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# Village Vine

Publication of the Board of the Village of Third Lake

## October 2022



### Elections 2023

On April 4th, 2023 residents will be voting for three trustee positions and the mayor position. Anyone interested in running for office should contact the Village and pick up an election packet. Important dates; 9/20/22 - 12/19/22 circulation period, 12/12/22 - 12/19/22 nomination papers due.

#### Role of the Mayor/President (4 Year term)

- Represents the Village at all times
- Presides over all Board and Committee meetings
- Oversight of Village operations
- Coordination with outside agencies
- Oversight and management of the operating budget
- Responsible for the management of the Public Works Dept.
- Filling the role of Village Liquor Commissioner
- Available for Village emergencies outside of reg. business hrs.

#### Role of Trustee (4 Year term)

- Attend board and committee meetings (min. twice a month)
- Express opinions and solutions for Village happenings
- Special projects at the request of the President
- Vote on ordinances, budgets, and other village business
- Act as liaison with other entities
- May be asked to represent the Village in absence of the President
- Contact person for residents in the Village

For more information visit our website; [www.thirdlakevillage.com](http://www.thirdlakevillage.com)

### Business Spotlight

Watch here monthly for information on Third Lake businesses! There will be highlights on local establishments so you are aware of what the businesses in Third Lake have to offer.

#### Wayne's Pizza

Wayne's pizza is a family owned pizzeria opened by Wayne Dayment and his wife Donna in 1988. Wayne's is proud to be just shy of their 35th anniversary. They pride themselves on providing quality food along with quality service. They have been recognized many times for their delicious and consistent food. They are very proud and grateful to have a wonderful, loyal base of customers. Unfortunately, Wayne passed in the summer of 2012, this year marking the 10 year anniversary of his passing. The restaurant is still proudly owned and operated by his wife Donna and two of their children. Donna is proud to announce that there will be an honorary road sign placed near the corner of Wright Ave and Rte. 45. This sign is dedicated to Wayne, to celebrate his life and honor his hard work. All are invited on Sunday, October 9th at 3pm to witness the unveiling of the sign and celebrate Wayne!

#### AKL Architectural Services

AKL is an architectural firm that specializes in residential design. They also do some commercial projects, about 5 - 10% of their work. They design new homes, additions, remodels, basement buildouts, decks, and kitchen cabinetry. Window blinds, paint colors, furniture, flooring, counter tops, backsplashes, designer accessories, are all items that they can select and specify. They have designed several types of spaces to include numerous offices, retail spaces, medical facilities, restaurants, warehouses, laundromats, and a carwash. They will take on large or small projects. They have been in business for 20 years, the last 5 years from the office in Third Lake at Graystone Manor Office Centre. They are licensed in Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and Florida. Several of their staff members have experience as general contractors and have worked closely with the trades which allows them to understand and to be understood by the builders who do the actual work. With their building partners, they can also provide a one stop shop for their client's construction needs.

#### Home of the Sparrow

For 35 years, Home of the Sparrow has been providing Hope, Opportunity, and Support to homeless women and children. Monday through Saturday, between 10AM and 6PM, volunteers can help at our Sparrow's Nest Thrift Store and Donation Center located at Waterstone. Not only do volunteers get a discount when shopping at the stores, they meet new people, and have fun working together toward a common mission. Sporadically, Home of the Sparrow looks for groups to help with special projects. Group volunteering can be a great team building exercise. Volunteers are the backbone of Home of the Sparrow. Each time you help, you become part of a homeless woman's story as they journey to self-sufficiency! To sign up as a volunteer, or for more information, visit: [www.HOSparrow.org](http://www.HOSparrow.org), or call 815-345-9160.

## Village Hall Hours And Important Phone Numbers

Weekdays: 8:30am-2:30pm

Weekends: Closed

Open 30 minutes prior to all scheduled meetings (6:30-7pm)

#### Village President

Rodney "Butch" Buckley  
847.223.8422

#### Village Clerk

Michelle Smith  
847.223.8422

#### Administrative Assistant

Victoria Stevens  
847.223.8422

#### Treasurer

Carol Metivier  
847.223.8422

#### Trustees

Bob Hameister

Bob Ruwitch

Linda Mateja

Dan Penny

Mary Honegger

Thomas Van Zeyl

#### Police + Fire

(Non Emergency)  
Lake County Sheriff  
847.377.4000

Grayslake Fire  
Department  
847.223.8960

#### Area Libraries

Grayslake Library  
847.223.5313  
Warren Newport  
Library  
847.224.5150

#### Utilities

Commonwealth Edison  
800.334.7661  
Nicor  
888.642.6748  
North Shore/  
People's Gas  
847.336.9300  
AT&T  
800.244.4444  
Comcast Cable  
800.266.2278  
Waste Management  
800.796.9696

Lake County  
Public Works  
847.377.7500

#### Park Districts

Grayslake Parks  
& Recreation  
847.223.7529  
Warren Township  
Parks & Sports  
847.244.1106 x6

#### School Districts

School District #46  
847.223.3650

#### Woodland District #50

847.816.2530  
Grayslake Central HS  
District #127  
847.223.8621  
Grayslake North HS  
District #127  
847.986.3100

#### Township Offices

Warren Township  
847.244.1101  
Avon Township  
847.546.1446

#### Animal Control

847.377.4700

## October Meetings

Committee	October 3rd
Plan Commission	October 11th
Board of Trustees	October 17th

Meetings begin at 7:00pm at the Village Hall

## STAY CONNECTED



Want to know what's going on in the Village? Make sure you stay in the loop with important information on our website at [ThirdLakeVillage.com](http://ThirdLakeVillage.com) and by connecting with us on Facebook.

It is also important that we have your email addresses and phone numbers for more time sensitive information and for those who don't use social media. If you are a renter, we need to hear from you too. Feel free to contact us at 847-223-8422 or email us at [thirdlake@comast.net](mailto:thirdlake@comast.net).



## Fall Leaf Burning and Disposal

There are several ways to dispose of leaves this time of year. Composting, bagging or burning.

**Burning** - Dry leaves, brush, branches under 1 1/2" in diameter, and yard waste may be burned between November 1st and November 30th during the hours of 9AM and 3PM only.

- \* Burning is only allowed in a fireproof barrel or other receptacle that is elevated above ground by at least 6" but no more than 24"
- \* Burning is not permitted when wind is in excess of 15 mph, within 20' of any building or structure, within 25' of any wetland, lake or other body of water, or Lake County Forest Preserve property or on Village streets, sidewalks or other public right of way.
- \* Fire must be attended at all times by a person 16 years of age or older.
- \* Must have a water source and adequate means of delivering water immediately adjacent to the fire.

**Bagging** – Leaf stickers can be purchased at the Village Hall for \$1 during open business hours.

## RETENTION POND UPDATE

The retention pond dredging is complete. The shoreline work still needs to be completed. This work will be handled through the Mariner's Cove Homeowners Association. Thank you for your patience!



## BOARD HAPPENINGS

The 2022 Village Meeting Schedule is currently posted on the Village website and Facebook. For further details of minutes and agendas go to [www.thirdlakevillage.com](http://www.thirdlakevillage.com).

### The Village Board has approved the following:

- ★ Accounts Payable dated September 7th, 2022 totaling \$26,289.97
- ★ Ordinance No. 22-09-01 an Ordinance establishing compensation and reimbursement of expenses for elected officials repealing Ordinance No. 07-07-01

Want to know more about your community? Attend any of the meetings anytime. Meetings take place at the Village Hall and the public is always welcome.

## Lake County 2022-2027 Proposed Transportation Improvement Program

The Lake County Division of Transportation released the 2022 - 2027 transportation improvement program that includes more than 300 projects to increase safety, improve mobility, and reduce carbon emissions. This program is annually created to show the projects that are currently programmed in the current year and the next five years. Information on the program can be found online at the Lake County Division of Transportation website.

Visit [lakecountyil.gov/transportation](http://lakecountyil.gov/transportation)

## LAKE NEWS



### DAM OPENING - NOVEMBER 1

The dam will be opening on November 1st. When the dam is open the water level will drop. Please have your boats out of the water.

### PIERS -

Village Ordinance 21-01-01 requires you to remove your pier before the lake freezes to avoid damage.



The Village Hall will be closed on Monday, October 10th in observance of Indigenous People's Day.

In case of emergency, please email [bbuckley@thirdlakevillage.com](mailto:bbuckley@thirdlakevillage.com)

## Native Plant Sale

The Native Plant sale held by the Lake County Forest Preserve will be available online through October 31st.

<https://www.lcfpd.org/plant-sale>

Why plant a native species? Native plants are beautiful, hardy, less expensive, easy to maintain, beneficial to the environment and thrive in Illinois gardens. Native flowering species will provide an abundance of nectar and attract wildlife from butterflies and songbirds to chipmunks and beneficial insects.



## REMINDER

If you plan to do **any** improvements on the lakeside of your lot, please contact the Village Hall prior to any work being done. We will confirm what type of permit, if any, is required.

Village Hall 847/223- 8422



Trick or Treating will be held on October 31st 4pm - 7pm

## Stay safe this Halloween:

1. Wear reflective clothing
2. Carry glow sticks or a flashlight
3. Eat only store bought, pre-packaged candy
4. Be aware of open flames by costumes
5. Drivers - Watch for trick or treaters as you come and go from the neighborhood