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**A NETWORK OF DIVERSE INDIVIDUALS COMING TOGETHER
AND BUILDING COMMUNITY**

VTPalooza This Thursday!



Make plans to join the fun at VTPalooza! The Township's rescheduled community celebration takes place this Thursday, July 9, from 5 to 8 p.m. at **William E. Peterson Park**. Bring the whole family for an evening of lawn games, bounce houses, concessions, and live music by Heatwave, presented in partnership with Yazz Events. Be sure to visit the concession stand for a chance to win a raffle prize, and bring a non-perishable food donation to receive an exclusive Food Pantry sticker. Learn more [here](#).

Free Shredding Event

Save a Life!



PAPER SHREDDING Event

Wednesday, July 22nd
11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

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

Residents are limited to three medium-
sized boxes or bags.
No metal or plastic allowed

Located at Township Admin Office:
3050 N Main Street, Buffalo Grove, IL

If you have any questions, please call
Tracy at the Township: (847) 634-4600.

Get rid of old paperwork and protect yourself from identity theft at the Summer Paper Shredding event on Wednesday, July 22 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the **Township Administration Building**. Residents can bring up to three medium-sized boxes or bags of confidential paper documents for free, secure shredding. **Please note:** Magazines, newspapers, binders, folders, and any materials containing metal or plastic will not be accepted. For additional details, click [here](#).

Be Someone's Hero
Give Blood



Help support patients in need by donating blood at Vernon Township's Community Blood Drive on Thursday, July 9, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the **Community Service Building**. Hosted in partnership with State Representative Daniel Didech and the American Red Cross, the drive provides a simple way to make a lifesaving impact in your community. While walk-ins are welcome, appointments are encouraged to help reduce wait times. You can reserve your donation time [here](#).

New Mental Health Minute



The Vernon Township Community Mental Health Board has released a new Mental Health Minute video exploring the social and emotional challenges experienced by Korean Americans and immigrant communities. This monthly video series provides practical strategies to help individuals and families manage stress, build resilience, and support overall well-being.

Residents can also watch previous Mental Health Minute videos covering a variety of topics, including children's mental health, substance use treatment, social isolation among older adults, and developmental and intellectual disabilities. Visit the [Mental Health Minute webpage](#) to watch the latest video and browse the full video library by selecting "Previous Mental Health Minutes" at the top left of the page.

**Register for
Swim Lessons!**



DONATE WHILE *You Dine!*

In fond memory of Rochelle Greenwald per her request, funds raised for this event will be donated to the

Vernon Township's Food Pantry when you dine in, drive-through or carry out from Culver's of Buffalo Grove on Wednesday, July 22nd. Culver's will donate 2.5% of group sales.



Must show this flyer when placing order to receive fundraiser credit

Culver's of Buffalo Grove

450 McHenry Rd
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

Culver's

Scan & Share
Your Feedback!



Support the Food Pantry at Culver's Fundraiser

Enjoy a meal while giving back to the community during the **Culver's of Buffalo Grove** fundraiser to benefit the Vernon Township Food Pantry! Hosted by the Northwest Suburban Interfaith Council - in memory of longtime member and dedicated Food Pantry supporter Rochelle Greenwald - the fundraiser will take place on Wednesday, July 22 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Whether you dine in, use the drive-thru, or order carryout, 25% of eligible group sales will be donated to the Food Pantry. **To ensure the Township receives credit for your purchase, you must present the fundraiser flyer** - either printed, or on your mobile device - when placing your order. Join us in honoring Rochelle Greenwald's legacy while helping provide food and support for local families in need.

**Save the Date for
Movie Night**

GROUP SWIM LESSONS

\$80 FOR 4 HALF
HOUR LESSONS
(\$100 FOR NON
RESIDENTS)

AGES 3-15

FEATURING THE
AMERICAN RED
CROSS
LEARN-TO-SWIM
PROGRAM

9 & 9:40 AM START TIMES

JUNE 8-11
JUNE 15-18
JUNE 22-25
JUNE 29- JULY 2
JULY 6-9
JULY 13-16
JULY 20-23
JULY 27-30
AUGUST 3-6

EMAIL VERNONTOWNSHIPPOOL@GMAIL.COM TO BOOK YOUR LESSONS!

The [William E. Peterson Park Pool](#) is now open! The Township thanks residents for their patience during construction and unpredictable weather that delayed the pool opening this year. To help make up for the shortened season, pool passes are now 20% off for the remainder of the summer.

There's still time to purchase a pass, or register for swim lessons. Weekly group lessons are offered now through August 7, and private lessons are available throughout the season for swimmers of all ages and skill levels. Click [here](#) for more information and to register.

Family Movie Night *at the park*



**Fri
July
31st**

Bring your lawn chairs and blankets for a memorable Family Movie Night in the Park on Friday, July 31, at [William E. Peterson Park](#). The fun begins at 8 p.m., with Disney's Frozen lighting up the big screen at approximately 8:30 p.m. Before the movie, make a splash with discounted pool admission from 5 to 8 p.m., then grab your favorite movie treats, including popcorn, candy, slushies, and ice cream. While you're there, participate in the Vernon Township Food Pantry raffle or bring unopened, non-expired, non-perishable food items to receive a Food Pantry sticker. Visit the [Township website](#) for additional event details.

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