucille Zuco	chero	
	630-693-7501	
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Trustee Dawn O'Brien	630-693-7510	
Trustee Maria Reyes	630-693-7510	

Community Agencies

Addison Fire Protection District		
Chamber of Commerce 630-543-4300		
Addison Historical Museum		
Addison Township 630-530-8161		
Addison Park District 630-233-7275		
Addison Public Library 630-543-3617		
Addison Center for the Arts		

School Districts

Addison Elementary School District 4	
630-458-2500	
Marquardt School District 15	
630-295-5450	
DuPage High School District 88	
630-530-3981	
Glenbard High School District 87	
630-469-9100	

Miscellaneous

Drivers License & Motor Vehicle
Facility
837 S. Westmore Ave., Lombard
Automobile Emission Testing Station
630-543-0128
Addison Post Office 630-543-4071
IL State Toll Highway Authority
630-241-6800
DuPage County Senior Programs
630-620-0804
DuPage County Health Department
630-682-7400
Poison Control 800-222-1222
PADS630-682-3846

Utilities

J.U.L.I.E.	811
ComEd	800-334-7661
Nicor Gas	888-642-6748
Comcast	800-934-6489
U-Verse TV	800-288-2020
Republic Waste Services	
	708-345-7050

Mass Transportation

Pace Dial-A-Ride	888-405-2060
Regional Transportation	on Authority
(RTA)	630-836-7000

Houses of Worship

Calvary United Pentecostal Church		
19W701 Army Trail Road		
630-628-6866		
Good Samaritan United Methodist		
960 W. Army Trail Road		
630-543-3725		
Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses		
1201 W. Grove 630-773-0273		
Messiah Baptist Church		
600 S. Villa Ave 630-832-3328		
Prince of Peace Evangelical Lutheran		
1213 W. Army Trail 630-543-3458		
St. Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church		
893 Church Road, Elmhurst		
630-834-7010		
St. Joseph Catholic Church		
330 E. Fullerton Ave 630-279-6553		
St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church		
37 Army Trail Road 630-543-6909		
St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church		
1223 W. Holtz Ave 630-628-0900		
Shreejidwar Haveli		
440 W. Fullerton Ave 630-568-8600		
Sunny Place Church of God		

901 E. Oak St..... 630-530-1830

750 S. Villa Ave...... 630-832-0169

Villa Avenue Church of Christ



Due to the change in weather that fall brings, drivers need to take special care due to changing road conditions

The Addison Police Department would like to provide residents with a few driving safety tips in order to stay safe during the chilly – and potentially rainy – fall season.

Tip #1: Keeping your vehicle in top condition will help you navigate the challenges of fall driving more easily. Fall is a good time to check your vehicle's battery, check and replace wiper blades, see if the heat is working properly and inspect your vehicles tires for proper

tread and inflation. As temperatures rise and fall, your car tires may expand and contract. This causes loss of air pressure. You will want your tires to be inflated to manufacturer specifications.

Tip # 2: Falling leaves, rain and fog can obscure or limit visibility. The wet leaves and frost can make roads slippery. These conditions mean you should slow down and drive carefully. Give yourself plenty of distance between your car and the car in front. Always try to avoid braking suddenly on a slippery surface.

Tip # 3: School season has started so watch for children walking to and from school. Always be sure to come to a complete stop at crosswalks and slow down in school zones. Furthermore, children play in leafy piles near streets, take extra precautions especially in residential areas. Always remember to stop for school buses; when the "Stop" arm is extended, you may never pass a school bus.

Mark Your Calendars

Household Hazardous Waste and Recycling Extravaganza



The Village of Addison is partnering with Republic Services, BLH Computers, SCARCE, ProShred, Addison VFW, and Addison Trail High School to host a hazardous household waste and community recycling event from 8 a.m. to

noon on Saturday, Oct. 14.

The free event will be open to Addison residents only – proof of residency required. Please check *AddisonAdvantage.org* for additional details.

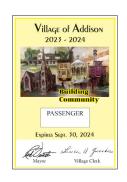
Acceptable Items: Electronics, Document Shredding (three box limit, no plastic binders,) All Batteries, Smoke Detectors, Cardboard, TV's (2 per car,) Aerosols, Motor Oil & Gasoline, Chemicals, Herbicides, Pesticides, Fluorescent Bulbs, Plastics & Glass, Eye Glasses, Holiday Lights, Hearing Aids, American Flags, Keys, Fire Extinguishers, Solvents & Cleaners, Musical Instruments, Records and Books, CFL Light Bulbs, Propane Tanks, Bleach.

Non-Acceptable: Latex Paint, Furniture, Prescription Drugs, Microwaves.

If you have any questions, please contact Environmental Services at 630-279-2140.

Vehicle Stickers Due

As a reminder, vehicle stickers must be displayed on your windshield no later than Oct. 1. The last day to purchase stickers without a late fee is Friday, Sept. 29. Come in early, avoid the last day rush! Please allow extra time for return mail if you choose to mail in your renewal, or use the drop box in front of Village Hall.



Mayor's Community Charity Ball



The *Mayor's Community Charity Ball* invites you to an evening of dinner, dancing, entertainment and open bar, as well as a cash raffle and silent auction to raise funds for more than a dozen Addison-based charities and service organizations.

Join Mayor Rich Veenstra at Medinah Banquets on Saturday, Nov. 11. Tickets go on sale in early September at ItHappensInAddison.com. A

portion of each ticket sold goes to support the charity of your choice.

In addition, hundreds of items will be available in the event's Silent Auction; bidders need not be at the event. Details will be available on the website in the weeks preceding the event.

Raffle tickets are also available for cash prizes of \$1,500, \$1,000 and \$500

For more information, contact Doree Krage in Community Relations at 630-693-7550.

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Addison School District 4



Stone School Construction to be Ready for the First Day of School!

Our facilities team has been working tirelessly over the summer with our friends at Legat Architects and Stone School Principal Cristina Villalobos to create the perfect space for our students to continue their learning! This incredible renovation includes lots of natural light, breakout spaces for student learning and engagement, updated facilities, and much more! We're so excited for our Stone students and families to check out this new space on the first day of school!







New Faces, Same Vision!



After considering over 17 applicants, the ASD4 Board of Education is proud to introduce Mrs. Francie Capp as the Principal of Indian Trail Junior High School for the 2023-24 school year! Most recently, she has served as the Assistant Principal of Brooks Middle School within the Valley View School District and has been in this position since 2016. We look forward to having Mrs. Capp join our team in July 2023!



After considering over 30 applicants, the ASD4 Board of Education is proud to introduce Dr. Christine Warren as the Principal of Army Trail Elementary School for the 2023-24 school year! Most recently, Dr. Warren was the Director of Curriculum of the Saint Charles Community Unit School District 303 in St. Charles, IL. We look forward to Dr. Warren sharing her experiences in our Addison community!



The Addison School District 4 Board of Education is excited to announce their approval of Mr. Bryan Bolton as the Principal of Fullerton Elementary School for the 2023-24 school year! Mr. Bolton served as the Assistant Principal and Summer School Principal at Itasca School District 10, and most recently is the Assistant Principal of the Lyons School District 103 in Lyons, IL. We look forward to having Mr. Bolton join our team in July 2023!



Check out our new ASDChat4ALL Podcast!
Available on:
www.asd4.org
Spotify
Apple Music
...and anywhere you listen to podcasts!





elcome to the 2023-24 school year at
DuPage High School District 88!

We are thrilled at the endless opportunities this fresh start presents to expand on the tradition of excellence Addison Trail High School has built through the years. It takes all of us working together to build futures for our students, and we greatly appreciate your collaboration.

During the 2023-24 school year, we will remain focused on the following areas:



Safety and security: At District 88, the safety and well-being of our students and staff is our No. 1 priority. We want to assure you the security of our buildings is always at the forefront of our work. We all share the goal of making our schools safe and welcoming for students, staff and visitors, and more information about these efforts can be viewed at

www.dupage88.net/Safety&Security.



Mental health and social-emotional supports: As mentioned above, the safety, well-being and health of students and staff is our No. 1 priority. We know building relationships precedes learning, and we continue to focus on connecting with all students. The district's core values include ensuring all students, staff and community members feel safe, valued, respected and welcome. Read more at www.dupage88.net/Supports.

DISTRICT 88 PRIORITIES

- Align our curriculum to rigorous external standards, including Advanced Placement (AP), dual-credit, concurrent college credit and career/vocational credentials.
- Ensure each District 88 student is prepared for and committed to a college/career pathway.
- Implement culturally responsive programs, interventions, supports and services to serve our increasingly diverse student population.
- Implement procedural and operational upgrades and enhancements to improve the quality of our services.

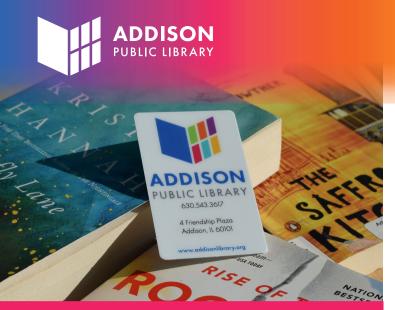
www.dupage88.net/Priorities2023-24.



Excellence for All: View District 88's plan to ensure Excellence for All, which is a framework comprised of five areas: Systems; Teaching and Learning; Student Voice, Climate and Culture; and Family and Community as Agency. Read more at

www.dupage88.net/ExcellenceForAllPlan.

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September is Library Card Sign Up Month!

What do I need to get a library card?

To register yourself or your child for a library card, you need a photo ID with your current address. If your photo ID doesn't have your current address, please bring in an item from the list at addisonlibrary.org/get-a-card.

Does it cost anything to get a library card?

Residents of incorporated Addison can sign up for their library card at no cost. Residents of unincorporated Addison may purchase a library card for a fee that will be calculated using your property tax bill.

Free library cards are available to any student living in an unincorporated area whose household falls at or below the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Income Eligibility Guidelines. Learn more at addisonlibrary.org/get-a-card.

How do I replace a lost card?

If you have lost your library card, please let staff at Guest Services know as soon as possible and they will be happy to issue you a new card for free.

What can you do with your library card?

- Borrow books, movies, things, and more instead of buying and save money!
- Get free admission or discounts at participating Chicagoland attractions!
- Connect with an online tutor and get free 1-on-1 homework help!
- And so much more!

Read and Write in Spanish

Do you know a Spanish-speaking adult who wants to learn basic reading and writing? This three-month literacy course teaches Spanish-speaking adults how to read and write in Spanish.

Tues. and Thurs., Sept. 12-Dec. 14 6:30-8:30 Adult Program Room

Immigration Consultations

Have legal questions about citizenship or immigration? The Addison Public Library will offer free, 30-minute immigration and citizenship legal consultations with a Board of Immigration Appeals accredited staff attorney from World Relief the first week of December. Visit addisonlibrary.org for more information and to register for a consultation.

We're joining SWAN this November!



On November 14, 2023 we will be joining a network of 100 libraries, called the SWAN Libraries consortium.

A library consortium is a cooperative, collaborative association of libraries that coordinates resources and/or activities on behalf of its member libraries.

Many libraries in our area are also members of SWAN: Wood Dale, Bensenville, Itasca, Villa Park, Northlake, Bloomingdale, and many more. To see all of the SWAN libraries, visit: swanlibraries.net/member-libraries.

So what does this mean for you?

- Joining this group of 100 libraries means you will have access to 1.5 million titles books, DVDs, CDs, audiobooks, and more.
- You can visit any of the 100 other libraries in the SWAN network and check out with your Addison Public Library card!
- You also have the option to get your holds sent to another SWAN library for pickup!

Stay tuned for more information on our very exciting migration to SWAN.



Your library card is the most valuable and resourceful card in your wallet. Stop by to get yours or pre-register at: addisonlibrary.org/get-a-card.



Dennis Reboletti, Supervisor

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Addison Township serves most of Addison and Itasca, all of Bensenville and Wood Dale, parts of Elmhurst, Villa Park, and Lombard. Our boundaries are North of North Avenue, South of Devon, East of Route 53, and West of County Line Rd.



Passport Acceptance Agents

The Township serves as passport acceptance agents during the hours of 8:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Appointments are required.



Senior Programs

The Township assists with the online Benefit Access application for income eligible seniors and persons of disability to purchase license plate stickers at a reduced fee. **Call for an appointment.**



Food Pantry

The Food Pantry, located at 50 E. Oak St., is open to Township residents every Wednesday from 9:30 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. Residents may use the pantry twice a month. **Residents are asked to provide I.D.**



Transportation

For information on the Ride DuPage program call 630-766-2228.



Limited Financial Assistance

Residents seeking assistance with rent and utilities, who meet our guidelines, may be eligible for limited assistance. Please call our office at 630-530-8161 for more specific information.



Assessor's Office

If you have any questions regarding property taxes, senior exemptions or senior freeze the Assessor's office is available to answer those questions. Assessor lobby is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. The Assessor's office can be reached at 630-530-8161 Option 1.



LIHEAP

(Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program)

The Township office will begin completing LIHEAP applications for income eligible households in October.



Highway Department

The Highway Department maintains all roadways in the unincorporated areas within the Township. For further information call 630-766-2228.

For any questions, please contact the Township office at 630-530-8161.

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ADDISON FIRE

PROTECTION DISTRICT



Sharps Disposal Program

Household Hazardous Waste

- Proper disposal of hazardous waste protects the environment and saves lives.
- Hazardous waste products, "sharps", is a generic term used for any medical item that is sharp and can puncture skin. Sharps include the following:

Needles (including Hypodermic needles)

Syringes

EpiPens®

Lancets and other items used for home glucose monitoring

"Other sharps" that are used to treat or monitor conditions such

as diabetes, arthritis, or cancer at home may use sharps to do so



- Used needles should NOT be thrown in the garbage. Be sure you get rid of your used needles the
 safe way to avoid exposing other people to harm. Improper disposal of home-generated medical
 waste poses a potential health hazard to many, including family members, sanitation workers,
 people in the community, hotel housekeeping, staff and school personnel. Although rare, diseases
 as serious as Hepatitis B & C and AIDS can result from accidental needle sticks. The improper
 disposal of contaminated sharps is a serious safety concern for garbage collectors and landfill
 workers.
- Commonly, red sharps containers are used to safely dispose of hypodermic needles and other sharp medical instruments, such as IV catheters and disposable scalpels. A sharps container is a hard plastic container that are often sealable and self-locking, as well as rigid, which prevents waste from penetrating or damaging the sides of the container. These containers can be purchased typically at pharmacies.
- Red Sharps containers must be disposed of as hazardous waste cannot be thrown away in the refuge system / recycled! Against IL EPA regulations
- Alternatively hard plastic household containers, which should be unbreakable and puncture resistant, may be used. For example, a laundry detergent bottle. No milk jugs or coffee cans.
- Check with your doctor, clinic or, hospital to see about needles or "sharps" disposal that they may
 offer as well at their office or click on the link below to find a location to recycle sharps, needles, or
 syringes:

https://www.glensidefire.org/sharps-disposal-program/

October is Fire Prevention month. Please join us for our annual Fire District Open House, October 14, 2023 @ Fire Station 72, 666 S. Vista, 12pm - 3pm

Please visit us at our website www.addisonfire.org or other social media links for our other community















