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Village Hall Hours And Important Phone Numbers

Weekdays: 8:30am-2:30pm
 Weekends: Closed
 Open 30 minutes prior to all scheduled meetings (6:30-7pm)

Village President

Rodney "Butch" Buckley
 847.223.8422

Village Clerk

Michelle Smith
 847.223.8422

Administrative Assistant

Victoria Stevens
 847.223.8422

Treasurer

Carol Metivier
 847.223.8422

Trustees

Bob Hameister

Bob Ruwitch

Linda Mateja

Dan Penny

Mary Honegger

Thomas Van Zeyl

Police + Fire

(Non Emergency)

Lake County Sheriff
 847.377.4000

Grayslake Fire Department

847.223.8960

Area Libraries

Grayslake Library

847.223.5313

Warren Newport Library

847.224.5150

Utilities

Commonwealth Edison

800.334.7661

Nicor

888.642.6748

North Shore/People's Gas

847.336.9300

AT&T

800.244.4444

Comcast Cable

800.266.2278

Waste Management

800.796.9696

Lake County Public Works

847.377.7500

Park Districts

Grayslake Parks & Recreation

847.223.7529

Warren Township Parks & Sports

847.244.1106 x6

School Districts

School District #46

847.223.3650

Woodland District #50

847.816.2530

Grayslake Central HS District #127

847.223.8621

Grayslake North HS District #127

847.986.3100

Township Offices

Warren Township

847.244.1101

Avon Township

847.546.1446

Animal Control

847.377.4700

December Meetings

Committee	December, 5th
Plan Commission	December, 13th
Board of Trustees	December, 19th

Meetings begin at 7:00pm at the Village Hall

Village Vine

Publication of the Board of the Village of Third Lake

December 2022

As 2022 comes to an end, I would like to reflect on this past year and thank those who helped get so much accomplished. Our small Village has limited resources, but no limit on heart when it comes to working together to solve problems. I would like to thank the Board of Trustees for endorsing one of the biggest projects we have done since the Village was formed over 60 years ago. Change is not always accepted easily, but the Board saw the need and approved the ideas and plans the staff set forth to improve our community.

I would like to recognize the residents who volunteered their time and energy to help remove the non-native species of vegetation on the south end of the park in preparation for Aldridge to clean up our ponds. The number of residents that stopped and chatted with the workers really demonstrated our community spirit. During the process many residents posted pictures and shared the status of the project for all to enjoy. Their positive feedback and comments made this messy project bearable for all. Thank you.

In addition to the park and ponds project, we were also able to complete our new Public Works addition to the Village Hall. This new building will house equipment that will be used to provide greater services to our residents. These improvements would not be possible without our residents and businesses. Thank you for your trust, your support, your suggestions, and your excellent cooperation with us.

I also want to thank the Village staff for everything you do in the office and for our residents. You make my job look easy. Thank you.

The staff and I would like to wish everyone a safe and Happy Holiday Season. Michelle, Victoria, Kelly, Carol, and Butch

The Village Hall will be closed from December 24th through January 2nd in observance of the Holidays.

We will open for normal business hours on January 3rd, 2023 at 8:30am.

In case of emergency, please email bbuckley@thirdlakevillage.com

2023 HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

The Village Office will be closed on these days

New Year's Day Observed	Mon, January 2nd, 2023
Martin Luther King Jr. Day	Mon, January 16th, 2023
Lincoln's Birthday	Mon, February 13th, 2023
Washington's Birthday	Mon, February 20th, 2023
Memorial Day	Mon, May 29th, 2023
Juneteenth Independence Day	Mon, June 19th, 2023
Independence Day	Tues, July 4th, 2023
Labor Day	Mon, September 4th, 2023
Columbus Day	Mon, October 9th, 2023
Veterans Day	Fri, November 10th, 2023
Thanksgiving Day Observed	Thurs, November 23rd & Fri, 24th, 2023
Christmas Day	Mon, December 25th, 2023

Christmas Tree Recycling

Lake County Forest Preserve will be accepting donations of holiday trees to convert into woodchips for trails and landscaping from December 26th through February 1st. Please go to LCFPD.org for more info.



Holiday Lights Recycling

You can drop off your old and unwanted strings of lights at the Grayslake Village Public Works (SWALCO) located at 585 Barry Ave. in Grayslake. Hours are M-F 7AM-3PM and on Saturdays from 8-12PM.

Garbage Collection

Waste Management will be collecting Christmas trees curbside in January at no additional charge. All decorations, tinsel, and garland must be removed in order to be collected. Do not place trees in plastic bags; they will not be collected. The dates for tree pick up are January 5th, 11th, 18th and 25th.

BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

No. 36 Fitness has been a fitness staple in Third Lake/Grayslake for 5 years. Formerly a franchise with locations across the country, No.36 Fitness is now a solo studio. No.36 Fitness provides High-Intensity Interval Training fitness classes and One-on-One personal training. They monitor your heart rate and calories burned to give you immediate feedback on your workouts. Their classes are uber-efficient 36 minute metabolic efforts to get in, workout hard, and get on with your day. They also offer other tiers including nutrition counseling and youth athlete training. They also offer members (and non-members) use of a 3D body scanner to track progress, measuring body fat vs. lean mass and taking measurements. They are a small family-owned and operated business that believes in their studio and creates a community within to help people better themselves and be the best they can be. They are continuously adapting to the times to challenge members and continue to help them crush their goals. They also love to incorporate that community/family feeling with events and fundraisers outside of the studio.

Inner Haven Art Gallery Spiritual and Creative Development Center

opened in Third Lake on October 15, 2022. Inner Haven Art Gallery is a fun-filled array of art, repurposed items, and specialty gifts. Reflected by their joy to highlight and honor local artists as they share their talents, there is always a constant flow of newness to experience and take home to accent your home or as gifts for loved ones. Inner Haven is unique for it's Spiritual Development Center hosting Artisans, Storytellers, Healers, Teachers, Spiritual Warriors, Ceremonialist, and New Thought Leaders, offering guidance, support, and a space for a unique spiritual journey. The co-founders, Christina Hladnik and Virginia Adams, have teamed up to bring the best of all worlds and dimensions. Inner Haven offers programs, seminars, classes, healing and individual mentoring and guidance to enhance and expand self-love, self-acceptance, self-empowerment, creativity and leadership skills to be used in all aspects of life. For more information on what they offer, check out their website at my-innerhaven.com.

Support Local Businesses

Be a key part in helping small businesses grow and flourish by shopping or dining at local businesses throughout the year. Especially this holiday season!

2023 Municipality Elections will be held on April 4th

Third Lake will be voting for President and 3 Trustee positions on April 4th, 2023. If you're interested in running for office, stop by the Village Hall during office hours to pick up an election packet. All election information must be turned in between December 12th through the 19th at the Village Hall during normal office hours.

Be Prepared For Winter Weather

The official start of winter is not for several weeks, but it's never too late to be prepared for extreme cold, snow and ice. Please take a few minutes to put together your home and vehicle emergency supply kits.

Vehicles Tips

Make sure your vehicle is in safe, working condition at all times and contain items such as; blankets, flashlights, first aid kit, non-perishable food, water, sand/cat litter, shovel, booster cables, and a phone charger. Don't crowd the plow when you're driving and most importantly, ask yourself if your trip is really necessary or can it be postponed.

Home Tips

Carbon monoxide (CO) can build up indoors and poison people and animals. During and after a snowstorm make sure vents for dryers, furnace, stoves and fireplaces are clear of snow build-up. Keep anything at least three feet from all heat sources including fireplaces, wood stoves, radiators, space heaters and candles. Never use an oven to heat your home and turn space heaters off when leaving the room or going to bed. Install carbon monoxide and smoke detectors on each floor of your home and within 15 feet of each sleeping area. CO detectors have a limited life span, check the manufacturer's instructions for information on replacement.

Taking the time now to prepare your home and vehicles before a situation happens can be life saving.

For more information about winter weather preparedness, visit the Ready Illinois website at www.Ready.Illinois.gov.

BOARD HAPPENINGS

For further details of minutes and agendas go to www.thirdlakevillage.com.

The Village Board has approved the following:

- Accounts Payable dated November 14, 2022 totaling \$484,275.30
- ORDINANCE NO. 22-11-01 AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REGISTRATION OF BOATS AND OTHER WATERCRAFT AND ESTABLISHING RULES AND REGULATION FOR VILLAGE BOAT LAUNCHES, LAKE USAGE AND WATER-LANDING PLACES, AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO 22-02-02
- RESOLUTION R22-11-01 An INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF THIRD LAKE AND AVON TOWNSHIP ROAD DISTRICT
- RESOLUTION R22-11-02 An INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF THIRD LAKE AND THE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF LAKE COUNTY
- AN EXPENDITURE OF \$5940.00 FOR LAWN EQUIPMENT.
- TO ACCEPT VILLAGE AUDIT BY DAM SNELL TAVEIRNE

LAKE NEWS

THE DAM IS OPEN

Please be aware that the dam remains open throughout the winter. This may prohibit the lake to freeze in that area. Use caution by staying clear of that side of the lake or any open water.