

HUNTLEY'S

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Village Journal



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The Veteran's Memorial, located in the Huntley Town Square symbolizes gratitude and appreciation towards our Veterans. Dedicated July 2, 2016, "In honor of all who served." The front of the wall depicts the emblems of 5 branches of the Armed Forces plus the National Guard. The back of the wall has a mural depicting scenes from all branches of the military.

Village Offices Closed

Thanksgiving holiday
November 26-27

Christmas holiday
December 24-25

Winter weather is just around the corner!

The Village Public Works team clears snow on approximately 132 centerline miles of roadway and 173 cul-de-sacs or eyebrows. Please help keep the roads free of snow and ice as much as possible by following some simple guidelines:

Parking: On-street parking is currently prohibited between the hours of 2:00 a.m. through 6:00 a.m. and at any time within eight (8) hours after a snowfall of two (2) inches or more has occurred.

Driveways: Depositing snow from driveways and walks into the street is prohibited by Village ordinance and creates a traffic hazard by leaving windrows or piles of snow in travel lanes. When clearing driveway aprons, property owners are encouraged to deposit snow in the parkway to the right side of the driveway (as you face the street) and as far away from the curb-line as possible. This will limit the amount of snow that the Village plow deposits into driveways as the streets are cleared.

To learn more, please view the Village of Huntley [Snow and Ice Control Plan](#) or the [Snow Removal Frequently Asked Questions](#).

Indoor Farmers Market

Join us on the second Saturday of each month through May and continue enjoying the homegrown and homemade items from our local family farms and vendors.



This year, the indoor markets are held in the Legion Hall (11712 Coral Street) and outside the building from 9 am to 1 pm.

Booths are socially distanced and masks must be worn by all. Curbside delivery is also available. Learn more at www.huntley.il.us.

Shop Huntley for the Holidays

The holidays are a great time to support our local businesses. Grab dinner from your favorite restaurant—and pick up a restaurant gift card for someone on your shopping list. With all of Huntley's great restaurants, you'll be finished with your shopping in no time! Having your hair or nails done, grab a gift card. Treating yourself to your favorite goody, grab a gift card. Shopping for yourself? What a great time to grab a gift for someone on your list. You get the idea - Shop Huntley!



Special Events in Huntley

ALL SPECIAL EVENT SCHEDULES ARE TENTATIVE

Check www.huntley.il.us often for up to date scheduling information, full details and additional upcoming events.

A VERY MERRY HUNTLEY 2020 Schedule of Events

November 1 – December 1 | Register for the Holiday Home & Business Decorating Contest

Let's ring in the 2020 Holidays by lighting up the town! If you would like to enter your Huntley home or business, visit the Special Events page at: www.huntley.il.us Participation is open to all residents and businesses within Huntley Village limits. Entry is free. Entry forms must be received no later than 5 pm on Tuesday, December 1, 2020.

Beginning December 1

Kids - you are invited to visit the Huntley Area Public Library (11000 Ruth Road) and pick up your Holiday Goodie Bag including the first-ever Very Merry Huntley Activity Book (while supplies last). Explore all of the Virtual Very Merry Huntley events offered by the library at <https://www.huntleylibrary.org/vvmh/>

December 5 – 12 | Shop and Dine Ornament Hunt

Find a Huntley Ornament in the Town Square/Downtown and open it up to discover your prize! It could be something free from one of our businesses, a discount coupon, gift card or another surprise! Thank you in advance for shopping Huntley first! See the Special Events page for details.

Saturday, December 5 | A Very Merry Huntley

Town Square Event - On Coral Street between Church Street and Woodstock Street

Join us for a day of fun events! Activities to include: • Scholastic Book Fair • Santa in the Gazebo (bring your Letter to Santa, a letter template is available on the website) • Tree Decorating Contest Voting (proceeds to the Grafton Food Pantry) • Free Holiday Crafts-to-Go in the Kids Tent • Visit the Reindeer • Huntley Holiday Express.... and more! Full details available on the Special Events page at www.huntley.il.us

Beginning December 5 | Huntley Holiday Home and Business Decorating Contest Viewing

Check out the entries to the Huntley Holiday Home and Business Decorating Contest from the comfort of your cozy car! Starting December 5th the list of participating homes and businesses will be posted at: www.huntley.il.us



Check the Village Website for information on participating in the Village of Huntley Toys for Tots campaign this holiday season. The mission of the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots Program is to collect new, unwrapped toys during November and December each year, and distribute those toys as Christmas gifts.



Bingo Cards and rules can be found on huntleyfirst.com. Game ends 12/7/2020. Cards will be accepted until 11:59 pm via email or drop off at Village Hall. Have fun!



Wreaths Across America — December 19

On December 19, a local and nationwide ceremony will take place as fresh wreaths are laid on the graves of our veterans. The Huntley Cemetery is honored to have been chosen by the Fox River Valley Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) to sponsor Wreaths Across America 2020. Huntley Legion Post #673 has generously sponsored the wreaths for the veterans at the St Mary Cemetery and will also participate in the event. Additional information is available on the Village of Huntley Cemetery page.



From the Huntley Police Department - Beware of Fraud

Recently the Huntley Police Department met with a victim of an attempted financial fraud. The victim had been contacted via telephone by a subject claiming to be from the FBI. The caller told the victim that they were the primary suspect in an investigation involving money laundering and drug trafficking. The caller also told the victim that her social security number had been compromised and that new bank accounts were being opened in her name. They then instructed her to go to the bank to withdraw all of her funds. Luckily, when the victim arrived at the bank, employees familiar with the victim's circumstances became suspicious of the story and contacted the Huntley Police Department to meet with the victim. While the on-scene officer was meeting with the victim, a call from the fraudster came in. The officer answered the call and identified himself, at which time the suspect hung up. Thankfully, in this case, the scam was not successful and the victim did not release any personal identification or funds to the suspect. Residents are reminded to be aware of such scams in which funds are being requested to be withdrawn. No legitimate law enforcement agency will require funds to be transferred, or moved via a telephone conversation. Anytime unsolicited financial or personal information is requested, always seek assistance from a reputable known contact to investigate the matter. For additional information and resources concerning identity theft, please visit the Federal Trade Commission at IdentityTheft.gov. It is also suggested that you regularly check the three credit bureaus for suspicious activity: TransUnion.com, Equifax.com and Experian.com. Contact local law enforcement with questions.