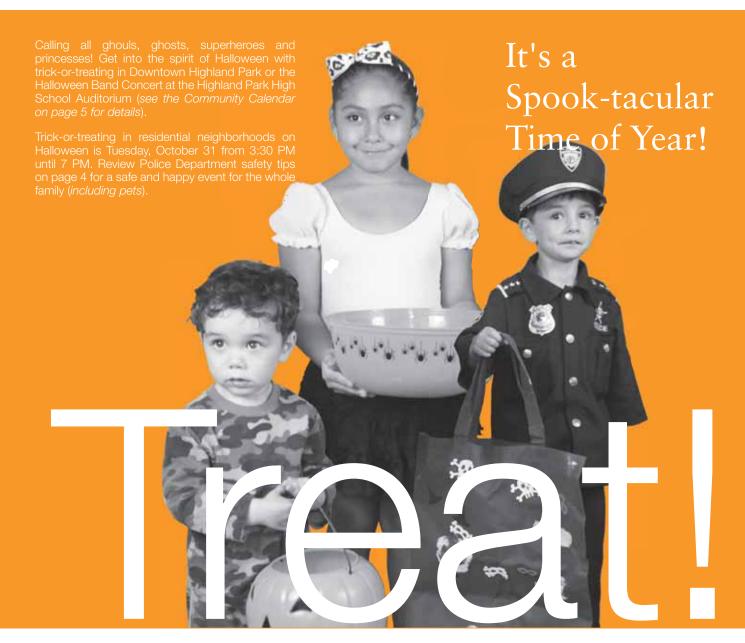


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# Join Community Effort for Disaster Relief

Learn how you can contribute support to "Disaster Relief Quarter Campaign #OurCommunityCares". Funds raised will provide relief for victims of devastating natural disasters such as earthquakes, hurricanes and floods.

## Share the Road

Curious about the recent appearance of Sharrows, the symbol of a bicycle with two chevrons on Highland Parks streets? Learn more about this visual reminder for motorists and cyclists to share the road.

# Reminder to Dog Owners

Just a reminder to dog owners to please clean up after your dog and dispose of the waste properly. Please do not toss dog waste bags in streets, gutters or your neighbors' trash receptacle.

### Veterans Day Observance

The Veterans Day Observance is held on Saturday, November 11 at 11AM in the Highland Park Public Library, 494 Laurel Avenue. The Highland Park High School Brass Quintet will perform. All welcome to attend.

## Highland Park at a Glance





### Veterans Day Information

City Offices will be closed on Friday, November 10 in observance of Veterans Day. Residents may call the Police Non-Emergency dispatch at 847.432.7730 for assistance.

The Veterans Day ceremony will be held on Saturday, November 11 at 11AM in the Highland Park Public Library, 494 Laurel Avenue. Local veterans groups and special guests including Mayor Nancy R. Rotering will attend. The Highland Park High School Brass Quintet will perform. All are welcome.

For more information, contact the City Manager's Office at 847.926.1006 or jdotson@cityhpil.com.





### Disposal of Autumn Leaves

Blowing or raking leaves onto the roadway can create slippery road conditions and increase the risk of clogged inlets and street flooding. Be sure to clear leaves from gutters and dispose of them properly.

Residents are reminded that it is illegal to dump leaves, grass clippings and other debris onto the City streets or into the drainage system. Please remember that only rainwater goes down our storm drains! Contact Public Works Sewer Section staff Monday – Friday, 7:30AM – 4:30 PM at 847.432.0807.



Sunday, November 5 at 2 AM, daylight savings time ends and all clocks must be set back by one hour.

With the changing of the clocks, the Fire Department reminds residents to change the batteries in their smoke detectors. This simple act could save many lives. These valuable devices provide early warning of fire. The most commonly cited cause of non-working smoke alarms is worn or missing batteries.

The National Fire Protection Association recommends that there be at least one smoke detector outside of every sleeping area and on each floor of a home. If you have any questions about installation or maintenance of a smoke detector please call the Fire Prevention Division at 847, 926,1075.

# Disaster Relief Quarter Campaign #OurCommunityCares

Devastation brought by recent hurricanes and earthquakes spurred desire our community to help the victims. The "Disaster Relief Quarter Campaign #OurCommunityCares"



soliciting quarters (and larger donations) to raise funds to help victims of these natural disasters. The Quarter Campaign aims to make charitable giving accessible, small change can make a difference. Donations will be split between the Red Cross and UNICEF.

To contribute look for donation containers with a bright red logo of a parachute throughout the community. Donation containers are currently located at City Hall, 1707 St. Johns Avenue and the Senior Center, 54 Laurel Avenue. Mail checks to: Disaster Relief Quarter Campaign #OurCommunityCares c/o Highland Park Community Foundation, P.O. Box 398, Highland Park, IL 60035. Donations may be made at www.hpcommunityfoundation.com or //Facebook.com/hpcommunityfoundation.

This is an interfaith, inter-governmental effort supported by Highland Park and Highwood, Rotary Club of HP/HW, Boy Scouts, the 112 and 113 Education Foundations, Moraine Township, NSSD 112, D113, D109, Trinity Episcopal Church, Highland Park Presbyterian Church, Congregation Ahavat Olam, North Suburban Synagogue Beth El, The Bahai's of Deerfield, Family Service of Lake County, Park District of HP, Highland Park Bank and Trust, and Highland Park Community Foundation. While other relief efforts are taking place, this is to augment those and create community unity around helping in this time of need. Everyone is welcome to participate; there are no boundaries when it comes to helping others. Volunteers of all ages are needed. Contact Yumi Ross at yross@rossgroup.net to get involved.

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## 2017 Vehicle Sticker & Dog License Expiration Notice

City Vehicle Stickers and Dog Licenses for the 2017-2018 license year must be displayed by October 1, 2017. A late fee of \$10 is applied to all vehicle sticker purchases made after September 30, 2017. Residents failing to display a current vehicle sticker may be subject to a fine of \$50. Please visit www.cityhpil.com to obtain additional information on renewal options.



### **Time to Take Action Against Bullying**

Many R. Mayor Nancy R. Rotering

October is National Bullying Prevention Month. Two years ago, the United States Conference of Mayors (USCM) put out a national Call to Action against bullying. Recognizing the very real need for a sustained and comprehensive conversation about bullying, I immediately signed on and convened representatives from the City, our school districts, the Park District, partner agencies and not-for profit organizations. We joined together for an entire year of promoting an ongoing and unified message about bullying awareness, prevention and intervention.

According to the USCM, bullying is defined as "an imbalance of power with physical, verbal, sexual or emotional harm or intimidation intentionally directed at a person or group of people, and (is) considered the most common form of violence in our society affecting all ages." Bullying occurs in neighborhoods, places of employment, playgrounds, schools, senior centers, and through technology such as the Internet and cell phones. It can have dire and sometimes tragic consequences for the bullied and bullies alike.

As a Mayor and a mom of four children, I deeply understand the need to take action to eliminate bullying. It knows no bounds and impacts all ages from young children to seniors, and affects people across all socio-economic groups.

While we have made much progress, there is still work to be done. Recognizing the signs and prioritizing action increases the chances of creating long-term change. Everyone deserves to feel safe and secure in our community and beyond. For more information, please go to www. stopbullying.gov.



### Protect the Lake When Draining Pool

Fall is time for swimming pool clean outs. Ordinance requires that swimming pools be drained directly to a sanitary sewer line to ensure that harmful chemicals can be removed at a treatment plant. Discharging pool water into storm sewers, ravine streams or other natural water bodies is illegal. Help us protect ravine streams from pollution because they drain directly to Lake Michigan.

Contractors or swimming pool companies are not authorized to access City sanitary sewer manholes or structures. Discharging heavy volume of pool water at a high rate could cause sanitary sewer surcharges potentially causing backups on sanitary sewer service laterals on downstream properties. Residents must contact Public Works Sewer Section prior to drainage, Monday – Friday, 7:30 AM – 4:30 PM at 847. 432.0807.

### Stay Informed with City Updates



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www.youtube.com/user/CityHPIL

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### Winners of Capture the Heart of Highland Park Photography Contest!

Congratulations to the winners of the *Capture the Heart of Highland Park* Photo Contest. For the second year, the City sought to illustrate the character of the community and capture the heart of Highland Park through a community photo contest. The contest was open to all residents and businesses in Highland Park.

Photos were accepted in the following categories: Environmental, Architectural, People Portraits and Community Life. All winning photos, including honorable mentions, will be featured on the City's Facebook page at facebook.com/HighlandParkIL. Photographers were recognized by the Mayor and Council at the September 11, 2017 City Council meeting.



Community Life Winner -Dana Lawrence Gillis



Environment Winner -Kathy LaMorte



People Portraits Winner -Paul Cherner



Architectual Winner -Deven Greenleaf

## Our Community



### Halloween Safety Tips

Witches, goblins, ghosts and superheroes will soon descend on our neighborhoods. Here are safety tips to help prepare children for a safe and enjoyable Halloween. Trick-or-treating this year is Tuesday, October 31, 2017 from 3:30 PM - 7 PM. Please review these guidelines with your adventurers to ensure a safe night for everyone.

- Don't Trick or Treat alone. Stay in a group and communicate to an adult where you will be going.
- Teach children how to obtain help or call 9-1-1 if they have an emergency or become lost.
- Walk on the sidewalk, not in the street.
- Only cross the street at designated crosswalks.
- Look both ways. Listen and watch for cars before crossing the street.
- Don't hide or cross the street from between parked cars.
- Wear light-colored or reflective-type clothing or try to affix reflective tape on costumes or treat bags to be more visible.
- Use face paint rather than masks or things that will cover your eyes. If you wear a mask, make sure that the eye-holes are large enough that your vision won't be affected.
- Carry a flashlight with fresh batteries to light your way.
- Visit homes that have inside and outside lights on.
- Accept your treats at the door and never go into a home.
- ALWAYS have an adult inspect the candy before eating. Don't eat candy if the packaging has been opened. Remember

that small, hard pieces of candy are a choking hazard for young children.

- Be cautious around pets that may come to the door or be outside.
- Eliminate tripping hazards on your porch and around your property.
- Always keep lit Jack O' Lanterns away from drapes, decorations or areas where children will be standing or walking.

### Halloween guidelines for your pets:

- Secure your pets indoors on Halloween night preferably in a room away from your front door. Between the doorbell ringing, odd-looking strangers at the door and all the children's voices, this night is no "treat" for your dog or cat.
- Keep goodies away from pets. Chocolate can be particularly dangerous.
- Have ID on your pets many animals slip out of the house when the door is opened.

The Illinois State Police maintains a database of registered sex offenders in Illinois. The public can access this database by going to the website www.isp.state.il.us/sor/. Once you are in this website, agree to the terms by clicking on "I Agree" and enter the zip code (60035), City (Highland Park) and County (Lake) for a complete listing of registered sex offenders in Highland Park. The Police encourage community assistance in reporting any suspicious or unlawful activity. Let's all enjoy a safe Halloween in Highland Park. If you have any questions, please contact School Resource Officer Brian Soldano at 847.926.1083.

### → Sharrows in Highland Park

The striping seen on many City streets is called "sharrows" or share the road arrows. These new sharrows and bike safety signs are reminders that both motorists and bicyclists must share the road for safe passage. The City began work on a grant-funded bike striping and signage construction project in the spring.

State law requires motorists to pass cyclists safely, yielding at least three feet of roadway. Remember, both motorists and cyclists must follow traffic laws.

Additional details on this project and other major infrastructure improvements can be found at www.cityhpil.com/construction.



### Art Is Alive in Highland Park Community Art Contest

Calling all artists! Please save the date for the Cultural Arts Commission 2018 Art Is Alive in Highland Park Community Art Contest. Artists may submit one work; all forms accepted. The contest is open to residents and students attending Highland Park schools.

Contest details and requirements will be available on The Art Center - Highland Park's website theartcenterhp.org in November. Artwork will be accepted in January with a reception in February.

For more information, contact Ilana Feldman at ifeldman@ theartcenterhp.org or call The Art Center - Highland Park at 847.432.1888 or visit cityhpil.com/AIA.

## Community Calendar

### Ravinia Farmers Market

Wednesdays through October 25 7 AM - 1 PM

Taste Marketing Dean Avenue between St. Johns & Roger Williams Avenues and Jens Jensen Park

raviniafarmersmarket.org

### The Art Center of Highland Park Presents Upscale Recycled Art Sale

Opening Night October 20, 7 PM
Open to Public October 21 - 31
Monday thru Saturday, 9 AM - 5 PM
Sunday, October 22, 14 - 4 PM
Thursday, October 26, 9 AM - 8 PM
The Art Center
1957 Sheridan Road
847.432.1888
TheArtCenterHP.org

The hunt for art treasures begins at the 29th annual Upscale Recycled Art Show on Friday, October 20 with a ticketed event. Formerly known as the Gogh Green Recycled Art Sale, this year's event includes an exclusive preview event giving buyers access to pre-event purchases. Preview tickets are \$150. General admission is at 7 PM and tickets are \$75 in advance or \$90 at the door. Spirits and light bites will be served. All proceeds help advance TAC's mission and programming to ensure all members of the community have access to the arts.

## Highland Park Strings Presents The Emperor Concerto

Sunday, October 22, 3 PM Highland Park High School 433 Vine Avenue - Auditorium

Highland Park Strings presents a free performance featuring esteemed guest artists Mikhail Yanovitsky (piano) and his wife Galina Sakhnovskaya (lyric soprano). Sponsored by YEA! Highland Park.

### Historic Ravinia: Famous People, Spaces & Places

Sunday, October 22, 1 -4 PM Ravinia School 763 Dean Avenue Lisa@HistoricRavinia.com

Learn about the historic and cultural impact of the Ravinia School building on the community. Ravinia Student Ambassadors share important unknown facts about their school. Learn about local architecture and history at activity stations. Look out for the Ravinia Scavenger Hunt clues. For tickets to Trolley Ride tour of the Ravinia neighborhood visit HistoricRavinia.com



### Trick-Or-Treating Downtown HP

Thursday, October 26, 3 - 6 PM
Port Clinton Square
Renaissance Place
Participating Downtown HP Business

Pony rides, hay rides and family fun.

### Halloween Band Concert

Thursday, October 26, 6:30 PM Highland Park High School Auditorium 433 Vine Avenue / Free Admission

Performing for the general public, the HPHS Band, costumed as witches, vampires and other zany characters, captivates the audience with their annual Halloween Concert.



### Midwest Young Artists Presents Fall Jazz Combo Concert

Saturday, October 28, 4 PM 210 Restaurant & Live Music Lounge mya.org/events

Midwest Young Artists' free event is a jazz combo celebration of 25 years of improvisation.

## The Pilgrim Chamber Players Presents A Sephardic Journey

Sunday, October 29, 3 PM

Highland Park Community House 1991 Sheridan Road 847.433.0992 / pilgrimplayers.org

Tickets: \$20/adult, \$16/senior, \$8 student

A Sephardic Journey is a fascinating story by the Cavatina Duo as they uncover their individual Jewish roots in Spain and Bosnia resulting centuries ago from the Spanish Jewish expulsion in 1492. They recently commissioned contemporary composers to write their own works based on original Sephardic melodies. Concert sponsored in part by the Northern Trust.

# Highland Park Historical Society's Architect William W. Boyington, A Highland Park Legend

Monday, October 30, 7 PM Highland Park Library 494 Laurel Avenue - Auditorium 847.432.7090 archives@highlandparkhistory.org

Learn more about the man whose plaque now hangs in the Downtown Highland Park METRA station presented by Julia Johnas of the Highland Park Library.

### Affordable Housing Information

Tuesday, November 7, 7 PM Tuesday, December 5, 7 PM

Community Partners for Affordable Housing (CPAH) 400 Central Ave., Suite 111 847.681.8746 / CPAHousing.org

## Our Community



# Backflow Prevention Annual Testing (Lawn Sprinkler Systems)



The City is committed to providing you the healthiest, highest quality water, but we need your help to prevent contamination from occurring at your home or business. Drinking water normally flows in one direction, from the meter to the house. Under certain circumstances, it can flow in the opposite direction -- this is called "backflow."

Lawn irrigation systems are required to include a backflow prevention device prior to connection to the drinking water

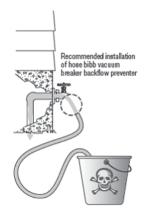
system. The greatest potential hazard is known as an unprotected cross connection, which can permit backflow to occur. Chemicals, animal waste and bacteria can enter your drinking water unless your irrigation system is properly protected by an approved backflow prevention device. Each spring, when you start your lawn irrigation system, the backflow device is required to be inspected and tested by a licensed plumber. Also, for swimming pools and hot tubs ensure that if a water hose is used to fill these units, it is protected with a hose bib vacuum breaker installed on the faucet. And for fire sprinkler systems, have

the fire system's backflow protection device inspected annually along with your fire protection system (some fire protection contractors can perform both services at the same time). Prior to shutting down your lawn irrigation system for the winter season, please ensure the system is drained completely and the backflow prevention device is properly stored to prevent system damage from freezing temperatures.

The US Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) and State

of Illinois have regulations in place to identify potential cross connection hazards and to take appropriate actions protecting against possibility of backflow occurrence.

For detailed information on backflow prevention devices and frequently asked questions, visit the City of Highland Park website www.cityhpil.com/backflow or contact the Public Works Department, Water Production Division staff at 847.433.4355 during normal business hours. During off-hours please contact non-emergency Police dispatch at 847.432.7730.



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## Understanding Your Water Bill

The City provides water service for more than 10,000 residential and commercial customers. Bills are sent quarterly to all customers based on water usage. A few factors may contribute to higher bills:

- 1. Increased consumption of water due to summer months.
- 2. An estimated read the prior quarter. The estimate is based on past history. So, when the actual read is taken the number of units could increase thereby an increase in the following water bill.
- 3. Minor leaks in your plumbing fixtures.
- 4. The prior quarter's water bill may not have captured all 90 days. A typical water bill is calculated for 90 days of consumption. If one quarter is slightly shorter, the following bill could be for 100 or 120 days of consumption thereby showing an increase in water bill from the previous bill or previous year. This is attributed to the timing of reading and when the billing was sent for printing.

The City has a tiered water rate plan to encourage residents to conserve water. For water conservation tips, visit <a href="https://www.cityhpil.com/conservewater">www.cityhpil.com/conservewater</a>.

For inquiries about water billing, contact the Finance Department at 847.926.0800. For issues with water meters, contact Public Works at 847.432.0807.

Learn more about your water bill at www.cityhpil.com/waterbilling.



### Year-Round Bulk Item Pickup

Spring clean-up is offered year-round through Lakeshore Recycling Systems (LRS)'s bulk item pickup service. LRS will take one 'Bulk' item that can be safely removed, per week at no charge (tables, chairs, mattresses, etc.).

The same spring cleanup restrictions apply. Please call ahead to notify LRS of the bulk item at 773.685.8811. If more than one bulk item is left out for pickup, call LRS for pricing.

LRS also offers a FREE electronics pickup for residential customers on their first collection day of each month. LRS will collect one large electronic waste item under 50 pounds (*televisions*, *monitors*, *computers*, *etc.*) or three small electronic waste items (*telephones*, *computer mice*, *radios*, *etc.*). If you are leaving out electronics, please call ahead to notify LRS of the item at 773.685.8811.

## Senior and Youth Services - 847.432.4110

### **Senior Center**

# 54 Laurel Avenue Serving Seniors ages 50 and better

### **Wise and Well - Community Education Series**

Presented by Family Service of Lake County and the Highland Park Senior Center Sponsored by Sunrise Senior Living

October 25 Effective Strategies for Communicating with those with Dementia

November 8 Have You Had the Conversation?

An End of Life Seminar

### Classes Beginning Soon ~

Please call for details, dates, pricing, and to register.

### Fit for Life Fitness

Wednesday, 9:45 - 10:45 AM

### **Advanced Bridge**

Thursdays, 10 AM - 12 PM

### **Watercolor Workshop**

Thursdays, 10 AM - 12 PM

### **Conversational Spanish - Advanced**

Fridays, 9 - 10 AM

### **AARP Smart Driver Course**

October 26 and 27, 9 AM - 1 PM

### **Prescription Drug Plan Assistance**

Open enrollment extends from October 15 - December 7, 2017. Medicare participants are encouraged to re-evaluate their insurance coverage annually, to review changes in drug plans or changes in prescriptions. Call Jennifer Aiello at 847.432.4110 to schedule an appointment.

### **Firehouse Youth Center**

### 1830 Green Bay Road Serving Youth in grades 6 - 8

### **Early Release Day Field Trips**

The Firehouse Youth Center offers a wide variety of field trips available on District 112 Early Release Days. Open to all Highland Park and District 112 middle school students, fees include transportation, lunch, activity fees, and supervision. Registration deadline is one week prior to the trip. Since activities will be off site for these special days, please arrange to pick your child up between 5 – 6 PM.

December 1 Bowling \$40

January 12 Movie Madness \$40

### Firehouse After School Club

2017 - 2018

Monday - Friday, 3 - 6 PM

Fee: \$120 - \$600 / per semester, based on the number of days of attendance per week

Located in a restored fire station adjacent to Sunset Park, the Firehouse features a homework room, lounge area, video games, pool tables, ping pong, air hockey and a variety of old fashioned arcade games. The After School Club serves families looking for a comprehensive after school program for their middle school students. Offering transportation from District 112 middle schools, snack, homework time and assistance, choice of special activities, outdoor play, and free time, while supervised by a team of experienced staff, this is a great opportunity for students in 6th - 8th grade. Further details and registration forms are available at www.cityhpil.com.

## North Shore School District 112

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## **D112 Golden Apple Nominations**





## **Nominate A Teacher**

Each year the Highland Park Community Foundation (HPCF) selects one outstanding teacher to be the recipient of the Highland Park/Highwood Golden Apple Award. This year HPCF is looking for a 6th through 8th grade teacher currently teaching in North Shore School District 112.

Nominations are accepted only for full-time classroom teachers who spend the majority of their time teaching grades 6th through 8th in District 112. Only one nomination per teacher is necessary. **Nominations are due no later than November 8, 2017**.

### Please visit

### www.nssd112.org/nominate112teacher

for additional information and to submit your nomination!



### Upcoming Board Meetings

October 17th - 7:00 p.m. November 7th - 7:00 p.m. November 28th - 7:00 p.m.

For More Info, Please Visit www.nssd112.org/BoardMeetings



www.nssd112.org



224-765-3000

### Download The NSSD112 App



The district has launched its own mobile app for iPhone and Android. Users can access school and district calendars, Infinite Campus, lunch balances, news, photos, directory information, and more.

Search "NSSD112" In The App Store



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## Township High School District 113

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### District 113 Students Outperform Peers Across Illinois

The results are in! District 113 students continue to outperform their peers across the state! On April 5, Deerfield and Highland Park High Schools Class of 2018 sat for and completed the Illinois state-administered (SAT). This was the first year that the SAT was used as the state assessment exam. The past two years, Illinois used the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) assessment to collect data measuring schools' academic progress and the ACT was administered as the state assessment. Prior to that, the Prairie State Achievement Examination (PSAE) and ACT were used by Illinois to measure academic progress and as the state-provided college and career assessment.

The following table compares District 113's performance to that of the state of Illinois, as well as all students who took the exam:

	District 113 n = 853	State of Illinois n = 136,264	Total Group n = 365,590	
Mean Score (out of 1600)	1175	1018	992	
Mean Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (ERW) (out of 800)	591	512	500	
Mean Math (out of 800)	584	505	492	
% of students meeting ERW benchmark	88%	60%	56%	
% of students meeting Math benchmark	70%	39%	35%	
% of students meeting both benchmarks	69%	37%	32%	

Graduating Class of 2018 Average SAT Scores

We are also excited to announce that the graduating Class of 2017 outperformed their Illinois peers as well. The following table compares District 113's performance to that of the state of Illinois:

	Total Tested	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
District	895	26.1	25.2	26.0	25.1	25.7
State	134,901	21.0	21.2	21.6	21.3	21.4

Graduating Class of 2017 Average ACT Scores

We are proud of our students and the academic growth they have demonstrated throughout their high school career. We will use the data obtained from both exams to better support our students and to continue to improve our curricula and instructional practices. We are committed to preparing our students for future success and providing them with continual opportunities to excel.

## Park District of Highland Park

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### Fun for All Ages

\$50, Heller Nature Center, 2821 Ridge Rd.

Watch the fascinating process of bird banding at the Sand Bluff Bird Observatory.

Sun Oct 15 | 3-7pm | Fall Family Adventure | All Ages \$12, Heller Nature Center, 2821 Ridge Rd.

A family adventure you won't forget!

Fri Oct 20 | 5:30 - 7:30pm | West Ridge Trick-or-Treat |

West Ridge Center, 636 Ridge Rd.

See next page for details.

Fri Oct 27 | 6:30-9:30pm | X-FEARience |

Sunset Woods Park, 1801 Sunset Rd.

See next page for details.

Sat Oct 28 | 1-2:20 pm | Halloween Scary Skate | Family Centennial Ice Arena, 3100 Trail Way.

See next page for details.

Sat Oct 28 | 6-8pm | The Monster Bash | Ages 5-14 \$30, Deer Creek Racquet Club, 701 Deer Creek Pkwy.

See next page for details.

Fri Nov 3 | 5:30-7pm | Family Campfire | All Ages

\$9, Heller Nature Center, 2821 Ridge Rd.

See right panel.

Sat Nov 4 | Noon-1pm | Mommy and Me Zumba (Dad's Too) I Ages 4+

\$20/30, Recreation Center, 1207 Park Ave W

Max out on fun and fitness at the same time. This high energy class will have you moving and dancing to the Zumba beat.

Sun Nov 5 | 1-2:30pm | Movies at the Beach: Flow | Adults Rosewood Beach Interpretive Center, 883 Sheridan Rd.

Can water be owned? The award-winning documentary Flow explores this issue and more.

Sat Oct 14 | 6:30am-1pm | Bird Banding Field Trip | Adults Fri Nov 10 | 6:30-8:30pm | Exploring the Dark | Ages 11-15

\$20, Heller Nature Center, 2821 Ridge Rd.

Roast dinner and s'mores over a campfire then take a night hike through the forest with your friends!

Fri Nov 10 | 1-4pm | Luau at the Beach | Ages 6-9

\$20, Rosewood Beach Interpretive Center, 883 Sheridan Rd.

Make leis, learn to hula, build boats and more!

Fri Nov 10 | 6-8pm | Cork and Canvases | Ages 21+

\$25/30, Rosewood Beach Interpretive Center, 883 Sheridan Rd.

Enjoy a lovely evening of painting, conversation and wine with good friends in a serene atmosphere.

Tue Nov 14 | 4-4:55pm | Magic Class | Ages 5-12

\$21/26, West Ridge Center, 636 Ridge Rd.

Learn fascinating tricks from a professional magician!





### 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

## Park District of Highland Park

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## **2017 HALLOWEEN EVENTS**

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Presented by: Highland Park Ba

HIGHLAND PARK BANK & TRUST\*

AWINTRUST COMMUNITY BANK

Sunset Woods Park • Fri Oct 27 • 6:30-9:30pm

"Phantom Manor" Haunted House entry:

\$5 single entry OR \$10 Unlimited Entry Wristband

(Food and beverages are a separate cost.)

- Grab a bite to eat from our food trucks after your stomach has stopped turning!
- Donate \$1 to the SMILE Foundation and roast some marshmallow by the fire.
- Calm your nerves with a craft beer. 21+. Proof of Age Required.

Event is cash only. For more information please call 847.831.3810.



# Family Fri Oct 20 5:30 - 7:30pm West Ridge Center

West Ridge program participants, friends and family are invited to trick-or-treat and play spooky and silly games.

Monster Tennis Bash

Ages 5-14
Sat Oct 28
G-8pm
Deer Creek Racquet Club



Come in costume and play tennis!

Prize for Best in Costume.

\$30\*

\*Members who bring a friend get 50% off fees.

Junior tennis nets will be used for this event.

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Family Sat Oct 28 1-2:20pm Centennial Ice Arena

Wear a Costume & Skate for FREE!\*

\*Regular fees apply for skate rentals and participants not in costume.

## Park District of Highland Park

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## **Arena Flag** Football League

**Boys Grades 3-6** Nov 5-Dec 10

**Highland Park Fieldhouse** 

2205 Skokie Valley Rd.

Grades 3 & 4

Su 4:30-6pm\*

Grades 5 & 6

4:30-6pm\*

\*Games are assigned a 45 minute time slot within the listed time period.

**Registration Deadline:** 

Player Evaluations:

\$129

\$129

For more information contact Brian Dumas at 847.579.3124 or bdumas@pdhp.org.

## **Get into the Ring** with Fall Wrestling



### Little Giants Wrestling Club

Ages 5-14 • Nov 6-Feb 15

Improve your wrestling skills with practices three days a week. Members may compete in dual meets during at various clubs in the north shore.

Highland Park High School

Registration Deadline: Wed Nov 1

For more information contact Eric Golmon at 847.579.3129 or egolmon@pdhp.org. Please inquire about sponsorships.

## egister today at pdhp.org

## gn up today at pdhp.org





Join us for Yoga at **Rosewood Beach!** 

Start your day with a yoga class at the award winning Rosewood Beach.

### **Through Dec 17**

(**No Class** 10/1)

8:45-9:45am Sa

Su 8:30-9:30am

### **PURCHASE OPTIONS:**

Day Pass \$15/17/20 10-Punch Pass \$90/120/150

## For more info visit pdhp.org

### About Us

Enriching community life through healthy leisure pursuits and an



• 636 Ridge Road



**H2O Connect** 

8:30-9:30am

**Agua Fit** Tue: 8:30-9:30am

Mon/Wed/Sat:

Sun:

9:30-10:30am

**Water Warriors** 

Fri: 8:30-9:30am

Zumba

Mon: 6:30-7:25pm Tue/Thu:

9:35-10:35am Sat: 10:45-11:45am

Aqua Zumba Thu: 8:30-9:30am Strictly Strength Mon: 10-10:50am

Sun 9:15-9:55am

Agua Fusion Wed/Fri: 10-11am

Light n' Lively

Mon/Fri: 11-11:55am

Wed:

11:30am-12:30pm

Balance & Tone

Tue: 11:05am-Noon

Thu:

10:35-11:30am

**Gentle Yoga** 

Mon:

Noon-1:15pm

Tai Chi Sun:

10:30-11:30am

Chair Yoga Tue/Thu: Noon-1pm

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

Restorative Yoga

Tue: 6:15-7:30pm

Strength and

Core

Thu: 1:15-2:15pm

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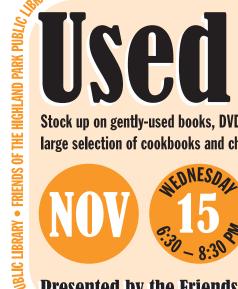
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## Create Computer Art with Scratch

Wednesday, October 18, 4 – 5 PM, Ages 4 – 11. Children under 9 must be accompanied by an adult.

Learn how to use Scratch to produce "modern art" paintings. Registration required. Register at kidsevents.org.



### **Robotics Club**

Thursday, October 19, 3:30 – 4:30 PM, Ages 8 – 14

Join us for a hands-on program and work in teams to build and program robots. This club doesn't require any previous experience with robotics.

## Photoshop Fundamentals

Fridays, October 20, 27, 4 – 5 PM Ages 14 and older

Learn the basics of Adobe Photoshop and explore photo editing techniques to apply to your own photographs. A beginning level class. Basic computer skills are required. Registration required. Register at *hplibrary.org*.

### Meet the New iOS 11

Wednesday, October 25, 4 – 5 PM

Explore new features and capabilities that iOS 11 brings to your Apple device. Take a closer look at how you can get more done quickly and easily. iPads will be available for demo purposes. Registration required. Register at *hplibrary.org*.

### Digitize Your Media

Monday, October 30, 7 – 8 PM

Learn to digitize your VHS tapes, printed photos, 35mm slides, negatives, audio cassettes, and records in the Library's Digital Media Lab.

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Chicago Gospel Legend Pastor Donald Gay performs with Cliff Dubose and Lavelle Lacy, keyboard.

Saturday, November 4, 2 PM Funded by a grant from YEA! Highland Park.



### Let's Read!

### Fall Book Buzz

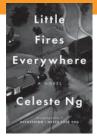
Tuesday, October 17, 7 PM

Publishers' reps will make a special appearance at the Library to highlight fall titles. Looking for ideas for book club selections or what to read next? Don't miss this event!

### Family Reading Night

Thursday, November 16 3:30 – 8:30 PM

Celebrate Family Reading Night with a book character scavenger hunt. Check out a secret book, too — it might be your new favorite! Kids ages 3 – 14 who complete the scavenger hunt receive a prize.



### **BOOK DISCUSSIONS**

Little Fires Everywhere, by Celeste Ng

Tuesday, November 14, 1 PM

Noted book discussion leader Judy Levin leads the discussion.



Discussions with Davis — Hard-Boiled Wonderland And The End Of The World, by Haruki Murakami

Monday, November 6, 7 PM

Davis Schneiderman, English professor at Lake Forest College, leads the discussion.

### Readers' Round Table

Tuesday, October 31, 2 PM

Share your recommendations and pick up a free copy of a new or forthcoming book.



### Small Business Workshop

### Creating Your Value Statement/ Elevator Speech

Monday, November 6, 12 PM Bring a brown bag lunch.

Learn how to grab people's attention and how to create a 15 – 20 second statement, often called an elevator speech, and how to expand your comments when you are given more time to describe your business. Registration required. Register at *hplibrary.org* or call 847.681.7031. Presented by SCORE, a nonprofit association dedicated to entrepreneur education and the formation, growth and success of small business.

Presented with the City of Highland Park's Office of Economic Development and the Highland Park Chamber of Commerce.

### **Business Mentoring**

Tuesdays, 1 – 3 PM, Thursdays, 5 – 8 PM

Register for a one-hour one-on-one mentoring session with a SCORE Chicago counselor, executives and business owners who can help on a variety of business issues. Registration required. Register at *scorechicago.org*.

## Fun With Math

Thursday, November 16, 7 PM

If you are driving at 60 mph, how fast is that in feet per second? Math hobbyist Les Axelrod provides problems like this to solve. Bring a calculator.

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### HP Historical Society Presents:

### Architect William W. Boyington: A Highland Park Legend

Monday, October 30, 7 PM

Julia Johnas, a local historian and author of *Highland Park: Settlement to the 1920s*, presents the life and work of William W. Boyington, a mayor of Highland Park and architect of Chicago's Water Tower and entrance of Rosehill Cemetery.

## That's Entertainment!

# Film Showing & Discussion — 20th Century American Drama

Sunday, November 5, 2 PM

Bob Coscarelli, professor emeritus, College of Lake County, introduces and screens a film starring Cary Grant and Deborah Kerr. A discussion follows.

Presented with the Highland Park Senior Center. Sponsored by Warren Barr North Shore.

### Theatrical Reading — As You Like It

Wednesday, October 25, 6:30 PM

Equity actors from the Shakespeare Project of Chicago perform a theatrical reading of Shakespeare's comedy. Sponsored by the Friends of the Highland Park Public Library.

### Film Discussion

Wednesday, November 8, 7 PM

Film instructor Dick Adler leads the discussion about a film where Richard Gere plays a small time operator who befriends a young politician at a low point in his life.

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### **Muscular System Solutions**

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### **BUSINESS RECOGNITIONS**

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480 Elm Place, Suite 208

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Virginia Gordon is a licensed clinical social worker with over 30 years of experience. Her wide range of experience in hospitals, community family service settings, the work place, the court and the military has contributed to a depth of understanding in addressing clients medical and mental health needs.

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Dr. Jacker has been practicing in Highland Park for 28 years. She is a board certified psychiatrist and psychoanalyst with a special interest in intensive psychotherapy.

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