Summer 2019



HEBRON NEWS

Honoring our past, moving toward the future

FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Hello Summer!



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It's been a slow, rainy start, but hopefully we'll have plenty of warmth and sunshine to go around. Please be aware of children who are out and about on summer vacation, as well as residents who walk throughout town. Let's all be safe!

The Village of Hebron has an open Trustee position to be filled by appointment. Interested residents should complete the online questionnaire. Forms must be returned to the Village by July 15, 2019 for full consideration. Interviews will be conducted with selected applicants. The chosen candidate will be seated at the September 2019 board meeting and serve through the next general election in 2020.

Our Treasurer's Office has an available position. Applicant's should have a Bachelors or Masters degree in Accounting and/or equivalent work experience. Municipal and Quick Books experience are preferred. Flexible hours are a must. Please apply online and submit your resume by July 5, 2019.

Happy 50th Anniversary to The Dari! A big thank you to a Hebron landmark that is a big part of our close-knit Hebron community. Be sure to visit for a tasty treat any time or to cool down on a hot summer day or evening. They will be having an all day anniversary celebration on Saturday, July 27th! Come on out and be sure to tell your friends.

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I'm pleased to announce that KLM Builders has purchased the remaining 24 lots and will be completing the Woodland Meadows subdivision. KLM will be breaking ground, weather permitting, around August/September of this year. Please note that a total of 6 model homes are currently available in surrounding areas to tour, with the nearest being in Richmond at 10605 Hunt Club Road. New models are in the planning stages and will be available to view here in Hebron. For more information, please contact KLM Builders directly at (815) 678-4018. We are looking forward to welcoming new rooftops and families to our community!

Clarke Environmental Mosquito Management will be spraying applications again this year throughout the Village. They have already applied three applications. We post application information in advance on the Village Website under 'Announcements' and the Village Facebook Page for residents to share online as well as verbally with each other.

Some of our local establishments, including Beaners, Hoops and Hart's Saloon will be featuring live music throughout the summer at various times. Please contact each for further information including dates and times.

Remember, call 9-1-1 if you see something unusual or in progress which might require attention by law enforcement. Video's after the fact, unless any identifying information is clear, does not assist our officers. Thank you for your cooperation.

For up to date information on Village happenings, please go to www.VillageOfHebron.org and click on 'Announcements' for the latest information.

As always, stay safe, keep cool and enjoy the summer months!

Sincerely,

Kimmy



The Village of Hebron Code Enforcement Officer is working diligently to clean up the look of our Village. We want to set a good impression to the people who visit or drive through our Village. Please be a good neighbor and check out your own property to see if there are any improvements you can make.

If you have any questions please be sure to contact our building inspector, Dick Ackerman at 815-482-4558.

OUR POLICE NEWS...

Summer Break and Summer Weather means an increase of KIDS!!!

KIDS on Bikes
KIDS on Scooters
KIDS on Skates
KIDS on Foot



SO, please be alert! Warmer weather also brings increased traffic, so please use caution.

With the increasing temperatures, please stay hydrated and cool. If you're traveling with pets, remember to not lock them in a hot car with the windows rolled up.

Chief R. Donlea Hebron Police Department

Hi All!

It sure is taking a while, but I think summer weather is almost here. I hope that all of you survived our very WET Spring!

Have a fun and safe summer!!! ~ Jean Attermeier

VILLAGE CLERK

VILLAGE HALL HOURS

Monday 1:00pm – 6:00pm Tuesday-Thursday 9am—2pm 815-648-2353 EXT. 10 clerk@villageofhebron.org



POLICE NEWS CONTINUED...

OPEN BURNING RESTRICTIONS

Environmentally Sound Alternatives Available

Woodstock IL - McHenry County Department of Health (MCDH) reminds residents of the Public Health Ordinance restrictions regarding the open burning of landscape waste, which is in effect year round. Residents located within municipalities should check with their city or village regarding additional restrictions that may apply. Where there is not a ban or more restrictive ordinance, the County Ordinance must be followed. Open burning of landscape waste is limited to weekend days (Saturdays and Sundays) in April, May, October, and November from dawn to dusk. The burn area must be located a minimum of 100 feet from any habitable structure, and 50 feet from a detached garage, shed, barn, or any other non-habitable structure. No burning is permitted in easements or when the wind speed exceeds 10 mph. Adult supervision is required throughout the duration of the burning, and a water source or fire extinguisher must be available. Only landscape waste generated on the site may be burned. Burning any other materials, such as garbage, paper, cardboard, construction materials or animal waste is prohibited at all times.

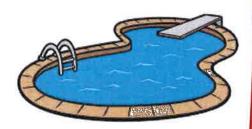
MCDH encourages residents to consider alternatives to the open burning of landscape waste, such as mulching, native landscaping, composting, using landscape service companies, or dropping landscape waste off at a composting facility or landscape waste transfer station. Municipal solid waste haulers who provide regular residential waste pickup in McHenry County must offer landscape waste collection service. Residents should contact their municipal solid waste haulers with questions about their service.

Residents may contact the Department of Health or any local law enforcement agency, fire department or fire protection district with a complaint. Agencies who respond to open burning concerns are responsible for a variety of issues, and all responses are prioritized. An immediate response is not always possible. Complete information about the Public Health Ordinance, suggested alternatives, and bonfire permit applications are available on the MCDH website: www.mcdh.info or by calling the Division of Environmental Health at 815-334-4585.

Notes from public works:

STREETS:

The Public Works Department finished working on the railing in the downtown area. Thank you for their hard work on this project. The Department will be doing brush pick up on storm damage in the next week or so, after that it will be the first and third week of October. Yard waste needs to be put out in bags and stickers purchased from Hebron lumber for Prairieland Disposal to pick up on Thursdays.



The Village can fill your pool for \$50, if it's accessible to a fire hydrant. Please call 815-355-2190.

WATER:

The Village of Hebron Water Department spring fire hydrant flushing has been completed. Thank you for your patience during this process. It is a "must do" to help bring quality water to our residents. Please keep in mind to make sure your toilet and any plumbing in your home in not leaking. This can lead to a higher water and sewer bill. *Thank you!!!*

WATER/SEWER BILLING

Just a reminder... the water and sewer bills are due the first of each month. If you are selling a home, you must contact the water and sewer billing department for a final meter reading.

Please call within 48 hours of closing to have a final meter reading done.

Thank you!

Village of Hebron Water and Sewer Billing 815-648-2335 Ext. 20

SEWER:

Please *DO NOT* flush any hazardous chemicals Down the sewer! Also, pouring grease down your drains can cause your drains to plug up.

Any questions regarding sewer issues, please call or email the Sewer Department



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New Officials—Swearing In at the May 20th Village Board Meeting





Mark Shepherd (Left) and John Santoro (Right) being sworn in as Trustee by Village Attorney Michael Smoron.





Jim Lange (Left) and Pat Peterson (Right) being congratulated by Village Attorney Michael Smoron.



Bob Wagner being congratulated by Village Attorney Michael Smoron.

Join us for this information meeting on

Substance Use and Addiction

Tuesday, July 23, 2019 6:30 pm – 8:00pm

Where: St. John's Lutheran Church 9812 St. Albans St. Hebron, Il 60034

The Center for Disease Control (CDC) surveyed 20,000 middle and high school students and found one in eleven were vaping.

After years of tobacco use being on the decline for youth we are seeing significant increases in use through vaping. If this is not enough reason for concern the CDC also found that of the students vaping 1 in 3 was vaping cannabis.

Vaping, cannabis and alcohol are the most common substance Violations in McHenry County schools.

This presentation will include accurate and current information about all of these critical substances by McHenry County experts from law enforcement, healthcare, prevention and school administration.

There will be an opportunity to see vaping devices.

If you have any questions, call St. John's at 815-648-2671



It's that time of year again...

A Tornado Watch is just to let folks know to be on the lookout for a possible tornado in the area whereas a Tornado Warning is a notification that a tornado has been seen or picked up by radar.

Things to do when a Tornado Watch is issued:

Keep alert and watch for changing weather conditions

Listen to your local news reports & weather updates

Review your family or business emergency preparedness plan

Review your disaster kit

Be ready to seek shelter at a moments notice

What to Watch for during a Tornado Watch:

Dark greenish or orange-gray skies

Large hail

Large, dark, low-lying, rotating or funnel-shaped clouds

A loud roar that is similar to a freight train



Tornado Warning

A Tornado Warning is issued when a tornado has actually been sighted or has been picked up on radar in your area. This means that you need to take shelter immediately in a safe sturdy structure. In the Village of Hebron, the emergency warning sirens are activated in the event of a tornado warning. Hebron residents should keep in mind that the Village DOES NOT give an "all clear" signal.

Things to do when a **Tornado Warning** is issued:

Take shelter immediately

Listen to your local radio for updates

Follow the National Weather Service Safety Guidelines (below)

What not to do during a tornado:

Do not stay in a Mobile home as they offer very little protection from tornadoes.

Do not open the windows in your home or business

Do not try to outrun a tornado in a car

Do not get under a highway overpass or bridge as you will be exposing yourself to flying debris and stronger winds.

National Weather Service Safety Guidelines

If you are in a building: Go to a pre-designated shelter area such as a safe room, basement, storm cellar, or the buildings lowest level. If you don't have a basement, take shelter in the center of an interior room on the lowest level, such as a bathroom, closet or interior hallway that is away from corners, windows, doors and outside walls.

If you are in a vehicle, trailer or mobile home: Get out immediately and go to a nearby sturdy building or storm shelter and seek shelter on its lowest floor.

If you are outside without nearby shelter: Lie down in a ditch, ravine, or depression nearby and cover your head with your hands.

Be safe out there!