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Highland Park salutes our World War II Veterans

In recognition of he 75th anniversary of Pearl Harbor, our World War II veterans will ser as the Grand Marshalls of this year's Fourth of July Parade. If you are a Wor War II veteran or know of one, please contact Commander Larry Sassaros: It larrysasso@usa.com or 847.831.9049.

July Fourth Celebration

Celebrate our nation's independence with the Fourth of July Parade, Fourth Fest, the Battle of the Bands Finale, a fireworks show and more.

Sheridan Road Sidewalk

Attend the open house onTuesday, July 19 to view the proposed design and voice your opinion.

Summer Safety Reminders

Enjoy a fun and safe summer season by following some friendly reminders from the Highland Park Police Department.

Visions of HP Past & Present

Join the community in celebrating the Highland Park Historical Society's 50th anniversary on Monday, June 27 from 3:30 - 5 PM at City Hall, featuring a unique art and photography exhibit about Highland Park's past and present.

Highland Park at a Glance



City Offices Closed July 4

City offices will be closed on Monday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day. Residents may call Public Safety at 847.432.7730 if assistance is required.

Garbage will not be collected on Monday, July 4. Refuse and recycling collection will be delayed by one day for the entire week. Contact Lakeshore Recycling Systems at 773.685.8811 with questions.

Moraine Township Food Drive

Drop off a donation Monday to Friday 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM at Moraine Township, 777 Central Avenue. Check morainetownship.org weekly for a list of most needed items.

Enjoying music and friends on a Saturday night at Ravinia Festival? Bring a food donation for the Moraine Township Food Pantry! There will be a collection bin and volunteers at the Information Booth just inside the front gates throughout the summer.

Call or email Township Supervisor Anne Flanigan Bassi at 847.432.3240 or super@morainetownship.org for volunteer opportunities.

Arts & Human Service Grant Funds

The Purchase of Service Grant Program supports yearround programming for not-for-profit and institutional social service and arts organizations. The City Council has allocated \$55,000 in funding for 2016: \$30,000 for human service programs and \$25,000 for arts programming. The application deadline is August 15 at 4 PM.

The Human Service Grant information and application are available at cityhpil.cm/hrc. Contact Laura Frey at Lfrey@ cityhpil.com or at 847.432.4110 for more info. The arts grant information and application are available at cityhpil. com/cac. Contact Rudy Espiritu at respiritu@cityhpil.com or 847.926.1004 for more info.

The Cultural Arts Commission also has six \$500 Spark Microgrants for projects by individual artists and fledgling arts organizations. Visit at cityhpil.com/cac.

Celebrate Independence Day

As the Nation's 240th birthday approaches, the City announces the schedule of events for the Fourth of July Celebration, with all events occurring on Monday, July 4, 2016. The theme for this year's festivities honors our World War II Veterans.

Children's Bike & Pet Parade - 9:30 AM

Sponsored by the Highland Park Chamber of Commerce, participants should meet at 9:15 AM in the lower level of the parking structure at the northwest corner of St. Johns and Laurel Avenues. For more info, contact the Chamber of Commerce at 847.432.0284 or info@chamberhp.com.

Independence Day Parade - 10 AM

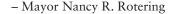
The celebration continues with the annual Independence Day Parade hosted by the City and Park District. The parade features floats, marching bands, dignitaries, novelty groups, community entries and other special entertainment. The parade starts at the intersection of Laurel and St. Johns Avenues and heads north on St. Johns Avenue, then turns west on Central Avenue and continues to Sunset Park. For more info, contact Hayley Garard at 847.926.1043 or hgarard@cityhpil.com.

Fourth Fest - 11 AM - 2 PM

After the parade, the fun moves to Sunset Park for Fourth Fest, featuring: food, music, carnival rides, a petting zoo, games, a meet and greet with our World War II veterans and more. For more info, contact Cathy Fiori of the Park District at 847.831.3810 or cfiori@pdhp.org.

Bitter Jester Battle of the Bands & Fireworks - 4 PM

The grand finale of the Bitter Jester Battle of the Bands will take place at Wolters field at 4 PM. Food vendors are on site during the concert and leading up to the aerial fireworks display at 9:45 PM. The fireworks are best viewed from Wolters Field. Parking is available at Wolters Field, Highland Park Hospital's East Parking Lot, or in the Highland Park Country Club parking lot. Residents are reminded that there is no parking permitted along Route 41 and Park Avenue West; attendees are not permitted on the Highland Park Country Club grounds for the fireworks show; and alcohol is prohibited. For more info or updates, call the City's Summer Events Hotline at 847.926.1033 or visit cityhpil.com/july4.





Educating Our Future Leaders Today

Each spring, I have the pleasure of welcoming North Shore School District 112 (NSSD112) third grade students to City Hall. Five years ago, I created this experiential civic learning opportunity for our students. The goal was to inspire students to get involved in our community, learn to advocate and gain a better understanding about local government.

During the visit, students tour City Hall, hear about the history of Highland Park, and learn about City operations and the current City Council-Manager form of government. In addition, students join me in the City Council Chambers for a mock City Council meeting and experience the roles of elected officials, staff and residents. They discuss and come to resolution regarding typical city issues and experience the challenges of being policy makers.

It is a privilege to provide our students with the opportunity to extend learning outside of the classroom. I am proud to partner with the NSSD112 administration, board, teachers and families. This annual field trip to City Hall is an investment in our students' education, an opportunity to discuss the importance and value of advocacy, and teaches them about the critical role of respectful discourse in government. It is never too early to learn how to use your voice to be part of a solution.

Sheridan Road Sidewalk Project

As part of BikeWalk HP2030 Plan to enhance pedestrian connectivity, the City is seeking public comment on the installation of new sidewalk on Sheridan Road from Roger Williams on the south to the Rosewood Beach entrance on the north. Proposed improvements include construction of a new 5-foot wide concrete sidewalk along the east side of Sheridan Road. With an uneven terrain on the east side, the sidewalk installation will impact existing landscape within right-of-way. The City will host an Open House at City Hall, 1707 St. Johns Avenue, on Tuesday, July 19 from 6 PM to 7 PM where the conceptual plans of the proposed Sheridan Road sidewalk will be available. Residents are encouraged to provide project feedback.

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Voluntary Sanitary Sewer Lateral Cost Sharing Program

The Voluntary Sanitary Sewer Lateral Cost Sharing Program assists homeowners in minimizing house and property flooding by improving the condition of the home's sanitary sewer pipe or sanitary sewer lateral. The program pays up to 20% of the total cost of the improvement (a maximum of \$1,260). The City owns and maintains 130 miles of sanitary sewer main of various sizes and materials. Approximately 10,000 private sewer lateral connections owned and maintained by property owners are connected to City's sanitary sewer main. These laterals run from City main (*in the street or parkway area*) to inside homes and conditions of these vary greatly. If not properly maintained, the private sewer laterals can contribute to sewer backups.

This voluntary cost sharing program is available on a first-come, first-serve basis, and only to single-family residential lots. The program applies to stand-alone sanitary sewer lateral rehabilitation projects such as complete sewer replacement or sewer lining, and other approved flood reduction equipment such as sewer backflow devices and overhead sewer systems.

Prior to the City authorizing the cost sharing program, a building permit is required for the City to inspect property for any cross connection of storm sewer laterals to sanitary sewer laterals. If found, property owners are required to disconnect the cross connection laterals at their own cost. For details, visit cityhpil.com/index.aspx?nid=901 or contact Public Works Sewer Section staff at 847.926.1150 during business hours.

Our Community

Summer Safety Reminders from the Police Department

• Statewide Hand-Held Cell Phone Restriction - hand-held cell phone use while driving is restricted in Illinois. Hands-free devices are permissible (except within a school speed zone or on a highway in a construction or maintenance speed zone). Violations qualify as a moving violation and fines range from \$50 to \$500 with bond set at \$120.

• Share the Road

Motorists and bicyclists are encouraged to "Share the Road."

o Motorists overtaking a bicycle are required by law to leave a safe distance of at least three-feet when passing the bicyclist and maintain that distance until safely past.

o Slow Down! Motorists should obey posted City speed limits. Speeding endangers lives and property, reduces reaction time and increases fuel consumption. Fines for speeding violations begin at \$120.

o Traffic laws apply to all persons rid-

ing bicycles. Bicyclists can be cited for traffic violations. Bicyclists must stop at stop signs and may not ride more than two abreast on the roadway. In addition, bicyclists are also restricted from using a hand-held electronic communication device while operating a bicycle on the roadway. Bicyclists are also required to utilize a light during hours of darkness.

• Bicycle/Safety Helmet Requirements Every person under the age of 16 op-

erating a bicycle, skateboard, in-line skates or any other non-motorized user-propelled wheeled device upon any public highway, sidewalk, bike path or any other public right-of-way within the City of Highland Park is required to wear a protective bicycle/safety helmet that meets current safety requirements. To reduce the risk of death or serious injury, persons age 16 or older are strongly encouraged to wear a bicycle/safety helmet also.

• Seat Belts Save Lives

The driver and all passengers of a motor

vehicle operated on a street or highway must wear a properly fastened and adjusted seat belt. A seat safety belt violation qualifies for primary enforcement and bond is set at \$60.

• Start Seeing Motorcycles

Motorists should maintain awareness and exercise caution while operating a vehicle near motorcycles or motorized scooters. Motorcyclists and motorized scooter riders should wear proper high-visibility protective clothing to increase their visibility to other motorists and helmets to reduce their risk of death or serious injury.

For more information contact Sergeant Chris O'Neill at the Police Department non-emergency number 847.432.7730.

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Eliminate Microbeads Now

Microbeads are tiny synthetic plastic particles used as abrasives in personal care products, such as facial scrub, soap and toothpaste. The tiny plastic beads, which come in many different colors and are about the size of a pentip, don't dissolve but are rinsed down the drain. Due to small size and buoyancy, they pass through the North Shore Water Reclamation District wastewater treatment plant and are discharged into the Skokie River and ultimately to the Mississippi River. The State of Illinois' ban on microbeads begins in 2018. The U.S. Congress Microbead-Free Waters Act takes effect in July 2017. Why wait to eliminate this environmental risk? Residents can switch now from products that show polyethylene and polypropylene in their ingredient lists. Several personal care product and cosmetics manufacturers are replacing microbeads with natural alternatives such as ground seeds or nuts, oatmeal, or pumice. More info is available at greatlakes.org/microbeads and beatthemicrobead.org/en/product-lists.

Compost: Recycling's Final Frontier

Since we believe in a sustainable future, the City of Highland Park is offering residents the opportunity to compost food scraps with the convenience of curbside pickup. According to the US EPA, 20-30% of our trash can be composted and transformed to a gardener's treasure. Separating and composting food scraps and yard waste also reduces greenhouse gas emissions.

Highland Park residents can dispose of compostable materials such as fruit and vegetable peels, egg shells, coffee grounds, and paper napkins in a curbside cart from April 1st and December 15th. Get a free cart from Lakeshore Recycling Systems by calling 773.685.8811, and sign up for weekly pick up or use a trash sticker to pay by the can. You can mix both food waste and yard waste in the same cart, or dispose of just one or the other. To collect food scraps, countertop pails are available for \$5 at City Hall. For more details go to cityhpil.com/lrs.

Community Calendar

Ravinia Farmers Market

Wednesdays, 7AM - 1PM Now thru October 26

Dean Avenue at Jens Jensen Park

The Ravinia Farmers Market returns offering farm fresh fruits, vegetables, sweet or savory crepes, spices, candy and more. The market is open rain or shine.

11th Bitter Jester Battle of the Bands June 17 & 24, 7 PM

Port Clinton Square

Bitter Jester Battle of the Bands features up-and-coming bands competing for cash, prizes, and the title of Grand Champion! The winning bands advance to the Semi-Finals on the 4th of July at Wolters Field.

Wounded Warrior Ride

June 25, 12 PM

Fire Station 33, 1130 Central Avenue

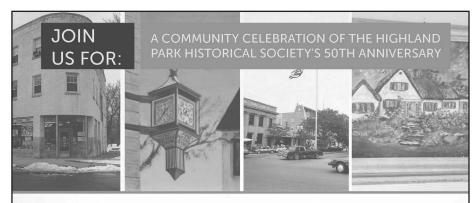
Come cheer the riders at the finish line!

Affordable Housing Information

July 12 & August 10, 7 PM

Community Partners for Affordable Housing (CPAH) 400 Central Avenue, Suite 111

847.681.8746



Visions of Highland Park Past & Present Gallery Opening Reception

Monday, June 27, 2016 3:30 - 5 pm City Hall 1707 St Johns Avenue

Art and photography will be displayed throughout City Hall depicting our community's unique past and present.

Refreshments will be served. This event is free & open to the public.

Program

4pm

Mayor Nancy Rotering – Welcome & Presention Gabrielle Rousso, Executive Director of the Art Center – Highland Park Rob Rotering, President of the Historical Society

Please RSVP to the City Manager's Office at 847-926-1000 or cityhp@cityhpil.com

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Please call for further details or to register

54 Laurel Avenue 847.432.4110



IPRA Six County Senior Games 2016

Location: Park Ridge and area communities

Dates: July 6 – July 27

Fee: \$16 single day / \$22 unlimited

Ages: 50 years and older

The IPRA Six County Senior Games provides an opportunity for older adults to compete with their peers in an atmosphere of friendship and support, and to receive recognition for their efforts and achievements. Open to seniors of all ability levels; there are more than 30 athletic events. All participants will receive a Senior Games T-shirt, and medals will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place finishers in each age/gender category.

IPRA Senior Games 18-hole Golf Outing

Highland Park Country Club

Wednesday, July 27

7:30 AM shotgun start

Fee: \$55 (plus the Senior Games entry fee)

This popular golf outing held at the Highland Park
Country Club includes 18-holes of golf with cart, snacks
and a buffet lunch followed by an awards ceremony.
The IPRA Six County Senior Games are sponsored by
Brookdale Senior Living Solutions & Aperion Care

Ravinia Dinner and Concert

Ravinia Festival - Highland Park

Tuesday, August 2

6 - 10 PM

Fee: \$50 / NM: \$60

Discount deadline: July 18

Join other Center members for a delicious buffet dinner at Ravinia's Mirabelle restaurant, followed by Pavilion seating for "New World" Symphony.

Brunch & Learn Nature Workshop: Henry David Thoreau

Heller Nature Center Friday, June 17 10 AM – 12 noon Fee: \$10 / NM: \$20

American author and naturalist Henry David Thoreau is best known for residing alone in a tiny cabin, living off the land, and writing. Corinne Smith, writer, poet and outdoor educator, will share Thoreau's basic philosophies on the environment and how they resonate with people today. Prior to the lecture, enjoy a casual brunch catered by a local restaurant. Discount deadline is one week in advance.

Mah Jongg Class

Tuesdays, July 12 - August 9 (5 classes))

1 - 3:30 PM

Fee: \$70 / NM: \$90

Mah Jongg is a game that is fun, sociable, and relaxing. Join other beginners for this Mah Jongg class, which starts at tile 1, and teaches the basics needed to play the game. Instructor Dale Solow is excited to be a part of the Senior Center team and to share her knowledge and love of the game. A 2016 card is included in the fee.

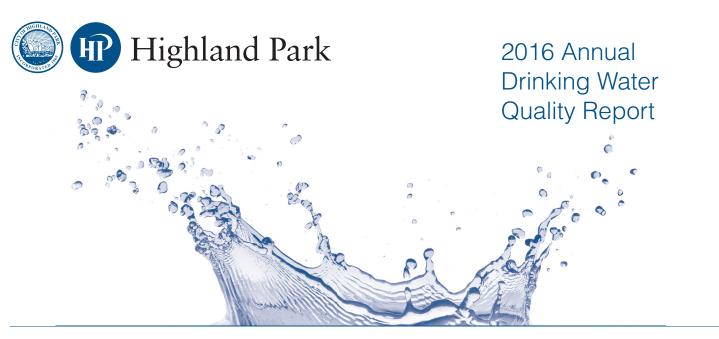
A Matter of Balance

Wednesdays, July 13 - August 31 (8 classes)

10:30 AM – 12 noon Fee: \$48 / NM: \$68

Taught by experienced certified fitness instructors, Ida Greenfield and Judy Samuelson, this nationally recognized program will help you perceive falls as controllable, set goals for increasing activity, make changes to reduce falls at home, and exercise to increase strength and balance.

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Introduction

The City of Highland Park is pleased to present its Annual Water Quality Report for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2015. This report, as required by Federal law, is designed to inform all customers about the quality of water and services that are delivered each day. The City of Highland Park is pleased to report that last year, as in years past; your tap water met or exceeded all U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) and state drinking water health standards. There were no water quality violations recorded during 2015, nor were there any samples over the Maximum Contaminant Levels (MCL). The City's continuing goal is to provide all of its consumers with a safe and

dependable supply of drinking water. As part of this process, the City wants all customers to understand the efforts that are continually being made to improve the water treatment process and to protect water resources. In short, the City of Highland Park is committed to ensuring the quality of your water.

EPA Source Water Assement Completed

In 2002 Illinois EPA (IEPA) conducted a federally mandated Source Water Assessment of Highland Park, and it is available to consumers by contacting the Water Plant at 847-433-4355. IEPA has determined that Lake Michigan has some of the best drinking water quality in the state. Also, IEPA has determined that sources of potential contaminants for Highland Park intakes include sediment, shoreline erosion, wet weather sewer overflows, wastewater treatment bypasses, stormwater runoff, and air deposition. Some of the potential contaminants are: inorganic compounds, synthetic organics, and volatile organics.

(See: http://www.epa.state.il.us/ cgi-bin/wp/swap-fact-sheets. pl?rm=show_facility_detail&facility_ number=0970500&cws=y)



The Source of Our Drinking Water

The City of Highland Park Water Plant uses surface water drawn from a 54" Intake Pipe located one mile from shore in Lake Michigan. This Intake Pipe is situated in 30 feet of water, adjacent to two smaller pipes that are 20 and 16 inches in diameter, which also feed water to the filtration plant.

All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by constituents that are naturally occurring or are man made. Those constituents can be microbes, organic or inorganic chemicals, or radioactive materials. Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a

health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the USEPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).



Contaminants and Protection

(!) Contaminant Sources

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it can dissolve naturally occurring minerals and radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Possible contaminants consist of:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife;
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally occurring or result from urban storm-water runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming;
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff and residential uses;
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff and septic systems;
- Radioactive contaminants, which may be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.



Source Water Protection Tips

Protection of drinking water is everyone's responsibility. You can help protect your community's drinking water source in several ways: Eliminate excess use of lawn and garden fertilizers and pesticides – they contain hazardous chemicals that can reach your drinking water source.

- Pick up after your pets.
- Dispose of chemicals properly; take used motor oil to a recycling center. To find the nearest recycling center please visit: http://earth911.com/
- Help keep prescription drugs out of the water supply by participating in the Prescription Pill and Drug Disposal Program of Highland Park. This program helps residents to dispose of unused or expired prescription drugs and over the counter medications in an environmentally safe way. The public can drop off prescription drugs in a mail box shaped receptacle in the foyer of the Highland Park Police Department located at 1677 Old Deerfield Road, 24 hours a day. For more information please visit: http://www.ci.highland-park.il.us/index.aspx?NID=451

Additional Information

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. USEPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the USEPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

About the Data

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, USEPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which must provide the same protection for public health. The City of Highland Park Water Plant routinely monitors drinking water for these constituents, in accordance with State and Federal laws. The following water quality table lists all of the drinking water contaminants that we detected during the period between January 1 and December 31, 2015. Although many more contaminants were tested, only those substances listed in the table were found in your water. All sources of drinking water contain some naturally occurring contaminants. At low levels, these substances are generally not harmful in our drinking water. Removing all contaminants would be extremely expensive, and in most cases, would not provide increased protection of public health. A few naturally occurring minerals may actually improve the taste of drinking water and have nutritional value at low levels. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this table is from testing done in the calendar year of the report. The EPA or the State requires us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not vary significantly from year to year, or the system is not considered vulnerable to this type of contamination. As such, some of our data, though representative, may be more than one year old. Again, the presence of contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Results may be obtained by calling the contact listed at the end of this report.

Data Analysis

2015 Water Quality Data Table

The "Your Water" column represents the highest sample result collected during the calendar year, unless otherwise noted. The "Range" column represents a range of individual sample results, from lowest to highest that were collected during the calendar year. The "Sample Date" column will show the year the sample was most recently analyzed. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this table is from testing done in the calendar year of the report. The "Violation" column will indicate whether or not a violation occurred with each contaminant that was detected. The "Typical Source" information lists where contaminants may originate.



Disinfectants & Disinfectant By-Products (There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial)

	MCLG or	MCL,	Your	Range		Comple		
Contaminants	MRDLG	TT, OR MRDL	Water	Low	High	Sample Date	Violation	Typical Source
Chlorine [as Cl2] (ppm)	MRDLG =4	MRDL =4	1.18	0.01	1.86	2015	No	Water additive used to control microbes
Total Organic Carbon (%)	NA	π	100	NA	NA	2015	No	Naturally present in the environment
TTHMs [Total Trihalomethanes] (ppb)	NA	80	30	16.47	34	2015	No	By-product of drinking water disinfection
Haloacetic Acids [HAA5] (ppb)	NA	60	15	2.6	21.6	2015	No	By-product of drinking water disinfection

Note: The percentage of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) removal was measured each month and the system met all TOC removal requirements set. Note: Some sample results for regulatory compliance are based on a running annual average of quarterly samples, therefore; the result is not the highest level detected. This is the case for Cl2, TTHMs and HAA5.

Inorganic Contaminants

Contaminants	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL, TT, OR MRDL	Your Water		nge High	Sample Date	Violation	Typical Source
Barium (ppm)	2	2	0.02	NA	NA NA	2015	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride (ppm)	4	4	0.977	NA	NA	2015	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Nitrate [measured as Nitrogen] (ppm)	10	10	0.39	NA	NA	2015	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.
Sodium [optional] (ppm)	NA	NA	13	NA	NA	2015	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching; Used in water softener regeneration.
Sulfate (ppm)	NA	250	28	NA	NA	2015	No	This contaminant is not currently regulated by the USEPA. However, the state regulates. Erosion of natural deposits
Zinc (ppb)	5000	5000	7.3	NA	NA	2015	No	This contaminant is not currently regulated by the USEPA. However, the state regulates. Naturally occurring; discharge from

Note: There is not a federal or state MCL for sodium. Monitoring is required for information to consumers and health officials that are concerned about sodium intake due to dietary precautions. If the level is greater than 20 ppm, and you are on a sodium-restricted diet, you should consult a physician.

Data Analysis (cont.)



🛕 2015 Water Quality Data Table (Cont.)

Microbiological Contaminants

Contaminants	MCLG or MRDLG	MCL, TT, OR MRDL	Your Water	Rar Low	nge High	Sample Date	Violation	Typical Source
Turbidity (NTU)	NA	0.3	100	NA		2015	No	Soil runoff

100% of the samples were below the TT value of 0.3. A value less than 95% constitutes a TT violation. The highest single measurement was 0.068 NTU. Any measurement in excess of 1 is a violation unless otherwise approved by the state.

Note: Turbidity is a measure of the cloudiness of the water caused by suspended particulates and is monitored because it is a good indicator of water quality and the effectiveness of our filtration system and disinfectants.

Inorganic Contaminants

Contaminants	MCLG	AL	Your Water	Sample Date	# of Samples Exceding AL	Violation	Typical Source
Copper - action level at consumer taps (ppm)	1.3	1.3	0.311	2014	0	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural
Lead - action level at consumer taps (ppb)	0	15	10.2	2014	3	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural

To minimize contamination resulting from corrosion, Highland Park has implemented a corrosion control program. The EPA established a lead action level of 15 parts per billion (ppb) and a copper action level of 1.3 ppm. The 90th percentile result of samples analyzed for lead and copper content in homes with lead pipes must be less than these action levels. In 2014, Highland Park sampled water from thirty homes with lead service lines and analyzed them for lead and copper content. All results, except for 3 lead samples were below the action levels. The 90th percentile level for lead was 10.2 ppb. The 90th percentile level for copper was 0.311 ppm as illustrated in the results table.

Note: The City of Highland Park is in full compliance with all State and Federal regulations governing the control of lead and copper within public drinking water supplies. If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The City of Highland Park is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Sate Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

(i) Drinking Water Definitions

In the water quality data table, you will find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms we've provided the following definitions:

- TT: Treatment Technique or a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- AL : Action Level or the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system
- . MCL: Maximum Contaminant Level or the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- MCLG: Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

- MRDLG: Maximum Residual Disinfection Level Goal or the level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health.
- MRDL: Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level or the highest level of a disinfectant allow in drinking water.
- MPL: Maximum Permissible Level that is state assigned.

UNIT DESCRIPTIONS

- ppm : Parts per million or Milligrams per liter (mg/L).
- ppb: Parts per billion or Micrograms per liter (µg/L).
- NTU: Nephelometric Turbidity Units, used to measure the cloudiness in drinking water.
- NA : Not applicable.

Contact Us

For more information about this report or your water utility in general, please contact:





Don Jensen

Water Plant Superintendent

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School News

Please note that this page is submitted, written and edited by the School Districts and does not reflect the views or opinions of the City.

District 112: Reconfiguration & Golden Apple Award

Community Reconfiguration 2.0 Team

The District has convened a Community Reconfiguration 2.0 Team, made up of diverse stakeholders from across the North Shore School District 112 Community. The team is charged to develop two - three viable reconfiguration options to present to the Board of Education for consideration. Regular updates will be presented to the Board of Education at their meetings. Board of Education meetings are live-streamed and may be accessed from the district website: http://www.nssd112.org/pages/

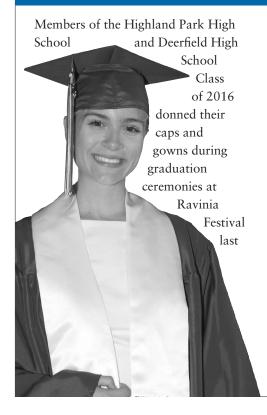
Highland Park Community Foundation Golden Apple Award

Established in 2010, the Highland Park Community Foundation Golden Apple Award recognizes outstanding teachers in the Highland Park school systems. Nominations this year were accepted for kindergarten through fifth grade teachers. After a rigorous review process, three semi-finalists were selected. The two semi-finalists were Sharon Steckel, art and orchestra teacher at Ravinia and Lincoln Schools, and Patricia Castro, dual language MyPath fourth and fifth grade teacher at Oak Terrace School. The Golden Apple recipient this year is Cindy Rossman, kindergarten and first grade MyPath teacher at Braeside School. The district extends its congratulations to Cindy Rossman, Sharon Steckel and Patricia Castro.

Illinois Association of School Business Officials (IASBO) Lighthouse Award

Director of Operations, Facilities and Transportation John Fuhrer and Assistant Director Scott Mackall were honored with the IASBO Foundation Lighthouse Award, recognizing outstanding new ideas or practices to schools. John and Scott were commended for their development of facilities certification programs, helping school professionals statewide to extend their training and development.

District 113: Congratulations, HPHS and DHS Class of 2016!



month surrounded by family, friends, faculty and staff wishing them well.

DHS graduation took place May 25, with music provided by the DHS band and chorale, and HPHS graduation took place May 26, with music provided by the HPHS symphony orchestra and chorale.

The Class of 2016 at DHS included three Valedictorians (Julia Aronson, Benjamin Edelstein and Benjamin Sachs), four Salutatorians (Bradley Pineless, Spencer Siegel, Caylee Silvers and David Zhao), and 63 Deerfield Scholars. This year's marshals were Sam Barr and David Meyer, and Lucy Yellen delivered the commencement speech. Fendi Vadevoulis and Joely Bertram presented the class gift, a sign for the new athletics entrance. The JFK

Medal was awarded to Zaki Naqvi.

The Class of 2016 at HPHS included two Valedictorians (Rebecca Breitstein and Joseph Spellberg), three Salutatorians (Hannah Chonkan-Urow, Amy Rogin and Gabriel Small), and 46 Highland Park High School Scholars. This year's Medal of Honor was presented to David Alvarez. Justin Mills and Lesley Rodriguez served as class marshals, and Matthew Goldstein delivered the commencement speech. Lily Kawer presented the senior class gift: paying for postage for next year's annual mailing of care packages to the troops, and offsetting the cost of prom for next year's seniors.

Park District of Highland Park



Fun for All Ages

Old Fashioned Campfire

Saturday, June 18, 7 - 8:30 PM

All Ages / \$9

Millard Park 35 Ravine Dr.

Take a short hike with a Naturalist, play games, and enjoy marshmallows roasted over the campfire.

Babies in Nature

Thursday, June 23, 9 - 9:45 AM

Adult/Child, Ages 6 months - 2 years / \$6 Heller Nature Center 2821 Ridge Rd.

Take a stroll with a Naturalist and let nature engage the senses of your infants and toddlers.

Stories in the Woods

Thursday, June 23, 10:15 - 11:15 AM

Adult/Child, Ages 3 - 6 / \$8

Heller Nature Center 2821 Ridge Rd.

The Brave Way Self-Defense System is not a martial art, and no previous self-defense training is required. The techniques are easy to learn and extremely effective.

Group Games Night

Thursday, June 23, 7 - 8:30 PM

Ages 7 - Adult / \$10

Heller Nature Center 2821 Ridge Rd.

Bring the whole family out for a night of running around and playing group games with other families.

Summer Bees

Saturday, June 25, 9:30 - 11 AM

Ages 6 - Adult / \$9

Heller Nature Center 2821 Ridge Rd.

Put on a bee suit to see what the hard-working bees have been doing inside the hives and enjoy a delicious taste of Heller Honey!

HIGHLAND PARK

Fourth Fest

Monday, July 4, 11 AM - 2 PM

Family / FREE*

Sunset Woods Park 1801 Sunset Rd.

Sponsored by: <u>HIGHLAND PARK BANK</u> & TRUST°

AWINTRUST COMMUNITY BANK

CELEBRATION

Celebrate 4th of July with the Park District of Highland Park at Sunset Woods Park! Music by Rod Tuffcurls and the Benchpress, carnival rides, amusements, pony rides, a petting zoo, and food from Highland Park restaurants*.

Save time and money by purchasing your unlimited ride wristbands June 27 - July 1 at West Ridge Center, Recreation Center of Highland Park, or Highland Park Bank and Trust.

*Food is available for purchase

Float & Fireworks

Monday, July 4, 8:15 - 10:45 PM

Family / \$5

Hidden Creek AquaPark 1220 Fredrickson Pl.



Rainout Line

847.579.9008

Not sure if inclement weather will interfere with your activities? Sign up for the Rainout Line and get up-to-date information the way you want to receive it.

Sign up today at pdhp.org





Firecracker 5k Race & 2mi Walk

Sunday, July 3 8 AM - 10 AM

Sunset Woods Park

Bring the entire family out for the Annual Firecracker 5K and 2 mile walk through beautiful Sunset Woods Park!

5K Run: \$30 (\$40 day of race) 2 Mile Walk: \$17 (\$27 day of race)

Family Walk*: \$50 (\$60 day of race) per family *Includes up to four family members; each additional member is \$5.

Register Online at pdhp.org

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Saturday, July 16 & Sunday, July 17

Register Today at sunsetvalleygolfcourse.org



BEACH BOOTCAMP

AT ROSEWOOD BEACH

883 Sheridan Rd. No pre-registration is required

*Mondays June 13 - July 25 6 - 7 PM

Member: \$12 Resident: \$15 Non Resident: \$18

*no class on July 4



About Us

Enrich community life through healthy leisure pursuits and an appreciation of the natural world.

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50 + Active Adult Fitness Programs

Recreation Center of Highland Park 1207 Park Avenue West

H2O Connect Mon/Wed/Sat 8:30 - 9:30 AM

Aqua Fit Tue 8:30 - 9:30 AM Wed/Sat 9:30 -10:30 AM

<u>Water Warriors</u> Fri 8:30 - 9:30 AM

Sun 8 - 9 AM Mon/ Tue 8:30 - 9:30 AM Fri 9:30 -10:30 AM Sat

Zumba

Cardio Sculpt Wed 8:30 - 9:20 AM

10:45-11:45 AM

<u>Aqua Zumba</u> Thu 9:30 - 10:30 AM

<u>20/20/20</u> Fri 8:30 - 9:30 AM

Strictly Strength Sun 9:15 - 10 AM Aqua Fusion
Tue/Fri 10 - 11 AM

WERQ Dance

Thu 10:30 - 11:30 AM Wed 6:30 - 7:30 PM

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<u>Light n' Lively</u> Mon/Fri 11 AM - 12 PM

Tue 10:30 - 11:30 AM

Balance & Tone

Wed 10:30 - 11:25 AM

Pilates

Slow Flow Yoga Thu

> <u>Yoga Flow</u> Sun

9:30 - 10:45 AM

10:45 - 11:55 AM

Gentle Yoga Mon 12 -1:15 PM Tai Chi

Tue 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Cardio Tone Light
Wed 11:30 AM 12:30 PM

<u>Chair Yoga</u> Tue/Thu 12 - 1 PM

Sets and Reps
Mon 1:15 - 2:15 PM

<u>Qi Gong</u> Wed 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Strength & Core
Thu 1:15 - 2:15 PM

Better Balance Fri 12 - 1 PM

Meditation
Mon 5:15 -5:45 PM

Restorative Yoga
Tue 6:15 - 7:30 PM

WOW

Tue 6:25 - 7:20 PM

Highland Park Public Library

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July 4th Fun!

Build a Mini Float!

Transform a wagon into a mini float based on your favorite story and march with the library in the July 4th parade! Bring your own wagon to decorate or help the library create a mini float. The Library will supply cardboard, paint, tape, and glue. Feel free to bring other supplies you need to fulfill your creative vision.

Saturday, June 25 Sunday, June 26 1:30 – 4:30 p.m. Register once per family/wagon at kidsevents.org.



March With The Library In The July 4th Parade!

Join us in the July 4th parade. If you decorated a wagon, bring it along. All who march will get free t-shirts to wear in the parade. Call 847-432-0216 to register and to reserve a t-shirt. Wear your walking shoes!

Monday, July 4 9 a.m.



More Summer Fun!

Rope Warrior

Wednesday, June 22 7 – 7:45 PM

See the Guinness World Record holder's jump rope tricks, stunts, and speed. Aspiring jump-ropers — learn how to amaze friends and family with speed and agility. Registration required. Register at *kidsvents.org*.

Make Your Own Instruments

Wednesday, June 29 3 – 4 PM Ages 5 – 7

Learn how to make instruments from all kinds of things you can find around the house. Take home what you make! Registration required. Register at *kidsevents.org*.

Robin's Dog Stars

Wednesday, June 29 7 – 7:50 PM

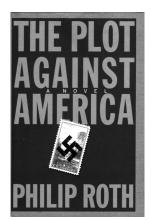
Watch dogs jump through hoops, tell a joke, do a magic trick, and more. Learn dog training tips, too. Registration required. Register at *kidsevents.org*.





New! Summer Evening Book Discussions

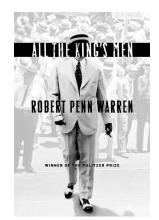
Davis Schneiderman, Associate Dean of the Faculty and Professor of English at Lake Forest College, leads the evening discussions.



The Plot Against America by Philip Roth

Wednesday July 13, 7 PM

The Republican party selects the popular, heroic Charles Lindbergh as its presidential candidate in this alternate history. The Aryan supremacist Lindbergh wins the 1940 election and national politics descends into fascism and anti-Semitism.



All The King's Men by Robert Penn Warren

Wednesday August 10, 7 PM

The rise of charismatic candidate Willie Stark and his transformation into a corrupt and intimidating governor is chronicled in this examination of the American political machine. Winner of the 1947 Pulitzer Prize for Fiction.

Chicago YIVO Society 2016 Summer Festival of Yiddish Culture @ The Library

Film Screening: Left Luggage

Wednesday, July 20, 2 PM

Against a background of Holocaust memories, a liberal Iewish girl becomes a nanny to a young Iewish boy with a disability and grows fond of him. The film, based on a Dutch novel, stars Isabella Rossellini and Maximillian Schell.

Concert:

Maxwell Street Klezmer Quintet

Tuesday, August 9, 2 PM

Named for Chicago's colorful Sunday morning Jewish marketplace, the band plays music inspired by immigrants from Eastern Europe, the Yiddish theater of the 1920s, and Yiddish popular songs of the 1930s – 1950s.

Get Your Tech On!

For Kids: App Club

Fridays, June 17, 24 3:30 - 5:30 PM Ages 9 - 12

Work with skilled mentors and learn how to program apps.

For Adults: The Cloud 101

Tuesday, June 22, 4 – 5 PM

Cloud storage or 'The Cloud' is one of the biggest tech buzzwords, but what is it? How do you get it? How do you use it? Have all your cloud questions answered and decide if you want to be part of the cloud. Registration required. Register at hplibrary.org.





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Business Report

NEW BUSINESSES

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Women's Clothing & Accessories

Sharing Unlimited 1510 Old Deerfield Road, Ste.106 847.549.1500 sharingunlimited.com Women's Resale

Synergy Marketing Solutions 1866 Sheridan Road, Ste. 217 888.392.4798 synergymktsolutions.com Website Design & Graphics

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RECOGNITIONS

Highland Park Shoe Repair – 33 Years 474 Central Avenue, Lower Level 847,433,0490

Highland Park Shoe Repair provides skilled repair services on a wide variety of shoes. This hidden gem has increased the life of customer's shoes for 33 years.

Gerber Collision & Glass – 31 Years 1325 Park Avenue West 847.432.5353 gerbercollision.com

For over 30 years, customers have chosen to bring their vehicles to Gerber Collision & Glass for quality workmanship backed by a National Lifetime Guarantee and outstanding customer service.

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