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WEEKLY NEWS BRIEFING

FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 2014

GLENCOE GOLF CLUB SENIOR SPRING KICKOFF EVENT - MAY 15

Please join us for the Glencoe Golf Club's inaugural Senior Spring Kickoff Event. This event is **only** available for Senior Members and offers a day to dust off your clubs and get ready for the season. The day will begin with a clinic taught by our PGA Professionals, followed by 9-Holes of golf and lunch.

Fee: \$25.00

Date: Thursday, May 15, 2014

Time: 8:30 a.m. Check-in

Contests: Closest to the pin, long putt, straight drive, and closest to the pin in two shots

Eligibility: Must be a 2014 Senior Membership Card Holder

Registration: Please visit the pro shop to sign up for this event.



For more information, please contact Stella Nanos, Golf Club General Manager at 847/835-0250 or via email at stellan@glencoegolfclub.com.

AVAILABLE COMMERCIAL SPACE IN DOWNTOWN GLENCOE

The Village of Glencoe recently updated the Available Commercial Space Report on the Village's website utilizing GIS technology. The new report improves the accessibility for potential business owners looking to locate their business in the Village. Users can now use the interactive map feature to pinpoint the exact location of the potential business location. Further, by clicking on a specific property, additional details including price, amount of square feet, and listing agent will be available. This new feature presents a user-friendly way for potential occupants to join the Village of Glencoe business community. A link to the Available Commercial Space Report can be found [here](#). For more information, please contact the Village Manager's Office at 847/835-4114.

**VILLAGE NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS
FOR PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER POSITION**



Applications are now available in the Village Manager’s Office and on the Village’s website for the position of Public Safety Officer, in connection with the Village’s efforts to establish a new List of Eligibles from which current and future position vacancies will be filled. Applications are due by 4:30 p.m. on Monday, May 19, and thereafter, a written examination of all eligible applicants will be administered at the Chicago Botanic Garden on Wednesday, May 28. Details on the position can be found on Village’s website [here](#). For more information, please contact the Village Manager’s Office at 847/835-4114.

ARBOR DAY FOUNDATION NAMES GLENCOE TREE CITY USA

Glencoe has been named a 2013 Tree City USA by the Arbor Day Foundation. The Village has achieved this recognition by meeting the program’s requirements of maintaining a tree department, a tree care ordinance, an annual community forestry budget, and an Arbor Day observance and proclamation.

“Everyone benefits when elected officials, volunteers, and committed citizens in communities like Glencoe make smart investments in urban forests,” said John Rosenow, founder and chief executive of the Arbor Day Foundation.



“Trees bring shade to our homes and beauty to our neighborhoods, along with numerous economic, social and environmental benefits.”

The Village will recognize Arbor Day on Friday, April 25, 2014 with an annual tree planting. More information can be found on the Village website [here](#).

FINANCE COMMITTEE

At the April 17 Finance Committee meeting, the Committee briefly reviewed the proposed consolidated fee ordinance, the revised format for the monthly financial report and discussed the financial condition of the Police Pension Fund with the Village Actuary Tim Sharpe. Mr. Sharpe stressed that the Police Pension Fund is in good financial condition and has a reserve equal to approximately 17 years of annuity payments. He further stated that at the present rate of contribution that the Police Pension Fund should be fully funded by the target of 2040. The next Finance Committee meeting will be held on May 15, 2014 prior to the Village Board Meeting p.m.

VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

At the April 17 Village Board Meeting, the Board adopted an annual fee ordinance and comprehensive schedule of fees, charges, fines and penalties. This new fee schedule can be found on the Village's website on the Fiscal Transparency page [here](#). The Board also discussed possible single-family residential fire sprinkler and fire alarm regulations for new construction homes in Glencoe. The Board expressed the desire to learn more about regulations in place in neighboring communities. There was no action taken on this item, which will be further discussed at the next Village Board Meeting on May 15, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

HUMAN RELATIONS FORUM

At the April 16 Human Relations Forum meeting, members discussed sponsoring a Meet and Greet event immediately following the Memorial Day Parade on May 26, 2014. Newly hired Glencoe executive staff members will be introduced to the community, specifically Village Manager Phil Kiraly, Director of Public Safety Cary Lewandowski, Park District Executive Director Lisa Sheppard, and Library Executive Director Juli Janovicz. The Forum bid farewell to two tenured members – Hilary Price and Peggy Wagner-Kimble; the Forum also welcomed new members – Steven Arenson, Sasha Von Varga, and Reverend Norris Jackson, Jr. Forum Members reviewed the Purpose and Function document, as posted on the Village website, as well as the applicable Village Ordinance, Chapter 10A, Article II, Human Relations. The Forum will renew efforts to raise community awareness of the group's mission to foster community unity and respect by bringing people together; and when needed, helping to resolve issues and disputes.

The next Human Relations Forum meeting will be held on May 21, 2014 at 6:30 p.m.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Zoning Board of Appeals met at its regularly scheduled monthly public meeting on April 16 this month. The Board approved a variation request of Michael Mason, 467 Jefferson to reduce the Greenwood Avenue corner sideyard, to reduce the east side yard setback, and to increase the east setback plane for two additions to the house. The Board also approved a variation request of Kathy Mallin, 326 Hawthorn to permit a higher roof above an existing west one story portion of the house requiring a west sideyard setback reduction. The next Zoning Board of Appeals will be held on Monday, May 5, 2014 at 7:30 p.m.

SWANCC SEEKING FASHION DESIGNERS TO CREATE OUTFITS FROM RESCUED MATERIALS

Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC) is seeking creative individuals to participate in its seventh *Trashy Fashion Show Project*. Individuals of any age and gender, working alone or in small groups are welcome to participate.

Designers are asked to create 90% of their outfit to fit this year's theme, "My Solution to Pollution" - made from materials that are destined for the landfill. The project criteria states that an outfit and three complimentary accessories must be made from items that were rescued from the garbage or repurposed - NOT to go out and buy new materials. Commitment forms are due to SWANCC by June 13, 2014.



The *Trashy Fashion Show* will be part of SWANCC's EDUCATIONAL EXPO that will be held at Oakton Community College on Saturday, November 15, 2014. The fashions will be featured on the catwalk at 2:00 p.m. There is no cost to attend the Expo or to be involved in SWANCC's *Trashy Fashion Show Project*. For more information, visit swancc.org or contact Mary Allen, SWANCC's Recycling and Education Director, at mary@swancc.org.



VILLAGE OF GLENCOE MEETING BULLETIN

Meetings Scheduled For
April | May 2014

<u>MEETING</u>	<u>DATE/TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
1. Golf Advisory Committee	Monday, April 21 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
2. Police Pension Fund Board	Wednesday, April 23 7:00 a.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
3. Plan Commission	Wednesday, April 23 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
4. Zoning Board of Appeals	Wednesday, May 5 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
5. Historic Preservation	Tuesday, May 6 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
6. Finance Committee	Thursday, May 15 TBD	Village Hall Conference Room
7. Village Board Meeting	Thursday, May 15 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
8. Golf Advisory Committee	Monday, May 19 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
9. Human Relations Forum	Wednesday, May 21 6:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room