

## **Village to host Patriot Day events**

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Tinley Park will honor the 20th anniversary of 9/11 this Patriot Day with a series of events in Downtown Tinley. Events begin with a ceremony at 7:30 a.m. Saturday at Fire Station 46, 17355 S. 68th Court, featuring a bag piper, a speech by Mayor Michael Glotz, a moment of silence, and a chance to view the Village's World Trade Center beam. The event will be streamed live [on the Village's Facebook page](#).

The day will continue with the [Tinley Park Fire Prevention Open House](#) from 9 to 11 a.m. at Station 46. Come out to practice fire safety drills, learn hands-only CPR, take the Junior Firefighter Challenge and see other fire safety displays.

Everyone is invited to stop by the Downtown Tinley Farmers Market from 9 to 11:30 a.m. in Zabrocki Plaza to see a patriotic performance by the Tinley Park Community Band's "Sax in the Suburbs" ensemble and peruse a great selection of fruits, vegetables and fresh flowers.

The Austin Edwards Band will close out the day's events with a concert honoring first responders from 8 to 10 p.m. in Zabrocki Plaza. You might recognize Austin Edwards as one half of the duo Broken Roots, which finished as a first-runner-up on the TV show America's Got Talent in 2020.

Come early to listen to performances by the Tinley Park High School Symphonic Band from 6:30 to 7 p.m. and the 144th Illinois Army National Guard Band from Chicago from 7:15 to 7:50 p.m. Patriotic patches and T-shirts will be sold.