

VILLAGE OF Glenview

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MOSQUITO ABATEMENT REFERENDUM

Petitions for a referendum to annex certain areas of Glenview to the North Shore Mosquito Abatement District must be circulated by residents of the areas involved and returned to the Village Hall by noon on Monday, May 15. Forms are available at the Health Department, Village Hall.

Areas involved are between Harlem and Washington south of Central (in Maine Township), and everything west of Pfingsten (in Northfield Township). These are the only parts of Glenview not already in the mosquito abatement district. If you are a resident of either area and willing to carry a petition, your help will be much appreciated.

The tax for belonging to the district is less than \$4 per household per year, well worth the price when you consider that mosquito abatement is the best known defense against several forms of encephalitis.

PARKWAY ELMS

to be sprayed this month

All Glenview parkway elms will be sprayed during the month of April. All spraying will be done at night.

It may surprise you, but it's a fact that during a one-month period there are only a few nights when temperature and air currents are suitable for successful spraying.

Nevertheless, the contractor will give you advance notice by placing a flyer in your front door. When you receive the notice, please make sure all family cars are garaged. *The spraying compound will not come off easily, so do not park a car on the street if there are elms on parkways in your block.*

Our spraying contractor is careful to protect private property insofar as he is able, but there is little he can do about cars parked on the street. Please cooperate when you receive your flyer.

LOCAL NORTRAN BUS SERVICE has been further improved with a new bus at 8:40 AM. Ask the driver for a new schedule, or get one at the station.

Village officials issue FRAUD WARNINGS

Village officials, on the advice of the Federal Trade Commission's Chicago office, warn that solicitors are going door to door or calling on the telephone to sell so-called insulation material that may not meet the necessary fire retarding standards.

If you buy insulation — or anything else, for that matter — make sure you are dealing with a reputable company. All reputable firms are listed in the phone book. A fly-by-night operator is not. He hires an answering service for a month while he fleeces the neighborhood, and has no known address.

When you decide to purchase something, shop for it carefully *on your own*. Get prices from two or more dealers. Ask for references if there is any installation work to be done.

This advice goes for insulation, driveway surfacing, landscaping, furnace or chimney cleaning and repairs, upholstery, carpeting, home cleaning services — you name it. Spring is an especially good "sucker season" for fly-by-night solicitors ... don't be their victim!

Please help the Village FOIL WATER THIEVES

Private tree-sprayers and landscapers are *not allowed to open Glenview hydrants*. If they do so, they are stealing water.

If you see a private contractor making use of a hydrant, please call police at 729-5000, and a member of the Police Department will check out the matter. If there is a company truck involved, please make a note of the firm name and report that to the police when you call.

THE FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU ADVISES that when you do your spring cleanup you should throw out all left-over paints, thinners, oily rags and adhesives, along with unused furniture, clothing and papers. The less you have in the way of unused storage materials, the less there is to feed a fire. Make sure the fuel for your lawnmower is properly stored in an approved container, and remember to fill the machine OUTDOORS in the open air.

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Announcing the 11th annual
CIVIC AWARDS NIGHT

Glenview's 11th annual Civic Awards Night dinner will be held on Thursday, May 18, at the North Shore Country Club. Tickets are available at the Chamber of Commerce, 1545 Waukegan Road, \$12.50 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 12. 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!**

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

I NOMINATE _____
for the _____ Award.

MY REASONS: _____

(Signed) _____

Address: _____

Telephone numbers: _____

A thumbnail sketch of the
GLENVIEW APPEARANCE COMMISSION

The Glenview Appearance Commission, created by local ordinance, acts upon matters relating to the appearance of designated areas, as authorized by the Appearance Code.

A certificate of appropriateness must be issued by the Appearance Commission before a building permit can be obtained for construction, alteration or repair of any building in these categories: planned development, multiple-family dwellings, business and commercial properties, hospitals and public lands.

Prior to issuance of the certificate, hearings are held, as necessary, so that Commissioners may review exterior design drawings, landscaping, site plans and materials for any proposed development in the categories listed above. The Commission also reviews plans and designs for public improvements.

The Commission's policy is that buildings should be appropriate to and compatible with neighborhood character, and cause no substantial depreciation in property values. Such matters as light, air and privacy are taken into consideration.

The Commission has no power to arbitrate taste or style, but does seek to modify such plans or designs as are not in keeping with the policy outlined above.

Commissioners must be residents of Glenview, three of whom are architects but who do not work primarily in the Village. One must be an owner of local business property or a corporate officer of a local firm. They are appointed by the Village President for three-year terms.

Current Chairperson of the Appearance Commission is Sherwin J. Braun. Other Commissioners are A. Arnold Anderson, Royce Masterson and Ralph Synnsted, Jr. There is currently one vacancy.



IF YOU KEEP A DOG, it is your responsibility to clean up and properly dispose of excrement left on public OR private property, anywhere in the Village.

This is clearly stated in our Animal Ordinance, and you can be prosecuted for violations.

GLENVIEW POLICE PERSONNEL are now going from house to house, checking to see that all resident dogs and cats are properly licensed. Owners of unlicensed pets receive citations and must pay fines in addition to having to purchase current licenses. (If your pooch or pussy-cat is not wearing a 1978 license tag, take care of the matter immediately at the Village Hall and save yourself a fine.)

OUR ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER ADVISES you to check the screening over the tops of your chimneys. Please do this as soon as possible, because raccoons are now seeking spring nesting places. If they get into your chimney because the screening has rusted out or deteriorated in any way, they will tumble down and end up inside your house - a troublesome event for the animal, the Animal Control Officer, and - most of all - YOU!

This is your LAST CHANCE to apply for
THIS YEAR'S SIDEWALK REPAIRS

Our Municipal Code requires property owners to maintain public sidewalks adjacent to their properties. To help defray expenses to owners of residential properties, the Village offers to pay half the cost of removing and replacing broken, settled or dangerous sections of public sidewalk, hiring a contractor to do the work. Because of the volume, we are able to get a good price.

Your share of replacing a 5' square is only \$17.25, and you must pay for your squares at the time you make your application (see below). If you wish to participate this year, please fill out the application form, indicating the number of squares you need and where they should go. (Attach a piece of paper if you need more room for your diagram.) A member of the Village staff will call to confirm the order, the location, and answer any questions.

The contractor will begin work about May 15 and finish about June 15, weather permitting. RETURN THE FORM BELOW ON OR BEFORE MONDAY, APRIL 17. Village funds for this program are limited, and applications will be accepted in the order received. Make checks payable to the Village.

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TO: VILLAGE HALL, 1930 Prairie St., Glenview IL 60025

Please replace _____ squares of public sidewalk adjacent to my property at _____

I understand the total cost to me is \$17.25 per 5' square. Enclosed is my check for

_____ squares, totalling \$ _____

(Please make a rough sketch below, diagramming your house, lot, and the approximate location of the sidewalk to be replaced.)

DIAGRAM

NAME _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

A NEW SLIM AND TRIM SERIES begins Tuesday, April 11, 7:30 PM, Hoffman School gym, 2000 Harrison Street. There will be six weekly sessions, excluding May 2, running through May 23. The free exercise and yoga is sponsored by the Glenview Health Department and conducted by volunteer Jane Reidy. You are invited to attend. Wear loose and comfortable clothing and please bring a floor mat.

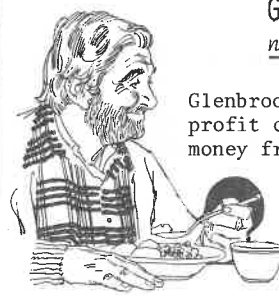
THE FIRE DEPARTMENT IS OFFERING one more free Babysitter Orientation this spring - from Thursday, May 4, through Thursday, June 1. YOU MUST ENROLL IN ADVANCE. Space is limited, so please hurry. Enrollment forms are at the Village Hall, the Fire Station, and the office of Springman Junior High School.

During the month of March
THE GLENVIEW TRUSTEES ...

- Approved allocation of \$250,000 in Motor Fuel Tax funds for street maintenance for the coming season.
- Awarded a contract for an interconnection between our well-water systems (on Lake Avenue east of Pfingsten Road) and an interconnection between well-water systems and the lake-water system (on Glenview Road at Prairie Lawn), to Di Paolo Company of Niles, for \$112,792.50.
- Accepted the bid (\$58,979) of Illinois FWD of Rosemont for a vacuum street sweeper.
- Accepted the bid (\$4.78 per gallon of methoxychlor) from Clarke Outdoor Spraying of Roselle.
- Awarded a contract for spraying parkway elms @ \$2.55 per tree to Fowler Tree Service of Elgin.
- Awarded a contract for sidewalk replacement (\$13,983) to M&A Cement of Chicago.
- Accepted the proposal of Karrison and Byrne, Certified Public Accountants, for auditing the fiscal year ending April 30, 1978 (\$12,000).
- Approved paying Glenview's share of the NORTRAN administrative budget (\$3,920) from Motor Fuel Tax funds.
- Approved partial vacation of an alley at 1709-15 Glenview Road for the sum of \$1,422.
- Rezoned a 30-acre tract known as Glengrove Acres, at 4000 Glenview Road, to R-4 for 90 single-family dwellings, and approved Unit I Subdivision thereof.
- Approved the NORCOM Mutual Police Assistance agreement for Glenview. We are one of 13 communities involved in the NORCOM POLICE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM who have pledged to help each other in cases of emergency.
- Approved Porter's Glenview Subdivision, 2995 Willow Road, 11 lots previously zoned for residential use.
- Approved a license for live entertainment on Fridays and Saturdays from 9 PM to 1 AM, for a restaurant at Waukegan Road and East Lake Avenue.

THE VILLAGE HAS SOLD two 1976 and three 1977 police sedans by competitive sealed bids for prices ranging from \$1,300 to 2,105, realizing a net gain of \$1,912.27 over the most favorable trade value offered by dealers bidding for the contract for our 1978 sedans.

GLENBROOK MEALS AT HOME
now serving the house-bound



Glenbrook Meals at Home, a non-profit corporation funded by seed money from Northfield Township, has been developed with the cooperation of the North Shore Senior Center and other organizations in the Township for the purpose of preparing and

delivering meals to those unable to shop and cook for themselves. New clients are now being accepted, and if you are interested, please call 724-6210.

Food is prepared at Glenbrook Hospital, and packed and delivered by volunteers. One hot meal comes ready to eat upon mid-day delivery, and the second meal may be eaten cold in the evening.

Cost to the house-bound client is \$3.50 per day or \$17.50 per week. Those requesting the service should be able to prove their need for it, and will be accepted upon doctors' recommendations or because of isolation. Glenbrook Meals at Home subsidizes those unable to pay.

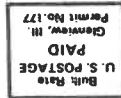
The service does more than supply food, as it makes it possible for the elderly, convalescent or handicapped to live in their own homes and be independent while having someone check with them regularly.



Postal Customer

(Printed on recycled paper)

Glenview, Illinois 60025
1930 Prairie Street



A reminder about Glenview's TRASH COLLECTION POLICY



In order to maintain the orderly appearance of Glenview, certain rules have been set by the Village Board to keep our streets and parkways as clean as is reasonably possible at all times:

- NEVER put garbage at the curb for collection. Your approved garbage containers must be at a spot entirely within your lot lines.
- Yard debris for waste collection may be placed at the curb, contained in plastic bags or tied in bundles, NO EARLIER THAN 7 PM THE NIGHT BEFORE PICKUP. Please bear in mind that whatever you put on the parkway is supposed to go into the garbage truck, container and all! (This is because no one wants to see empty containers rolling around on public property – or on private property, either, for that matter.)

GOOD THINGS AT THE LIBRARY IN APRIL

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK is April 3-7. Don't miss the special events. ALL LIBRARY PROGRAMS ARE FREE.

- MONDAY, APRIL 3, 7:30 (Maynard Room), "THE LAST CONVERTIBLE" (a novel beginning in 1940 about 5 Harvard students who go to World War II and beyond – an appeal to readers of all ages) by Martha Hopkins, veteran book reviewer.
- TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 10 AM and 3:30 PM (Children's Room), "THOSE FANTASTIC FLYING FOOLS," a film in which P.T. Barnum organizes a rocket trip to the moon piloted by Tom Thumb.
- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 3:30 (Children's Room), STORYHOUR for ages 5 through 7.
- THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 7:30 (Maynard Room), "THE LADDER OF CREATION," Part 9 of THE ASCENT OF MAN.
- SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 2 PM (Children's Room), DR. SEUSS SPECIAL ("THE LORAX" and "DR. SEUSS ON THE LOOSE") for ages four through 6.
- SUNDAY, APRIL 9, 2:30 (Maynard Room), "MEET YOUR LOCAL AUTHORS" TEA. Come and have refreshments with a dozen or so well-known Glenview authors.

- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 7:30 PM (Maynard Room), INTERNATIONAL NIGHT with Patrick Tower and an Irish travelog. (Pat is a senior at North Shore Country Day School, and toured Ireland with other teenagers from all over the U.S.)
- THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 7:30 (Maynard Room), "WORLD WITHIN WORLD," Part 10 of THE ASCENT OF MAN.
- THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 7:30 (Maynard Room), "KNOWLEDGE OR CERTAINTY," Part 11 of THE ASCENT OF MAN.
- SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2 PM (Maynard Room), HERB GROWING AND USE, plus a PLANT EXCHANGE, with Martha Zocchi, who will let you sample her herb bread. If you're a plant nut, bring a slip of something to exchange with someone else.
- THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 7:30 (Maynard Room), "GENERATION UPON GENERATION," Part 12 of THE ASCENT OF MAN.
- SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 2 PM (Children's Room), "WORLD WITHOUT SUN," Jacques Cousteau's Oscar-winning documentary on undersea exploration.

The Glenview Recycling Center LOVES YOUR TRASH!

Youth Services of Glenview, Inc., operates the Recycling Center at the rear of the Youth Center, 1257 Waukegan Road. *The center is always open.* Young people are on duty weekday afternoons and during prime hours on weekends, but if you come when no one is on duty you will have no difficulty putting your donations into marked bins.

Acceptable materials include bundled mixed paper, glass (separated by color and without metal rings), and metal cans. It will be much appreciated if you will cut off the ends and flatten cans, as many more pounds of metal can be loaded onto the recycling truck that way.

All money earned by the sale of recyclable materials goes to support the Youth Center and maintain the recycling operation. Please help on a regular basis – Youth Services of Glenview thanks you for your support!

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