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HIGHLAND PARK CELEBRATES 150 YEARS OF THE TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILROAD

On Friday, July 26 sometime between 10 AM and 1 PM, Big Boy No. 4014, one of the largest steam locomotives ever built, will pass through Highland Park on the railroad tracks west of Route 41. The Big Boy No. 4014, a one-million pound steam locomotive, is touring the Union Pacific system, taking it through Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, Wisconsin and Wyoming. The trip is part of a nationwide tour celebrating the 150th Anniversary of the Transcontinental Railroad.

Coming out to see our steam locomotives in person?

- Stand back at least 25 feet from all railroad tracks.
- Railroad tracks, trestles, yards and right-of-way are private property - please do not trespass.



- Never assume tracks are abandoned or inactive - ALWAYS expect a train.

[Read Additional Safety Tips...](#)

[Learn more about the Union Pacific Event...](#)

In honor of the event, the Highland Park Historical Society will be presenting 'Celebrating the 150th Anniversary of the Transcontinental Railroad's Completion', a program on the building of the transcontinental railroad and the history of the passenger rail through Highland Park. The program will be held Wednesday, July 24, 2019 at 7 PM in the auditorium of the Highland Park Public Library, 494 Laurel Avenue.

For further information, please contact the Highland Park Historical Society at
847.432.7090.

**FOOD TRUCK THURSDAYS CONTINUES
THROUGH SEPTEMBER 12**

**SIGN UP OPEN FOR SESSION TWO
BAGS LEAGUE**

Sign up for Bags League @ Food Truck Thursdays Jens Jensen Park in the Ravinia District of Highland Park

REGISTRATION
NOW OPEN!

\$30/team
includes t-shirts & goodie bags

Session 1: June 20 - July 25, 6-8PM

Session 2: August 1 - 29, 6-8PM

League Playoff: September 5, 6-8PM

**Cash
Prize**

SIGN UP FORM (21+ only)

Player 1 name _____ email _____ t-shirt size _____

Player 2 name _____ email _____ t-shirt size _____

Payment Cash Check (made out to Ripple Public Relations)

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FOOD TRUCK THURSDAYS



4:30PM TO DUSK
JUNE 6 TIL SEPTEMBER 12



JENS JENSEN PARK



ST. JOHNS & ROGER WILLIAMS

Food Truck Lineup includes:

Edens Garden

The Culinary Gangster

Aztec Daves Food Truck

The Happy Lobster - CHI

Royal Ice Cream Co.

Swirl Cafe

Chicago Lunchbox
Da Pizza Dude
Louie B. Fresh Mobile Kitchen & Catering
Yum Dum Truck
Loop Juice
My Funnel Cake
La Cocinita Food Truck Chicago
The Fat Shallot
Popcorn Jester, Donut Jester & Jester Juice

Like and Follow facebook.com/RaviniaDistrict.HighlandPark for updates to the food truck lineup.



Ravinia District Food Truck Thursdays Music Lineup



<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>
6 The Ravinia Ramblers	11 Waco	1 Radio Free Honduras
13 The Frontburners	18 The Jared Rabin Band	8 La Tosca
20 The Rolling Clones	25 Railheart <i>featuring</i> Dinamita Pereda	15 Tom Holland & The Shuffle Kings
27 The Don Stiernberg Trio		22 The Al Rose Band
		29 Bowmanville
		<u>September</u>
		5 The Bassment Band
		12 The Hoyle Brothers



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**SEEKING NOMINATIONS FOR
 MAYOR'S BEAUTIFICATION AWARD**



2018 Beautification Award Recipient
Crossroads Shopping Center, 113-295 Skokie Valley Road

The Business and Economic Development Advisory Group is accepting nominations for the 2019 Mayor's Beautification Awards which recognize Highland Park property and business owners that have made improvements to enhance visual appeal consistent with the environment and the community. Award recipients receive a Mayoral Certificate; public recognition at a 2019 City Council Meeting, and publicity in *The Highlander*. Below are the eligible business categories the criteria for judging.

Business Categories - Auto Dealership, Commercial / Mixed-Use Development, Service, Restaurant and Retail.

Award Criteria - Appearance, Cleanliness, Consistency, Window Clarity, Code Adherence, Façade Condition and Landscaping.

For the nomination form, visit cityhpil.com/hp-awards or contact the Office of Business Development at 947.026.1046 / mrosen@cityhpil.com to request a form.

Completed nominations must be returned to City Hall, 1707 St. Johns Avenue, Attn: Mayor's Beautification Award; must be postmarked by September 13.

What's Happening?

For detailed information, please click on the event.

[Dayhouse Coworking Programs](#)

Thursday, July 11

Prioritizing Your Business Challenges

Tuesday, July 23

Pass The Pineapple - A Non-Prickly Networking Mixer

Wednesday, July 24

Wellness Pause: Yoga Break

[Live Music at Norton's](#)

Saturday, July 13

Frontburner

[Highland Park Chamber of Commerce](#)

Thursday, July 25 - Saturday, July 27

Sidewalk Sale Days

Saturday, July 27

Kids, Rigs & Heroes

Highland Park Community Foundation

Friday, September 29

Gather For Good Benefit

**D&R Autoworks is now a drop off location for
NSSRA Shining Starts Dress Drive Through April 2020**

Paper Source Kids Camp & Crafting Workshops

The Art Center of Highland Park

Current and Upcoming Exhibits

North Shore Yacht Club

Registration Open for Sailing, Kayak & Paddle Board Classes

SCORE Mentoring at the Highland Park Library

Tuesdays 1PM - 3PM

Thursdays 5PM to 8PM

New Businesses, Events & More

cityhpil.com/thingstodo

For news on happenings in Downtown Highland Park

Visit *downtownhp.com*

Resource Links

Business Directory

Military Discounts

City Code

*Department of Commerce &
Economic Opportunity*

*Job Center of Lake County -
Business Services*

Available Commercial Space

Establishing Your Business

Chamber Of Commerce

*U.S. Small Business
Administration*

*SCORE Business Mentoring and
Workshops*

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