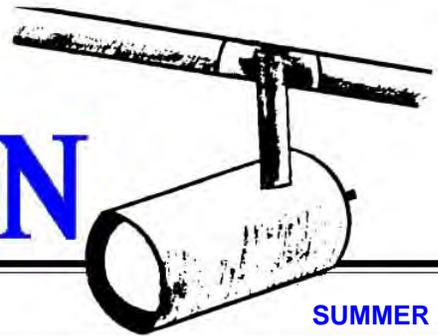


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4 EDUCATION

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Business office gathers data needed to

Begin the budget process

In August or September of each year, the Board of Education holds a special meeting to adopt the annual budget for the school district. However, the final adoption is just one of the steps in a process that takes almost six months to complete. Beginning in February, the Board authorizes the Superintendent to begin working on the next fiscal year's budget. With that authorization, the Business Office begins amassing supply and equipment requests from all of the schools, as well as looking at maintenance projects and furniture requests.

Around the end of March, the County Clerk issues the extension of tax dollars that the District will receive in two installments, the first half in May and the second half in September. Since local property tax dollars support about 70% of the activities of District 4, knowing the amount of taxes to be extended is crucial in making budgetary decisions. In April or May, the Board's Budget Committee will schedule meetings to review the tentative budget. At the same time, the Business Office continues to sort through requests for textbooks, estimates for needed special education services, grant applications, teacher salary changes, and special requests for improvements to the buildings.

After putting together all estimates for revenues, the Business Office has an idea of the total funds available to the District for the next school year by fund. Funds are designated for educational activities, maintenance, transportation, pension, and working cash. Estimated expenditures are then coded and entered into the tentative budget. In June and July, the Budget Committee meets to discuss the overall financial picture of the District, the summer maintenance projects, and the tentative budget. With their input, the Business Office makes adjustments to the budget. At the same time, other information regarding revenues from the State causes more adjustments to be made. Once the Board feels comfortable with the proposed budget, the Business Office readies a final budget to be presented to the public at the July Board meeting, with final approval after the formal Budget adoption hearing in August. Although the process is a long one, the adopted budget is the document which dictates how money will be spent in the District throughout the year.



Pat Masterton, Assistant Superintendent for Business, reviews budget spreadsheet

Young authors represent District 4 at conference

Students from across the district have created stories and poems in order to participate in Illinois' Twenty-Seventh Statewide Young Authors Conference. The purpose of the conference is to support teachers' efforts to improve students' writing and reading abilities.

Student work is read and rated by teachers, parents and students within each of the school buildings. Manuscripts with the highest ratings are recognized as building winners and are then judged at the district level by a panel of judges composed primarily of students.

The eight authors of the top-rated works will represent District 4 at this year's Young Authors Conference at Illinois State University on May 19. These student authors will meet noted Illinois children's authors and illustrators while participating in a variety of workshops at the conference.

The district level winners will also be recognized at a luncheon and at the District 4 Board of Education Meeting on Tuesday, May 22. Congratulations to them all!

District 4 Young Authors 2000-2001

PRIMARY DIVISION, K-2nd Grade

Nicole Geraci, Grade 1, Fullerton, My Dog Lexy

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION, 3rd-5th Grade

Tina Abraham & Donna Yeung, Grade 5, Stone,

Mellany McKardy, Junior Sleuth

Nathan Tancula, Grade 4, Wesley, Family Vacation to Tiranto

Allison Grady, Grade 4, Wesley,

Allison Grady's Adventures in Paris

Kali Maginity, Grade 3, Stone, Book Story

UPPER GRADE DIVISION, 6th-8th Grade

Amy Addante, Grade 7, ITJH,

My Summer at the Horse Ranch

Michelle Stukel, Grade 6, ITJH, Joe's Magical Wish

Nicole Dvorak, Grade 8, ITJH, Jamie

They teach where they learned

Spend some time in a District 4 school and it won't be long before you realize that some of the teachers know the district well . . . very well. Over two dozen of the approximately 250 teachers in District 4 spent time in the classrooms during their childhood years when they were students in Addison. They now serve in Addison as teachers, passing on their knowledge to students who may be the teachers of the next generation. Here are stories of two of Addison's home-grown educators.

In 1966, Judy Rymarsuk Scorza and Diana Thorsen Yunker became the first District 4 graduates to be hired as teachers here. Mrs. Scorza attended Addison Public School (later known as Oak School) from 5th grade, when her family moved to Addison, through 8th grade. After earning her Bachelor's degree, Mrs. Scorza returned to District 4 and was hired to teach third grade at Fullerton School. Mrs. Scorza remembers being visited by Superintendent Przewlocki and Principal Wojtyla on her first day of teaching. These men had been her principal and teacher, respectively, when she was a student at Oak School. Thirty-five years later, Scorza teaches 5th grade at Stone School and is looking forward to retiring at the end of the current school year.



Judy Scorza's 7th grade and current school photos



Stephenie Berleman's 2nd grade and current school photos

Stephenie Berleman began her District 4 career as a student at Army Trail in 1977. She also attended Indian Trail Junior High and Addison Trail High School. After graduating from University of Illinois, Ms. Berleman served as a substitute teacher for one year in District 4 before receiving full time assignments to Wesley, Stone and then Lincoln School. Currently Berleman teaches 4th grade at Wesley School, where her mother is also a teacher. Ms. Berleman returned to teach in District 4 because she appreciated the education she received here and wanted to pass that on to others.

New registration procedure

District 4 instituted a new mail-in registration procedure last year which has been fine-tuned and updated for the 2001-02 school year. All current District 4 students have already received their registration materials for next fall. Parents have been asked to complete/update all forms and return the forms and student fees to the school by May 18 in order to guarantee classroom and bus route placement for the first day of school, August 29, 2001. There will be no walk-in registration in August for families whose children currently attend school in District 4.

Mail-in registration will allow the District's computerized bus system to assign bus routes more efficiently, it assists in determining the number of classrooms and teachers needed for the coming school year in a more timely fashion, and it makes the registration process simpler for parents. School supply lists will be issued at the end of the school year with report cards. PTA information will also be sent out at a later date.

Parents of children entering kindergarten in fall should register now by visiting Stone, Wesley or Ardmore Schools. Ardmore kindergarten includes all children from the Army Trail, Fullerton, Lake Park and Lincoln attendance areas as well as the bilingual and English as a Second Language classes.

Please remember to register by May 18!

Update your calendar!



Due to the extra snow day taken in December, the last day of school has been changed to THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 2001.

Health/immunization requirements

Please note the following health and immunization requirements for the 2001-2002 school year.

Students entering any of the District 4 preschool programs must have proof of a Hib vaccine and three doses of Hepatitis B vaccine. Children need to have received the Hib vaccine after they were 12 months old. For more information about this vaccine, parents should contact their pediatricians.

All students new to the district, as well as those entering kindergarten and fifth grade, are required to present proof of a recent physical exam and current immunization record. The immunizations required include measles-mumps-rubella (MMR), diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis (DTP) and polio in appropriate doses.

In addition, all students entering fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades are required to receive the Hepatitis B vaccine prior to the first day of the 2001-02 school year. Hepatitis B is given in a schedule of three doses. There must be a minimum of four weeks between the first and second shot and four months between the first and third shot.

Children will be excluded from school for the 2001-02 school year until their immunizations and physical exams are current.

Immunizations are available from the DuPage County Health Department for \$8 for each vaccine. Parents must accompany their children to the clinic and must present their children's current immunization records in order to receive the vaccine.

Walk-in Immunization Clinics are available at:

DuPage County Health Department
North Public Health Center
1111 W. Lake Street Addison, IL 60101
(630)620-3325

1st Tuesday of the month: 9a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
All other Tuesdays: 3:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Literacy Days at Lincoln

Lincoln School students recently celebrated literacy with a month-long schedule of events which focused on reading. "We love to read!" was the theme of the program which kicked off the month with an opening assembly/pep rally. Events included Alarm Reading days, where at the sound of the alarm(xylophone), everyone in the building stopped what they were doing to read, Read a T-Shirt Day, Guest Reader Day, Dr. Seuss Day, a Laura Ingalls Wilder presentation and a book exchange.

Lincoln students dressed for Read a T-Shirt Day



Lake Park mural

Artists from Addison Trail High School had the opportunity to paint on the walls of the Lake Park gym this spring. Linda Gibboney, physical education teacher at Lake Park, thought a brightly-colored mural would add a unique look to the gym. Irene Boutzarelos and John Yakel, co-sponsors of A.T.'s Art Club, mobilized the club's members to work on the project. Lake Park students were selected to pose in a variety of athletic positions while their silhouettes were traced onto paper. Those figures were transferred onto the wall and the painting began.

What a terrific work of art!



Lake Park students pose in front of the mural characters they modeled for.

Character Counts breakfast

Students from Lake Park and Indian Trail have been participating in a pilot program for Character Counts. Character Counts is a nationally recognized program that structures character education around six pillars of character--Trustworthiness, Respect, Responsibility, Fairness, Caring and Citizenship. The pilot program was developed by Detective Barry Muniz, Addison Police Liaison Officer, Mrs. Pat Anderson, Indian Trail 6th grade reading/writing teacher, and Ms. Mary Ellen Reeves, Lake Park principal.

Each month, a group of 6th graders visits Lake Park School to teach the 1st and 2nd graders about one pillar of character. This gives the young children the opportunity to learn from other students. The 6th graders, in turn, reinforce what they know while teaching the primary students.



Families and community leaders celebrate with students who display exceptional character

As part of the program, the students are able to submit the name of someone they think exemplifies the character traits being taught that month. They fill out the nomination form with their parents. 42 students were then chosen from these nominees and were honored at a breakfast held at Lake Park in February.

The Character Counts program is in use in a number of neighboring suburbs. Currently, representatives from various groups in Addison are meeting to plan its further implementation in our community as well.

Addison Public Library

Happenings

- 5/1.....Book Discussion, 7:30 p.m.
 5/8.....Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
 5/12.....Mother's Day Breakfast
 5/27.....Closed Sundays Until September
 5/28.....Closed Memorial Day
- 6/1.....Closed Fridays at 5 p.m. until
 September
 6/5.....Book Discussion, 7:30 p.m.
 6/9.....Summer Reading Begins
 6/9.....Breakfast with Addi
 6/12.....Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
 6/27.....Wednesday Evening of
 Family Fun: Animal Encounters, 7 p.m.

How can we help you take full advantage of a Library program? Please let Sally Schuster, 458-3308, know of any special needs no later than one week prior to the program.

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 F, Memorial Day to Labor Day, 9-5;
 Sa, 9-5; Su, through May 20, 1-5;
 Su, May 27-Labor Day, Closed

Web Site
<http://www.addison.lib.il.us>

May / June

Sharon Campbell, New Director

Our new Library Director, Sharon Campbell, comes to us with extensive experience and expertise. Known throughout the state for her presentations at library conferences, Sharon spent the last 17 years as a public library consultant at the Shawnee Library System in Cartersville, Illinois. Her job was to advise the 76 public libraries in this consortium on such diverse topics as how to write a grant, solve a personnel problem, and cope with tax caps.

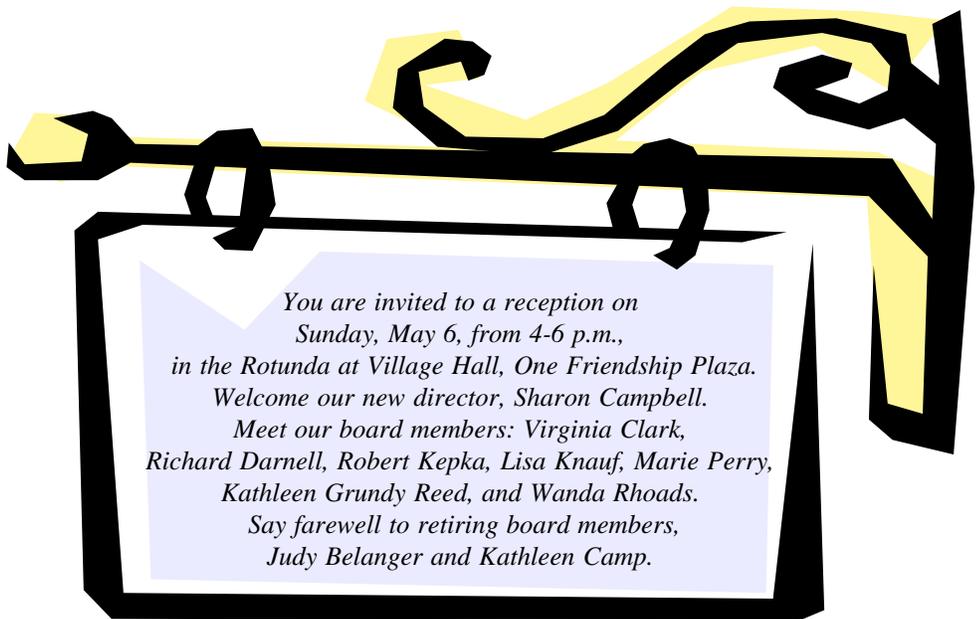


Sharon Campbell

Prior to Shawnee, Sharon was director of the Ella Johnson Memorial District Library in Hampshire, Illinois, and the Genoa Public Library in Genoa, Illinois. She has been an advisor to the Illinois State Library and was responsible for developing *Administrative Ready Reference*, a standard library administrator's tool used by libraries through out the state and the nation in the development of public library policies.

Sharon earned her BA in Business Management and MLS in Library Science from Northern Illinois University. She started her library career as a circulation clerk at the Elgin public library and is no stranger to Northern Illinois.

We hope everyone will join us in welcoming Sharon to the community.



*You are invited to a reception on
 Sunday, May 6, from 4-6 p.m.,
 in the Rotunda at Village Hall, One Friendship Plaza.
 Welcome our new director, Sharon Campbell.
 Meet our board members: Virginia Clark,
 Richard Darnell, Robert Kepka, Lisa Knauf, Marie Perry,
 Kathleen Grundy Reed, and Wanda Rhoads.
 Say farewell to retiring board members,
 Judy Belanger and Kathleen Camp.*

Board Members Retire

Judy Belanger was a member of the Library's Board of Trustees for 30 years. Judy is a school librarian in Downers Grove and an active member of the Addison community. During her tenure, Judy has held most of the offices on the Board, most recently serving as vice president. She has led the Library through many changes: a successful referendum, several directors, a building project, new technology, to name a few.

Kathleen Camp is also retiring. She has been on the Board for six years. We will miss her expertise and her enthusiasm for the Library. Kate has served as treasurer for the last few years.

Thank you both for all you have given to us. We will miss you.



Kate Camp and Judy Belanger

Computer Classes

► BASIC SEARCHING OF THE INTERNET

Thursdays; May 3, 10, 17; 7 p.m.

Fridays; May 4, 11, 18; 9:15 a.m.

The beginning Web searcher learns to use navigating buttons on the toolbar, type in Web addresses, find hyperlinks, save bookmarks, and more.

Register at the Fiction Desk. Each training class is limited to eight people. A \$25 deposit, which is refunded for perfect attendance, is required.

Book Dedications

Adele Lynch donated *How to Sew: A Step-by-Step Manual of Techniques for Hand and Machine Work* by Dorothy Wood in honor of Sharon Hoffman.

Dick Rimac donated *Chicago Then & Now* by Elizabeth McNulty; *Fatal North: Adventure and Survival Aboard the USS Polaris, the First Expedition to the North Pole* by Bruce Henderson; *The Nobel Prize: A History of Genius, Controversy, and Prestige* by Burton Feldman; *The Wild Frontier: Atrocities During the American-Indian War from Jamestown Colony to Wounded Knee* by William M. Osborn; *The Dream of Reason: A History of Western Philosophy from the Greeks to the Renaissance* by Anthony Gottlieb.

Book Discussion

“The Hound of the Baskervilles,” “The Speckled Band,” and “The Red-Headed League” by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
May 1, 7:30 p.m.

In these classic mystery stories, Holmes and Watson are called upon to follow the clues and solve the crimes.

The Reader by Bernhard Schlink
June 5, 7:30 p.m.

A chance encounter between 15-year-old Michael Berg and Hanna, an older woman who keeps her past a secret, leads to a passionate, obsessive affair. When Michael begins nightly sessions of reading aloud to Hanna, he finds his relationship with her strangely out of kilter. She disappears, and Michael is devastated. Encountering her years later, he finds the horrifying secrets of her past almost too much to bear and sees a Hanna that he never knew.



Feed Your Need to Read

Teen and Adult Summer Reading Clubs

Saturday, June 9–Saturday August 4

Feed Your Need to Read! Feast on fiction. Munch on mysteries. Snack on suspense. Lap up love stories. Nosh on nonfiction. Join the Summer Reading Club for Teens and Adults. Beginning June 9, register at the Fiction Desk. The **TEEN CLUB** is for readers entering high school in the fall through 18 years of age. The **ADULT CLUB** is for those who are over 18 years of age.



Have coffee on us. The first 400 teens and adults to register will have receive an Addison Public Library mug, a packet of Book Lover's Blend coffee, and five video bucks. The first 215 who finish will earn a ceramic gift box with a miniature surprise inside. Everyone who completes the program will receive an entry into the Grand Prize drawing.

The rules are few; the rewards are many. From June 9 through August 4, read a total of six books from the adult or teen collection; participants select whatever interests them. The total may include two unabridged audiobooks. When readers complete six selections, they qualify for the Grand Prize Drawing. A valid Addison Public Library card is required, and all choices must be checked out from this Library.

Adults vie for the Grand Prize, a \$75 bookstore gift certificate. Teens will read for a \$50 bookstore gift certificate. Grand Prizes for both clubs were donated by Lipinski and Associates, Ltd., 130 Fairbanks, Addison. The final drawings will be held on Tuesday, August 7.

All Teen and Adult Club members can enter separate monthly drawings. Each book read in June and July earns one chance in that month's drawing. Entries are unlimited; each month begins fresh. Participants can win only one prize per month, but prize winners still qualify for the Grand Prize drawings. Winners will be contacted by phone, and their names will be posted at the Fiction Desk.

This summer, feast through our fiction and nonfiction collections. Dieting is not encouraged! **Feed Your Need to Read!**



Summer Reading Begins Saturday, June 9. Join Us!



Kidding Around



Feed Your Need to Read: Summer Reading for Children

Story Times

Weeks of June 25 through July 30

Registration begins Saturday, June 16, and is required for all but **SUNNY**

TUESDAYS

BEGIN WITH BOOKS

Mondays, 10-10:30 a.m.

Birth-35 months with an adult

Spend quality time with your baby or toddler during this story time.



SUNNY TUESDAYS

Tuesdays, 10-10:30 a.m.

All Ages, 9 and under with an adult

All ages are invited to enjoy stories on the lawn outside the Library (as weather permits).



BEDTIME STORIES

Thursdays, 7-7:30 p.m.

All Ages, 7 and under with an adult

All ages are invited to come for a goodnight story at the Library.



CRAFTY CHARACTERS

Wednesdays, 2-3 p.m.

Entering Grades K-3

Party with your favorite character.



Kickoff:

Breakfast with Addi

Saturday, June 9, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

All Ages, 10 and under with an adult

Registration begins May 19

Summer Reading starts June 9! Meet our mascot, Addi Library Bear, and have



your picture taken with her. A light breakfast will be served, and bear games will be played. Sign up for summer reading before you leave.

Preview

Registration Dates:

Saturday, June 9-

Friday, August 3

Last Day to

Complete Reading &

Collect Prizes: Saturday, August 4

Ages: Birth – Grade 8 with a valid Addison Public Library Card. Children under 5 may register with a parent's or legal guardian's library card.

Prizes: Video bucks for registering, choice of prizes for hours read, free book for 20 hours of reading.

Reading "Raffle": Saturday, June 9 – August 4. Check out books and get a ticket for a drawing to win great prizes!



Mother's Day Breakfast

Saturday, May 12, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

All Ages, 10 and under with an adult

Registration required

Mother's Day is Sunday, May 13. Come make a Mother's Day present and card for your mom. A light breakfast will be served.

Programs

Weeks of June 25 through July 30

Registration required

CHESS

Mondays, 2-3 p.m.

Entering Grades 3-8

ADDISON PUPPETEERS

Tuesdays, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Entering Grades 1-4

Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Entering Grades 5-8



BOOK PARTY

Wednesdays, 11 a.m.-noon

Entering Grades 4-8

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS OF FAMILY FUN

Wednesdays, 7-7:45 p.m.

All Ages

THURSDAY THRILLS

Thursdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Preschool-Entering Grade 3

KREATIVE KIDS

Thursdays, 1-2 p.m.

Entering Grades 4-8



VolunTeens: Feed Your Need to Help

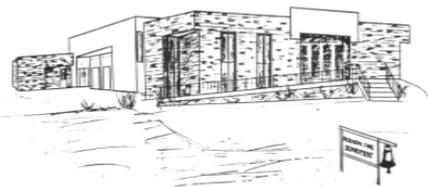
Students completing Grades 6 through 11 by June, 2001, can join the VolunTeen Program. Work with your peers. Serve as role models for younger children. Earn community service or volunteer hours for religious or school obligations while benefiting the community.

VolunTeens work with the Summer Reading Program: They check book logs, give out prizes, and help with programs. Each student gets a VolunTeen shirt and is invited to a VolunTeen party at the end of the summer.

VolunTeens work two or three two-hour shifts each week from June 9 until August 4 with time off for vacations and camp. To pick up an application, show your valid Addison Public Library Card at the Ask Me Desk. Completed applications are due in Children Services by **Saturday, May 26**.

To participate in the VolunTeen program, teens must attend an orientation on either **Tuesday, May 29**, from 7-8 p.m., or **Wednesday, May 30**, from 4-5 p.m. Scheduling will be done at the orientation. Teens can choose their schedules. Choices in scheduling will be determined by the date applications are returned. Enrollment is limited.

Most programs require an Addison Public Library card and registration or tickets. For a complete listing of programs, pick up a brochure in Children Services, or check our web site, www.addison.lib.il.us, or phone us at 458-3338.



FLASHPOINT



News from the Addison Fire Protection District #1

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Fire Trivia

Last Month's Question:

What is the best way to control bleeding from most injuries?



Answer:

Applying direct pressure to the injury site with clean gauze bandage or other similar material can control almost all bleeding. As a rule, tourniquets should not be used.

This Month's Question:

During what 3-hour time period do most home fire fatalities occur?



What's in Your Garage?

If you think about it, there are many things in the average garage that can be dangerous. Gasoline, insecticides, fertilizers, spray cans, paint thinner, and pool chemicals are often found stored in a garage. While these things can be stored safely, they can be extremely hazardous when proper care is not taken.

As a rule, hazardous chemicals should be stored in their original, clearly marked containers. The containers should be in a cabinet that can be secured to keep children out. Gasoline must be kept in red, tightly sealed container, designed and labeled for gasoline. Remember that if a



gasoline container is left open, vapors can accumulate and travel across a room to an ignition source, causing a flash fire.



Fireworks

As a parent, would you allow your child to play with an 1800° torch? Obviously not! However, did you know

that a sparkler burns at 1800°, hot enough to melt many types of metals? Yet each 4th of July many children play with this burning piece of metal, holding it in their bare hands. According to Prevent Blindness America, in the U.S. nearly 13,000 people are treated at hospitals each year for injuries caused by fireworks.



Fireworks should be left to professionals. This 4th of July, plan to bring the family to one of the many public fireworks displays. These displays are spectacular and definitely safer for everyone.



Retirement

Arthur E. Hurley Jr., resigned from his position as president of the Addison Fire District's Board of Trustees this past March, after 19 years of service. During his tenure with the board, Mr. Hurley saw the fire district make great strides in improved service to the community. The members of the Addison Fire District wish the best to Art and his wife Jo in their retirement.



Upcoming CPR Classes

May 29 & 31

June 26 & 28

If you would like to register for a class or to schedule a CPR class for your group or business, please call the Addison Fire District, 628-3100.



**VILLAGE OF ADDISON
WATER QUALITY REPORT
MARCH 2001**

**Keeping Our Community
Educated On The Quality Of Our Drinking Water**

The purpose of this report is to keep our customers informed on the quality of their drinking water and on the monitoring requirements mandated through the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). If you have any questions or comments pertaining to this report, please call John Chrysogelos, Water Department Foreman, at (630) 620-2020.

The Village of Addison receives all of its water through the DuPage Water Commission (DWC), which receives it from the City of Chicago Jardine water filtration plant located near Navy Pier. We have been receiving Lake Michigan water since March of 1992.

The Village of Addison has five points of connection to the DWC. Each connection point is located at one of our water tower sites. To insure that the Village of Addison has the ability to supply water to our residents in an emergency, we also maintain seven wells. The wells are exercised and sampled for bacteriological contamination at least quarterly. This is done to insure that if needed, the well water would comply with all EPA requirements. Since 1992 we have had to pump well water into the distribution system three times. This was necessary because the DWC had breaks in their lines and were going to be out of service for longer than two days. We also maintain chlorine feeding equipment and monitor chlorine levels in the water at all of our wells and pressure adjusting stations.

Over the course of a year we are asked by many residents if we blend any well water into the water we receive from Lake Michigan. The Village of Addison does not mix well water with Lake Michigan water. We provide 100% Lake Michigan water at all times, unless the Lake Michigan supply is interrupted. When exercising the wells, none of the well water enters into the water distribution system. All the well water that is pumped goes into a storm sewer when the wells are exercised.

Lake Michigan is the sole source of drinking water for Addison, Chicago and 118 other suburban communities. The Environmental Protection Agency has found that the quality of Lake Michigan has improved dramatically over the past 20 years. Lake Michigan, by volume, is the second largest Great Lake and the only one located totally within the United States. It serves as a source of drinking water, as a place for swimming and fishing, as a scenic wonderland, and as a sink for municipal and industrial waste and runoff from the surrounding lands. All 63 miles of shoreline within Illinois are now considered to be in good condition. The Illinois EPA Office of Groundwater will be doing a source water assessment by May 2003. When completed, all sources of pollutants into Lake Michigan will be identified, and there will be information regarding the source water's susceptibility to contaminants based on the findings of the assessment. Since the quality of the raw water source is good, conventional treatment methods of disinfection, coagulation and sedimentation, and sand filtration are adequate for producing a water that is free of harmful contaminants.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain trace amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/Aids or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. USEPA guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the USEPA's SAFE DRINKING WATER HOTLINE (1-800-426-4791).

The Village of Addison Water Department samples and monitors the water from the entire water distribution system every month as mandated by the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA). If the required samples are not submitted or if a sample would be found to be contaminated, this would be a violation of the SDWA and EPA regulations, and all Addison residents would have to be notified as soon as possible. Our Water Department collects 40 water samples every month to insure that your tap water is free from bacteria. These sampling points are distributed evenly throughout the Village. This year, as in past years, your drinking water has met all USEPA and State drinking water standards. The City of Chicago and the DuPage Water Commission also sample and test the water before it reaches the Village of Addison.

The Village of Addison, in addition to performing bacteriological testing, also collects water samples at homes throughout the village to test for lead and copper contamination. Homes containing lead pipes, lead service lines or copper pipe soldered with lead based solder were chosen based on criteria set by the United States Environmental Protection

Agency. If more than ten per cent of the collected samples exceed levels set by the USEPA, we would be notified by the IEPA of what actions we must take. The testing began in July 1992, and after two rounds of sampling, the IEPA reduced the number of samples the Village of Addison was required to test from 60 to 30, due to the water being in compliance with lead and copper standards.

The Chicago Water Department monitors for contaminants which are proposed to be regulated or for which no standards currently exist but which could provide useful information in assessing the quality of the source water.

The sources of drinking water, whether they be tap water or bottled water, come from rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels through the ground, or overland, it can dissolve naturally occurring minerals or radioactive materials, and pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or human activity. Some of these contaminants can consist of:

- A) Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- B) Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which may be naturally occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- C) Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from agriculture or urban runoff and residential uses.
- D) Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and may also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff and septic systems.
- E) Radioactive contaminants, which may be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

The USEPA and the FDA regulate the amount of contaminants in water provided by a public water system or by bottled water.

Explanations of the abbreviations and definitions you will need to understand the sampling data on the water quality sheet for 1999 are as follows:

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) -The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) - The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Treatment Technique (TT) - A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Action Levels (AL) - The concentration of a contaminant that triggers treatment or other required actions by the water supply.

nd not detectable at testing limits

na not applicable

ppm parts per million, or milligrams per liter (mg/l)

ppb parts per billion, or micrograms per liter (ug/l)

NTU Nephelometric Turbidity Unit used to measure cloudiness in drinking water.

% pos/mo Percent positive samples per month

pos/mo Number of positive samples per month

Range of Detection- This column represents a range of individual sample results, from lowest to highest that were collected during the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) calendar year.

Level Found- This column represents an average of sample data collected during the CCR calendar year. In some cases, it may represent a single sample if only one sample was collected.

Lead - EPA has determined that lead is a health concern at certain levels of exposure. Materials that contain lead were frequently used in the construction of water supply systems and indoor plumbing. Lead in these materials can contaminate drinking water as a result of corrosion that takes place when water comes into contact with these materials. Additional information is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Haloacetic acids - (HAAs) are disinfectant by-products. The Village of Addison started monitoring for HAAs last year. The City of Chicago started monitoring for HAAs in July, 1998. The EPA set a MCL for HAAs at 60ppb. Results of the monitoring from Chicago are approximately 11.8 ppb, which is comfortably below the regulated level. All samples collected by the Village of Addison have been far below the levels set by the IEPA.

Trihalomethanes-are disinfectant by-products. The Village of Addison started sampling for Trihalomethanes in July 1987.

Turbidity- is a measure of the cloudiness of the water. The City of Chicago monitors it because it is a good indicator of water quality and the effectiveness of their filtration system.

Fluoride- is added to the water supply to help promote strong teeth. The Illinois Department of Public Health recommends an optimal fluoride range of 0.9 mg/l to 1.2 mg/l.

Sodium- There is no state or federal MCL for sodium. Monitoring is required to provide information to consumers and health officials that are concerned about sodium intake due to dietary precautions. If the level is greater than 20 mg/l and you are on a sodium-restricted diet, you should consult a physician.

Cryptosporidium- Analyses have been conducted monthly on the source water since April, 1993. Cryptosporidium has not been detected in these samples. Cryptosporidium is a single-celled parasite, highly resistant to chlorine, which produces an illness characterized by vomiting, fever, diarrhea and fatigue when ingested. Treatment processes have been optimized to ensure that if there are cryptosporidium cysts in the source water, they will be removed during the treatment process. By maintaining a low turbidity and thereby removing the particles from the water, the threat of cryptosporidium organisms getting into the drinking water system is greatly reduced.

MTBE or Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether- This product is used as an oxygenate additive to gasoline to make it burn more efficiently and help vehicles comply with the 1990 Clean Air Act. This chemical is highly soluble and travels faster and farther underground than other gasoline compounds. At high levels, MTBE may pose a public health threat. The main source of localized MTBE contamination is from leaking underground storage tanks and pipeline spills. At the present time there is no MCL set for MTBE, MTBE is considered to be a ground water issue, not a surface water issue. Our Lake Michigan water source is a surface water supply.

Chromium- Occurs naturally in the environment as chromite iron ore. It is rarely found naturally in water, yet it is widely distributed in soils and plants. Chromium in this form is an important contributor to human health. Chromium can also exist in a toxic state as Hexavalent Chromium, which is associated with industrial waste. Chromium is used in metal alloys including stainless steel, protective coatings on metal, magnetic tapes and pigments for paints, cement, paper and rubber. The USEPA determined that there is no evidence that the lifetime exposure to Chromium in drinking water can cause cancer. Hexavalent Chromium at acute levels can cause skin irritation or ulcers; long term exposure to Hexavalent Chromium can lead to liver and kidney damage as well as damage to nerve tissue. Hexavalent chromium has been successfully eliminated from entering the environment as a result of past and current national pollution discharge elimination system and industrial pollution discharge limits. The MCL for Chromium in drinking water is 100 ug/l. The water we receive from the City of Chicago has less than 2 ug/l according to the test data we receive.

Arsenic- Occurs naturally in the environment, being the 20th most common element in the earth crust. Currently the M.C.L. for arsenic is at 50 ppb. The level found in our drinking water from Lake Michigan is less than 4ppb. The World Health Organization is trying to lower the M.C.L. to 10 ppb. At present this change is on hold pending further study by the USEPA.

UNREGULATED CONTAMINANTS:

A maximum contaminant level (MCL) for this contaminant has not been established by either the state or federal regulations, nor has mandatory health effect language. The purpose for monitoring this contaminant is to assist USEPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water, and whether future regulation is warranted.

VILLAGE OF ADDISON

No drinking water quality violation were recorded during 2000

Contaminant (units)	MCLG	MCL	Level Found	Range of detection	Date of sample	Typical Source of Contaminants
Inorganic Contaminants						
COPPER (ppm)	1.3	AL=1.3	0.150	0 exceeding AL	09/30/99	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives.
LEAD (ppb)	0	AL=15	5	0 exceeding AL	09/30/99	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits.

Disinfectans\Disinfection By-Products	MCLG	MCL	Level found	Range of detections
TTHMs (TOTAL TRIHALOMETHANES) (ppb) By-product of drinking water chlorination.	n/a	100	26.750	18.000-42.000

Unregulated Contaminants				
BROMODICHLOROMETHANE (ppd) By-product of drinking water chlorination	n/a	n/a	8.000	6.000-11.000
BROMOFORM (ppb) Discharge from manufacturing plants; Used to dissolve dirt and grease.	n/a	n/a	0.250	nd-1.000
CHLOROFORM (ppb) Used as a solvent for fats, oils, rubber, resins; A cleansing agent; found in fire extinguishers.	n/a	n/a	14.500	8.000-26.000
DIBROMOCHLOROMETHANE (ppb) Used as a chemical reagent; An intermediate inorganic synthesis.	n/a	n/a	4.000	3.000-5.000

ADDITIONAL CONTAMINANTS				
MONOCHLOROACETIC ACID (HAA) (ppd) By-product of drinking water disinfection.	n/a	n/a	nd	
MONOBROMOACETIC ACID (HAA) (ppb) By-product of drinking water disinfection.	n/a	n/a	nd	
DIBROMOACTEC ACID (HAA) (ppb) By-product of drinking water chlorination.	n/a	n/a	nd	
DICHLOROACTIC ACID (HAA) (ppb) By-product of drinking water disinfection			5.050	3.900-7.200
TRICHLOROACETIC ACID (HAA) (ppb)			6.125	4.500-7.000

Microbial Contaminants							
Contaminant (units)		MCLG	MCL	Level Found	Range of detection	Date of sample	Typical Source of Contaminants
TOTAL COLIFORM BACTERIA (# pos/mo)		5%	5%	nd-nd		Monthly	Naturally present in the environment.

FECAL COLIFORM AND E. COLI (#pos/mo)	0	0	nd-nd		Monthly	Human and animal fecal waste.
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Volatil Organic Contaminants

Contaminant (units)	MCLG	MCL	Level Found	Range of detection	Date of sample	Typical Source of Contaminants
CARBON TETRACHLORIDE (# ppb)	0	5	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from chemical plants and other industrial activities.
CHLOROBENZENE (ppb)	100	100	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from chemical and agricultural chemical factories.
1,2-DICHLOROETHANE (ppb)	0	5	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from industrial chemical factories.
1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE (ppb)	7	7	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from industrial chemical factories.
CIS-1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE (ppb)	70	70	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from industrial chemical factories.
TRANS-1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE (ppb)	100	100	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from industrial chemical factories.
DICHLOROMETHANE (ppb)	0	5	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from pharmaceutical and chemical factories.
TETRACHLOROETHYLENE (ppb)	0	5	nd-nd		10/17/95	Leaching from PVC pipes; Discharge from factories and dry cleaners.
1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE (ppb)	200	200	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from metal degreasing sites and other factories.
TRICHLOROETHYLENE (ppb)	0	5	nd-nd		10/17/95	Discharge from metal degreasing sites and other factories.
TTHMs[TOTAL TRIHALOMETHANES] (ppb)	N/A	100	30.250	14.000 - 48.000	Quarterly	By-product of drinking water chlorination.

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Contaminant (units)	MCLG	MCL	LEVEL FOUND	RANGE OF DETECTION	Typical source of Contaminant
Microbial Contaminants					
TURBIDITY (%<0.5 NTU)	n/a	TT	99.167	99.167 -100.000	Soil runoff.
TURBIDITY (ntu)	n/a	TT=5 ntu max	1.200	N/a	Soil runoff.
State Regulated Contaminants					
SODIUM (ppm)	n/a	n/a	7.200	6.900 - 7.200	Erosion of Naturally occurring deposits; Used as water softener.

FLUORIDE (ppm)	4	4	0.900	0.890 - 0.900	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
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Inorganic Contaminants

BARIUM (ppm)	2	2	0.020	0.019 - 0.020	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
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Contaminant (units)	MCLG	MCL	LEVEL FOUND	RANGE OF DETECTION	Typical source of Contaminant
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NITRATE (AS NITROGEN) (ppm)	10	10	0.400	0.400-0.400	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks; sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.
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NITRATE & NITRITE (ppm)	10	10	0.400	0.400-0.400	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks; sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.
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Unregulated Contaminants	MCLG	MCL	LEVEL FOUND	RANGE OF DETECTION	Typical source of Contaminant
SULFATE (ppm)	n/a	n/a	32.400	30.800-32.400	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits

Information Collection Rule (ICR)

During an 18-month period, large water systems (serving >100,000 people) were required to monitor for unregulated compounds and microbial organisms. The following table shows results of analyses for disinfection by-products that were detected in the distribution system samples. These compounds may be regulated in the future based on occurrence data and available health effects information.

DISINFECTION BY-PRODUCTS (DBP) (unit of measure) Typical source	Level Found	Range of Detection	Monitoring Date
HALOACETICNITRILES (HAN) (ppb) Chlorination by-products total of 4 compounds.	2.85	2.30-3.51	Quarterly 7/97-12/98
HALOKETONES (HK) (ppb) Chlorination by-product total of 2 compounds.	0.82	nd-1.13	Quarterly 7/97-12/98
CHLORAL HYDRATE (CH) (ppb) Chlorination by-product.	1.83	nd-2.96	Quarterly 7/97-12/98
TOTAL ORGANIC HALIDES (TOX) (ppb) Present due to reactions between chlorine, organic material and bromine.	112	nd-190	Quarterly 7/97-12/98

DISINFECTANT RESIDUAL (unit of measure) Chlorine is applied as sole disinfectant.	Level Found	Range of Detection	Monitoring Date
FREE CHLORINE (ppm)	0.64	0.3-0.9	Quarterly 7/97-12/98
TOTAL CHLORINE (ppm)	0.77	0.4-1.1	Quarterly 7/97-12/98

The following disinfection by-products were monitored during and ICR and have since been regulated.

DISINFECTION BY-PRODUCT (DBP) (unit of measure) Typical source.	MCL	Level Found	Range of Detection	Monitoring Date
HALOACETIC ACIDS (HAAS) (ppb)	60*	8.5	6.2-11.0	Quarterly 2000

* Regulated Contaminant Effective 12/01



ADDISON CENTER FOR THE ARTS

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ALL ACCESS FRONT ROW, BACKSTAGE, LIVE!

The ADDISON CENTER FOR THE ARTS will be holding a benefit as it continues in its mission to provide cultural programming as an integral part of community life to the citizens of Addison and build a future "home or the arts".

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Date: Wednesday, May 16, 2001

Place: Addison IMAX Theatre, 1555 W. Lake Street

Time: 6:30 P.M. Refreshments

7:30 P.M. Film Showing: ALL ACCESS, Front Row, Backstage, LIVE!

Silent Auction & Raffle: Big Ticket Items, Original Art,

Weekend Getaways, Gift certificates & MORE.

Tickets: \$25 (all ages) at Addison Community Park or ACA Board Member

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ALL ACCESS: Front Row, Backstage, LIVE! Presented by CERTS combines the visual thrill of the giant IMAX screen experience with a front-row seat and backstage pass to performances by some of the greatest multi-platinum acts in music. The audience can get closer to their favorite rock stars than ever before and witness the inner workings of a mega-concert.

ALL ACCESS is more than an extraordinary musical event that crosses cultures, genres and generations to explore some of the most innovative, explosive and life-affirming music this side of the new millennium. It is also an unforgettable opportunity to share the intimate thought, feelings and visions of today's most talented music performers, a journey straight into the heart of rock and roll.

This Benefit fundraiser is sponsored by: Addison IMAX Theatre and the Addison Center for the Arts. Some of your favorite entertainers performing include:

Sting,
Santana,
Sheryl Crow,
Dave Matthews Band,
B.B. King,
Macy Gray



Carlos Santana in concert.

Addison Arts Organizations Receive Grants

THE ADDISON CENTER FOR THE ARTS [ACA] was recipient of numerous grants from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency during the past year to help further its mission to make the arts a vital part of community life in Addison.

MILLENNIUM ARTIST IN RESIDENCE PROJECT.....\$7,000.
LYRIC OPERA IN THE NEIGHBORHOODS.....\$1,000
ILLINOIS FIRST PROGRAM under GOVERNOR GEORGE RYAN.....\$10,000
[funding for infrastructure improvements for the future “home” for the ARTS in Addison.....Architectural design and consultants.]

The Illinois Arts Council’s mission is to serve the diverse people of communities in Illinois with quality, accessible arts programming through engaging in active support and development of Illinois artists, arts organizations, educational institutions and communities. The IAC has been supporting Addison’s art programming since 1982 through grants.

The ACA also received a \$5,025. Grant from DUPAGE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION for “THE MAGIC FLUTE” LYRIC OPERA IN THE NEIGHBORHOODS performances. The mission of the DuPage Community foundation is to develop and channel philanthropy to meet the emerging, changing and ongoing needs of the people of DuPage County.

The ADDISON CULTURAL ARTS DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION was recipient of \$15,360 in grants for the Artist-In-Education Program and General Operating support from IAC this fiscal year. These funds in addition to those provided by the Village of Addison and the local schools involved [Addison Trail H.S., Concord Lutheran school and Lincoln and Stone Schools] benefited both children and adults in the community.

Grants are receives on a regular basis by the Addison Community Band, Addison Children’s Theatre and Addison Art Guild. Annette Leiber has been writing grants on behalf of all Addison’s arts organizations since 1982.

Addison Art Guild

SPRING MEMBERS’ EXHIBIT – Original art work by members of the Addison Art Guild will be on display and for sale during its Spring Members’ Exhibit. Approximately seventy-five works will be on display including oils, watercolors, acrylics, mixed media, photography, pastels, pottery and sculptures.

Dates: May 8 - 19, 2001
Place: Addison Village Hall, One Friendship Plaza
in the Rotunda
Admission: FREE to the public
Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday
10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday, May 12
10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday, May 19
Reception/Critique: Friday, May 11, 2001, 7:00 to 9:00 P.M.



This triptych felt mural hangs in the Addison Village Hall, done by artists from the Addison Art Guild during the ACA Millennium A.I.R. project.

From the Mayor's Desk ...



For most of the projects that our Village employees work toward, our residents see the immediate benefits – street repairs, snow removal, etc.

There is much work that is done behind the scenes, though, that benefit our residents without their really being aware.

In the past year, the Village of Addison's general obligation bond rating was upgraded by two different bond rating agencies, due to the hard work of our finance and administration department staffs.

In June 2000, Fitch IBCA upgraded the Village from AA to AA+.

Then in December, Standard and Poor's rated the Village AA, up from AA-.

Two bond ratings, two increases, one year. Simply being upgraded at all is a difficult task for some towns. However, Addison earned the prestige of multiple raises.

But what does this financial talk mean for the Village?

The bond rating boost gives Addison a stronger financial backbone. It will assist the Village in gaining more competitive interest rates. This, in the long run, means we end up saving more money – more of your tax dollars – and putting those funds into projects that benefit all of our residents.

These achievements may not be as readily noticed as some of the others, but in the long run, they are every bit as important to our community and to our residents, and help to make more projects possible.

Respectfully,

Larry Hartwig
Larry Hartwig
Mayor

Police Department Opens its 'New' Doors

Most Village employees have been enjoying their new working quarters for several months now, but those who work in the Police Department had to wait until this spring to settle into their new facilities.

Some areas of the department are unpacking for the third time in two years, necessitated by the massive remodeling of the second floor, then first floor offices.

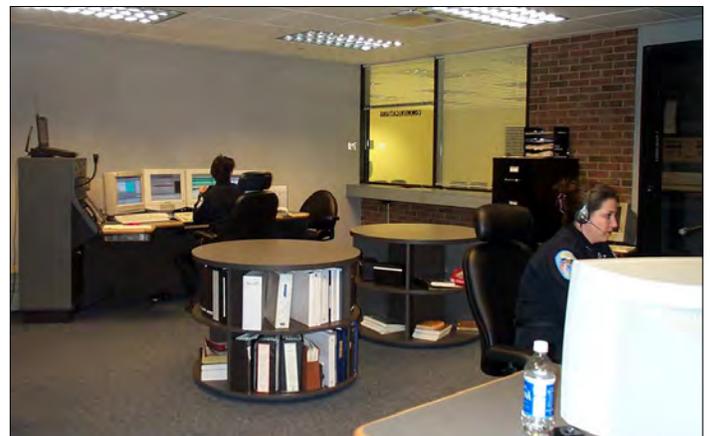
In fact, for more than six months, most of the public never entered the actual police department building, as the receptionist and administration were temporarily located inside the new Village Hall.

Those who came to speak to officers entered the Village Hall rotunda, and met with officers there, giving many residents the impression that the Police were now located inside the same municipal building.

Not so. The "new" Police Department boasts an expanded lobby, with conveniently located conferencing areas. The most frequently visited officers, such as those in the Crime Prevention unit, are nearby.

Communications and Records departments are still adjacent to the lobby, but with expanded and better

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Communications personnel handle 911 calls and communicate with patrol officers using new, state-of-the-art computerized system in the remodeled Police Department. Major construction work was completed in early spring, allowing officers to move into their new offices.

Concerts in the Park

Addison's Summer Concert Series has been named one of the "top ten" in the Chicago suburbs.

Ten concerts in the park are held on Tuesday evenings from June 12 through Aug. 14.

Bring a lawn chair or blanket and a picnic dinner, and enjoy these free "Concerts in the Park," sponsored by the Addison Cultural Arts Development Commission, Addison Center for the Arts and partially funded by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency.

Concerts are held in the Village green, east of the Village Hall, at One Friendship Plaza. In case of rain, concerts will take place inside Village Hall, in the rotunda.

For more information, call 543-4100.

- June 12 Addison Community Band,
7 p.m.
- June 19 Addison Community Band,
7 p.m.
- June 26 Addison Community Band,
7 p.m.
- July 3 Addison Community Band,
7 p.m.
- July 10 Addison Community Band,
7 p.m.
- July 17 Limited Edition Big Band,
7:30 p.m.
- July 24 Limited Edition Big Band,
7:30 p.m.
- July 31 Limited Edition Big Band,
7:30 p.m.
- Aug. 7 Limited Edition Big Band,
7:30 p.m.
- Aug. 14 Banjo Buddies Dixieland Band,
7 p.m.

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HOTLINE
800-435-9569**

Fun Run and Bike Rally Make for Day Full of Safe Fun



**Police
Beat**

Mark your calendar now for Saturday, June 9, because a day full of fun is planned by the Addison Police Crime Prevention Section.

Whether you like to walk, run, ride your bike or all of the above, there's something for you at the D.A.R.E. Fun Run and Walk and the Police Bike Safety Rally.

D.A.R.E. Fun Run and Walk

The Crime Prevention Section, in conjunction with Addison School District 4, will host this non-competitive 5K run or one-mile walk at 9 a.m.

Dogs, in-line skates, tricycles, big wheels and a fun attitude are welcome – families are encouraged to participate together.

Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. at Centennial Park, 1776 Centennial Place. The race route will be in the park on walking paths.

Numerous items will be raffled off. Prizes are awarded based upon participation, not performance. Come join us for this safe, drug-free event.

Bike Rally

Shortly after the completion of the run, the Police Department will hold its annual Bike Rally at the same location.

It is an opportunity for young children, targeted for ages 3 through 12, to compete at a bike safety rally, from 10:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.

Participants will use their own bicycle to complete a riders course. After completing the course they will take a written test. The winners will be based on the score of both tests.

Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in the following age groups: 3-5, 6-8, and 9-12.

Helmets are encouraged and extra points are awarded for their use.

For more information about either of these events, contact Officer Olson at 693-7931 or Officer Miller at 693-7930.

The Addison Police Crime Prevention Section has a variety of programs to educate citizens in taking part in preventing crime in their neighborhoods and at their place of business. Contact the Crime Prevention Section to request a presentation, information about a specific program and about crime conditions in your neighborhood. If you have a complaint about a member of the Addison Police Department, contact any one of the police department supervisors to voice your complaint and to fill out the appropriate personnel complaint forms. The Addison Police Department investigates all complaints against its employees in an effort to maintain highest level of professional service to the community.

Police Department

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organized offices.

Communications Operations, comprising the 911 dispatchers and radio equipment to contact officers on patrol, is truly state-of-the-art. All equipment in this area was replaced at a cost of \$350,000, comprising two integrated, computerized systems.

The 911 system is part of the countywide E-911 system. "The new system is completely computerized, which gives us several advantages," said Communications Director Rick Ferraro. "Most importantly, it gives us immediate capture of the phone number and address, so if a person calls '911' and hangs up, we can tell who called."

The radio system will make life easier for communications personnel, along with the officers on the street, Ferraro said.

"This system is much easier to

operate, and gives us a much cleaner signal," he said. In testing the system, officers immediately noticed a difference, he said.

While all police employees will enjoy the benefits of new offices, the Communications department benefits the residents, said Police Chief Mel Mack.

"Newly painted walls and new office furniture are nice, but serving residents quickly in a time of need is really why we're here," he said. "These systems help us do that."

The department also has a new address – Three Friendship Plaza – located next door to the Village Hall at One Friendship Plaza.

Visitors to either building may now park in the main parking lot on the west side, as the main entrance to Village Hall is now open to the public, too. Visitors to the traffic court enter through the police department.

New Greeting

Visitors and callers to the Village may have noticed a new face and new voice greeting them.



**Marlene
Larson**

Marlene Larson, who worked as a Records Clerk in the Police Department for the past 6½ years, has taken over as the Village receptionist.

Carol Pokorney, who held the position for five years, retired in February.

Marlene said she made the move for the opportunity to learn something new – however, she already has experience with the Village, having worked part time in the Administration Department before serving in the Police Department.

A Bit of Addison History

Have you ever wondered how subdivisions and streets were named?

Addison's Friars Cove subdivision, located just north of Army Trail Road between Lombard and Mill roads, was named after its developer's high school athletic team, the Fenwick Friars.

This large residential area was developed in the late 1960s and early 1970s. The Friars Lodge, however, which is located within the subdivision, was built in the 1950s, and was originally used as a hunting lodge.

Streets within the subdivision – Baynard Road, Compton Point, Haddon Place, Kingston Drive, Gramercy Lane and Rugeley Court – were named after the developer's favorite high school teachers.

For further information, visit the subdivision's website at www.friarscove.com, or visit the Addison Historical Museum at 135 Army Trail Road. The museum is open Saturdays from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.



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Engineering, zoning, building permits, code enforcement 693-7530

Community Relations

Cable television, public relations, website information 693-7550

Public Works

Streets, water, street lights, tree trimming, branch pickup 620-2020

After-hours Request for Service

Street lights, sign repair 693-7980

Environmental Services

Recycling, sewer backups, flood control 279-2140

Police (Non-Emergency)

Traffic violations, crime prevention, stray animals 543-3080



Kids' Theatre Workshop

The Addison Theatre Guild and Cultural Arts Development Commission will hold the seventh annual Musical Theatre Workshop for children ages 8 to 12.

The five-week session starts June 26, and meets Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Students must attend all sessions, which culminate in two night performances on July 27 and 28.

The workshop is limited to 25 students, so sign up now at the Addison Park District, 120 E. Oak St. The cost is \$50 per child.

The workshop will be led by a professional theater director and music director, and two apprentices. They will incorporate acting, dancing, singing, physical and mental exercises and rehearsal techniques through an environment that will be both educational and fun for children.



Solicitation complaints noted

Village of Addison officials have received complaints from residents in the recent past, especially from senior citizens and business owners, about telephone solicitation. Some people are being led to believe that money is being solicited on behalf of the Addison Police Department.

The Village of Addison and the Addison Police Department have authorized no one to solicit funds on behalf of the Police Department or the Village.

The Attorney General has begun indicting telemarketing firms improperly representing themselves and/or the purpose for which they were collecting funds.

Complaints or inquiries regarding telephone solicitation may be filed by contacting the Office of the Village Manager, Village of Addison, at 543-4100, ext. 7510.

Please document as much information about the solicitation call as possible. With the caller's permission, complaints will be referred to the Illinois Attorney General's Office.



Volunteers needed

The People Educating People (PEP) Volunteer Program at College of DuPage is seeking volunteers to work with adults as tutor-aides in English as a second language (ESL) classes.

Classes are held Tuesday/Thursday nights at Indian Trail Junior High and 4 mornings and evenings at the Addison Center.

The next 14-hour training series will be held on August 4, 11 and 18. For more information call (630) 942-3794.

June 2001

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Unless otherwise noted, meetings are held at the following locations:

Village of Addison - One Friendship Plaza 543-4100

Addison School District 4 - 222 N. Kennedy Drive 628-2500

Addison Public Library - Two Friendship Plaza 543-3617

Addison Fire Protection District - 10 S. Addison Road 628-3100

					1	2 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
3	4 VILLAGE - Finance & Policy Committee 6:30 p.m. Cultural Arts 6:30 p.m. Board Meeting 8 p.m.	5 LIBRARY - Book Discussion, 7:30 p.m.	6 VILLAGE - Advisory Liquor Commission 7:30 p.m. FIRE DISTRICT - Board Meeting 7 p.m. HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 12 - 3 p.m.	7 VILLAGE - Senior Citizens Commission 6:30 p.m. Citizens Advisory Council 8 p.m. DISTRICT 4 - Last Day of School	8	9 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. LIBRARY - Summer Reading Begins Breakfast with Addie, 9:30 a.m.
10	11 VILLAGE - Pub. Health, Safety & Judicial 6:30 p.m. Building, Zoning & Development 7 p.m.	12 VILLAGE - Commercial & Indust. Cmsn. 10 a.m. LIBRARY - Board Meeting 7:30 p.m.	13 VILLAGE - Plan Commission 7:30 p.m. HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 12 - 3 p.m.	14 Flag Day VILLAGE - Community Council 7:30 p.m. 	15	16 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
17 Father's Day 	18 VILLAGE - Finance & Policy Committee 6:30 p.m. Board Meeting 8 p.m.	19	20 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 12 - 3 p.m.	21 VILLAGE - Zoning Board 8 p.m.	22	23 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
24	25 VILLAGE - Pub. Health, Safety & Judicial 6:30 p.m. Building, Zoning & Development 7 p.m. LIBRARY - Begin with Books, 10 a.m. Chess, 2 p.m.	26 LIBRARY - Sunny Tuesdays, 10 a.m. Addison Puppeteers, (Gr. 1-4) 1:30 p.m.; (Gr. 5-8) 3:30 p.m.	27 LIBRARY - Book Party, 11 a.m. Crafty Characters, 2 p.m. Animal Encounters with Dr. Robert James 7 p.m. HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 12 - 3 p.m.	28 LIBRARY - Thursday Thrills, 10:30 a.m. Kreative Kids, 1 p.m. Bedtime Stories, 7 p.m.	29	30 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

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Summer Time Brings Lots to Do! Get Out and Have Fun!

Event	Date/Time	Location	Contact
 Spring Fling Carnival	May 9 - 13	Big K-Mart parking lot Lake St. & Rohlwing Road	Dee Hanrahan 543-4300
 AAIC Casino Night	May 11	Alta Villa 430 N. Addison Road	Dee Hanrahan 543-4300
 ALS Tag Days	May 18 & 19 All day	Please give generously at locatinos throughout town	Tony Fiacchino 629-7216
 VFW Poppy Days	May 25 & 26 All day	Please give generously at locatinos throughout town	Tony Fiacchino 629-7216
 Memorial Day Ceremony	May 28 10:30 a.m.	Veterans Memorial Corner of Army Trail & JFK Drive	628-9804
 D.A.R.E. Fun Run & Bike Safety Rally	June 9 9 a.m. Fun Run 10:30 a.m. Rally	Centennial Park 1776 Centennial Place	Crime Prevention 543-3080
 Concerts in the Park	June 12, 19 & 26	Village Green One Friendship Plaza	Annette Leiber 543-4100
 AAIC Golf Outing & Dinner	June 14 Tee times begin 7 a.m.	Bloomingdale Golf Course	Dee Hanrahan 543-4300
 Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast	June 24 8 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Driscoll Catholic H.S. 555 N. Lombard Road	Bill Herman 543-5892

This information, provided by event coordinators, was compiled by the Village of Addison Community Relations Department on March 19, 2001. Details are subject to change without notice. Tune to Addison Community Television Channel 10 for the latest information, or check out our website at www.AddisonAdvantage.org