

# VILLAGE OF Glenview



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Welcome to Dennis Lauer,  
GLENVIEW'S NEW FINANCE DIRECTOR

Dennis M. Lauer, former business manager of the Wilmette Park District, is now Glenview's Finance Director, having joined the Village Hall staff last month. A former Army captain, he is a graduate of the University of Illinois (Circle Campus), where he majored in accounting. During his tenure the Wilmette Park District expanded its facilities to include a golf course, indoor tennis and ice skating, a swimming pool, and the absorption of the Village recreation program, resulting in extensive modernization of accounting methods.

Dennis is an enthusiastic skier (on both snow and water), an avid traveler (during the past six months he has visited Florida, Mexico, London, Munich, and Paris), and owns a 22-foot power boat from which he fishes in Lake Michigan. He is a resident of Des Plaines.



ENCLOSED WITH THIS NEWSLETTER is a route map and schedules of NORTRAN buses. Please save the sheet for ready reference, and use the economical and comfortable new buses whenever you have the opportunity. You will be very pleased with the service.

VILLAGE MANAGER BOB VAN DEUSEN is recuperating nicely at home from a recent cardiac episode, and thanks friends and associates for their concern and good wishes for quick recovery.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHT Village employees who drive Village-owned vehicles received Safe Driver Awards at a SAVE (Safety for All Village Employees) Committee dinner held in their honor on January 21.



GLENVIEW BLOOD CENTRAL offers a "security blanket" of blood replacement as needed, covering your whole family (including parents and grandparents), either at home or anywhere in the U.S. A blood donation from a member of your family will help us meet our annual quota. If you are between 17 and 65 years old and in good health, you are probably eligible to donate blood. Please call Glenview Blood Central immediately, at 724-1700, for an appointment to donate blood on Tuesday, March 9, 3-8 PM, at the Fire Station.

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BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION CALENDAR FOR MARCH

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| Mon., March 1       | .....               | Replica display of documents from the National Archives and the Library of Congress, with audio pages (through August 31)                           | Glenview State Bank (Street Level)                     |
| (Beginning)         | .....               | Display of 12 historical flags, with descriptive literature (through December)  | Glenview State Bank (Lower Level)                      |
|                     | .....               | Exhibits of Senior Citizens' Bicentennial hooked rugs: March 1-3  | Henking School   |
|                     |                     | March 8-12  | Hoffman School   |
|                     |                     | March 15-19   | Lyon School  |
|                     |                     | March 22-26   | Pleasant Ridge School                                  |
| (Beginning)         | .....               | "Victory at Sea" film series, 2:30 PM (and continuing for the next 4 Mondays, March 8, 15, 22, and 29, same time and place.)                        | Springman Jr. High                                     |
| Sun., March 7       | .....               | Glenbrook South Band slides of trip to the Orange Bowl, 7 PM  | Glenbrook South Auditorium                             |
|                     |                     | Free High School Band and Orchestra Concert, 8 PM   | Glenbrook South Auditorium                             |
| Tues., March 9      | ....                | Review of canoe voyage of Marquette and Joliet by Reid Lewis (who retraced the 3,000-mile trip in 1973), 8:09 and 9:12 AM                           | Springman Jr. High                                     |
| Thurs., Fri., Sat., | March 11, 12, 13 .. | "All That Jazz" (variety show with music from the 20's to the 70's), 8 PM   | Glenbrook South Auditorium                             |
| Tues., March 16     | ...                 | "Equal Protection under the Law" (legal rights of women forum by the Junior Women's Club) 8 PM  | Maynard Room, Glenview Public Library                  |
| Sat., March 20      | ....                | Scotch Bowl and dinner (6:30 PM). Scotch Bowl was a game popular 200 years ago. \$15 per couple; call Helen McLaughlin, 297-3255.                   | Strike 'n Spare Lanes, 185 Skokie, Northbrook          |
| Sun., March 21      | ....                | American music concert by Glenbrook High Schools music departments, 3:30 PM   | Divine Word Seminary, Techy                            |
|                     | ....                | Glenview Community Church Youth Choir concert, 7:30 PM  | Glenview Community Church                              |
| Thurs., March 25    | ..                  | Glen Grove School musical pageant, 2 PM   | Glen Grove School                                      |
| Thurs. and Fri.,    | March 25 and 26     | ... "Tom Sawyer" (musical); call Springman Jr. High for performance times   | Springman Jr. High                                     |
| Wed., March 31      | ....                | "You've Come a Long Way, Baby" (fashion show with early American meal, handmade quilt door prize, \$10 per person (Glenview Women's Club), 11:30 AM | Seven Eagles Restaurant, 1050 East Oakton, Des Plaines |

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*LIP-READING CLASSES for people 60 and older begin March 2 at the Glenview Community Church and March 4 at the Glenview Public Library, both at 10 AM. Classes are taught by volunteers, and there is no charge. To register, please call Glenview Health Department, 724-1700.*

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*PLEASE PRUNE BACK SHRUBS that may obstruct fire hydrants and traffic signs.*

Since your last Newsletter

THE BOARD OF VILLAGE TRUSTEES ...

- Approved sidewalk construction along the north side of Harrison Street between Shermer Road and Bel Air Drive, and recommended that the Safety Council study the matter of further sidewalk construction in that vicinity.
- Approved an amended plan for a modified nursing home at 3633 West Lake Avenue.
- Referred to the Village Plan Commission the proposed comprehensive plan of the North-eastern Illinois Plan Commission.
- Approved publication of a notice of intent to lease a one-foot-wide strip of land on the east side of the Fire Station to the owners of the proposed building to abut the east wall of the Fire Station.
- Approved a \$75-support payment to the National League of Cities, for testing the constitutionality of the Fair Labor Standards Act.
- Heard the League of Women Voters' statement regarding a moderate-income Housing Amendment to the Techny Agreement, and asked that the statement be placed on the agenda of the Techny Area Joint Planning Commission for careful consideration.
- Accepted with regret the resignation of Robert Spalding from the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners, and appointed Elinor Swiger to fill another vacancy on the same board, her term to expire in May of 1977.

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FIREFIGHTERS Bill Drefflein and Mike Sawicki are now taking Paramedic Training at St. Francis Hospital, Evanston. Four Police Officers (Sgt. Steve Halls, John Demand, Jeff Hirsch, and Brad Weigel) are also taking training to qualify as Emergency Medical Technicians. Firefighters Gene Di Clementi and Tom Dettloff completed the paramedic course last month.

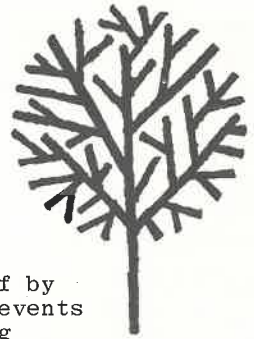
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*DOES YOUR HOME HAVE A SMOKE DETECTOR? A smoke detector is a simple gadget that can save your life by sounding an alarm as soon as traces of smoke or toxic gases are in the air. The Fire Prevention Bureau points out that many of the furnishings in our modern homes (particularly plastics and foam rubber) produce such deadly gases as hydrogen chloride and cyanide when they burn. These gases can numb the nervous system and cause loss of muscular control, often making escape from the actual fire impossible. Hardware stores carry a variety of smoke-detection devices, but please make sure the one you buy carries the testing label of UL (or some other nationally-recognized testing agency). If you're in doubt about how many your house should have or where to place them, call the Glenview Fire Prevention Bureau, 724-2141.*

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IN CASE YOU SHOULD EVER NEED emergency service, either for a fire or for medical help, the number of the Fire Department's emergency line (724-2121) should be posted on every telephone instrument in your home or office. When you call, please give the correct address where help is needed, and then stay on the line until the Dispatcher gets all the information needed. Your conversation is being amplified and help is on the way as soon as you give the address. Additional helpful information will be radioed to firefighters and paramedics while they drive to the place where help is needed.

NEWLY-PLANTED PARKWAY TREES require special care. If you had a parkway tree planted last fall under our 50-50 program, here are some things you should know:



- The collar of soil around the base of the trunk should be left undisturbed for the first year to assure even distribution of water to the roots. The collar may look high now, but it will gradually disappear as the soil settles around the roots.
- Leave the trunk wrapping on the tree until it falls off by itself (which takes about two years). The wrapping prevents sun scald and protects against lawn-mower damage during the summer months.
- DO NOT FERTILIZE this year. Fertilizer was put into the burlap ball before the tree was planted, and additional fertilizing burns and kills new young roots coming through the burlap wrapping into the ground.
- DO NOT OVERWATER your new tree. Water only when the soil is dry enough not to stick together in a ball when you squeeze a handful of it. Overwatering causes more tree loss than underwatering.

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REMAINING PARKWAY ELMS will be sprayed this month to control the spread of Dutch Elm Disease. Last year we lost 310 public and private elms to the blight, and your help in monitoring your own elms is needed to control further spreading of the disease. If you have doubts about the health of any of your privately-owned elms this spring, please call Public Works, 724-1700, and a member of the department will advise you.

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SUPER 8 SOUND MOVIES are among the newest acquisitions of the Glenview Public Library. Included in the collection are "Shivering Spooks" (an Our Gang comedy), W. C. Fields' "The Dentist," "Two Tars" (Laurel and Hardy), and "Barney Oldfield's Race for Life." A projector may be rented overnight for only \$2.

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WEDNESDAY, March 10, is INTERNATIONAL NIGHT at the Glenview Public Library. Come and visit Curacao and Bonaire with Bernita B. Wert, 7:30 in the Maynard Room. No admission charge.



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THURSDAY, MARCH 18, the "IMAGES OF AMERICA" free film series brings you THE MAN, starring James Earl Jones as the first black to become President of the United States. Showing begins at 7:30 PM in the Maynard Room, Glenview Public Library.



Glenview's 9th annual  
CIVIC AWARD WINNERS

Left to right are Glenview's 1975  
Civic Award winners:

ALLEN E. HALL, an eleven-year Glenview resident who has served as president of the Glenayre Property Owners' Association and the Glenview Area Safety Council, received the Public Service Award for his long and successful efforts on behalf of such projects as fire prevention, cardio-pulmonary resuscitation, bicycle safety, cleaning up the North Western railroad tracks area, preventing the widening of Glenview Road, and Project Theft-Guard. Nominators pointed out that his foresight and dedication have assisted fire, police, and other public agencies in preventing loss of property, serious injuries, and loss of life for many residents of our community.

PAUL H. THOMAS, former Village President (1967-1973) and Executive Chairman of the Glenview Diamond Jubilee Committee (1974), and actively engaged in many community, civic, and church affairs, was awarded the honor of Glenview Citizen of the Year. Nominations were studded with such expressions as, "A man who has sought no glory for himself," "A man who is proud of Glenview and serves to keep it a place we can sincerely praise," "His is a total commitment to his community," and "Few men have contributed so much, and few continue to serve their Village so well."

NANCE MEGAN BARR, a Glenbrook South High School student, received the Youth of the Year Award. At school she is active in student government, Key Club, musical and dramatic production (both on stage and behind the scenery), sings in the Community Church choir, and is art editor of her school's literary magazine. A member of the Fine Arts Committee, she designed the Bicentennial mural for the school lobby, and the Village vehicle sticker for 1976. Last summer the Glenview Art League awarded her a scholarship to the Art Institute of Chicago. Nominators agreed that Nance is admired, respected, and well liked throughout the community. She is the daughter of the Kenneth C. Barrs.

LT. BERNHARD L. LUNDBERG of the Glenbrook Fire Department received the Public Safety Award for his quick thinking and heroic performance at a fire on January 18, possibly saving the lives of Firefighter Edward Meyer of the Glenview Fire Department and Captain Richard White of the Glenbrook Department, who fell through the floor of a burning building into a flaming basement while fighting a fire that took the life of one other person.

The awards were presented by Mayor Edward K. Patten at a dinner held February 19. At the same time, Bicentennial Leadership trophies were presented to RICHARD HIBBARD (Glenview Historical Society), EILEEN BRUHN (Glenview Days Association), CHARLES HEPNER (Glenview Volunteer Firemen), MRS. KARL RUSTMAN (Glenview Association for Retarded Children), GLADYS RICHARDS (Glenview Public Library), A. A. FLICK, JR. (Glenview Park District), LOUISE SIEVERS (Glenview Woman's Club), HELEN MILLER (Glenview League of Women Voters), HAROLD PETERSEN (Glenview Navy League), MARIO ZANONI (Glenview Chamber of Commerce), JACK BEAULIEU (Glenview United Fund), RAY RUGEN (Glenview Rotary Club), HOWARD MARSHALL (Glenview Optimists Club), ROBERT CLENDENIN (Glenview Lions Club), and GORDON JOHNSON (Glenview Kiwanis Club).



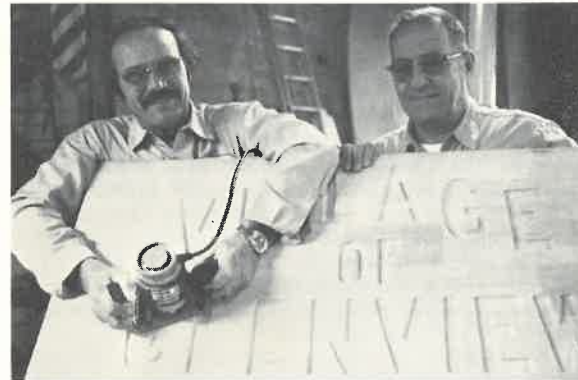


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GLENVIEW'S PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT makes and erects the handsomely-carved wooden signs that mark our Village limits. At left, Dick Martin and Bud Schwall of the Public Works Garage staff show one of the signs in the making.



At right, members of the staff are seen installing one of the finished signs on Waukegan Road parkway land fronting Avon Products. In the air is Jerry Maneck, and on the ground, left to right, are Robert Nellessen, Prelow Johnson, Steve Schneider and Dick Martin behind the post, and John Schwall.

