

West Dundee Village Newsletter

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2009

HERITAGE FEST

September 18, 19 & 20

Come one, come all to the 12th Annual Heritage Fest,
West Dundee's **FREE** 3-day community festival.

There's something for everyone at Heritage Fest, including games for kids and adults, live entertainment, fabulous food, fantastic fireworks, arts & crafts, antiques, a classic car show, a chili cook-off and much more.

Visit our website at wdundeeheritagefest.org for more information.

Look inside for a complete Schedule of Events.



The **West Dundee Village Newsletter** is published quarterly as a public information service for village residents and businesses.

VILLAGE BOARD

Village President	Larry Keller
Village Board of Trustees	Rebecca Gillam Thomas Price Julie Voss Andy Yuscza Norm Osth Patrick Hanley
Village Manager	Joseph A. Cavallaro

Board Meetings are held on the **first** and **third Monday** of each month at **7:30 pm at Village Hall**.

Committee of the Whole Meetings are held on the **second Monday** of each month at **7:30 pm at Village Hall**.

The public is invited to attend all Board & Committee meetings and citizen participation is encouraged.

Please visit our website at www.wdundee.org for meeting agendas, news and information.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Village Hall: 102 S. Second Street	Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm
Public Safety Center #1: 555 S. Eighth Street (Rt. 31)	Monday – Friday 7:00 am – 9:00 pm Saturday 8:00 am – Noon
Public Safety Center #2 100 Carrington Drive	Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm
Public Works: 900 Angle Tarn	Monday – Friday 7:30 am – 4:00 pm

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS



Police/Fire Emergency 911

Village Hall	551-3800
Community Development	551-3805
Fire Department	551-3805
Police Department	551-3810
Public Works	551-3815

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

AUGUST

31	Regular Board Meeting	7:30 pm
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SEPTEMBER

1	Appearance Review Commission	7:30 pm
7	Labor Day - Village Offices Closed	
11-13	IrishFest - St. Catherine of Siena Church	
12	Dog Days - Randall Oaks Park	10 am - 1 pm
12	Saturday Refuse Pick-up	
14	Regular Board Meeting	7:30 pm
18-20	HERITAGE FEST	
27	Photo Shoot in Grafelman Park	1 - 3 pm
28	Planning & Zoning Commission	7:30 pm

OCTOBER

5	Regular Board Meeting	7:30 pm
6	Appearance Review Commission	7:30 pm
12	Committee of the Whole	7:30 pm
20	Regular Board Meeting	7:30 pm
26	Planning & Zoning Commission	7:30 pm
31	Halloween Party in Grafelman Park	12-2 pm
31	Trick-or-Treating	2 - 7 pm

NOVEMBER

2	Regular Board Meeting	7:30 pm
3	Appearance Review Commission	7:30 pm
9	Committee of the Whole	7:30 pm
16	Regular Board Meeting	7:30 pm
23	Planning & Zoning Commission	7:30 pm
26	Thanksgiving - Village Offices Closed	
28	Saturday Refuse Pick-up	
28	Final Leaf & Yard Waste Pick-up	



HERITAGE FEST

FRIDAY 6 - 11 pm
SATURDAY 10 am - 11 pm
SUNDAY 8 am - 5 pm

OPEN DAILY : *Food & Drink Vendors*
Downtown - Main Stage Area

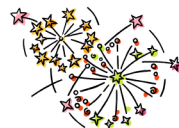
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

DOWNTOWN

6 - 8 pm **The Neverly Brothers**
Family Friendly Rock

8 pm **FIREWORKS**

8:30 - 11 pm **Maggie Speaks**



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

STROLLING ENTERTAINMENT

2 - 4 pm
5 - 8 pm

Mr. D's Balloon Twisting
Howard's Strolling Illusions

SOUTH SECOND STREET

10 am - 4 pm **Classic Car Show**
ROCK BAND TENT

9 am - 1 pm Free Eye Screenings

GRAFELMAN PARK

10 am - 6 pm **Antique Fair**

1 - 3:30 pm Kids Games & Activities

1:15 - 2:15 pm **Disorderly Conduct** - Punk/Alternative

2:45 - 3:45 pm **The Take Outs**

4:15 - 5:15 pm **The Coop**

8 - 9:45 pm **Movie: BEDTIME STORIES**

ALONG THE RIVERWALK

10 am - 7 pm **Arts & Crafts Fair**

DOWNTOWN

10 am - 4 pm Business & NFP Expo

11 - 1 pm **The Prowlers** -
Rock n Roll, Blues & Jazz

1:30 - 3:30 pm **deaD beAt daDs** - Dundee's Very Own

4 - 6 pm **PIANO MAN** - 8 piece band

6:30 - 8:30 pm **Tin Horse** - Southern Rock

9 - 11 pm **Modern Day Romeos**
Quintessential Rock Party Band

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

DOWNTOWN

8 - 11 am **Lion's Club Community Pancake Breakfast**
Start the day right with down home cookin' and a toe tappin' beat, courtesy of **The Dixie 6**



SOUTH SECOND STREET

10 am - 4 pm **Classic Car Show**
ROCK BAND TENT

GRAFELMAN PARK

10 am - 5 pm **Antique Fair**

noon - 1 pm **RUDITOONZ** - Cool Toonz for Kids

noon - 3 pm **BAGGO TOURNAMENT**

noon - 3 pm **Smokin' Hot Chili Cook-Off**

1 - 3 pm Kids Games & Activities

1:30 - 3:30 pm **Vessy Mink** - Indie/Folk/Punk

ALONG THE RIVERWALK

10 am - 5 pm **Arts & Crafts Fair**

DOWNTOWN

10 am - 4 pm Business & NFP Expo

11:30 am - noon **Park District Dancers**

noon - 12:30 pm **Mayer School of Irish Dancing**

1 - 2 pm **MARTIN LOPEZ VIOLIN ACADEMY PRESENTS:**
FOUR STRINGS ATTACHED

2 pm **Dundee-Crown Homecoming Parade**

2:30 - 4:30 pm **the Lennys!** - the 50s through today

Please join the
**West Dundee Village Board
& Dundee Lion's Club**
for a down home

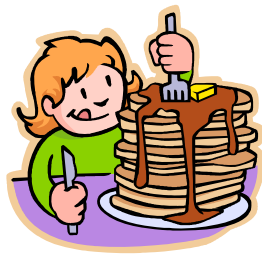
DIXIELAND COMMUNITY BREAKFAST w/ The Dixie 6

Downtown in the Heritage Fest Main Tent

**Sunday, September 20th
8:00 – 11:00 a.m.**

A donation of
\$5.00 Adults / \$4.00 Children
is requested
Children 3 & under eat free

Breakfast includes pancakes,
sausage, biscuits and gravy, juice and coffee.



Proceeds will be donated to the
Our Sight & Sound Fund
Local Eyeglasses

See you there!

Dundee Lion's Club, in conjunction with Lions of Illinois,
will offer **FREE** screenings
for Retinopathy and Macular Degeneration
during Heritage Fest.

**Stop by Village Hall, 102 South Second Street,
on Saturday 9/19 between 9 am and 1 pm
for your free eye screening.**

Heritage Fest Sponsors

GOLD SPONSORS

Budweiser
Comcast
Dundee Township Park District
Spring Hill Mall
Y103.9

SILVER SPONSORS

Baxter & Woodman
Emmett's Tavern & Brewery
First American Bank
KSA Lighting
Schock's Towing Service
Zukowski, Rogers, Flood & McArdle

BRONZE SPONSORS

Alan J. Coulson, P.C. Land Surveyor
Around the Corner Candy
Braasch Automotive
Bonestroo
Diamond Physical Therapy
Dundee Animal Hospital
H.D. Supply Waterworks
John Brechin Law Office
Law Office of Harlovic & Perko
Miller Funeral Home
Park National Bank
RedSpeed Illinois
Spa Bleu
Universal Marketing

Car Show Sponsor: Best Buy

THANK YOU!

Shop & Dine Local

The Village of West Dundee is proud to introduce the "Shop & Dine Local" program to help both businesses and residents of West Dundee during these challenging economic times. To encourage Dundee area residents to shop and dine in West Dundee, we've put together the following Discount Cards for use at participating businesses.

There are a wide variety of products and services available in West Dundee. Whether you shop or dine at locally owned businesses or a local outpost of a national retailer, you are supporting local business, local employees and the local economy.

Your shopping and dining habits not only make a difference to local businesses, but also to the Village, which depends on sales tax dollars to provide services and programs. For every \$10 you spend on general merchandise in West Dundee, 27½ cents is received by the Village - every penny received reduces the need for additional property taxes. By shopping locally, you are able to keep these much needed sales tax dollars within our community. West Dundee is committed to the success of its business community and to keeping property taxes as low as possible while delivering high quality services.

Shopping and dining locally also promotes sustainable living. You travel less and require less goods to be shipped, meaning less carbon, pollution and traffic congestion.

Please Shop & Dine Local to support your community. Enjoy these discounts from West Dundee merchants and restaurateurs, as they offer you another reason to choose West Dundee for your shopping and dining needs.

Dine West Dundee

Use this card to get a 10% discount at the participating restaurants listed below. This offer may not be combined with any other discounts or promotions. Discount offer is for dine-in only and excludes alcohol, tax & tip.

The Dining Discount Card will be valid until December 30, 2009.



Participating Restaurants

China Palace

840 Main St.

Emmett's

128 Main St.

Francesca's Campagna

127 Main St.

Famo's Subs & Salads

4608 Main St.

Maxwell's

551 S. Eighth St.

McDonald's

1074 Spring Hill Mall

R Bar & Grill

101 Main St.

Regina's

629 S. Eighth St.

Sbarro Pizza

1070 Spring Hill Mall

Village Squire

125 Washington St.

Shop West Dundee

Use this card to take advantage of the many discounts being offered by the participating merchants, listed below.

Discount details are also available on the Village website at: www.wdundee.org

The Merchant Discount Card will be valid until December 31, 2009.



Merchant Discounts

4 Seasons Menswear

1004 Spring Hill Mall

Save \$76 on a 3Pc suit,
\$50 on a 2Pc suit, \$5 on a
dress shirt & \$2 on a tie

Everything Floral

122 W. Main St.

\$10 discount on floral orders of
\$49.95 or more. 10% off cash &
carry fresh in-store

Nail Trend

725 W. Main St.

\$3 off mani & pedi
\$5 off all gel sets

Shelly's Bridal

104 W. Main St.

10% off wedding gowns
20% off bridesmaid gowns
15% off mothers gowns

Around the Corner Candy

107 S. Second St.

\$1 off your \$10 purchase

Famous Labels

390 N Eighth St.

Take an additional 10% off
all clothing

Nature's Fresh Market

850 W. Main St.

Deans gallon of milk
\$1.69 with \$15 purchase

Spa Bleu

106 N. Second St.

10% off any service.
Not valid on product.

Century Electronics

711 S. Eighth St.

Free in-home theater and
audio/video consultation.
A \$100 value!

Fannie May

1482 Spring Hill Mall

15% off one regular
priced item

Pretzel Palace

719 W. Main St.

25% off purchase

Surf City Squeeze

1484 Spring Hill Mall

10% off all smoothies

The Cocoa Cabana

651 S. Eighth St.

15% off purchase

J B Robinson Jewelers

1376 Spring Hill Mall

15% off selected merchandise
10% off all repairs

Primrose Lane

114 W. Main St.

10% off purchase

Time 2 Tan

864 W. Main St.

\$5 tanning
10% off retail product

Costume & Magic Outlet

99 W. Main St.

10% off magic, costumes.
Free magic trick with ad when
presented by an adult.

Ladybug Lane

518 W. Main St.

15% off purchase of any jar,
pillar, or taper candles

Red Wing Shoe Store

320 N. Eighth St.

Save \$20 off Red Wing brand
boot/shoe. Save \$15 off
Worx brand boot/shoe.

Trade Secret Salon

1132 Spring Hill Mall

\$5 off product purchase of \$30
or more. 10% off any salon
service.

D&M Perlman Fine Jewelry

740 S. Eighth St.

25% off any regular price piece
of jewelry or giftware item

Let's Learn

848 W. Main St.

10% off purchase

Rogers & Hollands Jewelers

1026 Spring Hill Mall

20% off one regularly priced
item. Excludes Jrs sales,
watches & pink

Westerling China & Gifts

121 W. Main St.

20% off purchase

Metamorphosis

119 W. Main St.

15% off picture order
excluding greeting cards &
announcements

Romantica

125 W. Main St.

10% off all regularly
priced dresses

Yankee Candle

1564 Spring Hill Mall

Free small jar candle with
purchase of any large jar candle
at regular price.



Halloween will be here before we know it! On **Saturday, October 31**, the Village of West Dundee will host a Halloween celebration for kids of all ages. Beginning at noon in Grafelman Park, please join us for pumpkin painting, costume contests and much more, followed by **Trick-or-Treat hours from 2 - 7 pm**. Keep an eye on our website, wdundee.org, or sign up for our email list to receive event details.

For a safe & fun Halloween, observe the following basic safety precautions provided by your Fire & Police Departments.

- Make sure that costumes are of non-flammable material. Warn your children to stay away from fire, especially while in their costumes. Instruct children to “Stop, Drop and Roll” in the event of a clothing fire.
- Avoid costumes with masks, as masks restrict vision. Many variety stores sell face paint kits which are inexpensive and safe to use to complete you or your child’s Halloween disguise.
- Do not set candle-lit pumpkins on your porch, doorstep or indoors. Substitute the candle with a flashlight or battery operated light. Do not place dry cornstalks or other decorations near fireplaces or any other heat source.
- **PARENTS - Always accompany your children. Advise them never to enter the home of a stranger.** Do not invite trick-or-treaters into your home unless you know them.
- Make sure that costumes are brightly colored and that do not impair mobility. Decorate your child’s costume with reflective tape to increase motorist visibility.
- While driving on Halloween, be especially mindful of pedestrians. As a pedestrian, cross the street only at crosswalks, never from between parked cars. Look in all directions before crossing and obey all traffic lights.
- Walk, never run, across the street. Do not walk in the streets - use the sidewalks.
- **Mom & Dad - Please instruct your children not to eat any of their treats until after they get home and you have checked for any possible contaminants.**

HAVE A SAFE AND FUN HALLOWEEN



FALL LEAF COLLECTION PROGRAM



The Village’s annual Leaf Collection Program will begin on October 13th and continue until November 28th.

Please rake leaves into the street approximately one foot from the curb. Be sure the pile consists of leaves only, and is free of sticks, rocks, and other debris that will damage the leaf collection equipment.

The Public Works crew tries to service each street at least once per week. After the leaves are collected from your street, please wait a few days before placing more leaves on the street. Remember, it is a violation of the Village Ordinance to burn leaves.

As a safety note, do not allow children to play in or around leaf piles in the street. There are far too many hazards that could result in injury or worse. Also, don’t park vehicles over leaf piles. Parking over leaves obstructs the collection process, and secondly, the heat from exhaust pipes can start the leaves on fire.

Please remember that **curbside yard waste collection also ends on November 28th**. Leaves can also be bagged for disposal as yard waste. Place bagged leaves on the curb in a craft bag or open garbage can no earlier than Thursday. Do not mix leaves with regular household trash. After November 28th, leaves and other yard waste should be stored for disposal in the spring.



SPEAK OUT ...provides another way for you to communicate with Village Officials. Your advice, questions, suggestions and opinions are appreciated. Comments can be mailed or placed in the drop box outside Village Hall. If you need more space, please attach an additional sheet of paper.

WATCH YOUR SPEED...SCHOOL IS BACK IN SESSION

As summer draws to a close and children are back in school, it is more important than ever to ensure that you obey the speed limits as you drive through the village.

The West Dundee Police Department strictly enforces the **20 mph** school speed limits when children are present. Please use caution when driving and remember, if you see a school bus, there are children nearby!

The first offense for passing a school bus while its flashing red lights and stop arm are activated is a **\$150 fine and suspension of your license for 90 days**. Anyone can report this violation – the bus driver, a neighbor, another motorist – anyone! All they need is the license plate number. In addition, the owner of the vehicle will be held responsible – even if they weren't driving.

The speed limit on all streets within the Village of West Dundee is **25 mph**, unless posted otherwise.



CONTACTING THE POLICE

911: EMERGENCIES 911 calls go to the Quad Com dispatch center. While Police and Fire Personnel are being dispatched, operators will obtain additional information from you, needed by first responders.

847-428-8784: NON-EMERGENCY DISPATCH

Use this number to request police assistance in non-emergency situations. It will connect you to the dispatch center for operators to obtain the necessary information to dispatch the correct personnel.

847-551-3810: POLICE STATION

Use this number to contact the Police with questions or administrative needs. Dispatching does not take place in this building. Phone calls are handled by Records staff and other police personnel.

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