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"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." -- Eleanor Roosevelt

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Coming Events & Key Dates

Glencoe Grand Prix & Block Party

Saturday, June 1
Downtown Glencoe

Glencoe Farmers Market

Saturdays | June 8 - October 12
8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
North Metra Commuter Lot

Glencoe Sidewalk Sale

Friday & Saturday, June 28 - 29
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Downtown Glencoe

Public Works & Public Safety

Open House

Saturday, July 27 | 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Village Court

Glencoe Festival of Art

Saturday & Sunday, August 3 - 4
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Downtown Glencoe



VILLAGE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Neighbor:

As May turns into June, our seasons move from spring into summer, transitioning from renewal to growth. So too our Village is transitioning from eight years of President Scott Feldman's outstanding leadership to a new period of renewal, challenges and opportunities. The next four years promise to be a very exciting period for our Village.

We have a remarkable Public Safety Department with a long history of caring professional service to our residents. We are now well into a nationwide search to replace our retiring Public Safety Director and hope to have completed the process before the end of August. For the past twelve years, the administration of our Village has been in the able care of Paul Harlow. As Paul prepares to retire, we will soon begin a nationwide search to recruit Paul's successor.

As a lifelong resident of Glencoe, I know how important these transitions are, and I am confident our Village will accomplish them smoothly and effectively. We also have before us many other exciting challenges and opportunities. The Woman's Library Club and Writers' Theatre recently announced they are moving into the final design and construction phase of their new landmark home on Tudor Court. Their providing Glencoe with a stunning new Cultural Arts Center, as the northern anchor of our business district, will add new life to the renewal of uptown Glencoe, and has already helped attract the Guildhall Restaurant to the historic Wienecke Hardware Store location on Park Avenue.

The Glencoe Golf Club was built in 1921 and is often referred to as a "gem" and an outstanding example of its genre. Over the past five years, the Village has completed a series of capital improvements that have materially advanced its playability and maintained its profitable operation. However, its ancient clubhouse has long since outlived its useful life. A special task force is now working on an initiative to create a

traditional looking new clubhouse that fully compliments this unique golf course and will provide a dining destination where golfers and non-golfers alike can enjoy a meal with this scenic open space as a backdrop.

In 2011, Glencoe received the award for the best drinking water in Illinois. The Village is in the process of reviewing our long-term plan for insuring that our Village Water Plant is kept up-to-date and continues to fulfill its role as we move forward. As part of this project, we are exploring with the Northwest Water Commission whether our Village should or could undertake to provide a portion of their needs. This initiative will give us the opportunity of studying how best to supply our Village's water needs and provide possible outside revenue sources to reduce our tax burdens in the future.

Our Plan Commission, following up last year's Sustainability Forum for Village residents hosted by the Park District at the Takiff Center, is in the process of initiating an Open Space Plan review, including the Park District and School District. The Open Space Plan will, on an integrated basis, study all of the open spaces in Glencoe to determine their best use for serving our community's needs.

Our Plan Commission will also begin updating our Village's 20-Year Comprehensive Plan. As part of this broader project, the Plan Commission will update our Comprehensive Plan for both the downtown and Hubbard Woods shopping districts. This is especially important in view of the Woman's Library Club and Writers' Theatre project.

With these and many more projects before them, our new Village Board, in addition to maintaining our Village's strong fiscal position, has its plate quite full. ■

Sincerely,

Larry Levin

Larry Levin
Village Board President

Meet the New Village President & Trustees



From Left to Right: Trustee Scott Pearce, Trustee Barbara Miller, Village President Larry Levin and Trustee Dale Thomas

Larry Levin is CEO of L. R. Levin Consulting, LLC, a strategic management consulting firm helping companies understand the economic challenges they face and how to build their management teams, operations, and profits to the next level. Mr. Levin grew up in Glencoe and his 3 younger children, John Henry (19), Owen (16), and Winston (14), live with him and his wife Cathy. A Trustee since 2009, he has served as Vice Chairperson of the Plan Commission, Chairperson of the Golf Clubhouse Task Force and a Member of the Finance and Law committees. Mr. Levin served as Village Representative to the Northwest Municipal Conference and as a North Shore Environmental Commissioner.

Barbara Miller, a real estate lawyer, has lived in Glencoe with her family for 19 years. She was most recently the Chairperson of the Village's Zoning Commission. Barbara has also served the community as a member of the Home Rule Task Force, Chairperson of the Caucus Advisory Council and Co-Chairperson of the Glencoe Caucus. Additionally, she has served on School District 35's Strategic Planning Committee and the New Trier Parents' Association. As a Trustee, Barbara is committed to understanding and respecting different points of view and maintaining an open and fair process for making decisions in the public realm.

Scott Pearce and his family have lived in Glencoe for 12 years. His executive management experience has focused on delivering transformational business results in consumer products and marketing information services at leading companies including IRI, Samsonite, Keebler, Heinz, Bristol-Myers Squibb & Ford. Currently, Scott is helping clients achieve growth and balance as Co-Founder and Principal at enableuocoaching, LLC. Scott is committed to preserving the character of our community and ensuring continued fiscal responsibility.

Dale Thomas was a partner at the law firm of Sidley Austin LLP for over 30 years, and is now Senior Counsel there. He and his wife have lived in Glencoe for 24 years, and both of their sons grew up in Glencoe. Dale has previously been a member of the Golf Advisory Committee (two terms) and the Street Ends Task Force, which studied how to balance access to our lakefront with our need for safe and secure public ways. Dale is presently a member of the Golf Clubhouse Task Force. Dale views his service as a Trustee as an opportunity to give back to the Village, which is such a special place to live, and to safeguard and strengthen its unique scale and character. ■

Village-Wide Electricity Savings Continue

Earlier this spring, the North Shore Electricity Aggregation Consortium secured electricity rates for Year 2 of the Village's three-year agreement with MC Squared Energy Services. The rate that residents and eligible small businesses that are participating in Glencoe's electrical aggregation program (and purchasing electricity from MC Squared) will pay between June 2013 and May 2014 will be 4.99 cents per kilowatt hour (kWh), up slightly from the rate of 4.836 cents/kWh that customers paid between June 2012 and May 2013. The second year rate compares favorably to the ComEd's rate of 6.02/kWh that will be in effect during the same pricing period, and should result in average savings of 17% on the amount of electricity that is purchased by homeowners and businesses during Year 2.

Letters detailing the new electricity rates were mailed in late April to residents and businesses that are currently customers of MC Squared. As outlined in the rate notification letter, no action is required if MC Squared customers wish to participate in Year 2 of the program. Residents and businesses who are not presently participating in the aggregation program may enroll with MC Squared by telephone (1-888-808-7731) or the internet (www.northshoreelectricityaggregation.com). During Year 2, MC Squared customers will maintain the option to purchase 100% renewable energy at the rate of 5.09 cents/kWh, and there will be no early termination fee if a resident or business decides to discontinue participation and purchase electricity from ComEd or another alternative energy supplier. ■

Grid Modernization Work Continues

ComEd will continue to undertake infrastructure improvements benefitting the Glencoe area in 2013. This year, ComEd plans to replace or refurbish more than 1,800 feet of underground residential cable. This work will generally occur in the vicinity of Forest Way Drive between its intersections with Woodridge Lane and Dundee Road.

Additionally, ComEd will be working closely with the Village to coordinate tree trimming near power lines, as part of an overall effort to ensure public safety and reduce service interruptions. Typically, ComEd trims trees that are located near overhead power lines on a four-year cycle. Supplementary trimming is conducted more regularly in areas that experience more frequent service interruptions.

In addition to reinforcing its distribution network, ComEd has initiated several enhancements to improve communications during electricity outages, including:

- Expanding its customer service center's call volume capacity;
- Implementing two-way text messaging that allows customers to notify ComEd of an outage and the utility to text restoration information back to customers. Residents and business owners who sign up for this service can text OUT to 26633 (ComEd) to report an outage;
- Launching a mobile application for smart phones that enables outage reporting;
- Initiating a twitter feed providing service and restoration updates.

For additional information or to register for ComEd's expanded outage and restoration alert capabilities, please visit www.comed.com or call 1-800-Edison-1. ■

Tee Time

with Stella Nanos
General Manager

Glencoe Golf Club

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www.glencoeclub.com



The Glencoe Golf Club is your neighborhood gathering place for golf. Join us to take advantage of the best conditioned golf course on the North Shore, right in your backyard. The Club offers competitive greens fees, junior golf camps, professional golf lessons and club fittings; we also serve a full menu in our restaurant. We hope to see you this season enjoying the golf facility, the Academy and our restaurant.

Enroll your children in **Summer Golf Camp** at your neighborhood golf course. Camps begin the week of June 11 and are geared toward juniors of all ages and skill levels. There are half day camps to teach the basics as well as full day camps for the competitive golfer. The camp curriculum includes time on the golf course as well as a pass for an additional five **FREE** rounds of golf for use during the season.

Make this your year to learn to golf or improve your handicap. The **Glencoe Golf Academy** offers private lessons, clinics and packages taught by PGA instructors. The Academy utilizes the latest in teaching technology; V1 video swing analysis and the FlightScope 3D Doppler Golf Simulator. Whether you are a beginner or an experienced golfer, our PGA teaching staff can design a program to help you achieve your scoring goals. Both private lessons and summer camp registration are available online.

We are excited to announce that the Glencoe Golf Club is featuring the latest **TaylorMade Equipment** this season. Our PGA fitting staff will utilize the same technology used in teaching to custom fit your new clubs. This custom fitting process has been proven to improve your game by making sure you are getting the best results out of your equipment. Come see how upgrading your equipment to fit your individual swing can increase distance, accuracy, and most importantly lower your score.

The Glencoe Golf Club is now offering its very own **Mobile App**. The mobile app features GPS yardage measurements, three click tee time booking, scorecard sharing on Facebook and much more. Download the **FREE** app at the Apple App Store or Android Market.

To explore everything the Club has to offer, visit our website. Come out and enjoy all of the amenities of your Golf Club; we are right around the corner.



Residential House Watch Program

The Department of Public Safety would like to remind residents about the Village House Watch program. Residents going out of town can place their home on watch by calling the Public Safety Department at 847-835-4112. Be prepared to provide: the dates you'll be leaving and returning, emergency contact and key holder information, vehicle information, lights on timers, and the names of anyone who may be on the property (family, neighbors, pet walkers, landscapers, construction workers, etc.). Officers will periodically check the exterior of the home and notify the owner or key holder of any problems. ■

Annual Water Quality Report

Now Available Online

Each year the Village's Water Utility is required to provide all customers with an Annual Water Quality Report to let residents know how well the Village's drinking water meets established state and federal drinking water standards. All residents and water customers are encouraged to review this report as it provides important details about the source and quality of the drinking water delivered to you in 2012.



For the first time, in an effort to be more environmentally responsible, the report is being made available online. Interested residents can view the Village of Glencoe 2012 Water Quality Report at www.villageofglencoe.org/assets/1/news/2012CCR1.pdf. You can also request a printed copy by contacting the Water Plant at 847-835-4183 or stopping by the Resident Services Counter in the Village Hall. ■

Chamber Report

With warmer and sunnier days here, the Glencoe Chamber of Commerce has a summer schedule of events for all residents and visitors.



The Glencoe Farmers Market will begin on Saturday, June 8 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the North Metra Commuter parking lot and will run every Saturday until mid-October. Be sure to patronize our Market where you will find fresh vegetables, fruit and flowers. Tell your friends and neighbors!

The Sidewalk Sale will take place on Park and Vernon Avenues on Friday, June 28 and Saturday, June 29 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Browse and buy from our local stores and additional vendors who will have lots of good merchandise at very attractive prices.

The Glencoe Festival of Art will be held the first weekend in August, on Saturday, August 3 and Sunday, August 4 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. It is a juried art fair, with booths lining Park and Vernon Avenues.

There's something extra this summer: **Raffles!** The Chamber will be raffling a sport bike in May & early June. After that, we will be raffling a motor scooter. You will be able to see the bike and scooter in the downtown business district, as well as posters with more information. ■

Capital Projects Update

The 2013 construction season includes several significant capital improvement projects funded by the infrastructure improvement bonds approved by voters last fall. Residents are encouraged to check the Village website for weekly updates on each specific project including progress schedules and any traffic detour plans. Below is a brief summary of the projects that will be underway between June and November 2013.



Maintenance Street Resurfacing: The following streets will be resurfaced this summer:

- Brookside Lane
- Brookvale Terrace
- Dennis Lane
- Dundee Road
**Green Bay to Hohlfelder*
- Elm Ridge Drive
**Dundee to Sunset*
- Fairfield Road
**Orchard to Westley*
- Greenwood Avenue
**Monroe to South*
- Grove Street
**Park to Dundee*
- Hawthorn Avenue
**Longwood to Old Green Bay*
- Hazel Avenue
**Green Bay to Village Court*
- Jefferson Avenue
**Green Bay to Vernon*
- Lakeside Terrace
- Lincoln Drive
- Oak Ridge Drive
**Sunset to Skokie Ridge (south)*
- Pebblewood Lane
- Pine Court
- Redwood Lane
- Rockgate Lane
- Skokie Ridge Drive
**Dundee to Oak Ridge*
- Sunrise Circle
- Surfside Place
- Westley Road
**Green Bay to Hohlfelder*
- Westwood Lane
- Willow Tree Lane

Storm Water Drainage Basin Improvements: Two major storm sewer improvement projects, designed to increase the capacity of existing storm sewer systems to relieve severe and recurring flooding, will be constructed in 2013. The Harbor Basin Improvements will involve the installation of new storm sewer from the intersection of Harbor & Linden Streets east on Harbor Street to Lake Michigan. This project is anticipated to begin in July and be completed by October. The Greenwood Basin Improvements will involve the installation of new storm sewer from the intersection of Greenwood & Oakdale Avenues south to Drexel, west to Grove, south to Ivy and west to the east diversion ditch. This project is anticipated to begin in August and be completed by November.

Sidewalk and Curb Improvements: Residential concrete sidewalk replacement work will be underway in June at various locations throughout the Village.

Union Pacific Railroad Crossing Improvements: The Union Pacific Railroad Company (UPRR) will be replacing the grade crossing at Harbor Street this summer. UPRR anticipates the crossing will be closed to vehicular traffic for 10 days from June 24 to July 3. Traffic will be detoured to South Avenue and Scott Avenue; however, the Green Bay Trail will remain open.

For additional information, please contact the Public Works Department at 847-835-4111. ■

Watering, Lawn Maintenance & Leaf Blower Restrictions Now in Effect

The Village has lawn watering restrictions in place during the summer months. Lawn watering restrictions are a required water conservation measure for compliance with Illinois Department of Natural Resources regulations. Please note that lawn watering is prohibited between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. from May 15 to September 15. Lawn watering is permitted outside of the restricted hours, on an every other day schedule - odd number street addresses on odd numbered calendar days and even number street addresses on even numbered calendar days. Residents with irrigation systems are encouraged to work with your maintenance contractor to set system timers appropriately.

The use of gasoline-powered leaf blowers is prohibited by Village Ordinance between May 15 and September 15. Lawn maintenance activities may be conducted Monday through Friday between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., and on Saturdays between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Commercial landscapers are prohibited from performing work on Sundays and holidays. ■

Tree Planting & Maintenance Programs

New Trees: Residents interested in purchasing a parkway tree through the Village's annual tree planting contract are asked to visit the Village website or stop by the Resident Services Counter at Village Hall for an application. The Village offers a large variety of tree species for planting on the parkway or private property.



Ash Tree Treatment: The Village has been treating some of its ash tree inventory with an insecticide treatment in an effort to protect healthy ash trees from emerald ash borer (EAB). The product used is Tree-age (active ingredient - emamectin benzoate), which is a systematic insecticide that is injected into the trunk. This year's contractor bid specification includes a provision to offer the Village's unit pricing to residents interested in treating their own private ash trees. Visit the Village website or contact the Village Forestry Supervisor at 847-835-4111 ext. 1146 for more information.

Public Works & Public Safety Open House



The Departments of Public Works and Public Safety will be hosting their Annual Open House on Saturday July 27 from 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. on Village Court. Children and adults will have the opportunity to meet departmental staff, learn more about Village operations and climb into various pieces of equipment during this interactive event. Enjoy free refreshments and souvenirs, and be sure to bring your camera! ■

Visit the Village Website for More News!

- Small Business Improvement Program Funds Available
- Historic Architectural Survey Now Complete
- Help Control Mosquitoes

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Coming Events:

Father's Day BBQ

Sunday, June 16 | 12:00 - 2:00 p.m.
Glencoe Beach

July 4th Celebration

Thursday, July 4 | 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
See Page 9 for Details!

Beach Volleyball Tournament

Saturday & Sunday, July 13 - 14
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Glencoe Beach

Sailfest

Saturday, July 20 | 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Glencoe Beach

Family Sand Sculpting Contest

Sunday, July 28 | 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
Glencoe Beach

Family Beach Campout

Friday, June 28 & August 2
Glencoe Beach

Passholder Appreciation Day

Monday, September 9 | 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Glencoe Beach



PARK BOARD PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

It is a great honor to be chosen as the President of the Glencoe Park District's Board of Commissioners and to be a part of group dedicated to providing recreational services to the Glencoe community.

This year marks the start of my fifth year with the Board. Over the last five years, we've opened the popular Takiff Center, unveiled a new website and online registration, added exciting new programs, and celebrated our centennial year.

I'm proud to lead our progressive park district forward, especially with the addition of two new commissioners to the group: Steve Gaines and Seth Palatnik. Both men join the Board with a wealth of experience and respect for the services we provide. My fellow commissioners, Hilary Lee, Andre Lerman, and I are looking forward to continuing the Glencoe Park District's tradition of excellence in recreation with Steve and Seth.

The development of a Master Plan will be the Board of Commissioner's focus over the next year. Throughout the process, we will be asking for your thoughts and opinions on a number of key issues. If you would like to be an active participant in the process, I encourage you to join the Watts or Beach/Lakefront advisory groups, attend a board meeting, or send us an email. Your ideas will be incorporated in our final plan, which will spell out our goals to develop and improve park and recreation services in the years to come.

Thank you, and have a wonderful summer! ■

Robert Kimble

President, Board of Park Commissioners
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Talent Needed!

"Glencoe's Got Talent" July 4th Talent Show

Can you or a member of your family: Sing? Dance? Play a musical instrument? Or do you have another talent you'd like to showcase? If so, be sure to sign up for the annual July 4th "Glencoe's Got Talent" contest. Contestants will perform on Village Court after the Parade. The event is free and open to the public. This is your chance to show your talent to your friends and neighbors. Don't miss it!

If you would like to participate, please complete an application available on the Park District or Village websites or call the Park District at 847-835-3030 / Village Hall 847-835-4111 for more information. ■



FROM THE PARK BENCH

As the weather warms up, there is no better time to enjoy a swim at Glencoe Beach, a movie on the Village Green, or a walk through your neighbourhood park. Our facilities and parks are bustling with activities for you to enjoy. Summer camps, sports leagues, and fitness classes are available for every interest. Visit our website to join.

Speaking of online, our new registration software RecTrac is now live. If you would like to register for a Park District program, you need to create a household account. Directions and details are available at www.glencoe park district.com. So far, we've received positive feedback about the new system. Of course, if you are having trouble registering, just give us a call!

Construction on Friends Park has started. The renovated playground, which is scheduled to be completed in late July, will include with a new boat play structure, a sand play area with a built-in digger, nine swings, and a large climbing structure. We are especially proud to introduce a number of ADA features to Friends Park. In addition to a handicap accessible swing and play surface, the park will feature a SwayFun, the first totally inclusive glider for kids and adults of all ages and all abilities. It features ample room for two wheelchair passengers, as well as bench seating accommodates lots of friends and family.

Throughout the planning process, we've received wonderful feedback from you. We used your ideas, comments, and feedback to plan the Friends Park renovation. If you would like to share additional comments, please contact me.

Lisa Sheppard, CPRP

Executive Director,
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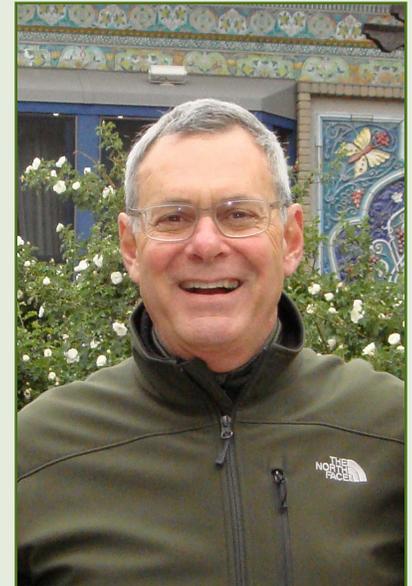
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Commissioner Steve Gaines

Steve Gaines has never lived more than one mile or two from Glencoe. Growing up on the North Shore, Steve moved to Glencoe with his family in 1987. With young kids, he quickly became involved volunteering at GJK preschool and coaching soccer, baseball, basketball, and hockey. He calls Watts his second home, and is responsible for resurrecting the ice rink's men's hockey league in 1990.

Steve strongly feels that in order to make an impact in the community where you live, you have to be involved. In his free time, he has volunteered with the Watts Advisory Group, the Glencoe Nominating Committee Caucus, Glencoe Youth Services, a Glencoe Sunday School, and worked for the Glencoe Public Schools.



Steve retired from the Chicago Board of Options Exchange and Midwest Stock Exchange to be a full time father to his son and daughter. He is now the owner of Green Oaks Therapy, LLC, where he coordinates staff of independent home care therapists for state licensed Home Health Agencies throughout northern Illinois. Steve has a bachelor's degree in business administration and marketing from the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana. As a new commissioner, Steve is looking forward to listening and learning from the community. ■

Commissioner Seth Palatnik

Swimming to the sandbar at Glencoe Beach. Playing broomball with his family at Watts. Watching the Fourth of July fireworks with family and friends. Those are just a few of Seth Palatnik's favorite memories.

As a ten-year Glencoe resident, Seth's family has grown up at the Glencoe Park District, attending Children's Circle, learning to skate at Watts, participating in summer camps, and learning to dance at the Takiff Center. With so many memories at the Park District, Seth is looking forward to joining the Board of Commissioners and continuing the "great tradition" of providing services to the Glencoe community.



Professionally, Seth is the lead Partner of FG MK's Transaction Advisory Services. He has over 25 years of experience providing advisory services for mergers & acquisitions, tax and financial reporting, litigation support and restructuring and bankruptcy. He has a bachelor's degree in accounting from the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana and a master's degree in finance and marketing from the University of Illinois at Chicago. In his free time, Seth serves on the Board of the Career Resource Center of Lake Forest, and is a member of the Watts and the Beach/Lakefront advisory groups. ■

Special Events

Father's Day BBQ

Celebrate dear old dad! We're firing up the grill at the beach in honor of fathers. Every father will receive a ticket for a free hot dog, hamburger, or pizza at the Glencoe Beach from 12:00-2:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 16. The event is free with the daily admission fee.

New! Beach Volleyball Tournament

Do you have the bump, set, and spike talents to be crowned Glencoe's Beach Volleyball Champion? You may not have Olympic teammates Kerri Walsh or Todd Rogers on your team, but grab your friends for our first co-ed Volleyball Tournament the weekend of July 13-14! At the end of the weekend, a trophy will be awarded to the championship team. Teams of 4-6 players should register as a team at www.glencoe parkdistrict.com; each participant will receive a tournament tank top with their registration fee.

Sailfest

What could be better than a day of sailing on Lake Michigan? Join us for a day of regattas and kayak excursions on Saturday, July 20. The youth regatta starts at 11:00 a.m. (for kids over 10 years old), while the adult regatta starts at noon. Kayak excursions will start at 3:00 p.m. All participants will receive a free t-shirt! Sailfest is free with the daily admission fee.



Sand Sculpting Contest

Bring your buckets and shovels for our annual sand sculpting contest on Sunday, July 28! The contest starts at 1:00 p.m., and prizes will be awarded at 3:00 p.m. for best castle, best animal, best sculpture, and most creative effort. The contest is free with paid beach admission and is open to as many members per team as desired in an immediate family.

Camp Under the Stars!

Spend the night at the Glencoe Beach, camping with your family. We'll BBQ hamburgers and hot dogs, roast marshmallows, and watch a movie after the sun sets. The camp outs will take place on June 28 and August 2; advance registration and payment is required. For more details or to register, visit www.glencoe parkdistrict.com.

Concerts on the Beach

Grab a blanket, pack a picnic, and bring the whole family for a rockin' night on the beach! Each concert starts at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday evenings at the Glencoe Beach.



Mr. Myers, June 16: Blending the tropical sounds of calypso and ska, the rhythm of reggae, and a little rock-n-roll with classic tunes, Mr. Myers creates a special Caribbean Rock that will get you dancing! Mr. Myers' unique combination of music may be difficult to define, but it never fails to entertain audiences everywhere, young and old!

Dueling Pianos, July 14: The one-of-a-kind entertainment experience that is Midwest Dueling Pianos will have you singing, cheering, dancing, and laughing so hard you will double over! The all request-driven show that spans generations and keeps everyone from a 90 year-old great-grandmother to a hyper 4 year-old entertained!

Flat Cats, August 4: The Flat Cats play a range of vintage and modern music rooted in the hottest swinging jazz and blues, contemporary classics, and timeless standards. Whether you choose to listen, tap your foot, or cut a rug on the dance floor, you are sure to be entertained!

Glencoe residents and guests receive FREE admission to the beach with proof of residency starting at 6:00 p.m. on concert dates. Non-residents pay a discounted beach admission rate of \$4/child and \$5/adult. In case of rain, call the Special Events Hotline at 847-835-7970 after 5:00 p.m. on the concert date.



Celebrate the 4th of July With Us!

Spend the day with your family and friends, celebrating Independence Day with the Glencoe community! Festivities start with the 2-mile Rotary Fun Run at the train station, followed by the Art Fair on the Village Green. Our traditional Morning Family Games at Kalk Park will feature old-fashioned favorites, including Crazy Water Cup Relay, Balloon Relay, Duck Splash, Egg Toss, Mummy Wrap, and Bozo Buckets. A tattoo station and dunk tank will be part of the fun!

After the games, gather your friends for the Village Parade. If you wish to join the parade, build a float or just line up in front of Central School at 1:45 p.m.! No pre-registration needed.

At 7:00 p.m., the band Spoken Four will kick off festivities at the beach. With a repertoire of songs from the 50s to today's Top 40, Spoken Four's vocalists and musicians have mastered every word, every nuance, every soaring note that lifts audiences to their feet and gets them dancing like there's no tomorrow. A spectacular fireworks show, set to our own patriotic soundtrack, ends the night!

For more information, visit www.glencoeParkDistrict.com. ■



Schedule of Events

- 8:00 a.m. | 2-Mile Rotary Fun Run (Starts at the Train Station)
- 10:00 a.m. | Art Fair on the Village Green
- 10:00 a.m. | Preschool and Family Games (Kalk Park)
- 2:00 p.m. | July 4th Village Parade
- 3:00 p.m. | "Glencoe's Got Talent" Talent Show (Wyman Green)
- 6:00 p.m. | Park and Ride to Glencoe Beach Starts at Village and Train Parking Lots
- 6:00 p.m. | Children's Entertainer Ken Schultz (Glencoe Beach)
- 6:30 p.m. | Beach BBQ Starts
- 7:00 p.m. | Musical Entertainment: Spoken Four (Glencoe Beach)
- 8:45 p.m. | Beach Entrance Closed
- 9:00 p.m. | Fireworks Start (Launched off-shore; Rain Date July 5)

Movies on the Green!

Enjoy a Friday night of cinema outdoors! This summer, bring your friends and family for a night of free movies on Wyman Green. Bring a blanket or low back chair and enjoy a family-friendly movie under the stars! Each movie starts at dusk and popcorn/snacks will be available for purchase. Movies in the Green is sponsored by the Glencoe Park District, Glencoe Chamber of Commerce, Glencoe Public Library, Glencoe Youth Services, and the Village of Glencoe.

**In case of rain, movies will be shown in Village Hall in the 2nd floor Council Chamber.*



June 7 | *Despicable Me*

When a criminal mastermind uses a trio of orphan girls as pawns for a grand scheme, he finds their love is profoundly changing him for the better.



July 12 | *The Lorax*

A 12-year-old boy searches for the one thing that will enable him to win the affection of the girl of his dreams. To find it he must discover the story of the Lorax, the grumpy yet charming creature who fights to protect his world.



August 9 | *Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory (1971)*

A poor boy wins the opportunity to tour the most eccentric and wonderful candy factory of all.



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Coming Events:

Board of Education Meeting

Monday, June 3 | 7:00 p.m.
Young Auditorium

8th Grade Graduation

Tuesday, June 4 | 7:00 p.m.
Misner Auditorium

Last Day of the School Year

Thursday, June 6

Summer School Begins

Monday, June 10 | 9:00 a.m.
West & South Schools

Summer School Ends

Wednesday, July 3
West & South Schools

District 35 Schools & Offices Closed

Thursday & Friday, July 4 - 5

Glencoe District



SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD MESSAGE

Once again this time of year brings change and transition to our School District. With that change comes the full range of emotions which we chose to direct toward thoughts of renewal and optimism. We congratulate three retiring educators, Janet Berkley, Susan Tarantur and Carol Wolfe and thank them for their many years and countless hours teaching and nurturing our children. The dedication and professionalism that they shared with our community are the underpinnings that help make District 35 a wonderful place for students and teachers alike. We wish each of them the happiness in retirement they so richly deserve.

As staff members change so do the students, and on June 4th we say farewell to 171 graduating eighth grade students. This is and will be our largest graduating class for some time. While it is bittersweet to watch these young men and women leave, we know they are ready for the next step in their educational journey. They will represent our School District and community in a most positive fashion.

As staff members and students transition, so do Board of Education members. We send a heartfelt thank you to Keith Stauber who for 5 selfless years contributed to the quality and stability of our Board and community, and we wish him well.

We would also like to welcome our newly elected Board member Julie Ackerman who began her four-year term on May 6, 2013. Congratulations to Julie and her family.

Last summer's maintenance and renovation projects at Central School changed the interior look of the building. This summer we move outside and begin our Geo-Thermal project, which will significantly upgrade the heating and cooling systems in Central School far into the future. While this project takes place, please know that we continue to seek solutions to address our cooling concerns at both South and West Schools.

As this school year comes to an end, we wish our families and school community an enjoyable summer to recharge for the new school year.

"People will forget what you said. People will forget what you did. But they will never forget how you made them feel." -- Maya Angelou ■

Sincerely,

Rob Bailey

Rob Bailey
Board of Education Member

Board of Education

At the May meeting of the Glencoe Board of Education, five newly elected members were seated and officers elected for the coming school year. Mrs. Nancy Shaw was seated for a two-year term and Mrs. Julie Ackerman, Mr. Robert Bailey, Mr. Eddie Chez, and Dr. Marc Glucksman seated for four-year terms. Mrs. Nancy Shaw will serve as the President of the Board and Mr. Gary Ruben as the Vice-President for 2013-2014 school year. ■

Board of Education Welcomes Mrs. Ackerman



The Board of Education welcomes Mrs. Julie Ackerman. Mrs. Ackerman and her family have been residents of Glencoe for 10 years. A former pharmaceutical company chemist, Mrs. Ackerman earned a law degree from Northwestern University and works part-time as a patent attorney specializing in patent litigation. Through her career and volunteer experiences she has developed legal and technical analytical expertise, as well as experience with negotiations and conflict resolution.

In identifying her desire to serve on the Board, Mrs. Ackerman stated, "Educating our children is one of the most important responsibilities that we have as parents and as a community." ■

Thank You Mr. Stauber



Since 2008, Mr. Keith Stauber has served as a member of the District 35 Board of Education. Throughout these five years he has been a contributing member of the Facilities and Finance Committees. We thank Mr. Stauber for his work on behalf of the students and families of Glencoe School District 35 and his service to the school community. ■

Summer Explorations at West School

Due to summer maintenance and renovation projects at Central School, the annual Summer Explorations program will once again be held at West and South Schools. Beginning Monday, June 10 and continuing through Wednesday, July 3 approximately 300 students will be attending summer school classes. The hours are 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Community members are asked to be mindful of the student foot and bicycle traffic on these dates and during these hours. Glencoe Public Safety will assist with dismissal at West School. ■

Mentor Program for District Teachers

Research has shown that teachers need more than a strong handle on their content and educational practice to succeed in a new school. To be successful, new teachers also need to feel welcome and supported in their school community. A team of teachers and administrators have reviewed the District Mentor Program, identified needs, and made revisions to our District 35 Mentoring Program. Over twenty teachers have attended training sessions to prepare for their role as a mentor in our schools. Teachers new to our school district participate in a two-year mentor match, and teachers who shift assignments within our schools are members of a one-year mentor match. Our work with mentors and mentees is instrumental in ensuring a successful year for students and staff. ■

Glencoe Receives NAMM Award

The NAMM Foundation recognized Glencoe School District 35 for its outstanding commitment to music education with a Best Communities for Music Education designation. Glencoe School District 35 joins 307 districts across the country to receive this distinction.



Best Communities for Music Education (BCME) recognizes school districts that have demonstrated exceptional efforts toward maintaining music education as part of the schools' core curriculum. Areas reviewed include funding, music class participation, instruction time, facilities, support for the music program and community music-making programs. Congratulations to our school community and the District Music Teachers: Angie Wilson, Sarah Porretta, Matt Pickett, Kristen Hanna, Erin Loescher, and Rachel Loos. ■

Move-In Days for a New School Year

While this school year is coming to a close, plans are shaping up for the start of a new school year. The annual Move-In Day for District 35 students is scheduled for Thursday, August 22. Move-In Day affords students the opportunity to stop by school and drop off supplies, find their new classroom, and locate their locker. Students moving to a new school (i.e., grades 3 and 5) will also have an opportunity to meet their teacher and the principal of their new school.

The Move-In Day schedule is as follows:

- South School: 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.
- West School Open House: 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.
- Central School 5th Grade Open House: 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Monday, August 26 is the first day of student attendance (full day) in grades 1 – 8. The first day of school for kindergarten is Friday, August 30. ■

Arbor Day Planting

Each year the Village of Glencoe recognizes Arbor Day by planting a tree at a District 35 school. Mr. Ferguson's first grade class assisted with this year's planting of a Schuettes Oak at South School. District 35 thanks Mr. John Houde, Building and Zoning Administrator for the Village of Glencoe, for his time and efforts to make this annual event possible for our students. ■



Board of Education Sets Future Meeting Dates

The Board of Education has set 2013-2014 meeting dates. Meetings are held in Young Auditorium at Central School and begin at 7:00 p.m. Meetings are open to the public and the agenda provides opportunities for public comments. Additional information such as agendas and approved minutes can be found on the School District web site: www.glencoeschools.org. ■

Upcoming meeting dates:

- Monday, June 3, 2013
- Monday, July 22, 2013
- Monday, September 9, 2013 (2nd Monday due to Labor Day)
- Monday, October 7, 2013
- Monday, November 4, 2013
- Monday, December 2, 2013
- Monday, January 6, 2014
- Monday, February 3, 2014
- Monday, March 3, 2014
- Monday, April 7, 2014
- Monday, May 5, 2014

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June

04.....	Historic Preservation.....	7:30 p.m.
17.....	Golf Advisory Committee.....	7:00 p.m.
19.....	Human Relations Forum.....	6:30 p.m.
20.....	Finance Committee.....	6:30 p.m.
20.....	Village Board.....	7:00 p.m.
26.....	Plan Commission.....	7:30 p.m.

July

01.....	Zoning Board of Appeals.....	7:30 p.m.
02.....	Historic Preservation.....	7:30 p.m.
15.....	Golf Advisory Committee.....	7:00 p.m.
17.....	Police Pension Fund.....	7:00 a.m.
17.....	Human Relations Forum.....	6:30 p.m.
18.....	Finance Committee.....	6:30 p.m.
18.....	Village Board.....	7:00 p.m.
24.....	Plan Commission.....	7:30 p.m.

August

05.....	Zoning Board of Appeals.....	7:30 p.m.
06.....	Historic Preservation.....	7:30 p.m.
15.....	Finance Committee.....	6:30 p.m.
15.....	Village Board.....	7:00 p.m.
19.....	Golf Advisory Committee.....	7:00 p.m.
21.....	Human Relations Forum.....	6:30 p.m.
28.....	Plan Commission.....	7:30 p.m.

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June

03.....	Board of Education Meeting.....	7:00 p.m.
04.....	8th Grade Graduation.....	7:00 p.m.
06.....	Last Day of School for Kindergarten - 7th Grades	
10.....	Summer School Begins.....	9:00 a.m.

July

03.....	Last Day of Summer School	
04-05.....	School District Closed - Independence Day	
22.....	Board of Education Meeting.....	7:00 p.m.

August

16.....	Class Lists Posted on Family Access	
21-23.....	Teacher Institute Days	
22.....	Move-In Day	
26.....	First Day of School for 1st - 8th Grades	
30.....	First Day of School for Kindergarten	

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June

07.....	Movies on the Green: <i>Despicable Me</i>	8:00 p.m.
16.....	Father's Day BBQ.....	12:00 p.m.
16.....	Concerts on the Beach: <i>Mr. Myers</i>	6:00 p.m.
18.....	Regular Park Board Meeting.....	7:30 p.m.
28-29.....	Family Beach Campout.....	6:00 p.m.

July

04.....	July 4th Festivities.....	8:00 a.m.
12.....	Movies on the Green: <i>The Lorax</i>	8:00 p.m.
13.....	Beach Volleyball Tournament.....	1:00 p.m.
14.....	Beach Volleyball Tournament.....	1:00 p.m.
14.....	Concerts on the Beach: <i>Dueling Pianos</i>	6:00 p.m.
16.....	Regular Park Board Meeting.....	7:30 p.m.
20.....	Sailfest.....	11:00 a.m.
28.....	Family Sand Sculpting Contest.....	1:00 p.m.

August

02-03.....	Family Beach Campout.....	6:00 p.m.
04.....	Concerts on the Beach: <i>Flat Cats</i>	6:00 p.m.
09.....	Movies on the Green: <i>Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory</i>	8:00 p.m.
20.....	Regular Park Board Meeting.....	7:30 p.m.



Please note that the listed dates and times are subject to change;
Check the respective websites for the most current information.

Did You Know...

...that Glencoe Beach could not be used for swimming until the discharge of sewage into the lake could be stopped? The Chicago Sanitary District accomplished this task in 1915 by reversing the flow of sewage. Soon after, the Park Board built a beach house, complete with showers, toilet facilities and other amenities. The present beach house was built in 1928 and can be seen in the background of this image of Glencoe Beach from the 1940's. ■



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