



# BRIDGEVIEWS

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Highlighting Community News and Events

September 2013

## Treasure Days are here again!

Big turnout expected for village-wide garage sale

**T**reasure Days, the annual village-wide garage sale, which brings many visitors from near and far, is returning to Bridgeview over the course of two weekends in September.

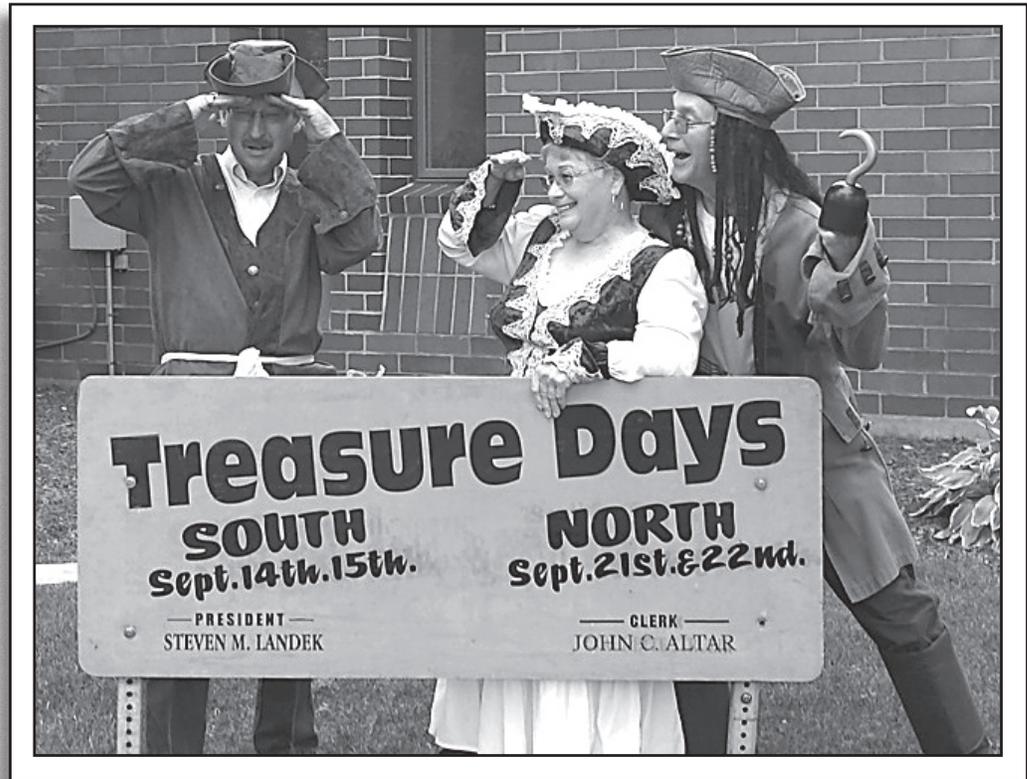
Based on the success of previous years and current resident registration, a large turnout is expected this year as well.

Trustee Norma Pinion, who is responsible for creating and building the event into what it is today, is delighted to see how the event has grown since it debuted.

"It's great to see how the event has gained in popularity with the residents of Bridgeview. It provides a great opportunity for people to sell what they no longer need, and for others to find hidden treasures that they've been looking for," Trustee Pinion said.

Treasure Days will take place Sept. 14-15 for residents south of 79th Street. Residents north of 79th Street will have their Treasure Days Sept. 21-22. There are no rain dates, so Treasure Days will take place rain or shine.

It is not too late to register. Residents can stop by the village hall and fill out a registration form and pick up the familiar pink mailbox covers.



Bridgeview Auxiliary Police Officer Randy Carben (left) and Village Trustees Norma Pinion and Michael Pticek are on the lookout for hidden treasures for Bridgeview's annual Treasure Days.

## Don't miss out on Fall Cleanup Days

Bridgeview's Fall Cleanup Day for 2013 will take place on the weekends following the Treasure Days weekends.

For residents who have garbage pickup on Mondays, their Fall Cleanup Day will be Saturday, Sept. 28. Residents whose garbage is picked up on Tuesdays will have their Fall Cleanup Day on Saturday, Oct. 5.

Items that can be picked up include, but are not limited to: furniture, tires and rims, sinks and toilets, building scraps, cin-

der blocks and tree logs.

If you have any non-bulk items, they must be bagged or boxed for them to be acceptable for pickup.

Hazardous waste will not be picked up, and any fluids from lawn mowers, refrigerators, freezers or any other similar appliance or machine must be drained. Paint must also be dried up, which can be done by mixing it with kitty litter.

As a reminder, items need to be curbside by 6 a.m. of the designated pickup day.

## Exciting times, full calendar for Bridgeview!

**M**ayor Landek reports that the upcoming fall months will be exciting times for Bridgeview. The calendar for September already includes:

- **Sept. 14-15:** Treasure Days for Bridgeview residents south of 79th Street.
- **Sept. 18:** Pace transit center groundbreaking. This is a long-awaited mass transit project that will be located at Toyota Park. The \$2,000,000 project will create a bus transit center to increase transportation access to our residents. It also will provide convenient service to the Orange Line.
- **Sept. 21-22:** Treasure Days for Bridgeview residents north of 79th Street.
- **Sept. 28:** Fall Cleanup Day for residents whose trash is picked up on Mondays.
- **Oct. 5:** Fall Cleanup Day for residents whose trash is picked up on Tuesdays.

October brings not only the many activities associated with Halloween, but a groundbreaking for a new Circle K gas and convenience store will take place at Toyota Park. This multimillion investment by Circle K will begin the retail component of the stadium, which has been anticipated for several years. Circle K, already an operating business at 87th and Harlem, likes Bridgeview so much, it wanted to open another facility in the village.

November will greet the opening of the 71st Street underpass. Plans are already under way to greet Governor Quinn and Congressman Lipinski for the ribbon cutting. A weekend of activity will highlight this \$2,000,000 accomplishment!

These are significant projects for Bridgeview, Toyota Park, mass transit in our region, and the residents of our community. Our patience and dedication to these projects show the resiliency and tenacity of Bridgeview residents.

Bridgeview will stand tall as we celebrate these accomplishments!

## TOYOTA PARK UPCOMING EVENTS

### SEPTEMBER

|                |           |  |
|----------------|-----------|--|
| Sun., Sept. 1  | 4 p.m.    | <b>FIRE</b> vs. Houston Dynamo           |
| Tue., Sept. 3  | 6 p.m.    | No Name Just Friends Car Show            |
| Sat., Sept. 7  | 4 p.m.    | John Carroll vs. St. Norberts College FB |
| Tue., Sept. 10 | 6 p.m.    | No Name Just Friends Car Show            |
| Sat., Sept. 14 | 7:30 p.m. | <b>FIRE</b> vs. New England              |
| Sun., Sept. 15 | 8 a.m.    | Bridgeview Lions Club Car Show           |
| Sun., Sept. 22 | 8 a.m.    | Bridgeview Lions Club Car Show           |
| Sat., Sept. 28 | 7:30 p.m. | <b>FIRE</b> vs. Montreal Impact          |
| Sun., Sept. 29 | 7:30 a.m. | Porsche Club of Chicago                  |

### OCTOBER

|               |           |                                  |
|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| Sat., Oct. 5  | 11 a.m.   | Color Mob 5K                     |
| Wed., Oct. 16 | 4:40 p.m. | Argo vs. Reavis H.S. boys soccer |
| Sat. Oct. 19  | 7:30 p.m. | <b>FIRE</b> vs. Toronto FC       |

## Relay for Life event a huge success

The annual Relay for Life event in Bridgeview, which took place July 26-27 at the Bridgeview Park District, exceeded the expectations of organizers and raised well over the goal of \$35,000, according to Trustee Pat Higginson.

The event, which wound up raising \$45,523.46 for the American Cancer Society, featured 19 teams walking, remembering lost loved ones, and honoring those that have survived battles with cancer.

Trustee Higginson's team, "Pat's Pals," raised \$3,535.72. Trustee Higginson credited much of the fundraising success of her team to the Emergency Management Committee she chairs.

Other groups that helped raise funds for the event included the Bridgeview and Bedford Park fire departments, the Justice Police Department, and Argo High School students.

Troop 13 Bridgeview Boy Scouts,



Ken Sparr (from left), Village Trustee Pat Higginson, Alice Vilimek and Marty Vilimek were among those whose efforts helped raised money for the American Cancer Society during the Relay for Life event held at the Bridgeview Park District on July 26 and 27.

who also helped raise funds, posted the colors for the event.

Trustee Higginson, who is a cancer survivor herself, has been an advocate for this event for approximately a decade.

"I relay to give back to the American Cancer Society for the research, the cancer treatments, and the support they give to all those fighting this horrible disease. I'm very thankful for the help and support our community gives to the cause," she said.

# Traffic signals will receive LED upgrades

Some of the busiest intersections in Bridgeview will be receiving upgraded LED lights thanks to a \$500,000 state-funded program to improve the traffic light signals in Illinois.

According to Trustee Jim Cecott, "Improving the traffic lights at the intersections on Harlem and 79th Street will decrease the cost

of using and maintaining them, enhance the safety of those traveling them and ensure traffic doesn't become backed up when we experience temporary power outages."

The LED program is designed to install light-emitting-diode modules into the traffic lights on state highways. These LED

modules would replace the current incandescent traffic signal optics.

The new LED-type signals consume less energy, require less maintenance and are more easily visible than the current traffic signals. The program also calls for the installation of battery back-ups on the traffic signals, ensuring that they remain func-

tional during short power outages.

The project, which the Bridgeview Village Board approved recently, is expected to cost just under \$500,000. It will be funded primarily by state funds, with approximately 5 percent being paid for by the Village of Bridgeview.

## VILLAGE OF BRIDGEVIEW

### MAYOR

Steven M. Landek

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Norma Pinion  
James Cecott  
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Mary Sutton  
Michael Pticek  
Claudette Struzik

### VILLAGE CLERK

John Altar

### VILLAGE CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS

Mon, Tues., Thurs., Fri.:  
8 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
Wed.: 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
Sat.: 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

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Bridgeview, IL 60455  
(708) 594-2525  
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**PUBLIC WORKS BUILDING DEPT. COMMUNITY SERVICES**  
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### FIRE and POLICE

Emergencies only: 911  
Fire non-emergency  
(708) 924-8250  
Police non-emergency  
(708) 458-2131

### TOYOTA PARK

Chicago Fire soccer, concerts, special events  
(708) 594-7200

### SPORTS DOME

Availability, pricing  
(708) 924-8290



Imam Jamal Said (2nd from left) and his wife, Aisheh Said (4th from left), present a check for \$11,000 from The Mosque Foundation to Bridgeview Public Library Trustee Marwan Alsafadi (left), Trustee Alice Vilimek and Trustee Lila Marek (far right).

## Mosque Foundation donates \$11,000 gift to Bridgeview Public Library

The Bridgeview Library Board of Trustees on Aug. 12 accepted an \$11,000 gift from The Mosque Foundation that will bring 20 new computers to the Bridgeview Public Library.

Presenting the gift on behalf of the Mosque Foundation were Imam Jamal Said and his wife, Aisheh. They were very excited about the opportunity this would open up for the Village of Bridgeview.

Speaking on the ideals of The Mosque Foundation, Jamal Said stated at the meeting, "We believe in education, we believe in giving back to

the community. The library is so important in the life of our neighbors, our kids, and our students."

Library Trustee Marwan Alsafadi mentioned the need for new computers to Said after the July board meeting. Without hesitation Said, a Bridgeview resident for 25 years, offered the funding support of The Mosque Foundation for the new computers.

If you're interested in learning more about programs or services they offer, you can visit their website at [bridgeviewlibrary.org](http://bridgeviewlibrary.org), or you can call them at 708-458-3553.

## BRIDGEVIEW PUBLIC LIBRARY HAPPENINGS

Here's the weekly schedule for fall programs (Sept. 9 – Oct. 19). Registration is required in the Youth Services Department.

**Mondays:** 1 p.m.: Preschool Craft & Song; 3:30 p.m.: K-2 Adventure Club  
**Tuesdays:** 1 p.m.: Toddler/Preschool Story Time with Craft; 4 p.m. Book Novel Adventures for 3rd-6th; 6:30 p.m.: Kids Craft; 6:30 p.m.: TEEN Activity  
**Wednesdays:** 1 p.m.: Preschool Science; 3:30 p.m.: K-2 Club; 4:30 p.m.: Club 36  
**Thursdays:** 1 p.m.: Preschool Story Time; 4 p.m.: LEGO Club; 6:30 p.m.: Family Story Time; 6:30 p.m.: TEEN Activity  
**Fridays:** 11 A.m.: Preschool Music, Movement, and More; 3:30 p.m.: Fun Activity for kids and families  
**Saturdays:** Noon: Polish Story Time; 1 p.m.: Arabic Story Time; 3:30 p.m.: Spanish Story Time

**'TAKE A CHANCE':** The library is offering a new program called "Take a Chance." We'll show a "mystery" movie on the second Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m., beginning Sept. 10. We will leave clues during the weeks prior, so you can guess at the title. If you guess correctly you will win a free movie rental. The movies will be geared for adults but will be rated either G, PG or PG-13, and they will be new releases.

## Bridgeview businesses pass tobacco compliance checks

As a part of the Illinois Tobacco Enforcement Program, 20 businesses in Bridgeview were recently tested by a juvenile agent who attempted to pur-

chase cigarettes or other tobacco products.

Bridgeview is proud to announce that none of the 20 businesses that were checked

sold cigarettes or other tobacco products to the juvenile agent.

The results were reported to the Illinois Liquor Control and Tobacco Commission.

# BRIDGEVIEW PARK DISTRICT

## Coming to a Park Near YOU!

**FREE!**



FREE  
@ dusk  
Brought  
to you by  
Bridgeview  
Park District

**FREE!**

Rain Date  
for any movie  
is Friday, Oct. 4

**Bridgeview Park District is ending the summer with 2 more Movies in the Park after Dark.**

FREE family entertainment in a park near you, as listed below.

*Bring your friends, chairs, blankets and snacks for an evening of FREE FUN!*

- 5th movie ..... Friday, Sept. 13th ..... Ulrich Park, 73rd and Ferdinand
- 6th movie ..... Friday, Sept. 27th.....Commissioner Park, 81st & Oketo

**"Like" us on Facebook to reveal the movie titles: [www.facebook.com/BVPark](http://www.facebook.com/BVPark)**

### Upcoming Events Save the Date

#### SEPTEMBER

- Sept. 2..... Labor Day - Park Closed
- Sept. 3..... Karates begin
- Sept. 3..... Building Blocks begins
- Sept. 4..... Stepping Stones begins
- Sept. 4..... Wed. Dance Class begins
- Sept. 4..... Healthy Snacking Class
- Sept. 6..... Rules of the Road Review
- Sept. 6.....Tumble begins
- Sept. 9..... Pinochle Club
- Sept. 9..... Gymnastics begins
- Sept. 9..... Home Alone Class
- Sept. 13..... Movie in the Park
- Sept. 13..... Hollywood Casino-Aurora
- Sept. 16..... Pinochle Club
- Sept. 18..... Line Dance Begins
- Sept. 20..... Wine Tasting Trip
- Sept. 26..... Let's Dine - Italian Village
- Sept. 27..... Movie in the Park
- Sept. 30..... Senior Fitness Begins

#### OCTOBER

- Oct. 3..... Yoga Begins
- Oct. 4..... Wii Bowling Begins
- Oct. 7..... Senior Game Day
- Oct. 9..... A Day at the Races Trip
- Oct. 14..... Four Winds Casino Trip
- Oct. 15..... Ghoulie Goodies
- Oct. 19..... Babysitter Workshop
- Oct. 22..... Casper's Coach
- Oct. 29..... Trunk or Treat

#### NOVEMBER

- Nov. 2..... Circus Trip
- Nov. 5..... Basketball Practice Begins

### Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus

Presents "Built to Amaze!" the 143rd edition of the Greatest Show On Earth. Surprise and wonder delights audiences with over the top feats of strength, agility and courage. As the momentum builds so does the anticipation, anything can happen when the circus comes to town.

*Reserve your tickets for the whole family to have a day of fun, thrills & magic!*

**Day/Date:** Saturday, November 2nd

**Time:** 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. (times are approximate); show begins at 11:30 a.m.

**Fee:** \$26 per person

**Ages:** Fun for All Ages!!!

**NEW!**

**October 29th**  
*FREE Fun for All Ages!*



Bridgeview Park District invites you, your car, kids, and pets to decorate your vehicle trunk and come to Commissioners Park, 8100 S. Beloit! Kids bring your bags, and costume. Parents bring your decorated cars or trucks and candy to pass out! Prize for best decorated Halloween car!  
**Join us for an evening full of the Halloween spirit. All cars invited!**

### Get Started with a Trial Membership

Good for 30 consecutive days, for Weight Room and the Indoor Track. Afterward, there is a 7-day grace period to apply for Gold Membership, to which we will then apply the trial's fee.  
District Fee: \$20 Non-District Fee: \$25

#### Gold Membership

Full year membership: Access to Indoor Track & Fitness Center w/ no additional fees.  
Adult District: \$105 Senior District Fee: \$85 \*Youth District: \$75  
Adult Non Dist: \$130 Senior Non Dist.: \$110 Youth Non Dist: \$1050

NOTE: Adult: 18+ yrs; Senior: 62+ yrs; \*13-17 yrs old may purchase Youth passes when accompanied by an ADULT pass holder. Passes for weight room and walking track.



# BRIDGEVIEW PARK DISTRICT



## ON THE ROAD AGAIN!

Enjoy the Ride on our bus and leave the driving to us. All trips leave from Bridgeview Park District.

### It's Your Lucky Day Casino Trip —Aurora, IL

Friday, Sept. 13  
9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.



Lights, camera and action on the Hollywood Casino floor! You can be a part of it all, only this time in Aurora. There are a variety of table games to choose from and over 1,000 slot machines too. Lunch and gaming are on your own. Note if you have a Players card for Hollywood, Joliet it is valid in Aurora also.

**Ages:** 21 +

**Fee:** \$8 per person transportation

### "LET'S DINE!"

#### Italian Village

- Chicago

Thursday, Sept. 26  
5 p.m.



The tradition of hospitality is obvious to anyone who has visited The Village. The Village serves traditional Northern Italian cuisine within the quaint atmosphere of an Italian village. We will choose our meal from a pre-selected menu, which includes chicken, pastas, or their delicious eggplant parmesan. Soup, salad, and dessert are included in the \$32.00\* price, which is to be paid that evening. Come join us for a wonderful night in one of the oldest Italian restaurants in Chicago. \*Beverages will be added on to your meal price.

**Ages:** 21+

**Fee:** \$8 per person transportation

Register early: 708-594-1818

#### Michigan Wine Tasting

- New Buffalo, MI

Friday, Sept. 20

10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.



Celebrate the harvest month with a trip to Michigan! We will stop in the charming harbor town of New Buffalo, MI and enjoy a couple hours of shopping and lunch (on your own) with plenty of great restaurants to choose from, all a block from the lake. 30 minutes further on our mini coach bus we'll sample liquid treasures crafted by passionate local winemakers from White Barn Vineyards!

**Ages:** 21 +

**Fee:** \$15 per person transportation

#### Four Winds Casino Trip

- New Buffalo, MI

Monday, Oct. 14

9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.



We are headed to New Buffalo, Mich., to the Four Winds Casino for a day of winning! The odds will be in your favor when you play the newest and hottest games and tables in Michigan. There are more than 3,000 slot machines (1¢ to \$100), and table games include Poker, Blackjack, Craps, Baccarat, and Pai Gow.

Must Register by Oct. 2

**Ages:** 21 +

**Fee:** \$31 includes \$15 slot credit, \$10 food credit, and transportation

#### A Day at the Races

—Cicero, IL

Wednesday, Oct. 9

Noon-6:30 p.m. (approximate)

Win, Place and we'll show you a great day of thoroughbred racing at world renowned Hawthorne Race Track. Fee includes mini-coach bus transportation, admission, daily racing program reserved seating and lunch in the Gold Cup Room ...

**AND WE'RE OFF!**

**Ages:** 21 and up

**Fee:** \$27 per person



### SR. FITNESS PROGRAMS

#### Senior Fitness

Mondays / Thursdays



You will work to music that will get your body moving! We will work on Cardio, weight lifting, stretching and balance. This is a good class if you have arthritis or other physical injuries. The class will be taught to each persons ability and range of motion.

**Ages:** 55+ Bridgeview residents

**Fee:** \$35 (8 weeks)

**Days/Dates:**

**Mondays:** Sept. 30 - Nov. 18

**Thursdays:** Oct. 3 - Nov. 21

**Time:** 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### Tai Chi/Yoga/Pilates Fusion

Wednesdays

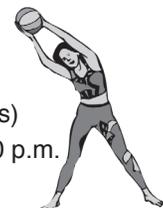
The Tai Chi portion of the class will work on training that involves standing and balancing movements with your breathing. It decreases blood pressure, stress, bodily pain, and fat around the waistline. It removes toxins from the body and awakens the body's own healing mechanism.

**Fee:** \$35

**Days:** Wednesdays

Oct. 2 - Nov. 20 (8 weeks)

**Time:** 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.



### B.E.S.T. Wii BOWLING – FALL LEAGUES NOW FORMING

We are back for another season of Wii Bowling! Regular season is 8 weeks. Each team needs a minimum of 4 players. Bring in a team or sign up as an individual to be placed on a team. Each team will bowl 1 match per week. A match consists of 2 games. There will be a Team Meeting and practice session on Friday, Sept. 20 at 10 a.m. League play begins on Friday, Oct. 4. Spectators are welcome!

**If you are not sure that Wii Bowling is for you, come check us out on September 20!**

**Ages:** 55+ **Fee:** \$12 per person/per season

**Time:** 10 a.m. **Days:** Fridays, Oct. 4 - Dec. 6 - No bowling on Nov. 22 & 29

# BRIDGEVIEW PARK DISTRICT



## A DAY AT THE PARK



### HEALTHY SNACKING

**Wednesday, Sept. 4**

6:30 - 7:30 pm

Are you trying to eat healthier at work and home? Do you want to send the kids back to school with healthy snacks in their lunch box? This workshop is designed to show you how you can create these snacks right in your very own kitchen! Different criteria will be covered on each day. Everyone will leave with tips, samples and recipes!

**Ages:** 16 and older

**Fee:** \$5 per person

Must Pre-register



### RULES OF THE ROAD - FREE

**Friday, Sept. 6**

10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

The Secretary of State, in cooperation with the Bridgeview Park District, is offering a Rules of the Road refresher class. If you are 50 years of age and older this is the class for you! Designed to help you pass your Illinois State Driver's license exam. Updates on the current rules of the road will be highlighted along with the preparation of the general and written road sign tests.

**Ages:** 50+

**Fee:** FREE



### HOME ALONE CLASS

**Monday, Sept. 9** 6:30 p.m.-8 p.m.

A 90-minute class designed to teach your child to act responsibly when home alone. Children will learn important phone numbers, what to do in case of fire and emergency, how to answer the phone and door, among other home alone situations. Parents may stay with their child.

**Ages:** 6 - 12 years old

**Fee:** \$11

**Location:** Roberts Park Fire Station  
8611 South Roberts Road, Justice, IL

**Please register by September 3rd**

### BABYSITTING WORKSHOP

**Saturday, Oct. 19** 9 a.m. - Noon

This workshop is instructed at the Roberts Park Fire Protection District. Topics in this one-day workshop will include, but not limited to: safety tips and care for infants and toddlers, how to change a diaper and basic first aid. Each participant will receive a certificate upon completion of the class.

**Ages:** 11 - 15 years old

**Fee:** \$16

### GHOULIE GOODIES

**Tuesday, Oct. 15** 4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Enjoy Halloween fun as we make spooky treats & sweets. Children will leave with a goody bag & recipes to make more at home! All supplies and fun included.

**Ages:** 4 - 10 years old

**Fee:** \$5 per person

**Register by Oct. 11**



### TOTS SPOOKY BUS RIDE

**Tuesday, Oct. 22** 5:30 - 7:15 p.m.

Take a ride with us on Casper's Coach through the woods on our spooky decorated bus! Leaving from the Park District at 8100 S. Beloit, we'll stop at the library for a craft and a story! Come dressed in your Halloween costume! This will be a spooktacular time!

**Ages:** 4-10 years old

**Fee:** \$5 per person



## EARLY DEVELOPMENT Sept. 2013 - May 2014

Children enrolled in all of the Early Development programs must be completely toilet-trained and must be ready to stay in a classroom without becoming disruptive. Registration is taken on a first-come first-serve basis. Child's original registered birth certificate is required in all cases

### Pebbles "The Class for the 2-year-old"

The Pebbles program is designed for your child and parent, grandparent or significant other adult to spend quality time together in a group atmosphere. Through stories, songs, simple crafts and gym activities your child's motor and socialization skills will be stressed. All supplies and a light snack are included in the fee.

**Day/Dates:** Mondays **Time:** 11 a.m. - Noon

**Ages:** 18 mos. - 3 years old **Fee:** \$47 per session

Session # 1: Sept. 23 - Nov. 11

Session # 2: Nov. 18 - Jan. 13, 2014 (no class Dec. 23)

Session # 3: Jan. 20, 2014 - March 10, 2014

Session # 4: March 17, 2014 - May 12, 2014



### Building Blocks for the 3-year-old Begins 9/3/2013

Children must be 3 years of age by Sept. 1, 2013 in order to participate in the 2013-2014 program, which runs from Sept. 2013 to May 2014.

**Day/Dates:** Tuesdays & Thursdays **Time:** 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

**Fee:** \$450 per year or 3 payments of \$150 every 11 weeks



### Stepping Stones for the 4-year-old Begins 9/4/2013

Children must be 4 years of age by Sept. 1, 2013. They must also be entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2014 to participate in the May 2014 Graduation.

**Days:** Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

**Time:** 9 a.m. - Noon

**Fee:** \$600 per year or 3 payments of \$200 every 11 weeks



**MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL PROGRAMS AT BRIDGEVIEW PARK DISTRICT**

# BRIDGEVIEW PARK DISTRICT

**COME PLAY!** Must pre-register for all programs at Bridgeview Park District • 594-1818

## BEGINNER & ADVANCED TUMBLE CLASSES

**Fridays or Saturdays**

"Flip-Flop" your way to our tumble class where the primary focus in class is how to do a round-off, flip-flop, and any other advanced tumbling needs. You do not have to be a cheerleader to join this class, any boy or girl interested in working on their tumbling skills can join. You will need to get approval from the coach or have been in the class previously and have the skills to continue in it.

**Ages:** 6 - 18 years old

**Fee:** \$90

**Days:** Friday or Saturday

**Time:** Fri: 7:15- 8:45 p.m.

Sat: 9:15- 10:30 a.m.

**Date:** Sept. 6 - Nov. 8

(no class 10/4 or 10/25)

**#2:** Nov. 15 - Jan. 3

(no class 11/22)



## GYMNASTICS

We offer Beginner/Intermediate Gymnastics and Team Gymnastics.

**Days:** Mondays

**Time:** 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. or 6:15 - 8:15 p.m.

**Dates:** Sept. 9 - Oct. 21

**Ages:** 6-13 years old

**Fee:** \$60 (8 weeks)

**Days:** FRIDAYS – 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

**Dates:** Sept. 13 - Oct. 25

**Ages:** 2-5 years old

**Fee:** \$50

**Days:** Wednesdays – 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

**Dates:** Sept. 11 - Oct. 23

or

**Days:** Saturdays – 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

**Dates:** Sept. 14 - Oct. 26



## School's Out & We're In! CAMP TIME! Ages 5-13

Winter break may be a 2-week vacation for District school children, but not for most working parents! Join us here for a day of fun! We have crafts, sports, and fun games planned for when the kids are out of school while you still have to work. Children can engage in exciting hands-on indoor and outdoor activities. We will also have single-day-off camps.

**Single Day Camp:** \$25 (pay per day)

**Days off:** Oct 14, 24, & 25, Nov. 11 & 29, Dec. 23, 26, 27, 30, Jan. 2, & 3.

**Time:** 8:00 am - 3:00 pm

## FALL DANCE

**Ballet, Hip Hop, Jazz Classes**

**WEDNESDAY CLASSES**

Ballet 4-6 yrs old... 3:45-4:15..... \$25

Ballet 7-10 yrs old... 4:15-4:45.....\$25

HipHop 4-7 yrs old... 4:45-5:15....\$25

HipHop 8-12yrs old... 5:15-6:00....\$45

Jazz 10-14 yrs old... 6:00-6:45.....\$45

Wednesday Class

Session #1..... Sept. 4 - Oct. 23

Session #2..... Oct 30 - Jan. 8

\*must bring white ballet shoes

**FRIDAY CLASSES**

Ballet 4-6 yrs old... 3:00-3:30... \$25.00

HipHop 4-7 yrs old... 3:30-4:00....\$25.00

Jazz 7-10 yrs old... 4:00-4:30....\$25.00

Ballet 7-10yrs old... 4:30-5:00....\$25.00

Jazz 11-14 yrs old... 5:00-5:45....\$45.00

Friday Class

Session #1..... Sept. 6th - Oct. 25th

Session #2..... Nov. 1st - Jan. 10th

\*must bring white ballet shoes



## FREESTYLE DANCE CLUB

**All ages welcome!**

**Tuesday Nights • 6:00 p.m. • FREE!**

Join us on Tuesday evenings at Bridgeview Park District to collaborate and create dances as a team. We will work on Flash Mobs and Dance-offs. Come contribute and show us what you've got.

**Freestyle • Dance-off • Break dance for a night?**

## SHIN KICKERS SOCCER

**Mondays 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

This program is excellent for your tiny soccer player (ages 3-5) to get out and explore the field. We start with stretching and a warm-up and then learn how to control the soccer ball. We will be outside enjoying the crisp fall air while we practice kicking and getting use to instruction.

**Start Date:** Aug. 26 (no Soccer 9/2)

**Fee:** \$30 per person

## CHEERLEADING TRYOUTS

The Hornets team will learn all aspects of cheerleading including arm movements, jumps, and pyramids. They will also learn sideline cheers, halftime cheers and dances that will be performed at every game.

**Hornets Cheerleading**

**Starts Nov. 7 - \$85**

*Please call for specific times*

## GIRLS' BASKETBALL LEAGUE

**4th - 8th Grade Divisions**

**Attention all School and Park teams!**

- Single-elimination playoffs
- 9-11 games
- Games on Saturdays and some Sunday mornings.
- 4th, 5th-6th, and 7th-8th age divisions
- \$500 per team
- Games begin in Dec. , run until March
- Website with schedules and updated game scores.

**Contact Jennifer with questions:**

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## BOYS & GIRLS HORNETS BASKETBALL TEAMS

Hornets basketball is a great opportunity for youngsters to learn and play the sport of basketball. We will practice at the park and play games on Saturdays. Game schedule to be announced.

**GIRLS PRACTICE**

Tuesday Evenings

4th - 6th.....5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

7th - 8th.....6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

**1st practice: Nov. 5**

**BOYS PRACTICE**

Wednesday Evenings

4th - 5th.....4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

6th.....5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

7th - 8th.....6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

**1st practice: Nov. 6**

**Fee:** \$100 District; \$110 Non-district





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# Construction projects making progress

Three construction projects in Bridgeview have made significant progress over the past month, and each will ensure easier and safer travel throughout the village when completed. Here's an update on each of the projects:

## 71st Street Underpass

A key project that will ease traffic significantly in the Bridgeview area is moving ever closer to completion. Over the past month, construction crews finished the retaining walls west of the 71st Street underpass, and they are currently pouring the concrete retaining walls on the east side of the bridge, in addition to continuing roadway excavation east of the bridge.

Installation of roadway drainage also has continued. The underpass is still on pace to be useable this fall, which will open a major thoroughfare within the village.

## 79th Street Resurfacing

The \$3 million resurfacing project for 79th Street from Cicero Avenue to 88th Avenue is making its way through Bridgeview. Working westward from Harlem, crews have begun



Work continues on the 71st Street underpass, which is scheduled to be useable this fall.

grinding and removing the old asphalt and fixing curbs and drains along 79th Street. Some work will need to be done during the day, but to lessen the daytime traffic congestion, crews will work overnight at times while completing the project.

The project, which is being funded entirely by the Illinois Department of Transportation, is expected to be completed later this fall.

## New Sidewalks

With school back in session, the new sidewalks are being put to use right away. The \$200,000 project, which was funded entirely by the federally funded Safe Routes to School Grant, is nearing completion.

All of the sidewalks have been installed, and the remaining work includes restoring driveways and lawns affected by the new sidewalks.