

Business improvement group making steady progress

The Long Grove Business and Community Partners (LGBCP) continues to welcome members to its various committees. The role of this new organization, which replaces the former Community Development Corporation, is to preserve many village traditions while planning for improved visibility and economic growth.

Activity update

The **Design Committee** has initiated a new banner program in the Historic Business District, assisted with some landscaping improvements, and is designing new directional signage.

The **Economic Development Committee** is introducing customer service programs and working with commercial property owners to add compatible new businesses to the downtown mix.

The **Executive Committee** balances the goals of the new organization, community character, consumer trends and Long Grove's economic potential.

The **Marketing Committee** already has increased village exposure in local and regional media.

The **Organization Committee** is reaching beyond the Historic Business District by encouraging residents, local businesses, corporate sponsors and our tourism partners to take part in shaping LGBCP planning.

The **Promotions Committee** manages festivals and shopping attractions, while exploring new ways to attract visitors.

For more information about the LGBCP and its mission, or to lend your talents to benefit the greater good, please call John Maguire at 847-716-0902, or the Visitors Information Center at 847-634-0888.

To dispose of leaves...

As an alternative to applying stickers to every bag or container you set out for pick up, Waste Management can carry them away for just \$38.44 a year—if you sign up for an annual subscription service covering the entire April 15 to November 28 season. (For information about that, call 1-800-796-9696.) You'd still have to buy the bags, though.

To determine which approach makes the most sense for your household, do the math:

- Seasonal subscription: \$38.44
- Grass/leaf sticker: \$1.75 (min. 10)
- Leaf sticker: \$1.00

There is no limit to the number of bags/containers you can set out for collection, but for those who do not opt for the sub-

In this issue...A special events & Park District recreation schedule insert.



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scription service, a *sticker* must be bought and applied to *each* bag/container. They can be purchased at:

- Cutler Workwear and Hardware
7105 Route 83
847-566-7325
- Geimer Greenhouses
2727 Route 53
847-358-6363

Reusable containers may not exceed 33 gallons in volume, or 50 pounds in filled weight. Bags are biodegradable 30-gallon "Kraft" brown paper sacks which can be purchased where the stickers are sold, and at most grocery stores, home improvement stores, and garden centers.

Waste Management will collect the leaves, during a six-week period beginning October 17, on the same day your recyclables are picked up, or on the first day if you have twice-a-week collections.

For more information, please call the Village at 847-634-9440.

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Monthly meeting schedules

Village Board

8:00 p.m., 2nd and 4th Tuesday

Plan Commission

Zoning Board of Appeals

8:00 p.m., 1st Tuesday

Architectural Board

7:00 p.m., 3rd Monday

Conservancy/Scenic Corridor

Committee

7:30 p.m., 1st & 3rd Wednesday

Village Hall hours

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. weekdays

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Comment

by *Maria Rodriguez, President
Board of Trustees*



Walking through the Historic Business District, it is exciting to see the positive changes. Some interesting new shops have opened, there is additional landscaping with flowers in full bloom, and banners sporting our splashy new logo lend an elegant air. Residents and merchants on the design committee of the LGBCP (Long Grove Business and Community Partners) have been working hard and it shows. On behalf of the Village, I thank them.

If you recall, the LGBP is, in essence, the community development organization. With John Maguire as director and a strong board of trustees, the different committees within this group work to find and implement creative solutions as we renovate the Historic Business District. The cooperative efforts and positive energy of these individuals appears to be affecting more than just the downtown. We are seeing an increase in the general community spirit of our village. If you are not already involved, consider giving John a call (847-716-0902). He can steer you toward a committee that will fit your time constraints and make use of your natural talents. When you invest yourself in our village, we all benefit.

If community development doesn't excite you, consider being part of the new Long Grove Arts and Music Council. This not-for-profit group is dedicated to bringing a wide range of musical and performing arts to the village. The inaugural season saw several concerts in Buffalo Creek Park with a growing attendance. The future looks bright. With more donations coming in, they plan to expand the concert schedule and perhaps include "Movies on the Green" next year. Please call Tobin Fraley (847-540-0520) with questions or suggestions.

Once again, I encourage you to become involved—invest yourself in our community. At the very least, patronize our restaurants and shops. I'm sure that you will enjoy the experience.

Test your smoke alarm monthly by using the alarm test button or an approved smoke substitute, and clean the unit in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

Every ten years replace the entire alarm unit whether the batteries work or not. Over time, its electronic components wear out.

Emerald ash borer is nearby

The tree-killing emerald ash borer (EAB) arrived in Illinois probably on ash firewood brought from a quarantined area in Michigan, where the insect was first detected in 2002. Firewood is the primary means of transporting the pests into non-infested geographical areas. The borer threatens to destroy one-fifth of all Chicago-area trees, which are ash. All 16 native ash species are believed to be susceptible.

If you believe you have spotted an EAB, call a certified arborist,* the local county cooperative extension office (847-223-8627), or The Morton Arboretum Plant Clinic (630-719-2424).

Borer symptoms

Infestations are usually undetected until trees begin to show symptoms. It may take at least a year before they first appear. The following symptoms indicate a possible EAB presence:

- Jagged holes produced by woodpeckers working to extract larvae.

- D-shape exit holes (about 1/8 inch in diameter) on branches and trunk.

- Vertically split or cracked bark above the larval feeding galleries.

- Wilting and yellowing foliage throughout the tree or limited to certain branches.

- Canopy thinning and branch dieback occurring initial-

Dial 9-1-1

...for any police, fire or medical emergency, regardless of how trivial you think it may seem. *Let the dispatcher decide.* That's why s/he's there. If a situation requires the attention of public safety or medical professionals, you do not want to waste time.

ly in the upper third of the tree.

- A large number of shoots that arise below the dead portions of a tree, particularly at the base.

- Distinct under-bark serpentine-shape galleries packed with excrement.

* For a certified arborist, visit www.isa-arbor.com/findArborist/findarborist.aspx

It's free daffodil bulb time again

To preserve a long-time village tradition, daffodil bulbs will be available beginning in early October at Geimer Greenhouses, Inc. on old Route 53. The daffodil is Long Grove's official flower.

The bulbs are planted by residents in the fall in the public-right-of way. They are *not* for planting on private property.

Geimer's hours are 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday, and 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sunday.

Be prepared to show proof of Long Grove residency—your driver's license will do. The

New county forest preserve here

Heron Creek Forest Preserve, occupying a 143-acre site at the southwest corner of Old McHenry Road and Route 22, recently was acquired by the County to preserve open space and indigenous flora and fauna.

Currently closed to the public, the Preserve will be open after improvements are completed.

Heron Creek will preserve sensitive wetlands, including a

bulbs, in two different varieties, will be bagged and ready to go.

To be sure this year's supply is on hand, call first: 847-358-6363.

portion of the south branch of Indian Creek.

The Preserve offers exceptional wildlife habitat and plant communities including a sedge meadow. It also features oak woodlands and adjoins the Reed-Turner Nature Preserve. Six endangered and three state threatened bird species were found in the area. In addition, more than 215 native plants were identified at the adjacent fen. They included two state threatened species.

For more information about Heron Creek, please call 847-680-6301.

In brief...

- The 9th annual Long Grove **Heritage 5K Run & 3K Walk** will be on Saturday, **September 9**. Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Long Grove, the event is open to runners and walkers of all ages. Registration is online at www.active.com, or by calling Rotary Club Raceline at 847-777-6825 for a race brochure.
- The 15th annual **Lions Charity Golf Classic** will be held on Monday, **September 25**, at Royal Melbourne Country Club. For more information or to sign up, please call Ray Rodriguez at 847-279-8850 or visit Pat Kenny at Ballybunion Practice Range, Route 83 and Aptakistic Road.
- **Discourage mosquitoes** by regularly emptying all outdoor water-holding vessels on your property. To report standing water—even a site that is sometimes dry, call 800-942-2555. The site will be inspected as part of the Village's monitoring program.
- Find out if your indoor or outdoor **home improvement project** will require a Village-issued **permit**. Call Village Superintendent Bob Block at 847-634-9440 *before* any work begins.
- **Home security** and that of many of your belongings can be enhanced by the simple expedient of keeping your garage doors closed and locked at all times.
- It's the law! Traffic in both directions must **stop for school buses** from which students are either boarding or disembarking. Exception: opposite-bound traffic on a four-lane roadway on which two lanes in each direction carry traffic. Vehicles traveling in the same direction as the bus must stop. Violation of this state law can result in significant expense and inconvenience for offenders.

Make a donation to the Long Grove Arts & Music Council

...without reaching for your wallet or checkbook. If you're in the habit of tossing pocket change into a jar at the end of the day, you may have quite a bit accumulated by now. To find out how much, bring it to the new Long Grove branch of National City Bank at Old McHenry Road and Route 22.

Until Tuesday, October 31, 2006, empty your collection into the free coin counter in the lobby. Hours are 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Saturday.

The Bank will make a donation to the Council equal to five percent of your change total.

Neighborhood Watch

To establish a Neighborhood Watch program, or to revitalize an existing one, call Deputy Sheriff Michael Gregory (847-377-4211) of the Crime Prevention Division of the Lake County Sheriff's Office. He will attend a meeting of your homeowners association or other neighborhood group to explain this nation-wide program which involves citizens in preventing residential crime.

The Crime Prevention Division, upon request, conducts individual home security surveys to assist homeowners in identifying security weaknesses and ways to correct them.

The Lake County Sheriff's Office also offers House Watch for residents who must leave their homes unattended for extended periods of time. To arrange for this service, call the Sheriff's Communication Division at 847-549-5200.

Problem with a neighbor?

If you have a bone to pick with a neighbor, please try to resolve the problem peacefully between yourselves. This will make for a more harmonious neighborhood and keep local government out of residents' private lives.

Village permit required for security alarm systems

Home and business owners in Long Grove who have security alarm systems in their residences and establishments and have never obtained and submitted a Village-required alarm holder permit application are urged to do so without delay. This also applies to those who are registered, but have upgraded or otherwise changed their systems. The information on file at the

Village Hall and with public safety agencies must be current.

The ordinance requiring registration of such systems with the Village has been in effect since 1996.

The confidential registration form is available at the Village Hall during regular business hours.

For more information, please call Sherry Shlagman at 847-634-9440.

Convenient wheeled recycling container still available

The 64-gallon wheeled recycling container announced in the 4th quarter 2005 *Bridge* is still optionally available from Waste Management. Designed to replace the current bins, the new easily-pulled container accepts much more material.

A problem with the smaller capacity two-bin system has been that when they are filled a household often stops separating recyclable materials from regular

garbage. The new container solves that problem.

To arrange for a new container, call Customer Service at 1-800-796-9696. Waste Management will bill you an additional \$1 per month for 60 months to cover the cost of the unit.

Originally Village property, the old recyclables bins can be kept and used in other ways or discarded. If you would rather continue using the old inconvenient-to-carry bins, you can do that. It's up to you.

www.longgrove.net

Easy-to-access community information at your fingertips, day and night, virtually instantaneously.

Answers to frequently asked questions...whom-to-contact information...Village calendar...Village newsletter...Village government...minutes of Board, commission, committee meetings...Village Code...Historic Business District...the Long Grove Park District—and much, much more.

Visit the new and improved Village Web site when you have a question, or to learn more about your “home town.”

A tornado WATCH

...means that tornadoes may develop. Atmospheric conditions are right for that to happen.

A tornado WARNING

...means that a tornado actually has been sighted in the general area. Take cover immediately.

Village dog/cat ordinance

Local regulations governing residency of dogs and cats here are virtually the same as those adopted by Lake County. The following basics are what village dog and cat owners need to know.

- Dogs and cats are not permitted to run at large.

- When a dog or cat or other domestic animal is off of its owner's property, it must be on leash.

- All dogs and cats over 4 years old must be inoculated for rabies, and the certificate(s) must be available for inspection upon request.

- A maximum of four dogs and four cats is permitted on property one and one half acres or smaller in size without a multiple animal permit. However, individual homeowners associations may be more restrictive.

For more information, please call 847-634-9440.

Apple Fest

September 29-October 1

November 7 election

Are you registered to vote?

If you haven't changed your name or address since the last time you voted, you're still registered and need not read on. However, if you did change your name and/or address since the last time you voted, you will need to register again in order to be able to vote on November 7. If you've never been registered at all, you will have to register for the first time.

The last day to register for the November 7 election is 27 days before—on or about October 11. Registration reopens on the second day following an election.

You can register at the Long Grove Village Office (847-634-9440), the Ela Township office (847-438-7823), 99 E. Main

Street, Lake Zurich; or the Vernon Township Administrative Center (847-634-4600), northwest corner of Main Street and Port Clinton Road in Buffalo Grove.

To register

- You must be a United States citizen.

- You must be at least 18 years old by the next election. (A 17-year old can register as long as her/his birthday will be on or before the next election.)

- If you weren't born in the U.S., you will need to know the court, city and state where, and the date on which, you were naturalized.

- You must have lived in the voting precinct for at least 30 days prior to the next election.

- You must provide two forms of identification, one

Won't be in town on Election Day?

Tuesday, November 7

For complete information about absentee voting before the election by mail or in person, who may vote, and various convenient programs, and anything else pertaining to the coming election, including voter registration, call the Lake County Clerk's office...

847-377-2406

or visit

www.co.lake.il.us/cntyclk

showing your full legal name and current address.

For more information, please call the Lake County Clerk's office at 847-377-2400, or visit www.co.lake.il.us/cntyclk.

Halloween

You may not be thinking about this annual event just yet, but it isn't far off. If you're the parent of a goblin-age child, the Lake County Sheriff's Office offers these reminders:

- Be sure costumes are made of non-flammable material.

- Masks restrict vision. As an alternative, use grease paint, burnt cork and/or eyebrow pencil to create a disguise.

- Emphasize to your child to *never* enter any home unless the residents are well know to you and the child.

- Never invite trick or

treaters into your home unless you know who they are.

- Instruct your child to not eat any treats until s/he gets home and you can inspect them.

- Discard unwrapped candy and fruit.

- Make sure your child makes his/her rounds under the watchful eye of an adult or responsible older youth.

New appointments...

Ellen Deasy to the Conservancy/Scenic Corridor Committee... John Marshall and Rodney Beadle to the Architectural Board.

Do you have a septic system?

If you don't receive a monthly sewer bill from Lake County, you have a septic system. And, like all other systems upon which you depend, it needs regular maintenance. To prolong its lifespan...

■ Do not discharge water softeners or water from sump pumps, downspouts or drains into your septic system. That can overload it.

■ To reduce the amount of water your system must treat and dispose of, install water-conserving plumbing fixtures—toilets, showerheads, faucets.

■ Make sure that toilets do not run constantly.

■ Have the septic tank pumped out every two or three years.

■ Avoid dumping grease down the drain, and flushing paper towels, disposable diapers, cigarettes and non-degradable items down the toilet.

■ Use your garbage disposal sparingly.

■ Aerobic units should be inspected by a licensed septic contractor twice a year to ensure that the aerator and filter(s) are functioning properly.

General information/ guidelines

The life span of a septic system is site-dependent and depends on many factors including, but not limited to, septic tank maintenance, volume of wastewater produced, quality of wastewater, method of waste-

water application, soil type, and soil conditions during construction.

The size of a septic system depends on the type of suitable soil, and number of bedrooms and square footage of a home. In the case of a non-residential building, the projected use.

Septic tank additives are unnecessary and don't eliminate the need for periodic cleaning.

Laundry water is classified as sewage and must be discharged into the septic system.

Rodding or pumping out a tank and field will not correct a failing system.

Do not plant trees in the soil absorption field area.

Keep a record of the location of your system.

Used book sale

A used book sale sponsored by the Friends of the Vernon Area Public Library will be held Friday through Sunday, October 27-29, in the old library building just north of the main facility. Entrance is on Indian Creek Road.

Hours are 5:00-9:00 p.m. Friday, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 4:00 p.m. Sunday.

Donations of books, children's books, videos and dvds can be dropped off at the main library.

For more information, please call 847-634-3650.

Now open for business...

Adagio Hair Studio & Home Spa Essentials

...in the north-facing lower level of the Mill Pond Shoppes complex downtown, offers expert hair styling and coloring for both sexes.

Hours: Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.; Sunday, noon - 4:00 p.m. Mondays by special appointment only.

847-793-0538

Extra virgin olive oil and balsamic vinegar

...staples of healthy dining, are now conveniently available at The Olive Tap, at the southwest corner of the downtown crossroads. More than 20 fresh oils and vinegars are offered.

"We are all about taste," explained proprietor Kathi Petrocelli. She was "hooked the first time I tasted garlic-flavored oil." Visit this interesting shop and you will be too.

847-478-8741

OktoberFeast, October 7
5-11:00 p.m. downtown.
Enjoy food from Long Grove
restaurants.

Be aware of after-storm hazards

Safe Electricity, an awareness program sponsored by a coalition of electric utilities, educators, and organizations dedicated to promoting safety when dealing with electricity, is especially concerned about hazards commonly encountered during storm recovery efforts.

If you ever come upon a downed power line, be aware that tree limbs and debris can hide an electrical hazard. Treat all downed or hanging power lines as through they are energized.

A power line does not have to be sparking or arcing to be energized. Lines that appear to be dead can suddenly come to life as crews work to restore power.

If you encounter a power line when either on foot or driving, call 9-1-1 immediately if you can and stay well away from the line. If you are in a vehicle, stay in it.

Before re-entering a storm-damaged home, be sure all gas and electric services have been turned off. Never attempt to turn off power at the breaker box if you must stand in water to do so. If you can't reach your breaker box safely, call the electric utility to shut off power at the meter.

Never step into a flooded basement or other area if water is covering electrical outlets, appliances or cords.

When using electric yard tools, do not operate them if the ground is wet or moisture is visible on grass. Keep all electric tools and equipment at least 10

Historical Society news & notes

The Long Grove Historical Society office and museum are in the restored 19th century farmhouse on the south side of Stempel Municipal Parking Lot (west of Old McHenry Road and south of R. P. Coffin Road) downtown. Board meetings are held monthly, September through June, on the third Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. The address and phone number are 338 Old McHenry Road and 847-438-6155.

Barbara Rinella, book reviewer and dramatist, on Friday, September 29 at the Arboretum Club (Route 22 and Buffalo Grove Road), will present reviews of two new best sellers following a tasty breakfast served at 9:00 a.m. The cost is \$27 per person. To register, please call Marie Borg (847-438-7656) or Laurie Borawski (847-949-5264).

Open house: The farmhouse will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. during Apple Fest, September 30 and October 1. Take a tour and enjoy light refreshments.

If you're looking for a perfect gift for a special someone, the Society may have it. Consider a beautiful (and washable) throw which depicts historic buildings of downtown Long Grove, or *Long Grove Lore and Legend*, an especially interesting "coffee table" book. Or note cards illustrated with line drawings of our famous covered bridge. All items are located at the Information Center downtown (847-634-0888). For more information, please call Laurie Borawski (847-949-5264).

feet away from wet surfaces.

If the power to your home is out for a prolonged period, practice these important safety precautions until power is restored:

- Keep the refrigerator or freezer doors closed. A freezer that is full or partially full can keep foods frozen for 24 to 48 hours. Foods should remain safe in an unopened refrigerator for up to four hours.

- Use safe, alternative food preparation devices—a barbeque grill, for example. But remember that a charcoal grill should always be used outdoors.

- Check on friends and relatives who have medical conditions or disabilities, especially seniors.

During an outage, Safe Electricity also recommends turning off electrical appliances and unplugging major equipment, computers and televisions. This will help protect equipment that could be damaged by electrical surges, and prevent circuit overloads when power is restored. Leave one light switch in the on position so you can tell when power has been restored. Wait a few minutes, then turn on
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\$500 reward

The Village of Long Grove is very concerned about acts of local vandalism, and damaged and stolen public property such as street and regulatory traffic signs.

Senseless acts of vandalism are costly in terms of money spent for repair and replacement—and in terms of the danger they create for all of us. When traffic regulatory signs, like stop signs, are defaced, knocked down or stolen, serious accidents can result.

To reduce the cost and dangers of vandalism here, *a reward of up to \$500* will be paid to anyone who provides accurate information leading to the arrest and conviction of a person or persons who have damaged, stolen, or in any way vandalized Village property.

It is essential that all adults, parents—and young people—understand and appreciate the need for this information, and to provide it if possible.

For more details, or to file a report, please call the Village Hall at 847-634-9440.

other appliances and equipment one at a time.

If you use a standby generator, make sure it has a transfer safety switch or that your power is cut off at the breaker box before you operate it.

For more information and electrical safety tips, visit www.SafeElectricity.org.

Teasel invasion

If native vegetation is to be preserved, five “villain” plants must be eradicated or at least thinned out. Most people know about burdock, buckthorn, garlic mustard and purple loosestrife. Lesser known, but very much in evidence along local roadsides, is teasel.

Tall and prominent when mature, cluster-growing teasel is identified by the spike and seed pod at the top, and broad thick leaves at the bottom.

Like some other now-nuisance plants, notably burdock and buckthorn, teasel was brought to America in the mid-1800s for a specific purpose. The top of the teasel plant was used to raise the nap (soft, fuzzy surface) on wool fabric. Then, they were controlled. But as new technology evolved and this area began its transformation from rural to urban, the prolific plants were well on their way to outliving their usefulness.

Removal

Cut the flower head from the top of a mature teasel plant and bag and remove it from the site. Then sever the stalk about six inches from the bottom, and liberally dose the stump with herbicide.

When teasel populations begin to decline, the area should be seeded with a native species of cover crop. This may have to be done again the following year if more teasel removal has taken place.



An unwelcome roadside plant here and everywhere.

For more information, contact Restoration Ecologist Debbie Maurer, Lake County Forest Preserve District, at 847-968-3285 or dmaurer@co.lake.il.us.

Village contracts for teasel removal

In an effort to control invasive teasel growth, the Village Board has signed a three-year contract with Integrated Lakes Management. The eradication program will be carried out along Routes 83, 22 and old 53.

Across the Board

The following actions have been taken by the Village Board of Trustees and official Village boards and committees since publication of the last *Bridge*. For more information and/or to obtain copies of meeting minutes, please visit the Village web site—www.longgrove.net, call 847-634-9440, or stop in at the Village Hall during regular business hours.

Board of Trustees

Ordinances

2006-O-08 amends Title 3 (Business Regulations) of the Village code to allow for temporary cash vending machines, subject to review and Board approval of a temporary business license and payment of the applicable fee.

2006-O-09 adopts the budget of Fiscal Year 2006-2007.

2006-O-10 vacates a portion of the public right-of-way (Sunshine Lane).

2006-O-11 grants a variation for construction of a swimming pool.

2006-O-12 determines the prevailing rate of wages in the Village of Long Grove.

2006-O-13 amends Title 12 (Fee Schedule) of the Village code regarding stormwater and drainage permit review fees.

2006-O-14 amends Title 4 (Building Regulations) and Title 12 (Fee Schedule) of the Village code.

2006-O-15 amends Title 3 (Business Regulations) of the Village code to adopt a municipal retailers' occupation tax and a municipal services occupation tax.

2006-O-16 further amends the Village code regarding open burning.

Resolutions

2006-R-12 refers to the Plan Commission for public hearing possible amendments to the zoning code and zoning map regarding affordable housing.

2006-R-13 awards a contract for Village landscape maintenance services to Heights Landscaping, Inc.

2006-R-14 approves a grant agreement with Long Grove Business and Community Partners, which will receive funds using revenues collected

from SSA taxes for the purpose of economic development and the promotion of tourism.

2006-R-17 establishes a new Village account, called Depository VI, for the deposit of funds relating to the construction and installation of certain recreational facilities.

2006-R-18 approves a scenic corridor easement agreement between the Village of Long Grove and David and Elizabeth Kapov.

2006-R-19 approves and authorizes submission of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System II – MS4 Year 4 Report.

2006-R-20 adopts the Lake County All Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan.

2006-R-21 approves and authorizes petitions for Isolated Wetland Certification and SMC Certification.

2006-R-22 approves a grant agreement with Long Grove Business and Community Partners.

2006-R-23 approves and authorizes the execution of an intergovernmental agreement with Mundelein High School District 120.

2006-R-24 approves and authorizes the dedication of Lot 4 of the Ridgewood Lane planned unit development to Reed-Turner Woodland Nature Preserve.

Special events approved

Builders Garden Show and Picnic, July 22-23

Greek Days, August 5-6

Art Fest, August 19-20

Apple Fest, September 29-October 1

Long Grove Rotary Heritage Run, September 9

Long Grove Irish Days, September 2-4

Temporary signs approved

Congregation Beth Judea rummage sale

Olivia's Past summer sale

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The Long Grove Park District

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Monthly meeting schedule

Board of Commissioners

8:00 p.m., 1st Monday
at the Woodland Nature Center

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3849 RFD
847-438-4743

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847-719-1645

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847-544-1657

Web site

www.longgroveparkdistrict.com

Long Grove Park District news & notes

For more information, please call 847-438-4743,
or consult www.longgroveparkdistrict.com.

The following two opportunities are offered by the Chicago Botanic Garden (CBG) in partnership with the Long Grove Park District. For fee (discount for CBG members) and other information, or to register with the CBG, please call 847-835-8261 between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. (Press 1 after the greeting.)

Observing and Photographing Nature, Tobin Fraley, professional photographer. Four consecutive Saturdays, September 16 through October 7, 9:00 a.m. to noon, Reed-Turner Woodland. (Also February 24 through March 17.) Bring your own film or digital camera.

Drawing from Nature: Creating and Keeping a Nature Notebook, Derek Norman, artist and director, Midwest Center for Botanical Identification. Six Sundays, October 29 through December 10, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

A Walk with Old Friends: Tree Identification, Barbara Turner, Steward, Reed-Turner Woodland, Sunday, October 15, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Reminder: free firewood is available at the Reed-Turner Woodland parking area for individual home use only. Cut in fireplace width, hardwood logs must be split for burning. It's a good idea to call first to make sure a supply is available.

Board—

Architectural Board approved

Signage for The Olive Tap,
308 Old McHenry Road

Signage for Adagio Hair
Studio, 229 R. P. Coffin Road

Revisions to AB Rules and
Procedures

Eleanora Estates mailbox
structure and lighting scheme

Signage for Gallery Munoz,
247 and 249 R. P. Coffin Road

Conservancy/Scenic Corridor Committee approved

Renovation of landscaping
at the entrance of Eleanora
Estates

Is your number up?

Could emergency services personnel spot your address quickly and easily? Is it readable in the dark, or anytime?

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Village of Long Grove
24-hour information directory

Dial 847-634-9440. After hours, press 1 for menu options.

Village phone numbers

(All are in the 847 area code.)

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| Police/fire/paramedic | 9-1-1 |
| Village Hall | 634-9440 |
| Fax | 634-9408 |
| Hearing and speech (TTY) <i>non-emergency</i> | 634-9650 |
| Clarke mosquito hot line | 800-942-2555 |
| Police <i>non-emergency</i> (24 hours) | 549-5200 |
| Police administration (9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.) | 377-4000 |
| Fire/paramedic <i>non-emergency</i> | |
| Long Grove Fire Protection District | 634-3143 |
| Countryside Fire Protection District | 367-5511 |
| Long Grove Park District | 438-4743 |
| Long Grove Historical Society | 634-6155 |

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