

VILLAGE OF Glenview

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GLENVIEW'S TAX ABATEMENT

As reported in the *Chicago Tribune*, many Cook County suburbs have raised municipal property taxes drastically (Palatine by 78.1%, Morton Grove by 57.7%, Berwyn by 35.9%, Evergreen Park by 27.2%, Elk Grove Village by 25.3%, Niles by 21.4%, Evanston by 19.4%, and so on), while ONLY FOUR, Glenview leading the list, have LOWERED TAXES.

Of the 20 largest Cook County suburbs, Glenview lowered municipal property taxes 11%, Mount Prospect 9.2%, Oak Park 5.3% and Oak Lawn 4.5%.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC FOR AGES 1-18

A free Immunization Clinic is set for Wednesday, May 7, from 5 to 7 PM, at Washington School (at the corner of Golf and Washington Roads).

Free immunization shots are for measles, rubella, polio, tetanus, diphtheria and whooping cough, and will be administered to any child in good health (without allergies or asthma) aged one through 18, if accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Immunization records, if available, should be brought along.

This Clinic is sponsored by the Health Departments of Glenview and Morton Grove and the Cook County Department of Public Health, and is open to any resident of the County.

NOISE (National Organization to Insure a Sound-Controlled Environment), of which Glenview is a member, watchdogs national legislation to control commercial aircraft noise pollution.

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NORTRAN (North Suburban Mass Transit) is now eight years old. Ridership is up 45% over last year at this time — and last year's total was up 46% over 1978! Service improves steadily. This month marks completion of installation of two-way radios in all NORTRAN buses, further increasing passenger safety and convenience.

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"MINNESOTA STRIP," starring Hal Holbrook, a made-for-TV movie to be seen May 4 on ABC, was partly filmed in our West Fork Green Park. Watch for a NORTRAN bus in one of the scenes.

NEW VILLAGE VEHICLE STICKERS

Application forms for 1980-81 Village Vehicle Stickers are being mailed to reach you on May 1, and stickers will go on sale May 1 at the Village Hall. (New residents who do not have Illinois license plates registered to a Glenview address must go to the Village Hall to buy Village Stickers.) Prices of 1980-81 Village Vehicle Stickers are as follows:

\$10 for a car under 35 hp, and \$20 for a car over 35 hp, between MAY 1 AND JUNE 30.

On July 1, prices go up to \$12.50 (under 35 hp) and \$25 (over 35 hp).

On August 1, prices go up AGAIN — to \$15 (under 35 hp) and \$30 (over 35 hp).

As you can plainly see, it is to your advantage to get your sticker during May and June. Just sign and return the application form, with your check, as soon as you receive it in the mail. If you haven't received one by mail, you didn't have a Glenview Vehicle Sticker last year, and you must come to the Village Hall in person.

Senior citizens are entitled to the low prices of \$3.75 for a car under 35 hp, and \$7.50 for a car over 35 hp (only one senior discount per household).

CENSUS JOBS STILL AVAILABLE

The 1980 Census begins this month. Please cooperate with the census takers, because Glenview's allotment of State and Federal funds is based upon our population count.

THERE ARE STILL JOBS AVAILABLE for field workers, who visit local households and interview residents. The work is full-time, while it lasts, and you can earn some pin money while serving Glenview in a valuable capacity. If you would like to work, please call June Brandvik at 695-4558 or 4559.

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THE BLOOD DRAWING scheduled for May 13 has been cancelled. Donors willing to give blood in May should go to the North Suburban Blood Center, 1225 Milwaukee Avenue, Glenview. The next blood drawing at the Fire Station will be July 8, from 3 to 7 PM.

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Announcing the 13th annual
CIVIC AWARDS NIGHT



Glenview's 13th annual Civic Awards Night dinner will be held on Thursday, May 15, at the North Shore Country Club. Tickets are available at the Chamber of Commerce, 1545 Waukegan Road, \$16 each.

The event is sponsored each year by local service clubs - Rotary, Lions, Kiwanis, Optimists, and the Chamber of Commerce.

Four presentations will be made:

- THE GLENVIEW YOUTH AWARD - to a resident of high-school age who has significantly contributed to school, family or community life by helping others *outside the normal course of events*, serving as a good example to other young people.
- THE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD - to someone who either lives or works in Glenview who has performed *outstanding community service benefiting a large number of people*. (Elected officials and Village employees are not eligible for this award.)
- THE PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD - to someone who has given *direct support to public authorities or performed an outstanding act of bravery*. (Police officers and firefighters are not eligible for this award.)
- THE PUBLIC SAFETY AWARD - to a police officer or firefighter who has performed *an outstanding act or service in line of duty*.

Nominations close at 5 PM on Friday, May 9. Please make yours on the form printed here (or write your own letter, if you wish), and submit to Chief Bartlett as soon as possible. *DO IT RIGHT NOW, before you forget and miss the deadline!*

-----Cut off and mail-----

TO: Chief William P. Bartlett
1215 Waukegan Road
Glenview IL 60025

I NOMINATE _____
for the _____ Award.

MY REASONS: _____

(Signed) _____

Address: _____

Telephone numbers: _____

TAKE YOUR OLD NEWSPAPERS to the paper bin on the parking lot of OLPH Church, any time except between 8:30 AM and 3:30 PM school days. NO MAGAZINES OR CARDBOARD ACCEPTED.

LIFE-SAVING PROGRAM ON WAY

Glenbrook and Evanston Hospitals Auxiliary, in cooperation with our Fire and Police Departments, will soon introduce the Vial of Life - watch local newspapers during the week of May 4 to find out where to get a free kit containing a vial, medical forms for each household member, and a sticker.

Complete a form for each family member, put them into the vial, and tape the vial to the inside of the refrigerator door. Put the sticker on the outside of the refrigerator door. If an emergency occurs, rescuers can head for the kitchen to get the medical history of the stricken person.

The program is for everyone, but is especially valuable to seniors, persons living alone, and those on continuing medication.

1980 FIFTY-FIFTY SIDEWALK PROGRAM

If the public sidewalk adjacent to your property is in hazardous condition, and if you are willing to pay 50% of the cost of replacement (\$27 per 5-foot square), please fill out and return the application form *immediately*.

The contractor will begin work at the end of May, so *your application must reach the Village Hall no later than Friday, May 16*.

You are required to pay for your square(s) at the time of application. Please make your check payable to the Village of Glenview.

----- CUT OFF AND MAIL -----

TO: Public Works Department
Village Hall
Glenview IL 60025

Please replace _____ square(s) of public sidewalk adjacent to my property at _____.

I understand the total cost to me is \$27 per five foot square.

My check for _____ square(s), totalling \$_____, is enclosed.

IMPORTANT: Please enclose a rough sketch, diagramming your house, lot and the approximate location of the sidewalk to be replaced.

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NAME _____ PHONE _____

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK • • • BARGAIN!

This year's National Library Week (April 13-19) has for its theme, "America's Greatest Bargain." An Open House will be held at the Glenview Library on Tuesday, April 15, between 10 and 4, and all residents are cordially invited to come, browse through our new materials and have some coffee.

On Wednesday, April 16, Judy Kamaryt of the North Cook County Heart Association discusses ways to prevent heart disease and how to live with it if you have it. 7:30, Maynard Room.

On Friday, April 18, an Alfred Hitchcock film classic will be shown at 7:30 in the Maynard Room. (Please call the Library, 724-5200, for the title - film company agreements make it illegal for us to advertise it.)

On Saturday, April 19, at 2 PM, biochemist Donald Berrnett of the Suburbia Medical Center lectures on nutrition and fitness during the aging process.

On Tuesday, April 22, at 2 PM in the Maynard Room, you can learn about health and social services available to Glenview residents, in an informal discussion with representatives of the Village Health Department, Northfield Township, the Visiting Nurses' Association, FISH, and others. Topics include the North Suburban Blood Center, Village sanitation, the Meals-on-Wheels program, Township social services, and the work of the local chapter of the American Cancer Society.

COMING IN MAY: A Calligraphy Workshop conducted by John Weber on Saturdays (May 10, 17 and 24, 10-11:30 in the Maynard Room). Class size limited to 15. Register now at the Adult Services Desk.

INTERNATIONAL NIGHT, Wednesday, May 14, 7:30 PM, Maynard Room, with Jane Shepstone taking you on a trip to Iceland.

For the children at the Library:

FAMILY READ-ALoud FESTIVAL, April 15-26, part of the National Library Week celebration. (For more information call the Children's Department at 724-5200.)

SKITS BY THE DRAMA CLUB of Glenbrook South High School, Saturday, April 26, 2 PM. (Free, and no tickets required.)

WATCH FOR ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE SUMMER PROGRAM for children, including a reading game and other fun for patrons of preschool age through eighth grade.

CARE OF NEW PARKWAY TREES

What to do this spring and summer for that new parkway tree you had planted last fall: ★ MIX IN the mulch at the base of the trunk with a fork or hoe, and keep the base cultivated to allow water and air to get to the roots. ★ LEAVE WRAPPING ON the trunk until it falls off by itself (takes about two years), to protect the tree from sun scald and lawn-mower damage. ★ DO NOT OVERWATER. When the soil is so dry it doesn't stick together when squeezed, water thoroughly. ★ DO NOT FERTILIZE THIS YEAR. Enough is already in the ball to nourish the tree through this year, and adding more will kill off new roots underground. (Call Public Works at 724-1700 if you have questions.)

During the month of March THE GLENVIEW BOARD OF TRUSTEES • • • • •

¶ Accepted bids from Meilahn Manufacturing of Chicago (\$9,988.50) and Landgraf's Ltd. of Aurora (\$104,987.50) for furniture for the new Village Hall.

¶ Accepted the bid of Efram Carlson and Son, Inc. (\$35,617) for a new roof for the Laramie pumping station.

¶ Modified the building code to permit single exits in senior citizen housing, with additional fire protection (automatic smoke doors, sprinklers, etc.) to assure safety of egress.

¶ Increased the liquor pouring licenses by one for a new restaurant in the Plaza del Prado shopping center, and created a Class H license (for pouring of beer and wine only) for the Park District golf course.

¶ Repealed the old ordinance re Swainwood lighting district and established a new one, for the purpose of taking bids for new street lighting that will be added to tax bills of *Swainwood residents only*.

¶ Denied rezoning of four acres at 2501 Pffingsten, designated R-1 (for residential use).

¶ Amended the Official Map to designate unincorporated areas surrounding The Grove for one- and two-acre single-family residences, offices and research use.

¶ Approved allowing paramedic personnel to choose to which, among five hospitals, they will deliver a patient in a life-saving situation. (The five hospitals are Evanston, Glenbrook, Holy Family, Lutheran General and Skokie Valley.) Residents should understand that such delivery is *only to save the person's life*, not to obligate the person to an extended stay or treatment. Once the emergency is over, the patient can be moved anywhere desired.

¶ Declined a request from the Village of Golf to provide a water supply currently being furnished by the Village of Morton Grove.

¶ Dissolved the Environmental Quality Commission.

¶ Approved a May 26 Memorial Day Parade and a June 28 Street Sale.

SPECIAL BULLETINS • • •

BORROWED SICKROOM SUPPLIES no longer needed should be returned Saturday, April 19, between 10 AM and 1 PM, to the Fire Station. Someone from the Nurses' Association will be there to receive them. If you have sickroom equipment to donate, it will be most welcome. To borrow, call Gloria Lowe at 724-4442 or Kristin Even at 729-6416.

"SELF PORTRAIT," a documentary of the life and work of Carl Don Marr, German artist, will be seen at 3 PM Sunday, April 20, at 1121 Waukegan Road, courtesy of the Glenview Area Historical Society. Admission is free.

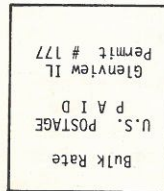
A RAPE PREVENTION program will be given Thursday and Friday, April 24 and 25, 7 to 10 PM, at the Glenview Evangelical Free Church, Golf and Shermer Roads. Karen London of our Police Department Social Service Unit will be one of the speakers.



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FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

THE SENIOR CENTER is in the Rugen Community Building, 901 Shermer Road, telephone 724-4793. All activities are held at the Center, unless otherwise indicated. Call the Center for registration, consultation, or any further information.

FISH is always seeking volunteers of all ages to answer phones and do volunteer driving for those in need, part-time, full-time, any time. Call Julie Bennett at 272-6659.

A BRIDGE AFTERNOON FOR SENIOR COUPLES is being planned. If you are interested, please call.

BLOOD-PRESSURE TESTING is available every Thursday between 11:30 and 12:30.

ARMCHAIR TRAVELS - every second Monday, 10:30 AM.

MEN'S EXERCISE CLINIC to get in shape for the summer - call for date and time.

DIAL-A-RIDE is for everyone over 65. Get your ID and tickets at the Township office.

COUNSELING AND ASSISTANCE are available every Tuesday and Thursday, or other days by special appointment.

LADIES' FREE EXERCISE CLINIC - Tuesday, April 22, 11:45 AM, in the gym, under guidance of a social worker. Medically-approved stretching and breathing exercises help combat high blood pressure, backaches, stiffness and lack of energy.

GLENVIEW DENTIST Dr. Robert Gordon speaks Friday, April 25, 11:30 AM, on dental health, and will answer questions about teeth, gums and dentures. No charge.

THE OLDER WIDOW OR WIDOWER - Begins May 1, 1 to 2:30 PM on Thursdays for four weeks. Open to widowed persons over 55 who need support or help in adjusting to the new role, and can share feelings of loneliness and insecurity with others. For reservations call between 9 AM and 1 PM.

MEET CROSSING GUARD ANITA HAHN

Anita Hahn began working as a Police Department School Crossing Guard last winter during the "big snow."

She puts in four hours every school day at the Sunset Ridge-Hollywood intersection, which is in her own neighborhood where she knows most of the children she helps across the street. Three are her own!



(Police Department photo by Officer Pat Carey.)

HOW TO GET GAS FOR LESS THAN 35¢ A GALLON: Take three other people with you and share the cost!

SHAPE (Senior Health Action Program of Evanston) begins "Health after 60" at our Center on Wednesday, May 7, 10:30 to noon, continuing for eight weeks, co-sponsored by the Glenview Health Department, our Senior Citizen Club and the Visiting Nurse Association. Exercise incorporates modified yoga, flexibility, stretching, breathing and relaxation. Discussion covers aches and pains, stress, nutrition, safety and proper use of medicine. Advance registration is required, and \$2 for materials is payable at the first session.

SENIOR CITIZENS SEEKING EMPLOYMENT and BUSINESS FIRMS SEEKING RELIABLE HELP: register with "Jobs for Seniors," a free employment service offered by the North Shore Senior Center, 620 Lincoln Avenue, Winnetka (in the Winnetka Community House). If you are interested, call 446-8750 and ask for "Jobs for Seniors."