# Huntley's Village Journal

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Summer Concert Series begins June 25

## Farmers Market

The weekly outdoor Farmers Market held in the Town Square has returned! The market, which runs from 8 am to 1 pm, has expanded this year to offer more vendors, events and entertainment for the whole family.

A number of special events are planned for this season:

- June 29 Family Fun Day & Craft Fair Craft Fair July 6
- July 13 Home-Based Business Day
- July 20 Trash to Treasure Fair
- July 27 Christmas in July
- August 3 Craft Fair
- August 10 Home-Based Business Day

# Summer Fun in Huntley

Summer special event season is gearing up in the Village of Huntley! We hope to see you at the fun events we have planned this vear.

Visit www.huntley.il.us for our full calendar of events and additional details.

Be sure to follow us on social media for the latest updates on Village happenings:

#### Facebook: @Huntleylllinois & @HuntleyFarmersMarket @HuntleyIllinois Twitter:

Instagram: @HuntleyIllinois



August 17 August 31 September 7 September 14 September 21 September 28	Trash to Treasure Fair Garden Salsa Competition Craft Fair Home-Based Business Day Trash to Treasure Fair Pie Bake Off
	Pie Bake Off Craft Fair & Fall Fun Day

And while you are downtown, don't forget to check out the other businesses in the area.

a day at the park with family and friends and stay for the annual fireworks display. Pack a

11 am. After the ride, everyone is invited for a community picnic in the Town Square. This event

Join your neighbors and Police Officers to celebrate our police-community partnership and promote crime prevention in our neighborhoods. Come to the Municipal Complex from 6-8 pm

to check out first responder equipment, tour the police facilities and enjoy games and activities

picnic, carry-out from one of our Huntley restaurants or grab some food on-site. Huntley Community Radio (101.5 FM) starts the fun with their Party in the Park at 6 pm. Tune your

radio to 101.5 FM to watch the fireworks set to music, beginning around 9:30 pm.

is free but registration is required. See www.huntley.il.us for the required forms.

# **Summer Concert Series**

Enjoy an evening of music in our beautiful Town Square or Deicke Park! A different band will perform 7-8:30 pm for each concert. Be sure to come early to enjoy dinner or a treat at one of the many food establishments downtown. In the event of rain, concerts will be held in the Rec Center Theater.

# **Town Square Concerts**

for the whole family.

June 25 Chicago Tribute Anthology July 2 Mr. Myers The Blooze Brothers July 16 July 30 7th Heaven The Four C Notes August 13 August 20 American English

Independence Day Fireworks Show - July 4 @ Deicke Park

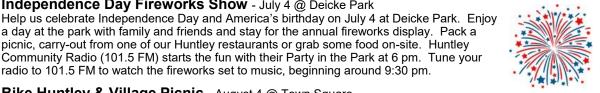
Bike Huntley & Village Picnic - August 4 @ Town Square

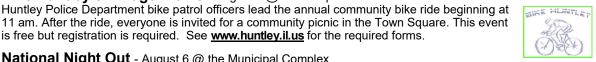
National Night Out - August 6 @ the Municipal Complex

# **Deicke Park Concerts**

June 28 DJ in the Park Ethan Bell July 9 July 23 Speak Out









Movie in the Park: Mary Poppins Returns - August 9 @ Parisek Park Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and join us for a free showing of Mary Poppins Returns in Parisek Park. Come early to enjoy family-friendly activities beginning at 7 pm. Grab dinner and plenty of snacks from one of our vendors or bring a picnic. The movie will begin at dusk (approximately 8:30 pm). Plenty of parking is available in the Library and Municipal Complex lots.

# Local Microbrewery Sew Hop'd Now Open!

For those who haven't heard all the chatter, Sew Hop'd Brewery officially opened for business in late April. "We've had a tremendous welcome and have been happily surprised with the large crowds stopping in to check us out," said co-owner Terry Hitpas. "We look forward to building a loyal following here in Huntley."

Phone: 815-701-8819

Sew Hop'd Brewery is a wonderful venue for the whole family. They have a great selection of freshly brewed beers on tap, soft drinks, fun family games and offer a comfortable setting, indoors and out. Bring your own food or snacks, have something delivered, or plan your visit when they have a Food Truck scheduled. The brewery is located at the south end of the Union Special Building (west side of Route 47, just north of Borden Street).

Sew Hop'd BreweryOne Union Special Plaza, Suite 113Tuesday through Thursday: 4-10 pmFriday: 2-11 pmwww.sewhopd.comFacebook: @SewHopdBrewery

# New Board Sworn In

Three incumbent trustees were re-elected in April and sworn in at the conclusion of the May 9 Village Board meeting. Trustee Harry Leopold has served on the Village Board since 2003. Trustee Niko Kanakaris has served since 2007, and Trustee Tim Hoeft has served since 2015.

# Mosquito Control Efforts

With May being the wettest on record and temperatures on the rise, we are bracing for an intense start to mosquito season in Illinois. If weather conditions hold, multiple broods of floodwater mosquitoes are expected to hatch off by the end of June and nuisance levels will be high.

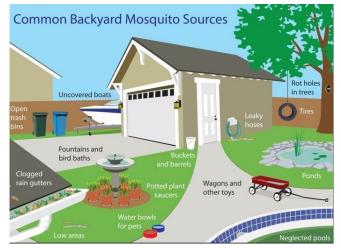
Clarke Environmental began spraying the week of June 10 for mosquitos. Additionally, in early June Public Works installed extended release tablets into catch basins and inlets to help reduce the mosquito breeding. Here are some steps residents can take to help control mosquito breeding and exposure:

**Tip & toss** any standing water around their properties to prevent mosquito breeding. Larval source reduction is the single-most important thing residents can do to stay safe and comfortable outdoors.

The public should **limit their exposure** to mosquito bites to avoid health issues. Avoid being outside when mosquitoes are most active at dawn and dusk. Wear long pants and long sleeves when possible and apply a CDCrecommended repellent whenever outdoors.

Residents should **report standing water and nuisance levels** so problematic breeding sites can be addressed. You can use Clarke's new online Resident Hotline to report this and sign up for text or email notifications for scheduled adult mosquito control applications in your area. Access the portal at <u>https://www.clarkeportal.com/hotline</u>.

If you have any additional questions you can view the Village Mosquito Abatement Program at <u>www.huntley.il.us</u> or contact Public Works at 847-515-5222.



# Saturday: 12-11 pm Sunday: 12-7 pm Instagram: <u>@SewHopdBrewery</u>

# LETR for Special Olympics

The Huntley Police Department is a proud participant in the Law Enforcement Torch Run (LETR), the single largest year-round fundraising event benefiting Special Olympics Illinois. There are several opportunities to support this great cause, while also interacting with your officers and local Special Olympic Athletes.

## Tom Peck Car Show June 22, 9 am - 3 pm

Join us at Tom Peck Ford (13900 Automall Drive) for the 19th Annual Classic Car and Hot Rod Show. Come out to enjoy classic cars, good food, music and more with all proceeds benefiting Special Olympics.

**Ice Cream Social at the Farmers Market** June 29, 10 am - 1 pm While visiting the Farmers Market on the Town Square for Family Fun Day, come to our booth to enjoy a frozen treat from Culver's and meet your local Special Olympics Athletes.

# Tip a Cop July 13, 10:30 am - 3 pm

Officers and Special Olympic Athletes pair up to be your servers at Culver's of Huntley. Enjoy a delicious meal or treat while supporting a great cause.

## Trick or Treat Trot 5K October 20, 11 am

Join us for a fun run, trot or stroll around downtown Huntley to raise money and awareness. Be sure to get in the Halloween spirit and dress up for this fun event.

For more information, please see <u>www.huntley.il.us</u>, follow us on Facebook and Twitter (@HuntleyPolice) or contact Sergeant Williams at 847-515-5311.

# Lock It or Lose It

As the temperatures rise, we also see a rise in petty property crime. The Huntley Police Department takes proactive measures to combat this trend, such as increased presence in affected neighborhoods, directed foot and bike patrols, and investigation of reported incidents. While we do what we can to fight this problem, there are some important (and simple) things residents can do to help as well: lock your vehicle, secure your valuables and report suspicious activity.



## Lock Your Vehicle

The majority of vehicles burglarized in our community are unlocked. Generally, if a vehicle is locked the would-be burglar will pass that vehicle by.

Locking your vehicle may seem like common sense, but we often get lulled into a sense of complacency or simply forget to lock our vehicle, especially when it is parked in the driveway. Try to incorporate this into your nightly routine. Before locking up the house for the night, check that your car is locked and all valuables are removed.

## Secure Your Valuables

If you don't lock your vehicle and secure your valuables, you're making them an easy target for crime. Even locked vehicles can fall victim to burglary. This generally happens in public parking lots when valuables are left in plain view. Even if you are leaving your car for a very short time, lock the doors and don't leave items such as purses, wallets or electronics in plain view.

## **Report Suspicious Activity**

Huntley's observant and engaged citizens are one of our greatest crime fighting tools. Be vigilant of your property and that of your neighbors. If you see anything suspicious, be sure to call 9-1-1 promptly so law enforcement can respond to the location and investigate.

