

community news

spring 2023



A MESSAGE FROM TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR JONATHAN ALTENBERG

Fellow Residents:

I am happy to report that the township is in excellent fiscal shape and our programs, both new and existing, are operating well.

From a fiscal perspective, we have delivered on our promise to hold the line on property taxes. Since coming into office in 2017 we have reduced your tax burden by 4 percent cumulatively. We were able to accomplish this through efficient operations and strong financial stewardship. Most government entities cannot report such results over a 6-year period, especially with inflation growing to 8%.

We have retained a strong number of reserves that will allow us to protect our operations in emergencies. We have also created the Township's first 5 Year Capital Plan to address much needed structural improvements in a fiscally responsible manner.

We are proud to report that the township has established the Vernon Township Community

Mental Health Board, per the referendum that was passed in 2022. This board will be able to directly deliver close to \$1.5 million in mental health services to our community. The Covid-19 crisis and financial struggles of our residents, along with many other contributing factors, has made mental health another pandemic in this country. I urge anyone who wants to contribute ideas to the board to attend an upcoming meeting. The board will also be executing a survey to help them better focus on the issues impacting your families.

The Vernon Township Energy Resilience Commission was established in 2022. 14 local community governments, including school districts, villages, park districts and libraries, are participating in this program. As chair of the commission, I am very proud of the work we have done so far.

To remind everyone of the purpose of the Commission, we established this group to help communities in Vernon Township address the need for non-fossil fuel energy. Now is the time

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3050 North Main Street
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

Business Hours

Monday thru Friday
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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to address this issue so we protect our planet from climate change, take advantage of new federal and state cost savings programs and reduce the cost of energy for township residents.

We will also break ground on a new cricket pitch that can be used by our community. Residents have told us of the need for more facilities and we are happy to deliver them.

The Township also hosted a number of community programs, including the annual Food Pantry Community Garage Sale, 2 paper shedding events, and a new concert series featuring local big bands.

Our Highway Department has also been operating at full efficiency. Our employees dutifully removed snow from our roads at all hours of the night the last few winters as they always do. Last year we repaved: Arlid & Depot roads. This year we will pave W. Brockman Ave., Easton Ct., First St., and portions of Port Clinton Rd. (from Prairie Rd. to Apple Hill Ln.)

All In all, it has been a successful year thanks to the hard work of our staff, our elected officials, and most of all, our residents. Please continue to stay safe and healthy.

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Jonathan Altenberg
Vernon Township Supervisor

Township Board Meetings

Monthly board meetings are held the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. For more information, call (847) 634-4600. The Annual Town Meeting is held on the second Tuesday in April at 7:00 p.m.

ADA Compliance

Vernon Township gives people with disabilities an equal opportunity to benefit from Township meetings. Any person who has a disability requiring an auxiliary aid, service for effective communication or a reasonable accommodation to participate in a Township meeting should contact Todd Gedville as soon as possible but no later than 48 hours before the scheduled meeting. Mr. Gedville can be reached Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at (847) 634-4600 or visited at 3050 North Main Street, Buffalo Grove.

VERNON TOWNSHIP'S 14TH ANNUAL COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE

WHEN: **Saturday June 24th, 2023** (Rain or Shine)
TIME: 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. -
(Set-up starts at 7:00 a.m.)

Vernon Township will be hosting the 14th Annual Community Garage Sale in the west parking lot of the Prairie View Train Station. The township will be selling 2 parking spaces (16ft x 17ft) per vendor for \$25.00 with proceeds from the sale of spaces benefit the Vernon Township Food



Pantry.

Applications are available at the Vernon Township Administration Building or online at www.vernontownship.com.

Spaces are available on a first come first served basis. Spaces may be reserved in person at the township office or, if mailing the application, spaces will be assigned by the township.

Everyone is invited to participate; however, space is limited so reserve your space early. The deadline for reserving a space is June 9th. You will need to bring your own supplies such as tables, chairs, or something to hang clothes on. Clean-up is also your responsibility after the sale is over.

For further information please call Nancy at (847) 634-4600.

ADOPT A STUDENT BACKPACK PROGRAM

Vernon Township will be collecting backpacks filled with school supplies for grade school children for the 2023-2024 school year. Last year over 75 students started the school year with new backpacks and supplies. Having all brand-new supplies helped make these students enthusiastic and prepared for the new school year.

Local businesses and/or individuals who wish to sponsor a student and donate a fully filled backpack should call Nancy at 847-634-4600 for details. **The Food Pantry will need the grade specific backpacks filled with the appropriate supplies by the week of July 17th.**

FREE SHREDDING EVENT

Monday- July 24

Vernon Administration Office,
3050 N. Main St., Buffalo Grove.
Shredding will be from
12:00p.m.- 2:30p.m.



Shred your cancelled or unused checks, old insurance policies, old bills, old medical records, and invoices.

PLEASE NO MAGAZINES, NEWSPAPERS, MANILLA FOLDERS, HANGING FILE FOLDERS, BINDERS, Or X-RAYS

This is an onsite shredding event, however if the truck fills up, there will be locked containers on site where you will be able to safely put your documents. Shredding services will be provided by Opportunity Secure Data Destruction.

Residents are limited to three medium sized boxes. If you have any questions, please call Tracy at the Township 847-634-4600.

Pantry Wish List

Spring 2023

- Pasta
- Pasta Sauce (cans or plastic jars please)
- Condiments (ketchup, mayo, mustard, etc.)
- Boxed Potatoes
- Rice
- Breakfast Cereal
- Cookies
- Crackers
- Cookies/Snacks
- Toilet Paper & Paper Towels



Highway Department Update

In 2022 Vernon Township had a capital improvement plan created for the roads of Unincorporated Vernon Township. The purpose of this plan was to identify the condition of the roads, to prioritize the needs of each road and to develop a Five-Year Plan that addresses the findings in such a way to prolong the life of the road and thus the safety of our residents.

The continuation of this for 2023 is to pave Easton Ave, First St, W. Brockman Ave, and Port Clinton Rd. (From Prairie Rd to Apple Hill Ln.) Crack sealing will be done on Hotz Rd, Olsen Ct, Indian Creek Rd, Prairie Ln, Menna Ln, Lee Ln, Richards Ct, E. Brockman Ave, Raleigh Dr, Kingston Row, and Kingston Ct.

Each year we will continue to perform the work that will give the residents of Vernon Township safe roads to drive on.

PERMITS

If you live in Unincorporated Vernon Township and you plan to perform any work in the right of way in front of your property a permit is required from Vernon Township Highway Department. Such work would include but is not limited to, plantings, culvert-ditch maintenance, and driveway replacement.

The right of way is defined as the area from your property line to the edge of the road. For most homes, this area is approximately 15 feet.

The permit application can be found online at Vernontownship.com or by contacting Tracy at 847-634-4600.

CULVERT MAINTENANCE

Periodically cleaning out the culvert and drainage ditch in front of your property will reduce the chances of flooding and standing water on your property, especially during the rainy season. **If you live in Unincorporated Vernon Township and find a plugged culvert, please call Tracy at the Township 847-634-4600.**



MOSQUITO PREVENTION

As the weather gets warmer the emergence of pesky mosquitos begins. Unfortunately, mosquitos are not only a pest but a carrier of disease (West Nile Virus). To help eliminate this on-going threat Vernon Township has a contract with Clarke Mosquito Control to treat known breeding areas in unincorporated Vernon Township. The treatment program is conducted periodically from May through September.

For further information regarding this program contact the Mosquito Hotline 1-800-942-2555. To learn more about the West Nile Virus contact the Lake County Health Department at 847-377-8300 or visit the website at www.co.lake.il.us. If you do not live in an unincorporated area, for questions regarding mosquito abatement contact your village.

What can you do to control the mosquito population on your property?

Mosquitoes breed in standing water, it takes only a few days to produce a whole new generation of pests.

Empty any outside containers that hold water:

- bird baths
- potted plant trays
- children's wading pools
- gutters





Stevenson Student Metra Parking for 2023/2024 School Year

Due to an agreement with Metra, Stevenson Students may purchase parking at the Prairie View Train Station. Stevenson students are to park ONLY in the East Parking Lot, the lot closest to Stevenson, off Prairie Road.

We offer School Year, Half Year (Aug-Dec & Jan-May), and Monthly permits for Stevenson Students. Monthly Permits can only be purchased for up to 3 months at a time.

There are also daily parking spaces available on the north end of the East lot for \$1.75 per day. Daily rates can be paid by either cash or credit card at the kiosk located at the corner of Rt 22/Half Day Road and Prairie Road. Students may also pay through the ParkMobile app for smartphones, or by calling 877-727-5004. The Prairie View Metra Station is referenced as Zone 831 for both services.

Permit applications are available online at www.vernontownship.com on the Prairie View Metra Station page under the Community Tab. The application will be towards the bottom of the page. Please make sure you are applying for the correct permit, as there are separate permits available for Metra Commuters and

applying for the wrong permit will delay the processing of your application.

After you submit the application, a township representative will send an e-mail within 3 business days notating its receipt and your next steps. Parking spaces are assigned on a first-come first-served basis. You are not able to choose your own parking space. Additionally, it is not guaranteed that there will always be parking permits available for purchase depending on demand.

Prices for the 2023/2024 school year are below and will be available for purchase beginning July 10th, 2023. Check, cash or credit/debit card payments are accepted, but Vernon Township cannot take credit or debit card payment over the phone. Additionally, there is a 3% convenience fee for using credit or debit cards.

2023/24 Stevenson Parking Permit Fees

School Year	
January – March	\$310.00
Half Year	
August to December	154.00
January to May	156.00
Monthly	
Individual months (up to 3 in one purchase)	35.00

Assessor's Update

2023 IS A QUADRENNIAL REASSESSMENT YEAR

2023 is a quadrennial (QUAD) year, also known as a general reassessment year. This means that it is the first year in a four-year property tax cycle and will provide the base value for the three subsequent years. At the Assessor's office, we will utilize property characteristic data included on Property Record Cards (PRCs) and analyze sales from the three years prior to the lien date of January 1, 2023 in order to determine the fair cash value for each property in the township.

Statutorily speaking, the Assessor is required by property tax code (35 ILCS 200) to "view and determine as near as practicable the value of each property listed for taxation as of January 1 of that year, or as provided in Section 9-180, and assess the property at 33 1/3% of its fair cash value."

Think of the QUAD year as a reset – all values are new and not based on any previous year's valuation. If you successfully appealed before the Lake County Board of Review, those reductions will not carry forward into the QUAD year. The QUAD is also a reapportionment – value will shift throughout the township, throughout different property types and uses. The assessed value apportions the property tax burden and shifts in valuation will also shift the tax burden.

Some taxpayers may qualify for property tax exemptions such as the Senior Homestead Exemption, Veterans Exemption, and Disabled Persons Exemption described below. Exemption renewals were mailed out earlier this spring but if you have any questions, please give us a call at 847-634-4602 or stop by our office.

REAL ESTATE TAX BILLS

2022 Real Estate Tax Bills, payable in 2023, are scheduled to be mailed out the first week of May. The first installment due date is June 5, 2023, with the second installment due September 5, 2023.

Tax rates are the final part of the property tax equation. Tax rates are driven by the levy requests of each taxing body and determined in the Tax Extension Department of the County Clerk's Office.

1ST INSTALLMENT PAYMENT COUPON

2ND INSTALLMENT PAYMENT COUPON

Assessed value

Pin Number	Tax Year	Tax Code	Acres	Current	Change From Prior Year
07-00-000-000	20XX	0000	0.0000		

Tax rate

Rate	Current	Change From Prior Year
0.25488	\$293.44	-102.73
0.404197	\$464.14	-176.97
0.102050	\$103.54	-39.09
0.171175	\$170.77	-1,431.60
0.159670	\$159.65	-73.32
0.686326	\$686.26	-167.52
0.166625	\$166.63	-43.48
0.000080	\$0.80	-5.12
2.286760	\$2,286.53	-803.11
0.060114	\$60.11	-38.38
0.288979	\$288.96	-94.32
0.022162	\$22.16	-18.03
0.335887	\$335.84	-118.10
0.275026	\$275.01	-84.21
0.011192	\$11.19	-16.38

Exemptions

Special Service Area	\$0.00
Drainage	\$0.00
Total Current Year Tax	\$10,388.20
On-Roadback Tax	\$0.00
Forfeited Tax	\$0.00
Interest remaining as of 02/23/2023	\$0.00
Cost	\$0.00
Payment applied to Principal	\$10,388.20
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE	\$0.00

(Assessed value - Exemptions) x Tax rate = Tax bill

Senior Programs

**Programs: Contact Chris 847-634-6060, or
Chris@Vernontownship.com with any questions.**

PRIME TIMERS

Join us on Mondays from 11:45am-3:00pm to play Hand and Foot, a variation of Canasta. Never played? We would love to teach you how. Light snacks and coffee will be provided.

2900 N. Main St. Buffalo Grove

JCC COMMUNITY DAYS

Discussion, Laughter, & Socialization

Twice a month on Thursdays, JCC will offer entertainment, a presentation, or discussion. Meet old friends and make new ones in a relaxed and exclusive environment. Meetings will be held at 2900 N. Main St., Buffalo Grove.

**Registration is required, please contact Hillary Wenk,
hwenk@jccchicago.org or call (224) 406-9257.**

MAHJONG OPEN PLAY

Join us in the CSB 2900 N. Main St. for Mahjong (American version), open play on Tuesdays 10:30-1:30. This activity is self-led and open to experienced players.

AARP DRIVER SAFETY CLASS

The AARP Driver Safety Program is an eight-hour program designed to help you understand the effects of aging on your driving and teach you strategies for driving as you age. Completion of this program may entitle you to receive discounts on your auto insurance. Attendance on both days is required to receive a certificate that may reduce your auto premiums. Checks should be made payable to AARP.

August 22nd, and 23rd 9am-1pm. at 2900 N. Main St.

\$20 AARP Members/\$25 Non-AARP Members.

**Please register with Chris 847-634-6060 or
Chris@vernontownship.com by August 18th, 2023.**

SENIOR HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM (SHIP)

Turning 65 in 2023? Thinking of retiring? Vernon Township is a host site for the Illinois Department on Aging Senior Health Insurance Program (SHIP). SHIP is a national program that provides FREE counseling and information on the following Medicare programs: Enrollment, Prescription drug plans, Supplemental plans, Subsidies to offset the cost of Medicare and Claims and appeals.

SHIP representatives are trained counselors who provide FREE counseling on ALL your Medicare concerns.

SHIP representatives are not affiliated with any insurance company.

Please call Alex at 847-634-4600 to make an appointment.

BENEFIT ACCESS APPLICATION (BAA)

DISCOUNT ON LICENSE PLATES AND RIDE FREE RTA PASS

The Illinois Department on Aging along with the Illinois Secretary of State and the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA), created a program called Benefit Access Program (BAP). BAP is for income-eligible seniors and persons with disabilities who qualify for a license plate sticker discount (Illinois Secretary of State) and the ride free Ventra transit card (RTA).

To apply online go to <https://www2.illinois.gov/aging/BenefitsAccess> or schedule an appointment with Alex at 847-634-4600.

RTA

REDUCED FARES

The RTA, CTA, Metra and Pace offer various programs that assist qualified riders in lowering their cost to ride transit. Reduced and free fares are available to seniors and people with disabilities. **To find out if you are eligible for the RTA's Reduced Fare or Ride Free services, please call Alex at 847-634-4600.**

Events at Peterson Park



ICE CREAM Social at

Come join us at the Jacob Grossman Aquatic Center located at William E. Peterson Park for an ice cream social at the Pool!

We'll have a live band, discounted rates for swimming, and premium ice cream scoops available for purchase!

A raffle will also be held for one (1) Four-Person Pool Pass. Tickets will be \$5.00 for one and \$20.00 for five. Winner announced at 7:30pm.

The Jacob Grossman Aquatic Center

FRIDAY JUNE 9TH
5:00 TO 8:00PM

ICE CREAM SOCIAL AT THE PARK

Join us on Friday, June 9th from 5:00pm to 8:00pm for an Ice Cream Social at the Jacob Grossman Aquatic Center! We will have a live band on site playing family-friendly music, free lawn games to play in the park, premium ice cream to purchase at the concession stand, and discounted entrance to the pool.

We will also be holding a raffle for one (1) Four Person Family 2023 Season Pool Pass. Tickets will be \$5.00 for one, or \$20.00 for five, and can be purchased during pool hours up until 7:00pm.

The winner will be announced at 7:30pm, and you do not need to be present to win. However, if the winner does not pick up their prize by the designated time, another winner will be chosen. Proceeds from this raffle will help fund future free community events within Vernon Township.

UNPLUG ILLINOIS DAY

Saturday, July 15th is Unplug Illinois Day and we invite you to take a break from your electronics and get outside at the Jacob Grossman Memorial Pool! Enjoy the day with friends and family and get buy one, get one free daily admission.



VERNON TOWNSHIP PRESENTS

Family Movie Night
at the Park

Lilo & Stitch

Free Entry

08.04.2023
Start at 8:30PM

William E Peterson Park
16652 N Buffalo Grove Rd,
Vernon Hills, IL 60069

Discounted Pool Rate beginning 5:00pm, Concession Stand open during movie, and raffle for two Family Sets of Pool Punch Cards

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT AT THE PARK

Join us on Friday, August 4th beginning at approximately 8:30 for a free showing of Disney's Lilo & Stitch. We will be set up on the lawn, so bring along your picnic blanket and/or lawn chairs and get ready for a comedy of intergalactic proportions!

Pool entrance will be discounted beginning at 5:00pm until 8:00pm, giving you and your family lots of time for pool-side fun before the movie.

Our concession stand will be open late to supply you and your family with an array of cinema snacks, including popcorn, nachos, candy, ice cream, soda, slushies, and more!

We will also be holding a raffle for two (2) Family Sets of Punch Cards (one Adult, one Child), each valid for 5 entrance fees. Tickets will be \$1.00 each and can be purchased during pool hours up until 8:00pm.

The winners will be announced prior to the start of the movie at approximately 8:15pm, and you do not need to be present to win. However, if the winner does not pick up their prize by the designated time, another winner will be chosen. Proceeds from this raffle will help fund future free community events within Vernon Township.

Social Service Agency Grants

Vernon Township will be giving out several grants during the 2024 fiscal year to local organizations that serve our constituents in need. It is our hope that residents in need of senior services and those with support for those with developmental disabilities, mental health counseling, substance abuse treatment and more can go to local organizations for assistance with Township support. Vernon Township also works closely with several of the agencies below when working to assist our residents in need. Below is a list of the FY 2024 grant recipients that were selected at a recent board meeting. We will also be highlighting an individual organization in each newsletter so that residents can learn more and utilize services available to them.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A Safe Place• Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Metropolitan Chicago• CASA Lake County• Center for Enriched Living• Clearbrook• Erie Family Health Center• Faith in Action Volunteers – Southeast Lake County• GivenKind | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• GLASA (Great Lakes Adaptive Sports Association)• Glenkirk• JCFS Chicago• KAN-WIN• Lambs Farm• LGBTQ+ Center of Lake County• Little City• Mothers Trust Foundation• Nicasa | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• North Suburban Legal Aid Clinic• OMNI Youth Services• PADS Lake County• Riverside Foundation• Samaracare Counseling• Shelter, Inc.• Willow House• Youth & Family Counseling• Zacharias Sexual Abuse Center |
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Vernon Township Community Mental Health Board

The Vernon Township Community Mental Health Board is a new government organization located within Vernon Township that is responsible for promoting mental health and providing services for individuals with mental illnesses, disabilities, and substance abuse issues. Its mission is to provide resources and support to the community through funding, programs, and services.

The board consists of volunteer members appointed by Township Supervisor Jon Altenberg, with the advice and consent of the Township Board. Members include mental health professionals, community members, and individuals with personal experiences in this field. The board is committed to enhancing mental health awareness, reducing stigma, and ensuring accessible and quality mental health care for all residents of Vernon Township. **To learn more, please visit www.vtcmhb.org.**

Jacob Grossman Memorial Pool

16652 N. Buffalo Grove

Pool Dates and Hours: (Subject to Change)

Dates:	Monday-Friday	Saturday, Sunday, & Holidays	Daily Admission		
May 27th - Aug 6th	1:00pm-8:00pm	12:00pm-6:00pm	Child	\$7 Resident	\$9 Non-Resident
Aug 7th - Sept 4th	5:00pm-Dusk	12:00pm-6:00pm	Adult	\$8 Resident	\$10 Non-Resident

Punch Cards

Punch cards are available for our frequent resident guests. Punch cards for resident adults will be \$35 and the card holder will receive 5 entries. Punch cards for resident children will be \$30 and get the card holder 5 entries. Punch cards can be purchased directly at the Jacob Grossman Aquatic Center concession stand.

Family Pool Passes

Vernon Township Pool Passes will be available for purchase for the 2023 summer season. Passes can be purchased at the pool concession stand during normal pool hours.

Family Type	Resident Rate
Individual	\$120
Family of 2	\$135
Family of 3	\$150
Family of 4	\$165
Family of 5	\$180
Family of 6	\$195
Family of 7	\$210

Private Swim Lessons

American Red Cross Private Swim Lessons will be available again this year. Students of any level can sign up for a 1 on 1, 30-minute lesson with our trained lifeguards. The cost of each 30-minute lesson is \$40. Private swimming lessons can be arranged in person during pool hours, or by calling the pool directly at 847-913-0799.

Pool Rentals

The pool is available to rent for private parties for all ages. Pool rentals are available for 2-hour time blocks on Saturdays and Sundays from 9:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. or 6:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m. To arrange for a pool rental, please email Chris@vernontownship.com or call 847-634-6060.

Resident rates for 2023 are as follows:

- Main Pool Rental - \$190
- Slide - \$125
- Wading Pool - \$100
- Additional Lifeguard - \$60 (For groups larger than 50)

VERNON TOWNSHIP IS HIRING LIFEGUARDS! APPLY AT [VERNONTOWNSHIP.COM](https://www.vernontownship.com)

- Flexible hours • Red Cross training
- Supplement income with private swim lessons



VERNON TOWNSHIP SUMMER CAMP SPOTS STILL AVAILABLE

Vernon Township strives to provide an enjoyable, educational, and fun camp experience. Daily activities include arts & crafts, games, sports, swimming, and other activities. Vernon Township summer camp is for children who will be 4-7 years old on or before September 1st, 2023. All registrations must be completed through our website at [Vernontownship.com](https://www.vernontownship.com).

When June 12th, 2023- July 28th, 2023 at Peterson Park

Days/Time Monday-Friday from 9am-2pm

Fee Resident: \$1295 Non-Resident \$1945

Trustee Spotlight

Marc Sender

Marc Sender is a 13+ year resident of Vernon Hills and has recently been appointed to the Vernon Township Board of Trustees.

Marc holds a B.A. in Elementary Education with a minor in Political Science from Northeastern Illinois University where he graduated summa cum laude. Marc spent a number of years working in the business world, primarily doing training of new hires at various restaurant companies, before leaving to enter the world of public education. Simultaneous to Marc's time in the business world, Marc worked at a nonprofit youth group working with teens and middle schoolers to grow leadership skills. After spending five years teaching in public school, teaching both self contained elementary classes and then middle school history, Marc was able to merge his passion for education and his nonprofit work together in a role working as the Director of Engagement for United Synagogue Youth (USY). In his role for USY, Marc works with a network of staff that he manages across North America to engage thousands of teens and children

and help grow them to be future leaders. Never forgetting the basics, Marc continues to manage and run his own local chapter of the organization in Long Grove to continue to be able to have connection to the day to day work.

Marc lives with his wife of 13 years, Shira, his three kids, Lauri (11), Theodore "Teddy" (9), and Naomi (7), and their two dogs, Heinz and Ginger. When not working, you can see Marc coaching his kids' baseball and softball teams or hosting food trucks for his Hawthorn Club neighborhood.

As Trustee, Marc plans to continue the work of bringing gun safety to our area, help support and expand the efforts of our incredible food pantry, help modernize our Township facilities while also looking to bring a green aspect to our work to reduce our impact on the environment, and help maintain the strong fiscal responsibility that the current board has demonstrated in recent years.



Marriott Lincolnshire Theater



Looking for something to do on a Wednesday afternoon? Make a date for yourself and your friends to see these fan favorites. Come early for lunch at one of the Marriott Lincolnshire Resort restaurants, then enjoy a matinee performance of one of the below musicals. Performances begin at 1pm, tickets (theatre only) are \$39 each. Descriptions of the musicals can be found on the Marriott Website: Marriotttheatre.com.

Name: _____

Phone # _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Performance	Performance Date	> Payment Due	# Of Tickets: \$39 Each
Buddy: The Buddy Holly Story	July 19, 2023	> June 9, 2023	
Gypsy	September 30, 2023	> August 25, 2023	
Beautiful: The Carol King Musical	December 6, 2023	> October 27, 2023	

Send your payments to Chris at Vernon Township, 3050 N. Main St., Buffalo Grove IL 60089. Checks should be made out to Vernon Township, the tickets will be mailed to your home prior to each performance.



Jonathan Altenberg, Supervisor
3050 N. Main St.
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

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Lincolnshire, IL
60069

ECRWS POSTAL CUSTOMER LOCAL

Policy of Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicapped Status. The Vernon Township Government does not discriminate on the basis of handicapped status in the admission or access to, or treatment of employment in, its programs or activities. Todd Gedville of 3050 N. Main St., Buffalo Grove, Illinois has been designated to coordinate compliance with federal nondiscrimination requirements.

Blood Drives

We will be partnering with State Representative Dan Didech for blood drives which will be held at our Community Service Building at 2900 N. Main St. Buffalo Grove, from 9-2, sign ups can be found at <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/find-drive>

July 20th, 2023

September 14th, 2023

November 16th, 2023



Public Safety Phone Numbers



NON-EMERGENCY/POLICE

Lake County Sheriff's Police.....(847) 549-5200
Buffalo Grove Police Department(847) 459-2560
Lake Forest Police Department(847) 234-2601
Lincolnshire Police Department(847) 883-9900
Riverwoods Police Department.....(847) 945-1130
Vernon Hills Police Department(847) 362-4449

FOR ROAD CONDITIONS

IDOT(800) 452-4368
Tollways.....(800) 865-5394

NON-EMERGENCY/FIRE

Buffalo Grove Fire Department(847) 537-0995
Countryside Fire Protection District(847) 367-5511
Lake Forest Fire Department(847) 234-2601
Long Grove Fire Protection District.....(847) 634-3143
Lincolnshire / Riverwoods Fire Protection ... (847) 634-2512

OTHER NUMBERS

Illinois Poison Center.....(800) 222-1222
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