

New Elmhurst City Council Sworn In

The newly elected and re-elected Council members were sworn in at the regular Elmhurst City Council meeting on May 6, 2013. Elmhurst voters selected Steven M. Morley as our community's new Mayor. Other newly elected or re-elected members of the Council are Patty Spencer, City Clerk; Elaine Libovicz, City Treasurer, and the following Aldermen: Marti Deuter 1st Ward, Norman Leader 2nd Ward, Michael Bram 3rd Ward, Kevin York 4th Ward, Chris Healy 5th Ward, Jim Kennedy 6th Ward, and Patrick Wagner 7th Ward. City elections are held on a staggered basis. The positions of Mayor, City Clerk, City Treasurer and one alderman from each ward will be on the ballot again in 2017. The other seven aldermanic positions will be on the ballot in 2015.



First Row (l-r): Mark A. Mulliner, Marti Deuter, Patty Spencer, Steven M. Morley, Elaine Libovicz, Dannie Polomsky, Norm Leader.

Second Row (l-r): Jim Kennedy, Diane Gutenkauf, Patrick Wagner, Steve Hipskind, Chris Healy, Michael J. Bram, Scott M. Levin, Bob Dunn, Kevin York.

Elmhurst Responds Proactively to April 17-18 Storm Event – FEMA Assistance Available

In one 24-hour period, from Wednesday, April 17, overnight into Thursday, April 18, seven inches of rain fell in Elmhurst, causing flooded streets and properties and numerous calls for our fire, police, and public works departments.

Prior to the storm, the Elmhurst Public Works Department had proactively cleared debris from storm sewer inlets, which is standard practice. In addition, DuPage County opened the Elmhurst Quarry and Spring Creek Reservoir Flood Control Facilities on the evening of April 17, to collect as much water as possible. While these measures prevented Salt Creek from

overflowing the Elmhurst levy, the ground was already saturated from rains earlier in the week, and flooding was caused when the City's storm sewer system was overwhelmed by copious amounts of rain.

Public Works crews were on duty throughout the storm, beginning on the evening of April 17, and continuing through Saturday, April 20, when post-storm cleanup efforts were conducted. Sandbags were made available to residents and business owners at the Public Works garage, City Hall and the Elmhurst Quarry.

The Fire Department called in all available personnel and responded to 150 storm-

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Spring Cleanup Rescheduled to June 12, 13 & 14

Due to the flooding that followed the rain on April 17-18, the spring cleanup, originally scheduled for April 24, 25 & 26, has been rescheduled for June 12, 13 & 14.

City Council Approves Eight-Month Budget

The City Council voted on April 15 to approve the Fiscal Year 2013 City of Elmhurst Budget, the city's operational plan for the remainder of the 2013 calendar year. The city will transition to a calendar fiscal year beginning on January 1, 2014. Council approval is the final step each year in an exhaustive review of anticipated revenues, proposed operational expenditures, as submitted by department heads, and proposed capital improvement expenditures.

Although some revenue sources are showing signs of improvement, city officials continue to be cautiously optimistic in their forecasts. Taxes, including property tax, sales tax and utility taxes, continue to be the city's largest revenue source, comprising 42.6 percent of total revenues. Service charges, primarily from water and sewer fees, account for almost 20 percent of municipal revenue and other revenue sources make up the balance. City officials are monitoring proposed legislation regarding the distribution of state-shared revenues, which could significantly impact city revenues.

The City of Elmhurst balances by fund rather than by line item. The General Fund is the city's major operating fund and finances public safety, public works, community development, health and welfare, cultural and administrative functions.

Revenue to the General Fund comes primarily from taxes, interest income and fee-based revenue sources. Although sales tax is still the greatest single source of revenue in the General Fund, it remains significantly below the fiscal year 2000 high of \$11,323,000. A large part of the municipal one percent sales tax is paid as a result of automotive sales and repairs, a revenue source that is subject to constant volatility in the automotive industry. For this reason,

city officials have taken significant action to stabilize other sources of revenue to the General Fund and reduce dependence on automotive related sales tax.

Revenues to the General Fund are expected to exceed expenditures, allowing for a significant contribution to the General Fund balance.

For the first time in several years, officials project that the city will reach its fund balance goal of 25-33 percent of operating expenditures in the General Fund. Other municipal funds receive revenue through various sources and are targeted for specific uses, such as the Capital Improvement Fund, which is earmarked for major capital expenditures, and the Municipal Utility Fund, which accounts for water distribution and wastewater treatment.

When reviewing proposed expenditures, city officials identify and fund the most essential city services, including public safety, infrastructure and other necessary

programs that affect the majority of residents. Other beneficial but less essential programs were eliminated, reduced or deferred in this and previous budgets. Employee wages and benefits represent a significant expense that must be carefully balanced with the services provided to the community. As in past years, the city's focus is to provide high quality services in the most cost effective manner possible. Six full-time positions that became vacant in the past year have been replaced by part-time staff, agency personnel or contract services, thereby reducing current and future costs associated with full-time employees. The city now employs 289 full-time employees, the lowest number since 1995.

Responsible use of revenue and efficient delivery of municipal services are central to the annual budget preparation process. Interested individuals can find the 2013 budget by clicking on "Quick Links" on the city's homepage, www.elmhurst.org.

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related calls, including flooded basements with hazards, smoke/electrical investigations, traffic accidents and even water rescue for people trapped in homes and cars.

Elmhurst's Police Department also worked to mitigate the effects of the storm by closing certain streets and responding to more than 200 calls for assistance. Staffed by fire, police, public works, city administration personnel, and Acting Mayor Levin and Mayor Elect Morley, the City's Emergency Operations Center was opened at 4 a.m. on April 18.

To keep residents apprised, the City used a number of communication channels, including automated telephone calls, "Notify Me" alerts, press releases, and informational posts on the City website and Facebook page (Elmhurst IL City Administration). (Residents may sign up for email and text

notifications for "Storm/Flood Information" and other topics under **Notify Me** on the City's homepage.)

Prior to the April 17-18 flood, the City had organized a Storm Water Task Force. Working with the Task Force and City consultants, Elmhurst will continue to implement recommendations for flood mitigation, while balancing these suggestions with available funding.

On Friday, May 10, President Obama issued a Presidential Disaster Declaration for DuPage County, along with several other counties in Illinois. Elmhurst residents affected by the recent flooding may now apply for assistance. Visit www.disasterassistance.gov or call 1-800-621-FEMA (3362) to apply for federal assistance. Additionally residents may go to the City of Elmhurst website for further information at www.elmhurst.org.

Protecting Yourself Online



The Elmhurst Police Department regularly takes police reports involving criminal activity occurring on a computer, tablet or cell phone. When an offender has a great deal of personal information about the victim, the victim often believes

the offender must know him or her personally. While this is possible, there are other ways for an offender to obtain an individual's information.

Credit cards can be jeopardized when a skimming device at a legitimate location, such as an ATM or a gas pump, is used to capture credit card information. It is extremely difficult to locate a skimming device, and in most cases, the device is not located until the credit card has been compromised.

Phishing email scams are another way criminals obtain personal information. Victims believe they are filling out information on a form emailed to them from a legitimate business, such as their bank. Never click on an email link that appears to be from a bank or other business, and never provide personal information, even if the email threatens dire consequences if the victim fails to follow their instructions. An example of a phishing email might be, "We suspect an unauthorized transaction on your account. To ensure that your account is not compromised, please click on the link below and confirm your identity." Legitimate businesses never send this type of email. If you suspect fraud, call the main business number (not the number

provided in the email, which may be fraudulent) and inquire about the email.

Many homes and businesses have wireless Internet connections that allow them to connect multiple devices to the Internet without wires running to each device. If you have a wireless Internet connection, you or the person setting up the network must secure it with a strong password. An unsecured wireless connection makes it possible for many types of criminal activity to occur over your network. A criminal may simply park their car in front of your home or business, connect to your network and possibly access financial information through your computer. Other types of crimes involve downloading illegal images. Once a police investigation is conducted, the Internet connection will register to your home or business rather than to the offender's computer. This is just one of many reasons to secure your wireless Internet service.

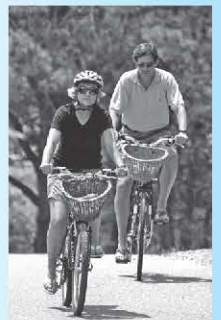
For more information about Internet safety, go to www.illinoiscas.org. Members of the Elmhurst Police Department have attended training through the Internet Crimes against Children Task Force, the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security and the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center. If your group is interested in an Internet safety presentation, please contact Detective Steve Mandat at steve.mandat@elmhurst.org or by phone at 630-530-3063.

Elmhurst Bicycle Plan

In 2008, former Mayor Thomas Marcucci established a Bike Task Force to help the community become more bike-friendly and accessible. The Task Force focused in part on developing a Bicycle Plan. The Plan was completed in 2012 and adopted earlier this year as an amendment to the city's Comprehensive Plan. The Bicycle Plan has three goals: 1) to help the casual bike rider feel more comfortable riding on city streets; 2) to provide secure and conveniently located bike parking; and 3) to encourage more people to use their bikes for recreation, exercise and transportation. The Plan analyzes current conditions and suggests ways in which cost-effective improvements can be made. In many cases, such "upgrades" require little more than signage or paint on the street to increase awareness for all roadway users. At other times, traffic control devices may be indicated. The Plan prioritizes implementation of these projects over several years. The Bike Plan is a blueprint to help Elmhurst attain the status of a Bike Friendly Community, as defined by the League of American Bicyclists, and strengthen Elmhurst as a livable and sustainable community. For more information, the Bike Plan can be viewed at <http://elmhurst.org/index.aspx?NID=782>.

Sharing the Road Safely

When bicyclists and motorists share the road, they follow the same rules, have the same rights, and need to respect and watch out for one another. An analysis of the five-year history of accidents involving bicyclists and motorists found that many incidents involved bikes on sidewalks and cars backing out of driveways. In most cases, the bicyclists were children. Although it is illegal to ride a bike on the sidewalk in commercial districts, it is allowed in residential neighborhoods. Motorists are cautioned to always be aware of pedestrians and bicyclists on city streets and sidewalks. Be safe – drive and ride defensively.



Bike to Work Week

Hosted by the Chicagoland Bicycle Federation, Bike to Work Week, June 10 to 14, gives commuters an opportunity to leave their cars at home and use their bikes for all or part of their daily commute. The Elmhurst Bike Task Force and the Elmhurst Bike Club will staff an informational table at the Elmhurst Metra Station from 6:30 to 8 a.m. on June 11 and 13 with free coffee provided by Elijah's for all those who bike to the station.

Finance Department Receives GFOA Award

The Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) established the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting Program (CAFR Program) in 1945 to encourage governments at the state and local level to go beyond generally accepted accounting practices in preparing comprehensive annual financial reports that meet the demands of transparency and full disclosure. The GFOA Certificate

of Excellence in Financial Reporting recognizes individual governments that succeed in meeting that goal. The Elmhurst Finance Department has received this prestigious award for 23 consecutive years. The department has also been awarded GFOA's Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for six consecutive years for preparing budget documents of the highest quality.

Congratulations

Four on the 4th Run

Elmhurst's annual "Four on the 4th" four-mile run will be held at 7:15 a.m.

on Thursday, July 4, and will start and finish on Prospect Avenue at Elmhurst College. The race is certified by USA Track & Field and the Chicago Area Runners Association (CARA), and has been selected to be part of CARA's 2013

competitive circuit of races, the Runners' Choice Circuit. This is a runners' race –

wheeled vehicles and pets are not allowed on the course. Registration is limited to the first 1,000 participants. A 1K Kids' Run will begin at 8:30 a.m. that morning. Proceeds from both races will benefit the Elmhurst Children's Assistance Foundation, an organization that assists families when a child is diagnosed with a serious

medical condition. More race information can be found at www.4on4th.com.



Police Officers Events Benefit Special Olympics

Elmhurst police officers will participate again this summer in the annual Law Enforcement Torch Run to benefit the Special Olympics Illinois Summer Games to be held at Illinois State University in Normal on June 14, 15 and 16.

The Torch Run is a grassroots event that raises funds and increases public awareness of the athletes who compete in the Special Olympics. Thousands of officers from every branch of law enforcement carry the "Flame of Hope" more than 1,500 miles before delivering it to the opening ceremonies of the Special Olympics. The Elmhurst Police Department raised over \$6,000 in last year's event. This year's Torch Run will take place in June, beginning at St. Charles and proceeding north on York Street to City Hall. Elmhurst police will also participate in "Cop on the Rooftop" at the Elmhurst Dunkin' Donuts, 936 N. York, on Friday, May 31, from 5 to 12 noon to benefit Special Olympics.

Fireworks Safety

Many fireworks-related injuries over the 4th of July could be avoided if fireworks were used under close adult supervision and if some basic safety precautions were taken. Children should never be allowed to use fireworks without a responsible adult close by. Even devices that seem harmless, such as sparklers, burn at temperatures in excess of 1,000 degrees and can cause severe burns. Residents are reminded that only those fireworks that can be legally sold in Illinois are legal to possess and explode within Elmhurst.

Devices that produce temporary audible or visible exhibitions by means of explosion, combustion or detonation, including firecrackers, skyrocket, bombs, torpedoes and roman candles, are prohibited. When the police respond to reports of fireworks being exploded in residential neighborhoods, the fireworks are confiscated and offenders may be arrested. Devices such as sparklers, smoke devices, snakes, trick noise-makers and glow worm pellets are not considered fireworks and are allowed at any time.

ELMHURST

Community Calendar

June — August 2013

ONGOING

May 31-August 31

Shutter to Think: The Rock & Roll Lens of Paul Natkin

Paul Natkin is widely considered to be one of Chicago's most accomplished music photographers. Starting in the early 1970s, Natkin traveled the world capturing signature moments of drama, excitement and excess that propelled rock's tumultuous history. His astute eye and knack for capturing "the decisive moment" have earned international acclaim and resulted in numerous magazine and album covers. Learn the stories behind many of Natkin's photos of rock icons in their early careers, including Bruce Springsteen, The Rolling Stones, Madonna, Pearl Jam, The Who and more. Experience engaging interactives including a *Rolling Stone* magazine photo op and spyglass for kids to discover hidden clues. Narrative written by *Chicago Sun-Times* writer Dave Hoekstra.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Tuesday-Sunday 1-5 p.m. FREE

June 1-August 10

Dig Into Reading at Elmhurst Public Library
Starting June 1, everyone from age one to 101+ can participate in EPL's Summer Reading Program. This year's reading adventure is all about unearthing treasures and discovering what lies beneath the surface. Earn great prizes as you read and attend fun events throughout the entire summer! Kick-Off Day is June 1!

Elmhurst Public Library
www.elmhurstpubliclibrary.org

Mondays, June 10-July 8

Summer String Orchestra

The Elmhurst Park District and the Elmhurst Symphony Orchestra will offer a summer orchestra for string players ages 12 and up who are of intermediate level and who are or have been part of an orchestra. Participants will receive instruction from members of the ESO in a variety of music from classical to jazz and have an opportunity to perform at a final concert on July 9 upon completion of the program.

Wagner Community Center
615 North West Avenue, Elmhurst
7-9 p.m.
\$60 resident; \$75 non-resident; register at
www.epd.org or by calling 630-993-8900.

June 20, July 18, August 1 and 15

Music at the Gazebo

Free concert featuring big band, folk and more.
Wild Meadows Trace Park
Prairie Path and Spring Road
7 p.m. FREE

Through June 30

Spirito! Singers Auditions

Spirito! Singers is currently holding auditions for its 2013-2014 season.

Contact Spirito! at 630-941-0744 or spirito@spiritosingers.org to set up an audition

Through August 18

The Activity

The Activity is an interactive art wall at Elmhurst Art Museum where your family can draw, design and discover their own creative talents. The Activity changes with every exhibition, so stop back to discover something new!

Elmhurst Art Museum
FREE with admission

Fragment: Sampling the Modern

An exhibition of new work by four Chicago-based artists: Leslie Baum, Diana Guerrero-Macia, Jessica Labatte and Adam Scott. Similar to the contemporary musician's process of making new materials from samples of familiar music, the artists mine and digest bits and pieces of visual culture from sources such as printed advertisements, urban debris, common pictorial symbols and the history of art.

Elmhurst Art Museum

Elmhurst Photo Boutique Classes

Photographer Erica Benson will be holding photography classes throughout the year. The four-week class covers camera functions, lighting, composition and how to photograph various subjects.

Elmhurst Photo Boutique
\$40 per person for 4-week class
For more information contact the instructor at
630-400-7242 or benson.eric1@gmail.com

Through August

Block to Block Party

Join us all summer long for the Block to Block Party. Every Wednesday and Saturday night from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Twice a week there will be free music, family fun and fabulous specials all over the City Centre area! Cool Cars Under the Stars every Wednesday night, too! Visit www.elmhurstcitycentre.com for weekly specials and more details.

Elmhurst City Centre
6-9 p.m.

Art on the Run

Share a creative experience with your children each Saturday at EAM! This family program is inspired by the current exhibition. Art projects change every two weeks. Join us often to create something new.

Elmhurst Art Museum
With admission
Saturdays from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. FREE

Through October

Elmhurst Farmers Market

Starting first Wednesday in June through last Wednesday in October. For details contact market manager Adam Krzemkowski at 630-222-6581.

See The
STONES
on the BIG screen!
May 30TH AT 9PM
Presented with 4K Digital Projection & Sound!

SHINE A LIGHT

Special Introduction by Paul Natkin
Former Tour Photographer for the Rolling Stones



CLASSIC CINEMAS
www.classiccinemas.com
YORK THEATRE
150 North York Street - Elmhurst - 630.834.0675
Presented in Partnership with
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MAY

Thursday – 30

Shine a Light at the York Theatre

Celebrate the 50-year history of the Rolling Stones and their Chicago tour stop with a screening of the 2008 Martin Scorsese documentary, *Shine a Light*. Hailed as "one of the most intimate movies ever made about rock-and-roll," this critically acclaimed documentary covers the band's 2006 benefit performances at the Beacon Theatre in New York. The film features exclusive interviews, a star-studded audience, an incredible soundtrack, plus guest performances by Buddy Guy, Christina Aguilera and Jack White. Introduction by Paul Natkin, former Rolling Stones tour photographer and subject of the new Shutter to Think exhibit at Elmhurst Historical Museum. Co-sponsored by Classic Cinemas, Elmhurst Historical Museum and Elmhurst City Centre. Presented in 4K digital projection and sound.

York Theatre, 150 N. York St.
9 p.m. Tickets: \$8.75 at York box office

JUNE

Saturday-1

Rock & Mineral Identification

Geologist Sara Johnson presents an introduction to rocks and minerals. Learn how to make a basic mineral test kit. Hands-on identification procedures include observation skills and hardness tests. Great for teachers and rockhounds, this program qualifies for Boy and Girl Scout merit badges. All materials are provided. Ages 8 years to adult. 75 minutes. Reservations required: 630-833-1616. Lizzadro Museum of Lapidary Art
10:30 a.m. \$5 per person

Saturday-8

Stone Hunt

This hands-on activity allows children and adults to search for gems and minerals among more common rocks. Learn the difference between rocks and minerals and how to distinguish between them. Each rock or mineral found is identified and can be taken home. Ages 5 to adult. 45 minutes. Reservations recommended. Lizzadro Museum of Lapidary Art
2 p.m. \$4 per person.

Modernist Textiles with Diana Guerrero-Macia

Create your own modern art masterpiece! In this workshop exhibiting artist and School of the Art Institute professor Diana Guerrero-Macia will show you how to create textile collages using simple techniques like line drawing, cutting shapes, ironing and stitching. Ages 3-8 accompanied by an adult.

Elmhurst Art Museum
10:30 a.m. FREE with museum admission

Community HealthFair

Free Community Health Fair including free school physicals, free children's immunizations (for low income families with parental consent and immunization records), dental screening exams, eye and hearing screening, screening for diabetes and high blood pressure and skin cancer. Free Moon Jump and children's games. Live band. Spanish interpreters available.

Faith Evangelical United Methodist Church
111 W. North Avenue
(Corner of North and York in Elmhurst)
9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Monday-Friday 10-14

Bike to Metra Week

Elmhurst Bike Task Force will host a welcome and informational table at the Metra Station on Tuesday and Friday.
6:30-8:30 a.m.

Tuesday-11

Elmhurst Symphony Orchestra Annual Dinner

Join Elmhurst Symphony Association members and friends to celebrate the conclusion of the ESO's 2012-13 season and hear a preview of next season's exciting concerts. Winners of the Silver Measure Award for volunteer services to the Symphony will be announced.

Diplomat West
681 West North Avenue
Elmhurst
6 p.m. \$32

Bluejay Backer Golf Outing

The 31st Annual Elmhurst College Bluejay Backer Golf Outing at Bloomingdale Golf Club. Registration and silent auction begins at 10 a.m., with an 11 a.m. shotgun start. Reception at 4:30 p.m. with dinner at 5 p.m.

Bloomingdale Golf Club
181 Glen Ellyn Road, Bloomingdale
Info: Call Vicky Ferguson at 630-617-3140

Thursday - 13

Rock Concert Film Series: The Last Waltz

Participants will view and discuss *The Last Waltz*, Martin Scorsese's legendary 1978 documentary featuring The Band's farewell performance, widely regarded as one of the finest films of this genre. Peter Hawley, Film and Broadcast Chair at Tribeca Flashpoint Media Arts Academy in Chicago, will provide an introduction on the significance of the documentary and lead a Q & A session following the movie. First of a two-part series of rock concert films co-presented by Elmhurst Historical Museum and Elmhurst Public Library.

Elmhurst Public Library
6:30 p.m. FREE

Reservations requested: Call 630-279-8696 or www.elmhurstpubliclibrary.org.

Middle School Nights at the Pool

Calling all sixth, seventh and eighth graders! Come to the pool and get down with DJ Stevie D from Operation Getdown Productions and enjoy your favorite music, dance and swim with your friends. Drinks and snacks available for purchase. All participants must be registered by a parent in order to attend.

Elmhurst Park District
East End Pool
8:30-10:30 p.m.
\$3 pre-registration; \$5 registration at door

Saturday-15

Knot Those Pearls

Pat Koko of the West Suburban Lapidary Club teaches knotting techniques used in creating beaded necklaces. Instruction includes discussion of beading techniques, use of tools, beads, clasp and string. All materials included. Necessary tools will be available to share as we complete our project. Complete a single strand faux pearl necklace to take home. Ages 15 to adult. Reservations required: 630-833-1616.

Lizzadro Museum of Lapidary Art
1-3 p.m.
\$30 per person

Summer Extravaganza

Elmhurst College will host its 18th Annual Summer Extravaganza. This free outdoor concert will feature jazz vocalist Simone accompanied by the Elmhurst College Jazz Band. Lawn chairs and picnics welcome. Food and beverages available for purchase.

Elmhurst College Mall
190 South Prospect Avenue
6:30 p.m. FREE Info: 630-617-3390

Special Kids Carnival Days

Children of ALL ages with special needs, their siblings and families are invited to attend the Special Kids Day Carnival. These are free events and include rides, face painting, treats, games and prizes. Special Kids Day is a registered 501c3 not for profit organization operated and run by volunteers. For more information, visit www.specialkidsday.org or email rich@skd.org.
10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Tuesday-18

Summer Fun & Games: Fabulous Photo Frames

Drop in at the Elmhurst Historical Museum's Education Center on Tuesday afternoons all summer long for crafty fun with a rock-and-roll beat. For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required. Capture the best musical moments of summer in a picture frame that kids can decorate and put on display.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Education Center
1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-members \$2

Wednesday-19

Wilder Mansion Culinary Series: Tapas of Spain

Chef Marco Conte from Café Amano will walk us through the process of creating an entire five-course menu. Attendees are provided recipes to take notes on Conte's culinary technique. Fee includes full five-course meal.

Elmhurst Park District Wilder Mansion
6:30-9 p.m.
\$55R/\$65NR with soft drinks; \$70R/\$80NR including wine package
For info call 630-993-8186.

Friday-21

Friday Night Artist Talk: Leslie Baum

Leslie Baum selects and reworks particular passages of modern painting, incorporating them into her own work. Baum shares her art historical sources in addition to thoughts behind her installation in Mies' McCormick House.

Elmhurst Art Museum
6:30 p.m. FREE

Saturday-22

Elmhurst Symphony Orchestra Concert

The ESO returns to Cantigny Park with "From Sea to Shining Sea" featuring a variety of music, including well-loved patriotic numbers. Concerts are on the lawn, so bring lawn chairs and picnics.

Cantigny Park, 1S151 Winfield Road
Wheaton
8 p.m.
Members \$10 in advance, \$15 at the door; non-members \$12 in advance, \$18 at the door. Children under 8 admitted free. Call 630-260-8162 or visit www.cantigny.org/events

Geode Collecting Field Trip

Collect geodes near the Mississippi River. This private quarry yields abundant and fascinating geodes along with other minerals and fossils. Trip includes tour guides, motorcoach and on-site cracking fees. Check the Museum's website for upcoming collecting trips this summer. Reservation required: 630-833-1616.

Lizzadro Museum of Lapidary Art
Field Trip 7 a.m.-9 p.m.
\$99 per person

Birthday Party at The Hub

Celebrate The Hub's 10th season with a fun-filled afternoon of lunch off the grill, backyard games, a free root beer float and a chance to win prizes!

Elmhurst Park District
The Hub at Berens Park
11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Tuesday-25

Summer Fun & Games: Guitar Pick Necklaces

It's the coolest accessory for a rocking summer! Kids will string beaded necklaces accented by a colorful guitar pick. For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Education Center
1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-members \$2

JULY

Tuesday-2

Summer Fun & Games: Wooden Slide Whistles
Kids will make a melodic slide whistle to enhance those last-minute jam sessions. For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Education Center
1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-members \$2

Tuesday-9

Summer Fun & Games: Rocking Air Guitars
Calling all guitar heroes! Kids can make their own "axe" to add style to their face-melting guitar solos. For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Education Center
1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-members \$2

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Participants will view and discuss *Stop Making Sense*, the 1984 Talking Heads' concert documentary directed by Jonathan Demme hailed by Leonard Maltin as "one of the greatest rock movies ever made." Peter Hawley, Film and Broadcast Chair at Tribeca Flashpoint Media Arts Academy in Chicago, will provide an introduction on the significance of the documentary and lead a Q & A session following the movie. Second of a two-part series of rock concert films co-presented by Elmhurst Historical Museum and Elmhurst Public Library.

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Dynamic Earth Day

Celebrate Earth Day with earth-related activities for K through 4th grade. Designed to earth's unique treasures, visitors experience activities such as sifting for fossils and minerals, creating fossil and crystal imprints and building earth puzzles. Ages 5 years to adult. Estimated time for each activity is 10 to 30 minutes.

Lizzadro Museum of Lapidary Art
1-4 p.m. Regular museum admission

Sunday-14

Elmhurst Garden Club Walk & Faire

The Elmhurst Garden Club presents its 18th Annual Garden Walk and Faire, "An Afternoon in the Garden." Visitors begin the walk by obtaining a garden guide at the Garden Club booth in Wilder Park. The Faire, featuring booths with varied and unique garden-related items, will be held in Wilder Park; art by local artists will be exhibited in historic Wilder Mansion. Deli lunches will be available from 11a.m-1 p.m. Tickets may be purchased in advance (\$15) or at the event (\$20).

Wilder Park
10 a.m.-4 p.m.
Info: www.elmhurstgardenwalk.com

Tuesday-16

Summer Fun & Games: Backbeat Drums

Drive the rhythm of the neighborhood garage band with this awesome drum that can be personalized with stickers and more. For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Education Center
1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-members \$2

Concerts in Wilder Park

Elmhurst Summer Band. Bring a blanket and picnic basket and enjoy an evening of music in the park.

Elmhurst Park District
Wilder Park
7 p.m.

Wednesday-17

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Parisian Delights

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Thursday-18

Paul Natkin: Capturing the Decisive Moment

Photographer Paul Natkin tells the personal stories behind some of his most compelling photos of music legends and moments from the 1970s to today. Find out what it was like to tour with the Rolling Stones, chronicle the making of Bruce Springsteen's "Dancing in the Dark" video, photograph Prince's birthday party and much more. Part of the ongoing "It's History" series of adult lectures and programs.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Education Center
7 p.m. FREE

Friday-19

Superior Ambulance Elmhurst Cycling Classic

Elmhurst Masters Competition Cycling, Inc. and Prairie State Cycling Series in cooperation with the City of Elmhurst, the Elmhurst Park District and Elmhurst College present this four-day race in the Chicago area. Elmhurst is hosting day two of the event. Come out and watch some of the best professional and amateur racers nationwide! All ages.

Wilder Park
10:45 a.m.-8 p.m.



Grandfather and grandson playing with Activity.

Friday-19

PNC Bank Family Fun Ride

Families of all ages are invited to join us for a fun bike ride around the same route the professionals will be using for the Elmhurst Cycling Classic bike race. Free registration open until Thursday, July 18, at PNC Bank, 565 South York Street. Day-of registration available at the Wilder Park Rec Building at 175 Prospect Avenue for \$5 per rider. Check-in and registration will open at 4 p.m. on the day of the event at the Wilder Rec Building.

Wilder Park
5:50 p.m.

Saturday-20

Smalley Pool Cardboard Boat Regatta

Your mission: Build a boat out of cardboard and duct tape at home that is capable of being launched and paddled across the pool while holding two people! Check-in starts at 8 a.m. and the first heat begins at 9 a.m. Registration packets can be picked up at Wagner Community Center, East End or Smalley Pools. Ages six and older.

Elmhurst Park District
Smalley Pool, 8-11 a.m.
\$12 boat entry fee

Tuesday-23

Concerts in Wilder Park

Elmhurst Summer Jazz Band. Bring a blanket and picnic basket and enjoy an evening of music in the park. Sponsored by Community Bank of Elmhurst. All ages.

Elmhurst Park District, Wilder Park
7 p.m.

Summer Fun & Games: VIP Backstage Passes

Kids will be VIPs of the summer concert scene when they create an authentic-looking backstage pass to be in the center of the action. For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Education Center
1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-members \$2

Friday-26

Friday Night Artist Talk: Adam Scott

Painter Adam Scott explains his new collage-based work that translates the materiality and often the peculiarity, of our cultural landscape in dynamic, undulating abstractions.

Elmhurst Art Museum
6:30 p.m. FREE

Tuesday-30

Summer Fun & Games: Tapping Tambourines

Turn the beat around by making a colorful, jangly tambourine to get any party started. For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required.

Elmhurst Historical Museum
Education Center
1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-member \$2

AUGUST

Thursday-Sunday 1-4

AAUW Used Book Sale

Thousands of used books, CDs, DVDs and videos will be available at the Annual Used Book Sale sponsored by the Elmhurst Branch of AAUW. Well-organized into over 30 different categories, the four-day sale features a large children's section, as well as a collector's area. Proceeds benefit AAUW educational grants and local scholarships. Barrels for donating books and other items will be available at various locations in Elmhurst and Addison beginning June 20.

Jackson Elementary School, 925 Swain Elmhurst

Thursday 6-9 p.m.; Friday 9 a.m.-9 p.m.;

Saturday 9 a.m.-3 p.m.;

Sunday 12 noon-3 p.m.

Free admission on all days except for Opening Night (Thursday) when there is an entrance fee of \$10 per person plus \$10 per scanner.

Call 630-834-1426 for further details or email pingbok@comcast.net.

Saturday-3

GreenFest

Join us for a great day at Wilder Park! Learn how to reduce your impact on the environment and contribute to a more sustainable community with fun and educational activities for adults and kids. All ages.

Elmhurst Park District

Wilder Park

10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Collaborative Collage with Leslie Baum

Explore the galleries at the Elmhurst Art Museum like never before. Based on her process of painting from the work of other artists, exhibiting artist Leslie Baum will take you into the galleries to draw directly from works in the exhibition "Fragment." You and your family will return to the studio to cut up your drawings, editing out favorite fragments and recombining these sampled pieces to make a wholly unexpected family collage.

Family program for ages 5 and up.

Elmhurst Art Museum

10:30 a.m. Free with museum admission

Tuesday-6

Summer Fun & Games: Crazy Kazoos

Kick off a band in your own backyard led by everybody's favorite instrument — the kazoo. For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required.

Elmhurst Historical Museum

Education Center

1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-members \$2

Thursday-8

Ladies Night at Wilder Mansion

Relax in style at our ladies evening at the mansion. Enjoy hors d'oeuvres, chocolates and a complimentary glass of wine. Pamper yourself with a chair massage, paraffin hand treatment, hairstyling fun, jewelry, makeup, yoga and more! Ages 21 and older.

Elmhurst Park District

Wilder Mansion

6-9 p.m. \$20R/\$25NR

Thursday-8

Middle School Nights at the Pool

Calling all sixth, seventh and eighth graders! Come to the pool and get down with DJ Stevie D from Operation Getdown Productions and enjoy your favorite music, dance and swim with your friends. Drinks and snacks available for purchase. All participants must be registered by a parent in order to attend.

Elmhurst Park District

East End Pool

8:30-10:30 p.m.

\$3 pre-registration; \$5 registration at door

Tuesday-13

Summer Fun & Games: Microphone

Maracas

Participants will make their own wooden maraca that can double as a pretend microphone — rock on! For children ages 4-12 accompanied by a caregiver. No reservations required.

Elmhurst Historical Museum

Education Center

1-3 p.m. Members \$1/Non-members \$2

Thursday-15

The Cave Dwellers & Numero Group:

Reissuing Music's Vinyl Past

In 1965, Chicago band The Cave Dwellers got the gig of a lifetime: opening for the Beatles at Comiskey Park before thousands of screaming fans. Elmhurst resident Gary Goldberg, front man for the Cave Dwellers, will discuss his career as a young musician who was part of rock and roll history and recently rediscovered by Numero Group, a Chicago record label dedicated to preserving music history by reissuing vinyl compilations. Goldberg will be joined by one of Numero's founders, Rob Sevier. Part of the ongoing "It's History" series of adult lectures and programs.

Elmhurst Historical Museum

Education Center

7 p.m. FREE

Monday - 19

School District 205 First Day of School

Residents are reminded that Monday, August 19, is the first day of school for the 2013-14 school year in Elmhurst District 205.

www.elmhurst205.org

Wednesday-21

Wilder Mansion Culinary Series: Islands of Greece

Chef Marco Conte from Café Amano will walk us through the process of creating an entire five-course menu. Attendees are provided recipes to take notes on Conte's culinary technique. Fee includes full five-course meal.

Elmhurst Park District

Wilder Mansion

6:30-9 p.m.

\$55R/\$65NR with soft drinks; \$70R/\$80NR including wine package

For info call 630-993-8186.

Addresses for organizations regularly featured in the Elmhurst Community Calendar

Elmhurst Art Museum

150 Cottage Hill Ave., Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 834-0202

www.elmhurstartmuseum.org

Elmhurst City Centre

2 City Centre, Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 993-1600

www.elmhurstcitycentre.com

Elmhurst Choral Union

P.O. Box 1493, Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 758-1100

www.elmhurstchoralunion.org

Elmhurst College

190 Prospect Ave., Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 617-3390

www.elmhurst.edu

Elmhurst Historical Museum

120 E. Park Ave., Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 833-1457

www.elmhursthistorymuseum.org

Elmhurst Park District

375 W. First St., Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 993-8901

www.epd.org

Elmhurst Public Library

125 Prospect Ave., Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 279-8696

www.elmhurstpubliclibrary.org

Elmhurst Symphony Orchestra

Performances at Elmhurst Christian Reformed Church, 149 W. Brush Hill Rd., Elmhurst, IL 60126

Mailing address:

P.O. Box 345, Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 941-0202

www.elmhurstsymphony.org

Lizzadro Museum of Lapidary Art

220 Cottage Hill Ave., Elmhurst, IL 60126

(630) 833-1616

www.lizzadromuseum.org

Saturday-24

Rock & Mineral Identification

Geologist Sara Johnson presents an introduction to rocks and minerals. Learn how to make a basic mineral test kit. Hands-on identification procedures include observation skills and hardness tests. Great for teachers and rockhounds, this program qualifies for Boy and Girl Scout merit badges. All materials are provided. Ages 8 years to adult. 75 minutes. Reservations required: 630-833-1616.

Lizzadro Museum of Lapidary Art

10:30 a.m. \$5 per person

Park Palooza

Bring your blankets and lawn chairs and enjoy the music of Sons of the Never Wrong (5 p.m.) and the Matt Stedman Band (7:30 p.m.) and spend the evening under the stars with music, friends, barbecue and a beer garden. All amenities at The Hub will be open. Concert sponsored by Community Bank of Elmhurst. Beer garden sponsored by the People for Elmhurst Parks Foundation (PEP). All ages.

Elmhurst Park District, Berens Park

5-10 p.m.

Call JULIE Before Digging

If you are planting a tree, installing a fence or deck, or doing any other home improvement project that involves digging, remember to call JULIE (811 from a cell phone or 1-800-892-0123) before you begin. JULIE will notify member utility companies to send locators to mark their underground facilities with paint and/or flags. Once you know the approximate location of utility lines, you can dig safely without running the risk of service disruptions, potential injuries, fines and repair costs.

City Hall Hours

City Hall will be closed on Memorial Day - Monday, May 27, and Independence Day - Thursday, July 4. City Council standing committee meetings normally scheduled for May 27 will be held the following evening.

Vehicle Sticker Reminder

May 1 was the deadline to purchase a vehicle sticker and affix it to the lower right corner of the windshield on any vehicle registered or principally housed in Elmhurst. Failure to comply may result in a \$25 fine in May and \$50 thereafter.



Sprinkling Hours

Lawn and garden sprinkling (except hand-watering) is allowed for even-numbered addresses on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, - from 8 p.m. until 8 a.m. the following morning. Residents with odd-numbered addresses are asked to sprinkle on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays during the same hours. Sprinkling is not allowed on Sunday.



Home by Curfew

Parents and teens are reminded that young people under the age of 18 must abide by city curfew regulations all year. The Elmhurst curfew is in

force from 11 p.m. until 6 a.m. Sunday through Thursday and from midnight on Friday and Saturday until 6 a.m. the following morning. Anyone under the age of 18 in a public area after curfew must be accompanied by a parent, legal guardian or another responsible companion at least 21 years of age who has been approved by the teen's parent or legal guardian, unless they are engaged in a business or occupation approved by the state for a person under the age of 18.

Block Parties

Neighborhood block parties are a sure sign of summer in Elmhurst. They provide a great opportunity for neighbors to get together and enjoy each other's company. Call the Public Works Department at 630-530-3020 to schedule your block party. Fire Department personnel welcome the opportunity to provide information about fire trucks and the equipment they carry, answer questions, and provide fire hats and photo opportunities for the children. If you would like the Fire Department to participate in your block party, call 630-530-3090.

Inoperable Vehicles

It is prohibited by Elmhurst Municipal Code to park or store inoperable or junk cars in public view in residential areas. This regulation pertains to vehicles with flat tires, broken windshields or other conditions that render them inoperable.

Exterior Home Maintenance

City code requires all exterior surfaces of homes, including but not limited to doors, window and door frames, porches, trim, decks and fences, be maintained in good condition. Exterior wood shall be protected from the elements by paint or other protective covering or treatment. Peeling or chipping paint on any exterior wood surface must be removed and the surface repainted. All exterior metal surfaces must be maintained and kept free of rust or corrosion.

Do You Need a Permit?

Before beginning a summertime construction project, be aware that permits are required for new home construction; interior remodeling and additions; revisions to electrical service, plumbing and fixtures; swimming pools and hot tubs; air conditioners and generators; outdoor fireplaces; porches, patios and decks; fences and gates; attached or detached garages; accessory structures and sheds; driveways; signs; siding; and window replacement. Permits are available at the Community Development Department in City Hall.

Bicycle Registration

Every year the Elmhurst police recover hundreds of lost or stolen bicycles. Unfortunately for their owners, unregistered bikes usually cannot be identified and are sold. Be sure to register your family's bicycles, as required by municipal code. The form can be found on the city's website, www.elmhurst.org, or picked up at the Police Department or the Finance Department. The registration is good for five years.

Mosquito Spraying



Residents can help reduce the potential for West Nile Virus during the summer months by eliminating standing water where mosquitoes breed and by using a DEET insect repellent when outdoors — particularly during dawn, dusk and early evening hours. Elmhurst helps control the spread of mosquito-borne illnesses by reducing the mosquito population through operations that include surveillance, monitoring and spraying. The operations are performed by Clarke Mosquito Control Company, using environmentally sensitive agents. For more information or to be informed of upcoming spraying operations, call Clarke directly at 1-800-942-2555.

D.A.R.E. to Say "NO"

Elmhurst fifth graders who recently completed the D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) program are to be congratulated and commended for their commitment to live free of the negative influences of drugs and alcohol. The course is taught by Elmhurst police officers to help youngsters recognize and resist the subtle pressure to experiment with harmful substances.



Kids and Water Safety

Children are naturally attracted to water, whether in a backyard pool, a spa, a bucket or a toilet, and drowning accidents increase dramatically during the summer months. There are ways you can keep your children safe around water this summer.

If you have a backyard pool, the first line of defense is a four-foot-high fence with a self-closing and self-latching gate. Make sure the latch is above the child's reach and keep chairs, tables or other objects away from the fence. Install an alarm on any door or window that leads to the pool area and an underwater alarm that sounds when something hits the water. Use approved anti-entrapment drain covers and back-up devices. Cover and lock pools and spas when not in use. Remove or lock ladders to above-ground pools and spas. Empty and put away inflatable pools after each use.

If you have a backyard pool, the first line of defense is a four-foot-high fence with a self-closing and self-latching gate.

Supervision is crucial to keeping children safe when they are in or near water, even if they know how to swim. Don't be distracted by phone calls, text messages, conversations,

etc. Children who can't swim or can't swim well should be within arm's reach and should wear life jackets. Inflatable vests, water wings, inner tubes and noodles are not effective protection against drowning. Don't leave water toys in or near water where they may attract a child's attention. If a child is missing, check the water first. Keep a phone nearby to use in an emergency.

Learn how to swim and enroll your children in swimming lessons, but be aware that swimming lessons won't necessarily prevent a child from drowning. Learn how to perform adult and infant CPR. Teach your children to never swim alone,

and to never play or swim near pool or spa drains. Fences, supervision and education are the keys to pool safety.

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City Hall Hours

Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Steven M. Morley, Mayor
Patty Spencer, City Clerk/OMA Officer
Elaine Libovicz, City Treasurer

Administration630-530-3010
Community Development630-530-3030
Police (non-emergency)630-530-3050
Fire (non-emergency)630-530-3090
Elmhurst Historical Museum630-833-1457
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Request for Public Records - foia@elmhurst.org
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Aldermen

1st Ward - Diane C. Gutenkauf, Marti Deuter
2nd Ward - Bob Dunn, Norman Leader
3rd Ward - Dannee Polomsky, Michael Bram
4th Ward - Stephen W. Hipskind, Kevin York
5th Ward - Scott Levin, Chris Healy
6th Ward - Jim Kennedy
7th Ward - Mark A. Mulliner, Patrick Wagner

Open Burning Safety and Permits

The Elmhurst Municipal Code places specific restrictions on outdoor or portable fireplaces, and other types of open burning. These restrictions do not apply to outdoor fireplaces, charcoal grills, burners or similar devices when used solely for cooking food. The following regulations are in place to help keep people and property safe.

- Obtain a free one-time permit from the Fire Department, as required.
- Burn only approved fuels, i.e. propane, natural gas, charcoal or seasoned logs. Never burn lumber, unseasoned logs, yard waste, leaves, grass, paper, cardboard or garbage.
- Position the outdoor or portable fireplace at least 15 feet away from any structure, with the firebox located above ground level.
- Have a portable fire extinguisher with a minimum rating of 4-A or an adequate amount of sand, dirt or water on hand for immediate use.
- Assign someone over the age of 17 to attend the fire until it is extinguished.
- Never use an outdoor or portable fireplace in such a way as to emit offensive or objectionable smoke or odors, or when atmospheric conditions or other circumstances make such fires hazardous.





Elmhurst Historical Museum

120 E. Park Ave., Elmhurst

Phone: 630-833-1457 www.elmhursthhistory.org

I s s u e 2

Museum Hours: Tuesday-Sunday, 1-5 p.m.

Shutter to Think exhibit gives a photographer's perspective of rock history

*Photos by
Paul Natkin
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permission.*

Paul Natkin is considered to be one of Chicago's finest music photographers, known for his ability to capture some of the most exciting moments in rock-and-roll history since the 1970s. The stories behind his photos are amazing: he was tapped to tour with the Rolling Stones for a three-month tour, had a photo of Bruce Springsteen grace the cover of *Newsweek* in 1985, and was asked to document Prince's birthday party for *Rolling Stone* magazine. The list goes on.

Natkin's photos are the focal point of a new exhibit produced by the Elmhurst Historical Museum entitled *Shutter to Think: The Rock & Roll Lens of Paul Natkin*. The exhibit is open from May 31 through August 25, 2013. Visitors will see some of the photographer's impressive work documenting rock history over the last 35 years, including legendary shots of an

airborne Pete Townshend, Mick Jagger in full

swagger, Tina Turner strutting on stage, and many more. The exhibit storyline is written by *Chicago Sun Times* writer Dave Hoekstra and is supplemented by video clips produced by Tribeca Flashpoint Media Arts Academy students. The exhibit is appropriate for ages eight to adult and a special interactive is available to search for hidden clues throughout the exhibit.

Don't miss this unique opportunity to experience rock-and-roll through the lens of one of Chicago's greatest photographers. The Elmhurst Historical Museum has many interesting speakers and programs related to the exhibit, so be sure to check out our website at www.elmhursthhistory.org to be a part of a rocking summer in Elmhurst.



Summer fun abounds at Elmhurst Historical Museum

Elmhurst Historical Museum has the antidote to summer boredom. The Summer Fun & Games program begins on Tuesday, June 18, and runs through August 13. Each week, kids age four to twelve (accompanied by a caregiver) can drop by our Education Center from 1 to 3 p.m. to make a rock-and-roll themed craft. Members of the Elmhurst Heritage Foundation only pay half-price, so become a member today and save all summer long. See the complete schedule on our website and in the calendar section of this newsletter.

Volunteers needed at Elmhurst Historical Museum

The busy summer months at Elmhurst Historical Museum bring many opportunities for volunteers. Whether you are a high school or college student interested in fulfilling service requirements or gaining valuable experience, or a community member interested in history and museum work – we have just the right spot for you! To become a volunteer, download an application from our website at www.elmhursthhistory.org in the volunteers section or call Nancy Himmes at 630-530-3325. Thank you for sharing your time and talent with the Elmhurst Historical Museum.

Be part of a VIP event to kick off the exhibit on May 30! Become a member of the Elmhurst Heritage Foundation today. Visit www.elmhursthhistory.org for details.

Tackle The Tower

On February 10, 2013, members of the Elmhurst Police and Fire Departments and Elmhurst City Manager James Grabowski, competed as teams in the 2013 Fight For Air Climb of the Oakbrook Terrace Tower. Both teams took first place in their divisions for this event, which benefits the American Lung Association.

Police Department team:

City Manager James Grabowski
Detective Dave Rivkin
Officer Brendan Bruckner
Officer Jacob Beltran

Deputy Chief James Kveton
Officer Matthew McCollum
Officer Michael Hamblin

Fire Department team:

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Bill Solka
Dan Torres

Jostein Alvestad
Dan Whelan

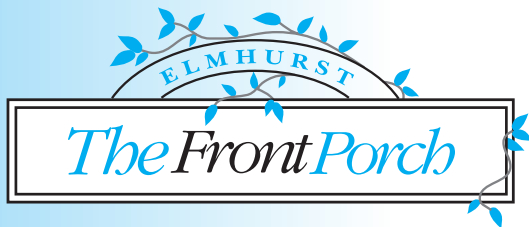
Congratulations!

Memorial Day Parade and Ceremony

Elmhurst has a longstanding tradition of honoring the brave men and women of our nation's armed forces on Memorial Day.



The 95th annual Elmhurst Memorial Day parade will be held on Monday, May 27, and will step off from the corner of York and Third at 9:30 a.m. The parade will travel south to Church Street and then west to the Veterans Memorial in Wilder Park. Following the parade will be a special military ceremony with speakers, patriotic music and the laying of wreaths. The Grand Marshal of the Memorial Day Parade is U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel Peter W. Farrell, an Elmhurst resident.



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