



# VILLAGE OF ANTIOCH NEWSLETTER COMMUNITY CALENDAR & TOWNSHIP NEWS JANUARY 2012

**Lawrence M. Hanson, Mayor**

The "Community Calendar" provides an opportunity to keep Village Residents informed by announcing Antioch meetings and events. To submit information, please send it by mail to 806 Holbek Dr., e-mail to [sroby@antioch.il.gov](mailto:sroby@antioch.il.gov) or by fax to 847-838-4328 and include your name and telephone number. Articles are due by the 15th of each month. Publication is subject to review by Village staff. Thank you. Phone: 847-838-4032. Contact: Shawn Roby

### Village Hall Hours

**Monday: 8:30 a.m.- 7:00 p.m.**

**Tuesday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.**

**Drop box slot available at the Village Hall after hours.**

### Parks & Recreation Hours

**Monday- Friday: 9 a.m.- 5 p.m.**

**Online Registration Available**

### VILLAGE NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

Just a reminder to all Village and Township residents. The Village Newsletter is published each and every month during the year. Twice a year in January and June, we mail a copy to each of our residents. There are a couple of methods to make sure you receive your copy each month.

1. Sign up for our email list and get a monthly reminder the newsletter is in with a link to download it.
2. Go the website and download it yourself
3. Go to Village Hall, Antioch Public Library District, Chamber of Commerce or Parks and Recreation and pick up a hard copy of the newsletter
4. If you do not have access to the internet or the ability to go to one of the pickup locations we will mail you a copy if you call Village Hall at 847-395-1000 and sign up. If you previously signed up for the Village newsletter you do not have to call to sign up again.

Please turn to page 6 of this newsletter for step-by-step instructions to sign up!

### From the Public Works Desk,

The Village of Antioch snow removal policy is as follows: After one inch of snow accumulates, please note that no parking is allowed on any Village street until snow removal has been completed. Also, no plowing, snow blowing, or shoveling of snow onto Village streets is permitted.

The Public Works Department would like to remind the residents who have their mailboxes on posts to check them. If the posts are in poor shape, residents are encouraged to replace them. Only those mailboxes that are physically hit by a plow will be replaced. Those instances where the force of the snow from a plow knocks over the mailbox due to a rotten post, an insufficiently sized post or those that are not installed properly will not be replaced. In order to avoid mailbox damage, please follow US Postal guidelines for the replacement of your mailbox.

We do receive complaints of snow being pushed in driveways during snowstorms, so we ask you to wait until the shoulders are pushed back before shoveling your driveways. Snow removal operations are adjusted as the storm dictates. Snow removal will continue until each roadway and street that the department is responsible for has been addressed. The department does not address roadways or streets based on calls to the department. Rather, the department clears roadways in the order of main streets first, side streets second, and dead-ends, cul-de-sacs and others last. The Public Works Department does not plow State or County roads.

Now is the time to inspect your vehicle in preparation for winter. An emergency kit with a blanket, first aid kit, snow brush, a bag of kitty litter, a cell phone charger, and a shovel are just some of the items that you may wish to have available.

### JANUARY NEWS

The Village of Antioch would like to wish everyone a happy, healthy and peaceful New Year! Thank you to everyone who participated in all the wonderful holiday activities the Village had to offer this year. The Christmas Parade and Tree Lighting Ceremony kicked off the Season with good old-fashioned charm. Our downtown was all decked out with beautiful lights and decorated merchant windows. The beautiful and talented voices of The Antioch Community High School Choir filled the air with lovely Christmas carols and our parade was bigger and better than ever! Thanks to all businesses and organizations who helped make this event possible. A huge thank you to Village staff from the Parks Dept., Fire Dept., Public Works Dept. and Police Dept. Thanks to the Chamber of Commerce for hosting Santa all month and for all the Holiday activities throughout December. Thank you to the Antioch Woman's Club for assisting at Santa's castle and to Santa himself for coming in to town each day to help bring cheer to all of our residents.



## ANTIOCH PARKS & RECREATION

2012 Daddy Daughter Date Night will be held on February 4th at Antioch Upper Grade School from 6 – 8 p.m. Tickets are on sale and will be sold through February 4<sup>th</sup> or until sold out. We only sell 700 tickets and they go fast, so get them early. They make a great stocking stuffer! Tickets are not sold at the door. This year's "Sock Hop" will give the girls the 50's feeling! Cost is \$10 per person. Ticket price includes: DJ dancing, a trip to our ice cream sundae bar and beverages. This year, each girl will receive a photo with Dad with a keepsake photo frame.

On February 6, 2012 the tickets will go on sale for the Annual Mother Son Bowling Night on Sunday, March 25, 2012 from 4-6 p.m. at Antioch Bowling Lanes. Ticket price includes meal, picture, and drawing prizes. There is only 160 tickets at \$10 a piece. For more information please contact Antioch Parks and Recreation at 847-395-2160.

Please check the programs page of this newsletter to see all the upcoming programs for January and February. Please register at least one week before the state date to avoid cancellation of class. You may register at the Parks Office at 806 Holbek Dr., online at [www.antioch.il.gov](http://www.antioch.il.gov) or by mailing your registration to the Parks Office at the above address with your check. We do accept payment by major credit cards also.

Antioch Parks and Recreation will be taking applications for summer staff beginning on January 11th. A limited number of openings will be available for lifeguards, cashiers and Day Camp counselors. You must be 16 years old by June 1st to apply. You may pick up an application and job description at the Parks Office at 806 Holbek Dr.

Registration is ongoing for winter programs. Check out the program page of this newsletter to see a few of the new programs being offered for children ages 2-12yrs. Stop by the Parks Office to pick up a copy of the current program guide which provides more detailed information on these new programs and much more.

**Partycakes Partycakes-** Grab your friends and head over to the Parks Building to decorate cupcakes using a variety of techniques and ingredients. A snowman and Skihill are sure to be a hit!

## ANTIOCH SENIOR CENTER NEWS

Free Health Screenings for all Ages– January 9th from 10-12:30 p.m. at the Senior Center. Things that will be checked will be blood pressure, blood sugar, diabetes, cholesterol, body mass index, osteoporosis. No need for appointments, just come in. Screenings done by the Rosalind Franklin University Health System.

### Other programs and services at Senior Center:

Luncheon Every Mon/ Wed/ Fri, Bingo, Dances with Live Music, Pinochle, Theme Parties, Bridge, Line Dancing Instruction, Cribbage, Sing-A-Long Choral Group, Exercise Class, Health Screenings, Toe Nail Clinic, Bridge and Pinochle Lessons, AARP Meetings, Social Service Information & Referrals, Trips, Writers Club, Lending Library & Lending Medical Equipment.

If you have any interest in any of these or the additional programs available at the Antioch Senior Center please call Paul at 847-395-0139.

## SNOW REMOVAL ORDINANCE

- Persons Required to Remove Snow. The owners, occupants, or lessees of lots which abut a public sidewalk are required to clear snow after two inches has accumulated. Additionally, the owner is required to clear off accumulations of ice, sleet, or freezing rain. The responsible person is required to maintain the sidewalk in a reasonably clear condition.

- Area required to be cleared. The responsible person is required to clear the lesser of 72 inches or the full width of the sidewalk. Additionally, owners most closely abutting sidewalk ramps are required to clear the ramps.

- Timing. Clearance should occur within 24 hours after the cessation of an event that deposits at least two inches of snow.

## AT HOME ELECTRONICS RECYCLING PICK-UP PROGRAM AVAILABLE TO VILLAGE OF ANTIOCH RESIDENTS

The Village of Antioch, Waste Management and SWALCO (Solid Waste Agency of Lake County) all support and encourage recycling materials rather than disposing of them in the trash whenever possible. To assist Village of Antioch residents with this effort, Waste Management and SWALCO have partnered with the Village to develop and offer a "pilot" At Home Pick-Up Program for various broken or unwanted home electronics. This service is a convenient option for residents that would prefer to have their electronic equipment picked-up from their front steps rather than having to drive to a drop-off location.

Any Village of Antioch resident who has front door access can call Waste Management at 1-800-796-9696 to arrange for a pick-up. The program is available only to village residents with single-family homes that have direct front door access.

Residents are required to pay \$25 directly to Waste Management and may set out up to five items per pick-up. Only one TV will be allowed per pick up and additional fees will be required for each additional TV. Small electronics (cell phones, calculators, etc.) and peripheral items (mice, cords, keyboards, etc.) can be placed in a box no larger than 2' x 2' and will count as one item.

When: During Regular waste/recycling pick-up date, the week of February 6, 2012. (February 6-10)

2nd and pick-up must be prepaid prior to service. All items must be placed at top of driveway by 7 am, day of service.

Accepted Items Include: TV's, Computers/Accessories, Monitors, Keyboards, Scanners, Printers, Cellular Phones, Stereos, Portable Music Players (MP3s), Alkaline and Rechargeable Batteries\*, Holiday Lights, CD Players, DVD Players, VCR's, Cameras, Video Games, Telephones, Fax Machines, Shredders, Microwaves and Small Household Appliances.

For more information about the At Home Pick-Up Program contact Waste Management at 1-800-796-9696. To find out more about recycling in Lake County, electronics recycling, upcoming events, programs and more visit [www.swalco.org](http://www.swalco.org).

## THE FIRE DEPT NEEDS YOUR HELP!

The Fire department wants to remind everyone that Snow-covered fire hydrants, blocked access routes, and covered address markings will slow down not only the department's response, but also our ability to provide the necessary emergency service. There is something that you can do to help.

Everyone in the community, residents, business owners, and snow removal crews can assist the Fire Department by clearing away the fire hydrants, and keeping an area approx. four feet around the hydrant clear. Furthermore, when possible, keep the sidewalks, driveways, and entrances to a business or residence clear. The snow removal companies can help by making sure they are not placing the plowed snow in any of the above-mentioned area, which would create the hazards we are trying to avoid. Last year due to many snowstorms combined with little or no snow melting we had a situation where the snow on the ground has passed the height of a hydrant.

In this situation, the clearing of hydrants becomes crucial; and by taking the extra effort, we may all be preventing a tragedy.

The fire department wants to remind everyone that shoveling snow can be a very labor-intensive process, and anyone who may doubt his or her physical condition should take it slow and get someone to help you.

Anyone needing further information is asked to please call the Fire Department at 847-395-5511.

## HANDHELD CELL PHONE USE PROHIBITED WHILE DRIVING IN ANTIOCH

On June 20, 2011, The Village of Antioch approved an Ordinance regulating the use of cell phones while driving. Operating communication devices while driving are proven to present a safety hazard. In the interest of public safety, the Village has taken this proactive step. The ordinance provides that no person shall operate a motor vehicle while using a mobile telephone except while using a hands-free device, or while maintaining the vehicle in a stationary and parked position with the transmission in park or neutral, and except when using the mobile telephone to call 911 or other emergency agencies in order to contact public safety forces.

## ILLINOIS ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS RECYCLING AND REUSE ACT LANDFILL BAN GOES INTO EFFECT

Beginning January 1, 2012, the Illinois Electronic Products Recycling and Reuse Act landfill ban for certain electronic devices will take effect. Televisions, Monitors, Printers, Computers (including tablet computers), Electronic Keyboards, Facsimile Machines, Videocassette Recorders, Portable Digital Music Players, Digital Video Disc Players, Video Game Consoles, Small Scale Servers, Scanners, Electronic Mice, Digital Converter Boxes, Cable Receivers, Satellite Receivers, Digital Video Disc Recorders will no longer be allowed in the regular trash. Bring these items to a SWALCO Electronics Collection, or, if your equipment is in good condition you may want to consider donating to a charitable organization.

For more information on recycling, sustainability or SWALCO events and programs, visit [www.swalco.org](http://www.swalco.org) or contact the agency at 847-336-9340.

## WINTER WINE WALK

The Village of Antioch will be sponsoring a Winter Wine Walk on Saturday, January 21, 2012 from 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Downtown area. This is a wine tasting event in which participants will travel to various locations around the downtown area to taste between 40-45 wines. The cost of this event will be \$40.00 per person and everyone must be 21 or older with valid identification to participate. With your participation fee you will get a wine glass and a bottle of wine. Registration will begin on Wednesday December 7, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the Parks and Recreation Building (806 Holbek Dr) or you can register online by visiting the link below. There is a limited amount of tickets so get your tickets today. For more information please contact Shawn Roby at 847-838-4032.



## COMMUNITY SERVICES & EVENTS AYLL BASEBALL/SOFTBALL REGISTRATION

AYLL - Antioch Baseball and Softball has been serving our community for 58 years and counting. We are a non-profit organization serving boys and girls ages 5 and up living in Lake County, Southern Wisconsin and neighboring communities. Our mission is to provide a safe, developmental, fun, appropriately competitive and rewarding experience where our players learn the values of good sportsmanship, teamwork and athleticism. **AYLL - Antioch Baseball and Softball** is supported by our valued sponsors, a board of directors comprised of dedicated volunteers and the families of over 500 registered players.

Our registration for the Spring 2012 season is now open online. Please visit our website at [www.ayll.com](http://www.ayll.com) for more information, as well as a link to our registration program. If you prefer to register in person, our walk in registration dates are Wednesday, January 11<sup>th</sup> 2012 from 6-9pm, and Saturday, January 14<sup>th</sup> 2012 from 9am-12pm. Both sessions will be held at Antioch Community High School.

## HEAVY RAIN, HIGH WINDS, BLIZZARD CONDITIONS.... ARE YOU PREPARED?

### CAN YOU ASSIST YOUR COMMUNITY? JOIN CERT - COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM



CERT is about readiness, people helping people, rescuer safety, and doing the greatest good for the greatest number. CERT is a positive and realistic approach to emergency and disaster situations where citizens will be initially on their own and their actions can make a difference.

#### The Community

Emergency Response Team (CERT) program helps train people to be better prepared to respond to emergency situations in their communities. When emergencies happen, CERT members can give critical support to first responders, provide immediate assistance to victims, and organize spontaneous volunteers at a disaster site. CERT members can also help with non-emergency projects that help improve the safety of the community.

Through training, citizens can manage utilities and put out small fires; treat the three killers by opening airways, controlling bleeding, and treating for shock; provide basic medical aid; search for and rescue victims safely; and organize themselves and spontaneous volunteers to be effective.

Learn more by visiting the [CERT](http://www.antioch.il.gov/emergmgmt.htm) homepage.

This training covers basic skills that are important to know in a disaster when emergency services are not available. With training and practice and by working as a team, you will be able to do the greatest good for the greatest number of victims after a disaster, while protecting yourself from becoming a victim.

Classes will be taught by trained emergency personnel, including firefighters and Emergency Medical Services (EMS) personnel. The program consists of 20 hours of training and emphasizes hands-on practice.

For more information about the Course: Please go to the Village Emergency Management website at <http://www.antioch.il.gov/emergmgmt.htm>

## YOUNG ARTISTS' RECEPTION AT ANTIOCH FINE ARTS GALLERY

The Antioch Fine Arts Gallery will be hosting a young artists' reception on January 14, from 1:00-5:00 p.m. The gallery is located at 983 Main Street in Antioch. Diane Bates' students having been working hard on their artwork focusing on animals. They intend to donate a percentage of their profits to Save-A-Pet and a scholarship fund for children unable to afford art classes. Please come and enjoy the snacks and the art of these talented young artists.

## DONATIONS NEEDED FOR OUTDOOR CLASSROOM AT HILLCREST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

A committee spearheaded by the Hillcrest Elementary School PTO is calling for donations to support a proposed "Outdoor Classroom" for the young children in our community. An ambitious, multi-year project, the Outdoor Classroom will ultimately include gardens, trails, and learning centers spread throughout the Hillcrest campus. This "living laboratory" will allow students to be connected with the environment and enjoy a hands-on, multisensory learning experience with activities that span the curriculum. The Hillcrest PTO welcomes donations of time, funds and supplies for this exciting project, the first phase of which includes a school garden and weather station. Donations may be tax deductible. To learn more, please send an email to [hillcrestoutdoorclassroom@yahoo.com](mailto:hillcrestoutdoorclassroom@yahoo.com).

## OPEN ARMS MISSION THANKS EVERYONE

The volunteers at Open Arms Mission Food Pantry want to offer many thanks to our local community for their support throughout 2011. The food pantry distributed Thanksgiving and Christmas meal boxes to 530 families before each holiday this year. The adopt-a-family program provided gifts to 638 children.

With the help of many individuals, businesses, organizations, clubs and churches OAM Food Pantry, 1548 S. Main St., helped more than 13,000 families in 2011, providing weekly food, meat and fresh milk to Antioch, Lake Villa and Lindenhurst families in need.

"Donations have made it possible to ensure that our seniors, disabled, single mothers with children, families and individuals know there will be food to eat every week, allowing them to focus on paying their bills and other necessities," said Executive Director Marytherese Ambacher. "We anticipate a busy 2012 and we only expect to see the numbers of people in need continue to rise. We rely on our generous community to provide continued support."

For more information about the food pantry please visit [www.openarmsmission.org](http://www.openarmsmission.org). Tax deductible donations may be made on-line or by sending a donation to OAM Food Pantry, PO Box 79, Antioch, IL 60002.

## THE VILLAGE OF ANTIOCH THANKS TWO ANTIOCH RESIDENTS

On Saturday, December 3, 2011 the Village of Antioch Mayor Lawrence M. Hanson presented historian Steve Young and Artist/Author Dennis Downes with Mayoral Proclamations. The proclamations took place at Mr. Downes's book signing hosted by the Lakes Region Historical Society, in conjunction with the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation, on December 3, 2011 at the School House Museum, in Antioch.

Mr. Young is the Potawatomi leading historical expert of the region. His work with the Native American Tribe has earned him the given tribal name of "Knonozo" from the Potawatomi officials. Steve Young has verified artist/author Dennis Downes' research on the trail marker trees within Lake and Cook Counties.

Mr. Downes is a renowned artist and author from the community who for the better part of 30 years has been working on Native American culture, symbols, history and various art projects around the country. Mr. Downes has participated in over 100 solo, juried, public and private shows in the United States, Canada, and the United Kingdom. His painting and sculptures are on display at museums, public libraries, historical societies, and national landmarks. He has had numerous awards and recognitions for his work over the years. His work has been featured on many local and regional TV stations. His book "Native American Trail Marker Trees, Marking Paths through the Wilderness" is the culmination of those many years of research and travel around the country. His efforts have been recognized by such TV personalities as ABC 7 Television's Janet Davies who is the author of the foreword of his book.

Village Mayor Lawrence Hanson said "Dennis and Steve are great assets to this community. Their efforts prove true dedication to their passions. We are lucky to have them and this is one way to show our appreciation". The next book signing will be held at the Antioch Public Library on January 29<sup>th</sup> from 1-5 p.m., both Dennis Downes and Steve Young will be present for the entire event.

## FREE CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Caregivers Support Group, free to all family, neighbors or friends caring for a senior...held at the Antioch Senior Center (817 Holbek Drive) every first and third Thursday, from 2:00 - 3:30pm in the back room...call Nancy Wohlrahe, LCSW, Lake County Counseling for Seniors, (847) 903-5604 for information.

## EARLY START PROGRAM

Antioch School District #34 provides developmental screenings for children ages 4 months to 3 years. To schedule an appointment please call 847-838-8032.

## ANTIOCH PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

The Antioch Public Library District offers programs for Children, Teens, Tweens and Adults. If you are interested in any of these programs please log onto: [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info) or call 847-395-0874.

### Library Closures

The library will also close all day Saturday, December 31 and Sunday, January 1, 2012 in observation of New Years. Doors will reopen again on Monday, January 2 at 9:00 a.m.

### Board Meeting

The Antioch Library Board of Trustees meets the last Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. The next meeting will be on January 31. For additional information, call 847-395-0874

### Programs

**Learn to Download E-Books from the library** – E-Reader Coaching will be offered twice a week during the month of January to assist those with electronic devices on how to use the library's e-resources to download books. E-Reader owners can bring their compatible devices to the library (including Amazon Kindle) and receive assistance downloading library e-books for free using OverDrive software available on the library website, [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info). No Registration is required. Walk-in Assistance will be offered on Monday, January 2, 16, 23 & 30 at 6:30 p.m. and on Wednesday, January 14, 11, 18, & 25 at 10:00 a.m.

**Hidden Harry Potter** – Tuesday, January 17 at 7:00 p.m. – Join Steven Frenzel as he takes you on a journey through all of the Harry Potter movies, pointing out things you may have missed. This program is recommended for ages 10 through adult. Registration for this free program is required. Go online at [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info) or call 847-395-0874 ext. 230 to sign-up.

**Dennis Downes Native American Trail Marker Trees** – Sunday, January 29 at 2:00 p.m. – World renowned artist, author and Antioch resident Dennis Downes will be signing copies of his book Native American Trail Marker Trees: Marking Paths Through the Wilderness recently published by Chicago's Books Press. Copies will be available for purchase at the event. Call or go online to pre-register for this event. [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info) or 847-395-0874 ext. 230

**RAD Self-Defense Class** – Conducted by officers of the Antioch Police Department – January 12 & 14: The Rape Aggression Defense System is a program of realistic self-defense tactics and techniques for women. The R.A.D. System is a comprehensive, women-only course that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction, and risk avoidance, while progressing on to the basics of hands-on defense training. R.A.D. is not a Martial Arts program. This is a free two-day class and participants must be at least 16 years old to participate. Pre-registration is required; no walk-ins. Call or go online to sign-up at 847-395-0874 ext. 230 or [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info).

## FIBROMYALGIA, CHRONIC FATIGUE, LUPUS, CHRONIC PAIN-SUPPORT GROUP

Fibromyalgia, chronic fatigue, lupus, chronic pain – support group - holds monthly meetings the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month at 884 main street in Antioch, from 10:00-12:00. There is no charge to attend and feel free to bring a friend or family member. Any questions, contact Shari Ferbert at [info@after.org](mailto:info@after.org) (preferred) or call 847-362-7807.

## ANTIOCH WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

The Antioch Woman's Club meets on the second Wednesday of the month at Faith Evangelical Church, corner of Rt. 59 and Grass Lake Rd., Antioch, IL. Entrance on Grass Lake Rd. at 1:00 PM. Our next meeting is Wednesday, January 11, 2012. The program for this meeting features us and our artwork. We hope you can join us. For more information about the Antioch Woman's Club please contact Audrey Lyle at 847-395-5590 or visit our website at <http://antioch.gfwcillinois.org/>.

Antioch Woman's Club is proud to be part of the General Federation of Women's Clubs which is one of the world's largest and oldest volunteer community service organizations with more than 100,000 members worldwide. Founded in 1890, the G.F.W.C. is headquartered in Washington, D.C.

## COMMUNITY TELECARE

If you live alone or are a shut-in, you might like a daily check up call from Community Telecare. This service is free and is staffed by volunteers. If you or someone you know would like to use this service, please contact Carol at 847-395-2240 or Bev at 847-395-0897.

## A.A.R.P. CHAPTER # 387 MEETINGS

Seniors, are you tired of sitting at home. Want to get out of the house and feel young again? AARP Chapter #387 is for you then. We meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month, at the Antioch Senior Center 817 Holbek Drive (behind the fire station on Orchard Street). Check us out, we would love to have you join us for early noon refreshments. Oops, nearly forgot, we also want you men to join us. You're more than welcome. We're still young AARP seniors enjoying ourselves. For more information please call – Sharon at 847-395-5068, or Ceil at 847-395-5604.

## ADOPT-A-PACKAGE

Please help send care packages from our Homes to our Heroes overseas. The Ladies Auxiliary VFW Post 4551 is collecting needed items and monetary contributions to help offset the postage costs. Many of the items that are needed are: Instant drink mixes, Granola Bars, Sunscreen (non-aerosol), Protein bars, Nuts, hard candy, snacks items, chap-stick, Beef jerky, personal toiletries items, just to name a few (please remember that certain products cannot be sent: Pork products, alcohol or other flammable items, aerosol cans & glass containers).

If you would like to make a donation of any items or monetary donation, please send to Antioch VFW Post 4551, Attn: Ladies Auxiliary, 75 North Ave, Antioch, IL 60002 or stop by Mon, Wed or Fri from 9:00am-12:00pm, Tuesday 4:30pm-9:30pm (open for Bingo). For more information, please contact Barb Gray or Lourdes Swanson @ 847-395-5393 or email at [adop-tapgk.vfw@comcast.net](mailto:adop-tapgk.vfw@comcast.net).

## CHURCH EVENTS & ACTIVITIES DIVORCE CARE SUPPORT GROUP



Faith Lutheran Church will be hosting a monthly Divorce Care Support Group beginning January 16. This special weekly seminar and support group is for people who are separated or divorced. It's a place where you can be around people who understand what you are feeling, and where you can hear valuable information about ways to heal from the hurt of divorce. The group will meet every Monday from 6:30 PM to 8 PM in the chapel at Faith Lutheran Church located at 24300 Grass Lake Road in Antioch. Write [divorcecare@faithantioch.org](mailto:divorcecare@faithantioch.org) for questions or more information, or call Debra at 262-705-6828.

During the pain of a separation or divorce we often feel lost and confused. Come and hear from the experts, gain the support of those who are struggling through the same pain and see how God can hold us up through the power of his Word.

## CROP 'TIL YOU DROP WITH THE ST. PETER'S SCRAPPERS

Join the St. Peter's Scrappers on Saturday, January 7, 2012 from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm for 12 hours of scrapbooking fun! Location is St. Peter School Gym. Cost is \$20 per person. Lunch and dinner is included in the registration fee. Goodie bag and door prizes! A Stampin' Up vendor will be on site and will have supplies available to purchase. A Certified Massage Therapist will be on hand for chair massages at a cost of \$10 for a 10 minute massage. Please bring a snack / appetizer OR dessert to share and don't forget to bring your scrapbook, pictures and accessories. For more information or to have a registration form emailed to you, contact Mary Leonard at 847-395-0246 or via email at [stpetere@gmail.com](mailto:stpetere@gmail.com). Space is limited - Invite your friends and reserve your spot now! If space is available on the day of the event, registration will be accepted at the door on a first come, first serve basis.

## MOM'S CAFÉ- CARING ACCEPTING FELLOWSHIP ENCOURAGING

Need a break? You're not alone! All moms are invited! Come and meet other moms who speak your language! Join us for coffee, breakfast, conversation, crafts, and inspirational speakers on relevant topics. At least one adult and one teen per nursery will care for your children.

We meet the second Friday of the month, September through May, from 9:30 – 11:30 at CrossView Church on the corner of Tiffany & Highview in Antioch. The cost is \$5 for you, \$2 for your first child, and \$1 for every child thereafter. We're looking forward to meeting you!

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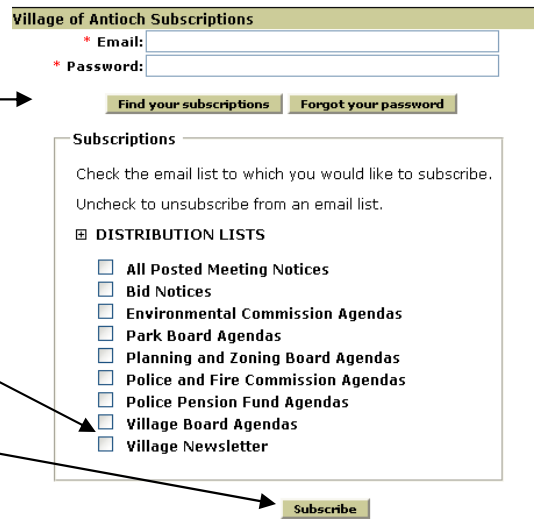
In 2009 the Village of Antioch changed the format of how the monthly newsletter was distributed to the general public. Twice a year we distribute a physical copy to every household in Antioch and the other 10 months are sent digitally. There are two ways to receive your copy digitally. First visit the Village website at <http://www.antioch.il.gov> and click on the newsletter tab along the top. This will allow you to download a pdf version of the newsletter. The second option is to sign up for the email list by following the directions below. At which time a link will be sent to you monthly when the newsletter is ready. For those who do not have email or internet access please follow the directions at the bottom of this insert.

1. Go to [www.antioch.il.gov](http://www.antioch.il.gov). Once there you will be looking at the Village of Antioch main webpage!

2. Locate the word "Newsletter" across the top. Put your cursor over it. It should look like this. Click "Sign up to Receive the Newsletter".



3. At this point you will be looking at a subscription sign-up that looks like this.



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For those residents who don't use email or the internet, you may pick up a copy of the newsletter at one of these locations: Village Hall, Chamber of Commerce, Antioch Public Library District, Antioch Senior Center and Antioch Parks and Recreation.

To our residents who cannot get to one of these locations we ask that you call 847-395-1000 and register for our mailing list to continue receiving your monthly newsletter through the mail. Please do not call if you are already on the list!

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# TOWNSHIP NEWS– JANUARY 2012

## From the Desk of the Antioch Township Supervisor

As I sit at my desk a few days before Christmas we are enjoying very un Christmas like weather. I'm sure that this will change. Please be prepared for the bad weather to come. Make sure you have enough food, bottled water, flashlights and warm clothing to last through a winter event. Keep an eye on elderly and health challenged neighbors during the snow and severe cold events.

During the past few years Antioch Township has installed four weather/civil defense sirens to serve the township area. In order to provide more emergency service to township residents and in cooperation with the First Fire Protection District of Antioch we are establishing a township public emergency office at Fire Station 3 on Grass Lake Road. We will be establishing a weather station and emergency management capabilities staffed by knowledgeable

volunteers headed by Bob Wonderling who is employed by the Illinois Emergency Management Agency and has vast emergency management experience along with being a meteorologist. We are presently installing computer equipment along with a communications tower at the station. Plans for the future include more sirens and educational opportunities for our citizens.

In the spring we will be completing Phase Two of the Tim Osmond Sports complex in cooperation with the Village of Antioch. Many thanks for the cooperation and patience of all of our sports teams and citizens in this three year phase. We appreciate the assistance of the Illinois Department of Natural Resources and the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity for grant funding and the untiring support of State Representative JoAnn Osmond in this wonderful park.

**Steve Smouse**  
Antioch Township Supervisor

## From the Desk of the Antioch Township Assessor

Antioch Township Assessor's Office is available Monday thru Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to assist Antioch Township Residents with their exemption forms.

This includes:

- Senior Citizens Tax Freeze Homestead Exemption
- Senior Homestead Exemption
- Disabled Persons' Homestead Exemption
- Disabled Veterans' Standard Homestead Exemption
- Returning Veterans' Homestead Exemption

If you have any questions, please contact my office.

**Heather Kufalk-Marotta, C.I.A.O./I**  
Antioch Township Assessor  
1625 Deep Lake Road Ste. B  
Lake Villa, IL 60046  
847-395-1545

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS TOWNSHIP PROGRAMS

### **Super Senior Day**

January 27, 2012

Super Senior Day will include the Rules of the Road Review course, vision screening and a variety of services from the Mobile Drivers Facility.

- The Rules of the Road Class is from 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
- Vision Screening 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Pre-Registration is required for the Rules of the Road class. Please call 847-395-3378

### **2012-2013 Township Vehicle Stickers**

Township vehicle stickers are complimentary to Village and Township residents. They can be picked up at the Antioch Township Office, Monday thru Friday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

### **Purplicious Party**

Thursday, January 26 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Ages 4-7  
Join Miss Debbie and Miss Laura at the Township for a perfectly purple party! We will enjoy snacks, read a book and create a purple craft.

### **Valentine Cookie Decorating**

Monday, February 13 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Ages 4-6  
Decorate Valentine cookies and enjoy listening to Valentine Day books.

Senior Committee: Trustees - Judy Davis & Anita Dyer  
Seniors: Sharon Nowak & Bernice Cardis

**Antioch Township  
Schedule of Senior Events  
February – June 2012**

**RESERVATION FORM**

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**Thursday, February 23rd**

11:30 a.m. - \$15.00 per person  
Another great presentation by  
Diana Dretske from LCFPD

**Luncheon & Entertainment**

**Antioch Township Building**

**What's in a Name?**

This presentation delves into the origins of Lake  
County place names in terms of the people and events  
that influenced them.

**Thursday, March 22nd**

\$50.00 per person  
50 reservations available  
( Bus leaves at 10: 00 )

**Kickin' Back with the Rat Pack 2**

**Apple Holler, Sturtevant, WI**

This fun, exciting and nostalgic show is filled with  
song, dance & comedy that Dino himself would  
be proud of.

**Lunch will be served.**

**Thursday, April 19th**

\$55.00 per person  
50 reservations available  
(Bus leaves at 9:45)

**An Evening with Groucho**

**The Metropolis Center, Arlington Heights, IL**

Called "nothing short of masterful"(ChicagoTribune)  
A fast paced comedy filled with stories & one-liners,  
peppered with unforgettable songs. **Lunch before  
the show at a nearby restaurant is included.**

**Thursday, May 17th**

11:30 a.m. - \$15.00 per person  
A nostalgia program by  
Larry Bergnach

**Luncheon & Entertainment**

**Antioch Township Building**

**Reminiscing with Larry**

Riverview, Old time Radio & Big Name Bands

**Tuesday, June 19th**

11:30 a.m. - \$5.00 per person  
**Hamburger or Brat**  
**Please circle one**

**Senior Picnic – Entertainment & Bingo**

**Antioch Township Building**

Entertainment by: Fran

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(Please note Antioch Township Residents will have first availability)

Non-residents can be placed on a waiting list for trip events. **Non-resident additional fee for bus trips \$5.00**

Total amount of Payment \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to: **Antioch Township** - Address: 1625 Deep Lake Rd, Lake Villa IL. 60046  
Attn: Anita Dyer

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_

Please send sheet back with events checked you plan on attending. Thank You  
To check availability of an event, call Township at **847-395-3378**



## Village of Antioch Parks & Recreation

### Daddy Daughter Date Night

The Village of Antioch Parks & Recreation Department will hold it's very poplar, Daddy Daughter Dance on Saturday February 4, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm

At the Antioch Upper Grade School. Doors will not open until 5:45 pm.

This Sock Hop affair is for dads and daughters of all ages! Each couple or group will receive a keepsake photograph, an ice cream sundae and each girl will receive a gift.

Substitute Daddies are always welcome!

#### Cost

\$10.00 Per Person

Tickets on sale at the Parks Office: 806 Holbek Drive.

**TICKETS WILL NOT BE SOLD AT THE DOOR!**

For more information call 847-395-2160



# Mother-Son Cosmic Bowling Night

Tickets go on sale Monday  
February 6, 2012 at 9:00 am

Sunday March 25, 2011

4:00 - 6:00 pm

Hot dog, chips, soda and memorable photo included

Hosted by: The Antioch Parks &  
Recreation Department  
Tickets Still Only  
\$10.00 Each

Antioch Bowling Lanes



# Antioch Parks & Recreation Classes

Please call the Parks Office for more information on the classes listed below or stop by the Parks office at 806 Holbek Drive for a detailed brochure or available online at [www.antioch.il.gov](http://www.antioch.il.gov) - click on departments, then select Parks, click on "Online Registration Here"

847-395-2160

## 5 Star Sports

T-Ball 3-4, 4-6, 6-9 yr old 1/20-2/14  
 Flag Football 5-7, 7-10 yr old 1/9 -2/12  
 Iceless Hockey 4-6, 7-10 yr old 1/12-2/23  
 Basketball 3-4, 4-6,7-10 yr old 1/11-2/15  
 Indoor Soccer League 4-7 yr 1/20-3/16

## American Stars of Dance

Parent & Tot 18 mths-3yr 1/12-2/16  
 Boogie Kids 2-3 yr old 1/12-2/16  
 Tap, Ballet, Tumbling 4-6 yr old 1/12-2/16  
 Ballroom Dancing 1/10-2/14  
 Hip Hop 9 yr & Up 1/12-2/16

## Triple Threat Dance Studio

Mom & Tot 16 mth - 3yr 1/18-2/25  
 Preschool Tap & Ballet 1/23-2/27  
 Teen Hip Hop 12 & Up 1/19-2/23  
 Teen Jazz 12 & Up 1/19-2/23  
 Tap, Jazz & Ballet 4-6 yr 1/23-2/27

## Gymnastic Zone

Play & Learn Parent & Tot 1/7-1/28  
 Tumberbear 4 3-4 yr old 1/7-1/28  
 Kinder Bear 5 yr old 1/3-1/24  
 Level 1 Girl 6 yr & Up 1/4-1/25  
 Level 1 Boys 6 yr & Up 1/3-1/24  
 Beginning Tumbling 6 & Up 1/3-1/24

## Windance Acres

### Horse Riding Lessons

803 Cedar Lake Road  
 Lake Villa  
 Winter II 4:00 pm - 1/11 - 2/1  
 Winter III 4:00 pm - 2/8 - 2/29

## Zumba Class

Tuesday, Thursday 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
 Saturday 10:00 - 11:00 am  
 \$5.00 Drop in fee  
 8 Punch Pass - \$32.00  
 16 Punch Pass \$48.00  
 24 Punch Pass \$66.00

## Pilates

Wednesdays 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
 1/4 - 1/25  
 2/1 - 2/29 - NC - 2/22  
 Walk in fee \$16.00  
 \$58.00

## Time For Me Too

Fridays 9:00 - 10:30 am  
 Fee: \$45.00 per session  
 Session 3 2-3 yr old 1/6 - 2/3  
 Session 4 2-3 yr old 2/17 - 3/16  
 Session 5 2-3 yr old 4/13 - 5/11

## Music & Movement

2-3 yr old Wednesdays  
 1/11-3/13 Fee: \$70.00

## Little Kids, Little Chefs

4-6 yr old Monday  
 1/23-3/5 Fee: \$60.00

## Mad Science For Young Scientist

Pre K- K 1/11 - 2/29 Fee: \$122.00  
**Mad Science - System 2**  
 1st - 5th Grade 1/11 - 2/29 Fee: \$129  
**Check Mate Chess**  
 5-10 yr old - 1/23 - 3/5 Fee: \$91

## Poms & Baton Twirling

6-13 yr old Saturday 1/14 - 3/3  
**Baton Twirling Skill Building**  
 6-13 yr old Saturday 1/14 - 3/3  
**Baton Twirling Dance Twirl**  
 6-16 yr old Saturday 1/14-3/3  
**Semi-Private Baton Lessons**  
 7 yr old & Up Call for more info.

## Guitar Lessons

**Beginning Guitar 1** 7-12 yr  
 1/12 - 3/1 Fee: \$136  
**Guitar Boot Camp** 13-18 yr  
 1/12 - 3/1 Fee: \$136  
**Private Guitar Lessons 7-18 yr**  
 1/12 - 2/9 Fee: \$125.00

PICK UP OUR PARK BROCHURE FOR DETAILS ON ALL THE CLASSES LISTED BELOW AND MUCH MORE. IMPORTANT!! PLEASE REGISTER FOR ALL CLASSES AT LEAST 1 WEEK BEFORE START DATE TO AVOID CANCELLATION OF CLASS.

\*\* You may register for all classes on-line! Your user name is your "Email Address", and the password is "ANTIOCH" Our online registration website is: <http://www.maxsolutiononline.com/antioch/>. To login you must enter the user name and password you provided. From the main screen click on 'activities' and search your activity type and center. Choose the class you wish to participate in and at the bottom click on register. Under 'Registrant Information', select the family member you are enrolling for that specific class. You will then click on 'add to cart', followed by 'check out'. Enter the payment information, once completed your receipt will be emailed to you and the Antioch Parks & Recreation office will be notified

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# COMMUNITY/EVENTS CALENDAR JANUARY 2012

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<b>1/1 Sun</b>	<b>New Year's Day</b>
<b>1/2 Mon</b>	<b>Village Offices Closed</b> <b>Garden Club Meeting, 7 p.m. at St. Ignatius Episcopal Church Fellowship Hall</b>
<b>1/3 Tues</b>	<b>The Kiwanis Club of Antioch Meeting, 12 Noon at Johnny's Chop House for info call Melissa at 847-489-8044</b> <b>Bingo Night sponsored by the Antioch VFW, Doors open 4:30 games begin at 6:45 p.m., VFW Hall</b>
<b>1/4 Wed</b>	<b>885 Civic Club Meeting, call 847-395-7022 for location</b>
<b>1/5 Thurs</b>	<b>Caregiver Support Group, 2-3:30 p.m. @ Antioch Senior Center Call Nancy Wohlrabe at 847-903-5604</b>
<b>1/7 Sat</b>	<b>Advocates for FMS meeting, 10-noon at 884 Main street call for more info 847-362-7807</b>
<b>1/9 Mon</b>	<b>Free Health Screenings For All Ages, 10-12:30 p.m. at Senior Center</b>
<b>1/10 Tues</b>	<b>AARP Chapter 387 Meeting, 1:00 p.m. at Senior Center (817 Holbek Dr.) call Sharon at 847-395-5068.</b> <b>Viking Youth Football &amp; Cheerleading Assoc. Meeting, 7:00 p.m. at the Senior Center</b> <b>The Kiwanis Club of Antioch Meeting, 12 Noon at Johnny's Chop House for info call Melissa at 847-489-8044</b> <b>Bingo Night sponsored by the Antioch VFW, Doors open 4:30 games begin at 6:45 p.m., VFW Hall</b> <b>Antioch Junior Woman's Club Meeting, 6:30 p.m. at State Bank of the Lakes (Antioch office)</b>
<b>1/11 Wed</b>	<b>Antioch Woman's Club Meeting, 1 p.m. @ Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church contact Lynne Fletcher 847-838-6460</b>
<b>1/16 Mon</b>	<b>Martin Luther Kind Day- No School</b> <b>Antioch Coin Club Meeting, 7:30 p.m. @ Library, public welcome. For info call JoAnne at 395-4738</b>
<b>1/17 Tues</b>	<b>The Kiwanis Club of Antioch Meeting, 12 Noon at Johnny's Chop House for info call Melissa at 847-489-8044</b> <b>Bingo Night sponsored by the Antioch VFW, Doors open 4:30 games begin at 6:45 p.m., VFW Hall</b> <b>District 34 School Board Meeting at Administrative Services Center (964 Spafford) at 7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>1/19 Thurs</b>	<b>District 117 Board Meeting, 7 p.m. at ACHS Library</b>
<b>1/21 Sat</b>	<b>Winter Wine Walk, 1-4:30 p.m.</b>
<b>1/24 Tues</b>	<b>AARP Chapter 387 Meeting, 1:00 p.m. at Senior Center (817 Holbek Dr.) call Sharon at 847-395-5068.</b> <b>The Kiwanis Club of Antioch Meeting, 12 Noon at Johnny's Chop House for info call Melissa at 847-489-8044</b> <b>Bingo Night sponsored by the Antioch VFW, Doors open 4:30 games begin at 6:45 p.m., VFW Hall</b>
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## VILLAGE MEETINGS JANUARY 2012

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| <b>10</b> | <b>Police and Fire Commission, 6:30 p.m. at Village Board Room</b>           |
| <b>11</b> | <b>Committee of the Whole Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Village Board Room</b>          |
| <b>12</b> | <b>Planning Commission and Zoning Board, 7:30 p.m. at Village Board Room</b> |
| <b>16</b> | <b>Village Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m. at Village Board Room</b>                |
| <b>18</b> | <b>Park Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m. at Village Board Room</b>                   |
| <b>23</b> | <b>Environmental Commission, 6:30 p.m. Village Board Room</b>                |
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