



Spotlight on Addison



Summer 2005

Lincoln School students work on a mural, as part of the Artist in Residence Program. Sponsored by the Cultural Arts Development Commission, the program also brings artist Ginny Sykes to Army Trail and St. Joseph schools this year.

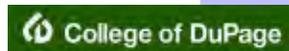
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DISTRICT 4 - Teacher Appreciation Week							
8 <i>Mother's Day</i> 	9 VILLAGE - Pub. Health, Safety & Judicial 6:30 p.m. Building, Zoning & Development 7 p.m.	10 VILLAGE - Commercial & Indust. Cmsn. 10 a.m.	11 VILLAGE - Plan Commission 7:30 p.m. LIBRARY - Fireside Chat with FDR, 1 p.m. DISTRICT 88 - CAC Meeting, 7 p.m.	12 VILLAGE - Community Council 7:30 p.m. LIBRARY - Internet Basics, 7 p.m. ATHS - Spring Band Concert	13 LIBRARY - Internet Basics, 10 a.m.	14 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. LIBRARY - Fly Away, Butterflies, 11 a.m.	
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ATHS - Spring Art Show							
15	16 VILLAGE - Finance & Policy Committee 6:30 p.m. Board Meeting 7:30 p.m. DISTRICT 88 - Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.	17 DISTRICT 4 - Board Meeting, 7 p.m. at Village Hall LIBRARY - Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m. ATHS - Freshman Studies Education Fair	18	19 VILLAGE - Zoning Board 8 p.m. DISTRICT 4 - Retirement Dinner LIBRARY - Searching the Internet, 7 p.m. ATHS - Spring Choir Concert	20 LIBRARY - Searching the Internet, 10 a.m. ATHS - Prom	21 Armed Forces Day HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.	
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29	30 Memorial Day VILLAGE and LIBRARY - Closed DISTRICT 4 and ATHS - No School	31 DISTRICT 4 - Board Meeting, 7 p.m.					

Meetings are held at the following locations and air on ACTV Channel 6:
 Village of Addison - One Friendship Plaza LIVE
 Addison School District 4 - 222 N. Kennedy Drive Following week
 Addison Public Library - Two Friendship Plaza Following week
 Addison Fire Protection District - 10 S. Addison Road
 DuPage H.S. Dist. 88 - 101 W. Highridge Rd. Villa Park Check schedule

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4 EDUCATION

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Striving to be the best

In District 4 our goal is to provide the students the best possible education we can. We take this goal very seriously. The district has nine clearly stated objectives that emphasize the basic academic skills and enable students to achieve:

1. Gain the skills and knowledge necessary to pursue an appropriate career or vocation.
2. Develop an awareness of self, of one's characteristics, motivations, values, abilities, and acquire a sense of personal fulfillment.
3. Gain proficiency in recognizing and defining problems and to think critically, objectively, and creatively.
4. Understand the community, state, country, and the world and strive to be effective, productive citizens in a democracy.
5. Obtain skills, attitudes, and understandings for effective group interaction.
6. Communicate ideas effectively and be receptive to the ideas of others.
7. Acquire knowledge and attitudes basic to the development and maintenance of good physical and mental health.
8. Gain an appreciation for the arts, the motivation to create, and the criteria to evaluate.
9. Develop zeal for continuous learning and self improvement.

To achieve these goals the staff and administrators, with support from parents, have implemented a variety of programs and activities. All of these programs--some of which are listed below-- are designed to encourage the skills necessary to be a successful adult.

Parent Web Page – The District 4 web page, www.asd4.org, is filled with resources that support parents. With each new curriculum adoption, parents can find the following to assist their child:

- Vocabulary words and definitions
- Web Resources for additional support
- General pacing chart or sequence guide
- Hotlink to the Illinois State Board of Education
- Hotlink to links offered by the publishing company



Wesley School's Student Council led a school assembly celebrating the 100th day of school.

Staff Training – Just like in any business setting, employees constantly work to learn new skills. In schools, teachers are engaged in learning the most up-to-date teaching strategies, computer software, and appropriate use of new computer hardware and textbooks.

Summer School – Available to “At Risk” students in grades K – 6 in the areas of reading and math. Students will attend school three hours a day for a total of 25 days. The sessions focus on reading and math skills.

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Bell to Bell

View from the
Addison School District 4
Superintendent



The winter of 2005 was very pleasant for Addison 4 Elementary District. There were only a few days of significant snow and ice that had to be addressed by our maintenance crew. As my first year at Addison 4 winds down, I continue to be impressed by our dedicated teaching staff who go out of their way to make Addison 4 students successful. The Addison community is very fortunate to experience such dedication and commitment by all teaching and non-teaching staff.

I, also, have been very pleased with the positive relationships Addison District 4 has with the Village of Addison, Addison Park District, Addison Fire Protection District and Addison Trail High School. We have a number of shared programs operating in all the schools with these agencies. Working together in partnership can only result in better services for students and their parents.

This last winter and current spring the Board of Education will be reviewing and accepting construction bids for our summer projects. Ardmore, Fullerton and Army Trail schools will be basically completed this summer with additional renovation work taking place in all other buildings. The biggest outside renovation will begin at Indian Trail Junior High School. Our junior high will have the back parking lot totally redone and a front driveway will be constructed. The junior high outside work and inside renovations will be completed over the next two summers.

As many of you are aware, the district administered the Illinois State Achievement Tests (ISAT) in March and we hope to get the results back by early summer. Addison 4 is committed to addressing all state standards and the federal No Child Left Behind requirements. Please contact any building principal or me with questions and concerns.

We are looking forward to the spring weather and the good "things" that flourish in the spring.

Best wishes,

*Dr. A. Donald Hendricks
Superintendent*

Artists create murals



Students at Army Trail and Lincoln Schools have spent time creating projects with muralist Ginny Sykes, this year's visiting artist in the Artist in Residence Program. The program is funded by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency, and the Addison Cultural Arts Development Commission. Each school also makes a \$500 donation to the program. Sykes worked for 5 weeks with students at Lincoln and St. Joseph and for 16 weeks with students at Army Trail. The project created at Army Trail is a ceramic tile mosaic mural for the wall of the school's outdoor courtyard. Lincoln's mural is an indoor display and was created using acrylic paints on masonite panels

Music groups excel

The Indian Trail music department has once again earned recognition for its top quality musical groups. Each year, the upper level bands, orchestras and chorus participate in Illinois Grade School Music Association (IGSMA) contests. For these contests, large group ensembles prepare musical pieces that they perform for three judges. Based upon how well they perform, they receive ratings of I, II, or III. One of the judges also gives the students a short clinic after they are finished performing. Students in ensembles that earn a Division I or II rating receive a medal for their participation. Groups that receive a Division I rating at the District Contest move onto the State Contest in April (May for Jazz bands), which follows the same format.

This year the Jazz Ensemble, I.T. Big Band, Symphonic Band and Chamber Orchestra all earned the top rating, qualifying for the State competition.

2005-06 registration deadline at hand



May 6 is the last date for parents to send in registration and fees in order to guarantee classroom and bus route placement for their children for the first day of school next fall, September 1, 2005. Registration packets were distributed to families in mid-April.

School supply lists will be issued at the end of the school year with report cards. School calendars and PTA information will be mailed out later in summer.

In an effort to make fee payment and collection more convenient for parents, District 4 is again accepting MasterCard or VISA for credit card payment of fees--registration fees, bus payments, music and athletic participation fees and more. Parents can pay online at the District 4 Web Store at www.asd4.org. For those wishing to pay in person, credit card payments will also be accepted at school offices on selected dates.

Health/immunization requirements

Please note the following health and immunization requirements for the 2005-06 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.

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.

Children will be excluded from school for the 2005-06 school year until their immunizations and physical exams are current.

Immunizations are available from the DuPage County Health Department for \$10 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.

The Addison walk-in Immunization Clinic is available on Tuesdays from 3-6:30 p.m.
(except for the first Tuesday of each month when there is no clinic):



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

Clinics are also available in Wheaton on Thursdays. Call (630)682-7560 for Wheaton information.

Gifted workshops held at Stone

In March, District 4 hosted two information sessions for parents and educators of gifted children. Dr. Jim Delisle presented "The Top 10 Strategies and Suggestions for Raising a Happy and Successful Gifted Child" to an audience of about 130 area parents. He also presented an all-day teacher institute session to 40 teachers from throughout DuPage County on March 4. Dr. Delisle is a Professor of Education at Kent State University, part-time teacher of gifted students, and well-known speaker and author of 11 books and more than 200 articles. Much of his writing focuses on the social and emotional needs of gifted students.

In his parent session, Delisle reviewed ten strategies that he and others have used to help parents of gifted children better understand the complex life of the gifted child. Issues related to how a gifted child's intensities impact relationships at home and school were also reviewed and followed by a question/answer session.

For more information on gifted education, contact teacher Sue Ortale, 458-2953.

**May 1 - 7
is
Teacher
Appreciation
Week**

Thank a teacher who
has had an impact
on your life!

Thank you, Culver's!



Culver's Restaurant in Addison hosted three CHARACTER COUNTS! luncheons for District 4 students who were chosen as examples of good character. Culver's provided free lunches for 158 students and adults over a three-day period. Many thanks to owner Phil Adler for supporting this character development program!



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After School Tutoring – Available to “At Risk” students in grades 1-5. The program is designed to assist students who are below level in reading. Students will work in a structured program for 3 one-hour sessions per week.

Junior High Sports - An important part of developing physical skills and teamwork, Indian Trail students have the opportunity to participate in competitive conference sports: cross country, basketball, wrestling, volleyball and track.

D.A.R.E. Program - Drug Abuse Education programs teach children resistance techniques to avoid the pressures of drug use and other negative behaviors. D.A.R.E. programs are taught by members of the Addison Police Department.

CHARACTER COUNTS! - This nationwide character development initiative has been adopted by the Addison Community. District 4 schools teach students the importance of developing and displaying good character in all aspects of life.

Young Authors - The Young Authors program encourages students to develop creative writing skills outside of the classroom. Students whose writing entries are chosen as winners participate in a statewide conference held in Normal, IL.

Band and Orchestra programs - 5th through 8th grade students can participate in the district's instrumental music programs. Instruction is given in small group and ensemble settings.

Gifted Program – The gifted education program in Addison School District #4 challenges students to become self-directed, life long learners through a diverse and flexible curriculum. The gifted program is an extension of the regular classroom curriculum where students extend their learning through challenging and motivating activities. Gifted education teachers work with students in the classroom setting to provide differentiated instruction. In grade four, students are identified. (Students identified in grade four continue in the gifted education program through grade five. All students are reevaluated for gifted instruction at the junior high.)

At the junior high, all gifted students are scheduled in one section. Within this section the gifted students are grouped with other junior high students.

Technology – Students have the opportunity to learn a variety of software tools that include Power Point, Excel and Word. Students also learn research strategies through use of the Internet. Each school has computer labs and each classroom has, on average, three computers to support instruction.

Student Council – This student government organization focuses on offering leadership and service opportunities for students in grades 1 through 8.

The following staff members are retiring at the end of the 2004-05 school year. Many thanks for all the years of service to the students of District 4!

Norb Banaszynski
Dan Bennett
Jane Burnham
Mario Corona
Pat Hall
Cathy Hettinger
Linda Kilcullen
Larry Kohn
Betty Ludwig
Lydia Piwowarczyk
Grace Stella
Sue Sturm
Barb Sweazey
Paula Ulreich

We wish these teachers all the best!



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<http://www.dupage88.net>

Summer School Learning Eases Transition

Addison Trail High School will be offering an intensive **6-week summer school for incoming freshman** to develop skills in the **core subjects of math and reading**. The program is designed to prepare students for high school level classes and **provide them with the skills necessary to succeed**.

Scheduled four days a week and **dedicating 90 minutes in each content area**, the summer school program will be hosted in June and July for the third consecutive year. Students are selected to participate in the program based on their **qualifying scores on the EXPLORE exam** administered in January. This standardized test **identifies students' academic strengths and weaknesses** and also helps to determine course selections during high school.

The **small class sizes and individualized attention** given to each subject during summer school provides students with unique learning **opportunities to master**



the required skills. The students are grouped by their abilities and the **curriculum involves both teacher led strategies and computer-based applications**.

District 88 faculty members from Addison Trail and Willowbrook High Schools teach the summer school courses. The

program is conducted on an annual rotating schedule between the schools and Villa Park-based **Willowbrook will serve as the site this year**. Addison students receive transportation to summer school which runs **Mondays through Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon**.

The **results from previous years have been significant** and provide clear evidence of the success of the program. On average, students have **increased two grade levels of learning** in math and reading. Nearly 125 Addison Trail **students in the Class of 2009** are expected to participate this summer and **develop their skills to be better prepared for high school**.

Serving Parents Through Outreach Initiatives

One of the primary goals of the Citizens' Advisory Committee at Addison Trail High School has been **increasing parent participation** this year. The **support and involvement of parents leads the way for student excellence** both in and out of the classroom. Representation in booster clubs including athletics, music, theatre, and the teacher-parent organization (T.P.O.) has **increased by 200%**.

While the growth has been beneficial and rewarding, Addison Trail recognized a **critical need to reach non-English speaking parents**. Members of the faculty and staff partnered together with professionals in the Addison community, **business owner Alfredo Diaz of La Huerta and community member Marco Gasca**, to organize and promote three Latino Family Nights. Hosted at the high school, these parent sessions were **conducted entirely in Spanish**. The evening was designed to assess the

needs of parents and determine how to **engage them in the school environment**.

The outcome of this first time initiative has led to the **development of valuable programs to meet the needs of diverse cultures**. Since January, Addison Trail has been used as a satellite site for College of DuPage to **host free English as a Second Language (ESL) classes** for adults. COD has also conducted seminars at the high school to provide Spanish-speaking parents with resources for financial aid and exploring post-secondary education.

Future **opportunities to serve the needs of Latino parents** include offering technology classes, immigration law presentations, and banking classes to open and maintain financial accounts.

Addison Trail is seeking local and national grants to help **fund these programs as they experience continued growth and success**.

Welcome to the College of DuPage Addison Regional Center

Summer quarter 2005
(630) 942-4600

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Saturday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Closed Sunday

Computer Lab Hours:

Monday to Thursday,
9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Friday, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Saturday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Closed Sunday

College of DuPage Addison Regional Center

301 S. Swift Road
Addison, IL 60101
(630) 942-4600
www.cod.edu/RegionalCtrs



College of DuPage Addison Regional Center at Technology Center of DuPage is located on the east side of Swift Road, north of North Avenue and south of Army Trail Road. Swift Road is approximately 3/4 mile west of Route 53 or I-355.



QUARTER TO SEMESTER CONVERSION

College of DuPage is converting from a quarter to semester system in August 2005. Summer quarter 2005 will be the last time quarter credit courses will be offered. Students are urged to meet with their academic adviser or stop by the Counseling and Advising Center in the Student Resource Center (SRC), Room 2044, on the Glen Ellyn campus. Or, students can also call the Addison Regional Center at (630) 942-4600 to make an appointment with one of our counselors who can help with any questions.

SUMMER QUARTER BEGINS JUNE 6 OPEN REGISTRATION BEGINS MAY 20

Services

- Counseling, assessment and testing
- Career, life transition and personal development counseling
- Computer access to the C.O.D. Library
- Transfer of library books and other materials from the regional center back to the C.O.D. Library
- Open computer lab available to students and the community
- Pre-course testing
- Textbook sales only during the first week of every quarter
- On-site registration for returning students

Math Assistance:

Saturday 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Monday 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Writing Assistance:

Monday 6 to 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday 6 to 8:30 p.m.

Academic Counseling

Appointments Available:

Tuesday 6 to 9 p.m.
Wednesday 6 to 9 p.m.
Thursday 6 to 9 p.m.
Saturday 9 a.m. to noon

Please call 942-4600 to make a counseling appointment or to inquire about services and classes at the Addison Regional Center. Our staff is here to assist you and answer your questions.

THE LIBRARY LOWDOWN!

THE NEWSLETTER
FROM THE
ADDISON
PUBLIC LIBRARY



MAY/JUNE, 2005

Two Friendship Plaza
Addison, Illinois 60101

Main Telephone:
(630) 543-3617

Information Services:
(630) 458-3318

Readers' Services:
(630) 458-3320

Children's Services:
(630) 458-3338

Circulation: (630) 458-3326

Hours: M-Th, 9-9; F, through May,
9-6; F, June-Labor Day, 9-5;
Sa, 9-5; Su, through May 22, 1-5;
Su, May 29-Labor Day, Closed

Website:

www.addisonlibrary.org

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REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR PROGRAMS

unless otherwise noted.
Register by phone at the
Fiction Desk, 458-3320, or
through our Website with
your Addison Public
Library card.

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.

Summer Reading: Teens and Adults Read for Fun and Prizes

Saturday, June 4 – Saturday, July 30

Wander the World — Read! This year Summer Reading begins June 4. Teens and adults 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.

The first 450 teens and adults to register will receive a blue, acrylic paper clip holder and five video bucks, each good for one free feature film rental. The first 300 who finish will earn an Addison Public Library key ring. Everyone who completes the program will receive an entry into the Grand Prize drawing.

The rules are few; the rewards are many. From June 4 through July 30, read or listen to a total of six selections from the fiction, nonfiction, teen, or unabridged audiobook collections to qualify for the Grand Prize Drawing. Participants select whatever interests them. 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 read for a \$50 bookstore gift certificate. Grand Prizes for both clubs were donated by Lipinski and Associates, Ltd., 1425 Jeffrey Drive, Addison. The final drawings will be held on Wednesday, August 3.

For this year's monthly drawings, entries are limited to the SIX titles needed to complete the program. You may turn entries in one at a time or all at the same time. Earn one bonus entry when you read an additional book from one of our booklists. 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. **Wander the World — Read!**



Summer Hours Begin May 29

New Business Center Opens

The Adult Services Department has a new Business Center. The two new computers have four databases for business, investment, and educational research.

Two of the databases, **Morningstar** and **ValueLine**, are for investment research and are updated daily. **Morningstar** will help you with researching mutual funds; **ValueLine** will help you find which stocks are perfect for you.

Another database, **Reference USA**, has phone book listings of businesses and individuals. If you want a list of all the businesses in Addison with more than five employees or the phone number of your high school sweetheart, **Reference USA** is the database for you.

Finally, **Learnatest** allows you to practice for standardized tests such as the ACT and GMAT. You can also develop your math and writing skills.

Addison Public Library card holders may access **Reference USA** and **Learnatest** outside of the Library through our Website (www.addisonlibrary.org).

There is no time limit on these computers in the Library unless others are waiting to use them. Adult Services staff members are available to help if you have any questions about the databases.



A NEWSLETTER FROM
YOUR FRIENDS AT
ADDISON PUBLIC
LIBRARY



WELCOME TO OUR E-NEWSLETTER

To get our bimonthly e-Newsletter, all we need is your name and e-mail address.

We hope you will enjoy learning more about the Addison Public Library.

Name _____

E-mail address _____

Clip out and return to any public service desk.

REGISTER FOR ADULT PROGRAMS AT THE FICTION DESK, 458-3320.

Challenge a Chess Grand Master

We hope to once again bring a chess Grand Master to the Library for you to challenge. However, the plans have not been solidified in time for this publication. Call the Library, 543-3617, for the name of this year's Grand Master and the date and time of play, or check on our Website (www.addisonlibrary.org).

Ask the Gardener

Tuesdays; June 7, 14, 21, 28; 6-8 p.m.

Do you wonder why your favorite azalea bush did not bloom this spring? Or, what is that weird-looking bug on your cucumber plants? Bring all your gardening questions to the Master Gardeners from the University of Illinois Extension, who will set up a Help Desk in the lobby of the Library each Tuesday evening in June. Garden samples are always welcome. In addition to answering your questions, they will have brochures and other pertinent information available.



A Fireside Chat with FDR

Wednesday, May 11, 1 p.m., \$3 per person, Addison Park District, 120 E. Oak Street

The Library and the Addison Park District Seniors Club are cosponsoring "A Fireside Chat with FDR." President Franklin D. Roosevelt, portrayed by RJ Lindsey, speaks about politics, the Depression, the arts, polio, and the war. He comments on taxes, international relations, the needs of the people: issues as important today as they were 60 years ago. Laugh with him as he tells stories about Congress, Churchill, King George VI, and Eleanor. At the conclusion of his chat, the President invites audience questions.



RJ Lindsey is a professional actor who has created 23 historical characters that have been seen throughout the United States. He has portrayed Roosevelt at the Democratic National Convention in Chicago, at the Smithsonian Institution's National Museum of American History, and in Winston Churchill's Underground War Rooms in London.

The program will be presented at the Park District, 120 E. Oak Street. The nonrefundable fee of \$3 per person includes refreshments and is due at the time of registration. Tickets must be purchased in person and are available at both the Library, 458-3320, and the Park District, 833-0100.

Closings

Memorial Day
Monday, May 30

Summer Hours

Beginning Sunday, May 29, the Library is closed.

Beginning Friday, June 3, the Library is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Board Meetings

Tuesday, May 17, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Jun. 21, 7:30 p.m.

Computer Classes

Preference is given to Addison Public Library Card holders.

Computer Basics
Thursday, May 5, 6:30 p.m.
Friday, May 6, 10 a.m.

Internet Basics
Thursday, May 12, 7 p.m.
Friday, May 13, 10 a.m.

Internet Searching
Thursday, May 19, 7 p.m.
Friday, May 20, 10 a.m.

E-mail
Thursday, May 26, 7 p.m.

Microsoft Word
Friday, May 27, 10 a.m.

Book Discussions

Pope Joan
by Donna Woolfolk Cross
Tuesday, May 3, 7 p.m.

Devil in the White City
by Erik Larson
Tuesday, June 7, 7 p.m.

Movies

National Treasure
Monday, May 23, 10 a.m.
or 1:30 p.m.

In Good Company
Tuesday, May 24, 7 p.m.

In Good Company
Monday, June 27, 10 a.m.
or 1:30 p.m.

In Good Company
Tuesday, June 28, 7 p.m.

KIDDING AROUND

In the Library children under the age of 9 must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

Story Times

Weeks of June 13-July 25
No Story Times the week of July 4

Registration Begins May 28

➔ BEGIN WITH BOOKS

Birth-35 months with an adult

Thursdays, 10-10:30 a.m.

➔ SUPER SUNNY DAYS

All ages

Mondays, 10-10:45 a.m. or

Tuesdays, 10-10:45 a.m.

➔ CRAFTY CHARACTERS

Entering Grades K-2

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

Drop-in Crafts

Friday, June 17, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.: Sand Art Craft

All ages

No registration required

Chess

Thursdays, June 23-August 11, 1:30-3 p.m.

Entering Grades 3-8

Registration begins June 11

Improv in the Afternoon

Wednesdays, 1:30-3 p.m.

Entering Grades 2-8

Registration begins June 25, Practice begins July 13.

All Children's Services' programs are free.

Registration is required and is limited to Addison Public Library card holders, unless otherwise noted. Register online through our Website (www.addisonlibrary.org). To register by phone, call the Ask Me Desk, 458-3338.



Summer Reading: Superheroes Read!

Registration Dates: Saturday, June 4-Friday, July 29

Dates to Collect prizes: Monday, June 13-Saturday, July 30

Ages: Birth-entering 8th grade with a valid Addison Library Card. Children under 5 may register with a parent's or legal guardian's Addison Public Library card.

Prizes: Video bucks for registering; prizes for 5, 10, and 15 hours of reading; and a free book and event passes for 20 hours of reading.

REGISTER FOR CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS AT THE ASK ME DESK, 458-3338.

Prize Drawing

June 4-August 20

Check out children's books and receive a free ticket for a drawing to win fabulous prizes! More than 20 great prizes will be on display in Children's Services. Prize winners will be announced August 29.

Super Sports

Monday, June 13, 7-8 p.m.

All ages (Maximum 54)

Registration begins May 28

Relive the fun you've had playing sports. Hear fun sports stories, play games, and do sport crafts. Receive a gold medal for participating.



Wednesday Evenings of Family Fun

All ages (Maximum 96)

ANIMAL ENCOUNTERS, INC.

June 15, 7-8 p.m.

Tickets available beginning Saturday, May 28

Dr. Robert James—an eminent zoologist, teacher, author, and former zoo director—brings a variety of animals to the Library. Learn about and touch an ostrich, a python, a porcupine, an alligator, and many more.

DAVE HERZOG'S MARIONETTES: CLOWN ALLEY

June 29, 7-7:45 p.m.

Tickets available beginning June 18

Children and adults alike will be delighted by this dazzling variety show with skillful skaters, intrepid trapeze artists, daring acrobats, and toe-tapping dancers, all portrayed by a different type of clown marionette. Dave Herzog, a full-time professional puppeteer for 30 years, has performed thousands of shows, nationwide. Award-winning puppeteer Dave Herzog introduces children to the fine art of the marionette in a show guaranteed to leave them amazed, amused, and thoroughly enchanted.



Book Fun for Older Kids

CRAZY FOR CHAPTERS

First Session: Monday, June 20, 1:30-2:30 — *Adventures of Captain Underpants* by Dav Pilkey

Entering Grades 3-5 (Maximum 15)

Registration begins Saturday, June 11

Join us as we venture into the world of Captain Underpants. You'll get a taste of this sidesplitting series as we begin reading the first book together. We'll make a craft and play games. We'll provide you with your own copy of the book to finish at home.

X-TREME READERS

First Session: Monday, July 11, 1:30-2:30 — *Among the Hidden* by Margaret Peterson Haddix

Entering Grades 6-8 (Maximum 15)

Registration and book pickup begins Saturday, June 11

Join other "X-treme Readers" for an hour of book-powered fun. Each reader will receive a free copy (to keep) of the title for the session. We'll talk about the book, play games based on the book, and have snacks.

Fly Away, Butterflies

Sat., May 14, 11 a.m.-noon

All ages (Max. 54)

Registration begins April 30

Spring is here! Flowers are blooming, and caterpillars are turning into butterflies. We've enjoyed watching caterpillars grow and change into butterflies in our "Spotlight on ..." Center. Join us as we release our butterflies outside. Before we let them go, we will enjoy butterfly stories, games, and crafts to celebrate the occasion.





FLASHPOINT



News from the Addison Fire Protection District #1

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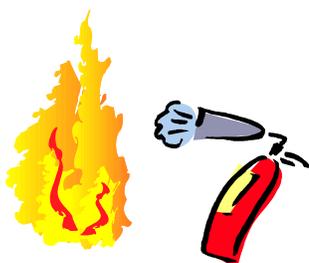
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Fire Extinguishers

It is important to have a multi-purpose fire extinguisher in key areas of your home. The garage, utility room, and kitchen are a few of these locations. An extinguisher in the trunk of your car is also a great idea. Make sure the extinguisher is easily accessible and will not be blocked by a fire. Finally, remember that fire extinguishers are meant for small fires only. If in doubt, evacuate the building and call 911.



Fire



Whether striking a match or roasting marshmallows around a campfire, we have all used fire at one time or another. It warms our homes, cooks our food and generally makes our modern life possible. On the other hand, to see the devastating side of fire we need only to watch the nightly news. There we can witness a fire destroy thousands of acres of land or a house fire that leaves a family in shambles. Fire can be either a close ally or deadly enemy.

Considering the impact that fire has on our lives, have you ever wondered what exactly is fire? What causes a fire to ignite, to grow, and finally to die? From these questions it almost seems that fire is a living, breathing thing. In many ways, it is! Like the human body, there are three things needed to support fire- fuel, oxygen, and heat.

Fuel is all around us. The gasoline in our car, the wood in our homes, even this newsletter- all have one thing in common, they will burn. More specifically, it is the gas vapors that these fuels are capable of releasing, that can burn. So with fuel all around us, why don't we have fire everywhere? Because fuel is only one side of a "fire triangle" and will not in itself, burn.

Oxygen is also all around us. The air we breathe is made up of about 21% oxygen. Like humans, fire needs oxygen to survive. In fact, fire needs about the same percentage of oxygen in the air as do humans. Reduce the oxygen in the air and we will pass-out. Reduce the oxygen to a fire and it will go-out. If there is oxygen in the air and fuel all around us, why is there no fire? Again, this is because we have only two of the three sides of our fire triangle.

Heat is the final ingredient for fire. It is the third side of the fire triangle. Without sufficient heat there can be no fire. The human body can have plenty of food and oxygen but will shut down if its core temperature falls too low. Similarly, even with an abundance of fuel and oxygen, fire cannot be maintained without enough temperature.

Heat must do two things: raise the temperature of solid and liquid fuels to the point where they release combustible gas vapors, and then provide sufficient temperature to ignite the combustible vapors. Only when all three elements of the fire triangle come together, in the correct proportion, can fire occur. If any one element is removed (fuel, oxygen or heat) the fire will go out.

What can we take from this understanding of fire to make us safer?

1. Since we know that it is fuel vapors that burn, it is essential that fuels like gasoline be kept in tightly sealed containers, away from heat, spark, or flame. The invisible vapors from gasoline can travel along the floor to an ignition source far from the gasoline container or spill. An empty gasoline container is still dangerous as long as vapors remain.
2. The best way to prevent fire is to keep the three elements necessary for fire, separate from each other. We can't control the oxygen around us but we can keep fuel away from heat. Keep clear zones around heating appliances in the home. Household clutter is fuel- keep it to a minimum.
3. To extinguish a fire, remove one side of the fire triangle. Cool wood or paper fires with water. Use a dry chemical fire extinguisher or put a lid on a pan fire to cut off the oxygen.
4. Simply be aware. Get in the habit of noticing potential hazards around the home and at work. Stop fire before it starts.





NEWS FROM THE

Village of Addison

SUMMER 2005

From the Mayor's Desk ...



May 1 signals the beginning of a new fiscal year for the Village of Addison. Our budget includes a number of new projects in the coming year. A permanent home is being constructed for the Police Department's very successful

Nei-Cop Center in the Michael Lane neighborhood. Thanks to a \$600,000 Federal grant, obtained through the Offices of Congressman Henry Hyde, a construction contract will be awarded this year for a building to house not only the Neighborhood Resource Center, but the Community Switchboard.

Lake Street improvements will continue with the burial of utility lines between Mill Road and Medinah Road, in anticipation of the next phase of reconstruction to take place in 2006.

The Village's other main thoroughfare, Route 53, is being reconstructed by the Illinois Department of Transportation. The Village will contribute \$400,000 toward the installation of streetlights and new traffic signals in the area.

Several watermain and sewer projects are planned, including on Lake Street west of Village Hall, on Central Ave. and Oakleaf Drive.

These are just a few of the projects included in the 2005-06 Budget. For a more complete list, you can view budget highlights on the Village website at AddisonAdvantage.org, or look through the entire budget document at the Village Clerk's Office or Addison Public Library.

Respectfully,

*Larry Hartwig
Mayor*

The Buzz on Addison's Mosquito Abatement

By the end of the 2002, Illinois reported the nation's highest human case count of West Nile Virus. Of the reported 884 cases, 66 were fatal. Forty-nine of those cases occurred in DuPage County, including three fatalities. Four cases – no fatalities – were in Addison.

According to the Clarke Environmental Mosquito Management, Inc., just 56 human cases of West Nile Virus were reported in Illinois in 2004. Just five, including one fatality, were in DuPage County.

The Village of Addison put together an aggressive mosquito abatement program following the severe outbreak of West Nile Virus during the 2002 mosquito season. In combination with the contracted abatement services conducted by Clarke Mosquito Control, the Public Works Department conducts in-house applications of mosquito control to approximately 3,770 catch basins and water-holding inlets throughout Addison. These treatments provide 5 months of mosquito larvae control that last through the entire mosquito season.

We could use your help, too. Mosquitoes can breed right in your own back yard! Mosquito larvae or "wigglers" must live in still water for five or more days to complete their growth before changing into adult biting mosquitoes capable of transmitting disease. Often, the number of mosquitoes in an area can be reduced by removing sources of standing water.

Here's what you can do to help:

- Get rid of old tires, tin cans, buckets, drums, bottles or any water-holding containers.
- Fill in or drain any low places (puddles, ruts, etc.)

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M.F.T. Street Program

In a few weeks, the 2005 Street Maintenance Program will kick off. By the time it is completed in September, 4.63 miles of Village streets will have been reconstructed, including curb and gutter replacement, parkway restorations and new asphalt.

Funded by Motor Fuel Tax funds, as well as Redevelopment Funds, approximately \$1.5 million will go toward this year's program.

The following streets are part of this year's Street Maintenance Program:

- **Anvil Court** – Hickory Place to cul de sac
- **Ari Court** – Fullerton Ave. to cul de sac
- **Cambridge Row** –
Kings Pt. North to cul de sac
- **DuPage Ave.** –
Stone Ave. to Mulloy Drive
- **DuPage Court** – DuPage Ave. to cul de sac
- **8th Ave.** – Sable Ave. to Surrey Road
- **Harrow Court** –
Kings Pt. South to cul de sac
- **Hickory Trail** –
Anvil Court to White Fence Lane
- **Honey Hill Road** – cul de sac to end
- **Kings Pt. East** –
Kings Pt. North to Kings Pt. South
- **Kings Pt. North** –
Kings Pt. East to Kings Pt. West
- **Kings Pt. South** –
Kings Pt. East to Kings Pt. West
- **Kings Pt. West** –
Kings Pt. North to Kings Pt. South
- **Kingston Drive** – Kings Pt. East to Route 53
- **Mare Barn Lane** –
Sable Ave. to Surrey Road
- **Mill Road** – Lake St. to IDOT Expressway
- **Old Fence Drive** – 8th Ave. to Surrey Road
- **Sable Ave.** – 8th Ave. to Honey Hill Road
- **7th Ave.** –
Stone Mill Road to Woodland Ave.
- **Stone Mill Road** – 4th Ave. to 7th Ave.
- **Surrey Road** – 8th Ave. to Honey Hill Road
- **White Fence Drive** –
Hickory Place to Sable Drive
- **Wyncroft Place** –
Kings Pt. North to cul de sac

Neighborhood Watch



**Police
Beat**

The goal of the Neighborhood Watch program is to reduce crime and criminal opportunity in participating neighborhoods.

The Addison Police Department works as a team with neighborhoods to resolve problems. We also make it easier for you to get to know your neighbors by providing your Watch Area with a **monthly** newsletter which is delivered by Block Captains on the third Tuesday of every month. They are also available on the Village website under Crime Prevention programs – Neighborhood Watch at www.AddisonAdvantage.org.

By working as a team, we teach your neighborhood how:

- To create physical and psychological barriers to reduce the opportunity for criminal activity at the neighborhood level.
- To foster communication and build helpful relationships between neighbors.
- To create more communication links between the police and the neighborhoods.

How does your neighborhood become involved?

- Host a Watch Meeting for the residents in your area
- After the meeting, Neighborhood Watch signs are placed in participating neighborhoods.
- Block Captain/Co-Block Captains in each neighborhood are designated.
- Block Captains would be responsible for pick-up and distribution of monthly newsletter to each resident in their area.

Explore our website! Information that may be obtained from the Police Department pages on the website are: Sex Offender lists, Beat Crime Statistics, Community Crime Statistics, upcoming events, and the Annual Report for the police department.

If you have suggestions or questions about the website, please feel free to contact us.

For more information on Neighborhood Watch, contact Officer Hundley at 693-7930, e-mail chundley@addison-il.org or Officer Clark at 693-7931, e-mail sclark@addison-il.org.

Neighborhood Watch, a Partnership That Works!

Mosquitoes

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in the yard. Keep drains, ditches, and culverts free of weeds and trash so water will drain.

- Keep gutters free of leaves and debris. Cover trash containers to keep out rainwater. Repair leaky pipes and outside faucets.
- Empty plastic wading pools at least once a week and store indoors when not in use. Unused swimming pools should be drained and kept dry during the mosquito season.
- Fill in tree rot holes and hollow stumps that hold water.
- Change the water in bird baths and plant pots or drip trays at least once each week.
- Store boats covered or upside down, or remove rainwater.
- Keep grass cut short and shrubbery well trimmed so adult mosquitoes will not hide there.

Here's what you can do to protect yourself from mosquito bites:

- Although many mosquitoes bite at dusk or at night, some will bite during the day. Almost all will try to bite if you enter an area where they are resting, like high grass. Avoid places and times when mosquitoes bite.
- Make sure door and window screens fit tightly; repair all holes.
- Use mosquito netting when sleeping outdoors, and protect small babies any time.
- Small impoundments of water can be treated for mosquito larvae with "Bti," a bacterial insecticide. Many hardware stores carry doughnut-shaped Bti briquets for this purpose. Be sure to follow the insecticide label directions exactly.

Our Commitment to Excellence

Village Employees of the Month



Erin LaMantia
Clerical
Police
Department
February '05

Erin LaMantia has been a Village of Addison employee for 5 1/2 years. Erin works part-time in the Police Department where her duties include clerical work and transcribing police reports.

Erin and her husband John live in Addison with their two sons, Adam and Jack. Her hobbies are reading, gardening and painting.

In her spare time, Erin is very involved in her sons' sports and school activities. She is grateful that her work schedule is flexible so that she can spend time being with her family.



Carli DeFrancesco
Clerk Typist
Public Works
Department
March '05

Carli DeFrancesco has been a Village of Addison employee for 2 years.

Carli works as a clerk typist and deals with purchasing materials and related issues in the Public Works Department – Environmental Services Division.

Carli and her husband, Tim, are expecting their first child in June and are in the process of remodeling their home in Villa Park to get ready for the new baby.

In her spare time, Carli likes shopping and going to the movies.

- For additional protection from mosquitoes, use an insect repellent. The more DEET a product contains, the longer the repellent can protect against mosquito bites. However, concentrations higher than 50 percent do not increase the length of protection. For most situations, 10 percent to 25 percent DEET is adequate. Apply repellents to clothes whenever possible; apply sparingly to exposed skin if label permits. Consult a physician before using repellents on young children.
- Spraying your backyard with an

insecticidal fog or mist is effective only for a short time. Mosquitoes will return when the effect of the spray has ended.

- Insect light electrocutors ("bug zappers") or sound devices do little to reduce biting mosquitoes in an area.

For more information, contact the Illinois Department of Public Health, Division of Environmental Health, 525 W. Jefferson St., Springfield, IL 62761, or call 217/782-5830; TTY (hearing impaired use only) 800-547-0466.

Summer Event Schedule Expanded

Village Green, Friendship Plaza Become Addison's Summer Destination



A summer of fun is just around the corner here in Addison, so start planning now!

Beginning June 12, the Village of Addison will debut its weekly Farmers Market.

The market will be held every Sunday morning at Friendship Plaza in front of Village Hall, and will feature a wide assortment of fresh fruits and produce.

The Farmers Market will be held from 7:30 a.m. until 1 p.m., every Sunday through Sept. 25.

June also signals the beginning of the Summer Concert Season, with "Concerts in the Park" each Tuesday evening, June 14 through Aug. 16 on the Village Green, east of Village Hall.

Sponsored by the Addison

Cultural Arts Development Commission and the Addison Center for the Arts, these concerts are free to the public and

will go on rain or shine. (In the event of rain, concerts will move inside the Village Hall.)

In conjunction with three of the Concerts, the Village of Addison will sponsor special events.

On June 21, join us for a Taste of Addison, featuring ethnic foods from popular restaurants throughout the Village. Sample portions will be available for purchase, allowing you to sample a wide variety of tasty treats.

The Taste of Addison will also be on the Village Green, beginning at 6 p.m., and last throughout the evening's concert.

On July 5, the Village will host its first Ice Cream Social. Cookies from local ice cream shops will be available for purchase during the

Dates You Need to Know

Sundays, June 12 through Sept. 25

Farmers Market
7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.,
Village Hall parking lot

Tuesday, June 21

Taste of Addison
6 - 9 p.m., Village Green

Tuesday, July 5

Ice Cream Social
7 - 9 p.m., Village Green

Tuesday, August 2

4th Annual Addison By the Slice Pizza Bakeoff
6 - 9 p.m., Village Green

concert on the Village Green.

August 2 will bring the 4th Annual "Addison By the Slice" Pizza Bakeoff.

In conjunction with National Night Out, "Addison By the Slice" brings together the most popular pizza vendors from the community and awards "Best Of" prizes in various categories, as determined by our "celebrity" judges. But the most important award – the "People's Choice" – will be awarded by those who attend.

From 6 - 9 p.m., pizza slices will be available for purchase at a reasonable price, allowing you to sample several before casting your ballot at the Police Department's National Night Out booth and enjoying the concert.

2005 Concerts in the Park Schedule

June 14	Addison Community Band	7 p.m.
June 21	Addison Community Band	7 p.m.
June 28	Addison Community Band	7 p.m.
July 5	Addison Community Band	7 p.m.
July 12	Addison Community Band	7 p.m.
July 19	Limited Edition Big Band.....	7:30 p.m.
July 26	Limited Edition Big Band.....	7:30 p.m.
Aug. 2	Limited Edition Big Band.....	7:30 p.m.
Aug. 9	Limited Edition Big Band.....	7:30 p.m.
Aug. 16...	Jonathan Devin New Country Band....	7 p.m.

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Water Billing 693-7570

Community Development

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



Volunteers needed

In an effort to make the Village of Addison a cleaner place to live, we are looking for more volunteers to join the Adopt-a-Highway program.

Participants will choose from a list of streets they would like to adopt; the street must be a minimum of a quarter mile in length. Adoption lasts a minimum of two years and participants must go out and clean a minimum of four times a year.

Public Works supplies bags and reflective safety vests for each volunteer. A sign will be posted in each direction, recognizing the adopting group.

For more information, contact Ron Remus at 620-2020.

Citizens Advisory Council



Wish you had input into some of the issues considered by your Village Board? You do, through the Citizens Advisory Council (CAC). The CAC is comprised of volunteers from various areas of the community. Appointed to three-year terms by the Village Board, they provide input on specific issues being considered by the Board.

The purpose of the CAC is to be a conduit of the residents to the elected officials to aid in decisions-making. While the Council's recommendations are of advisory, the Village Board receives valuable feedback on the feelings of the community through the Council.

The CAC meets on the second Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. in Village Hall Room 2002. All meetings are open to the public. If you are interested in becoming a member, or to determine your neighborhood representative, call the Village or e-mail DPinson@addison-il.org.



Commission opening

The Village is currently accepting applications from local tenants to serve on the Tenant Landlord Commission, which oversees the Rental Housing

Inspection Program.

For information, attend a meeting at Village Hall at 10 a.m. on the third Thursday of the month, or contact the Village Clerk's office for an application.



VILLAGE OF ADDISON

WATER QUALITY REPORT

APRIL 2005

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 many residents ask us 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 25 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. 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 lesson 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 regulate the amount of contaminants in water provided by a public water system and the FDA regulate the amount of contaminants in 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 60 ppb. 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 ulcerations; 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 4 ppb. 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 2004

Lead and Copper

Lead MCLG	Lead Action	Lead 90 th Percentile	# Sites Over	Copper MCLG	Copper Action	Copper 90 th Percentile	# sites Over Copper AL	Likely Source of Contaminant
0 ppb	15 ppb	3	0	1.3 ppm	1.3 ppm	0.14 ppm	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of Natural deposits

Regulated	Collection Date	Highest Level	Range of Levels	Unit of Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Violation	Likely Sources of Contaminants
Disinfectants\Disinfection By-Products								
Total Haloacetic Acids (HAAs)	4/21/2004	14	11.8-14	ppb	n/a	60*	No	By-product of drinking water chlorination.
TTHMs (Total Trihalomethanes)	8/4/2004	50.1	29-50.1	ppb	n/a	80*	No	By-product of drinking water chlorination.
Chlorine		0.6415	0 – 0.6415	Ppm	MRDLG=4	MRDL=4		Water additive used to control microbes

* MCL Statement: The Maximum contaminant level (MCL) for TTHM and HAAs is 80 ppb and 60 ppb respectively and is currently only applicable to surface water supplies that serve 10,000 or more people. These MCLs became effective 01/01/2004 for all groundwater supplies and surface supplies serving less than 10,000 people. Before 01/01/2004, surface water supplies serving less than 10,000 people, any size water supply that purchase from a surface water source, and groundwater supplies serving more than 10,000 people had to meet a state imposed TTHM MCL of 100 ppm. Some people who drink water containing Trihalomethanes in excess of the MCL over many years experience problems with their livers, kidneys, or central nervous systems, may have increases risk of getting cancer.

Note: The state requires monitoring of certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently. Therefore, some of this data may be more than one year old. MCL (Maximum Contaminant Level): The Highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using best available treatment technology. MCLG (maximum Contaminant Level Goal): 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. AL (Action Level): The concentration of a contaminant which if exceeded triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow..ppm::parts per million ppb: parts per billion ppt: parts per trillion pCi/L: picoCuries per liter (measurement of radioactivity)

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.

CITY OF CHICAGO 2004 TEST RESULTS
No drinking water quality violations were recorded during 2004

Contaminant (units)	MCLG	MCL	LEVEL FOUND	RANGE OF DETECTION	Typical source of Contaminant
Microbial Contaminants					
TURBIDITY (%<0.3 NTU)	n/a	TT	100.000%	n/a	Soil runoff. Lowest monthly percent meeting limit
TURBIDITY (NTU)	n/a	TT=1NTU max	0.11	0.09-0.18	Soil runoff. Highest single measurement
State Regulated Contaminants					
SODIUM (ppm) Erosion of natural occurring deposits; Used in water softener * Highest Value	n/a	n/a	7.000*	6.900-7.000	
FLUORIDE (ppm) Water additive which promotes strong teeth Sample collected 11/05/2001	4	4	0.951	0.900-1.04	
Contaminant (unit)	MCLG	MCL	LEVEL FOUND	RANGE OF DETECTION	Typical source of Contamination
BARIUM (ppm)	2	2	0.018	0.017 - 0.019	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
NITRATE (AS NITROGEN) (ppm)	10	10	0.380	0.340-0.420	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks; sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.
NITRATE & NITRITE (ppm)	10	10	0.380	0.340-0.420	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks; sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.
Unregulated Contaminants	MCLG	MCL	LEVEL FOUND	RANGE OF DETECTION	Typical source of Contaminant
SULFATE (ppm)	n/a	n/a	18.650	17.000-20.300	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.

<u>Disinfectants/Disinfection By-Products</u>	MCLG	MCL	Level found	Range of detection	Violation	Date of Sample
TTHMs [TOTAL TRIHALOMETHANES] (PPB) By-product of drinking water disinfection	n/a	80	18.55	11.500-26.800		
HAAS [HALOACETIC ACIDS] (ppb) By-product of drinking water disinfection	n/a	60	8.900	6.000-11.800		
CHLORINE (as CL2) (ppm) Drinking water disinfectant	4.0	4.0	0.692*	0.0-0.692		

* (Highest Average Monthly Value)

TOC [TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON] The percent of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) removal was measured each month and the system met all TOC removal requirements set by the IEPA

June 2005

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

5 Village of Addison Farmers Market - until 1 p.m.
ATHS - Graduation

6 VILLAGE - Finance & Policy Committee 6:30 p.m.
Board Meeting 7:30 p.m.

7 LIBRARY - Ask the Gardener, 6 p.m.
Book Discussion, 7:30 p.m.

8 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open noon - 3 p.m.
DISTRICT 4 and ATHS - Last Student Attendance Day
DISTRICT 4 - 8th Grade Promotional Exercise, 7 p.m. at ATHS

9 VILLAGE - Community Council 7:30 p.m.

10 LIBRARY - Friday Summer Hours Begin, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

11 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

12 Village of Addison Farmers Market - until 1 p.m.
ATHS - Graduation

13 VILLAGE - Pub. Health, Safety & Judicial 6:30 p.m.
Building, Zoning & Development 7 p.m.
LIBRARY - Super Sunny Days 10 a.m.
Super Sports, 7 p.m.

14 Concert in the Park - Village Green, 7 p.m.
VILLAGE - Commercial & Indust. Cmsn. 10 a.m.
DISTRICT 4 - Summer School begins
LIBRARY - Super Sunny Days, 10 a.m.
Crafty Characters, 1:30 p.m.

15 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open noon - 3 p.m.
LIBRARY - Animal Encounters, Inc., 7 p.m.

16 VILLAGE - Zoning Board 8 p.m.
LIBRARY - Begin with Books, 10 a.m.

17 LIBRARY - Drop-In Craft, 11 a.m.

18 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

19 Father's Day Village of Addison Farmers Market - until 1 p.m.
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20 VILLAGE - Finance & Policy Committee 6:30 p.m.
Board Meeting 7:30 p.m.
LIBRARY - Super Sunny Days 10 a.m.
Crazy for Chapters, 1:30 p.m.
DISTRICT 88 - Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

21 Concert in the Park - Village Green, 7 p.m.
Taste of Addison - 6-9 p.m., Village Green
LIBRARY - Super Sunny Days, 10 a.m.
Crafty Characters, 1:30 p.m.
Ask the Gardener, 6 p.m.
Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

22 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open noon - 3 p.m.

23 LIBRARY - Begin with Books, 10 a.m.
Chess, 1:30 p.m.

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25 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

26 Village of Addison Farmers Market - until 1 p.m.

27 VILLAGE - Pub. Health, Safety & Judicial 6:30 p.m.
Building, Zoning & Development 7 p.m.
LIBRARY - Super Sunny Days 10 a.m.
Monday Movie, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.
DISTRICT 88 - Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

28 Concert in the Park - Village Green, 7 p.m.
DISTRICT 4 - Board Meeting, 7 p.m.
LIBRARY - Super Sunny Days, 10 a.m.
Crafty Characters, 1:30 p.m.
Ask the Gardener, 6 p.m.
Tuesday Movie, 7 p.m.

29 HISTORICAL MUSEUM Open noon - 3 p.m.
LIBRARY - Dave Herzog's Marionettes, 7 p.m.

30 LIBRARY - Begin with Books, 10 a.m.
Chess, 1:30 p.m.

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	Event	Date/Time	Location	Contact
	Community Inauguration	April 28 7 p.m.	Village Hall Rotunda One Friendship Plaza	Doree Krage 693-7550
	Mobile Food Pantry for the Needy	May 20 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.	VFW Hall 446 W. Lake Street	941-1829
	Memorial Day Ceremony	May 31 10:30 a.m.	Village Hall East Portico One Friendship Plaza	628-9804
	Village of Addison Farmers Market	June 12, 19 & 26 7:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Village Hall parking lot One Friendship Plaza	Angelo Sorce 693-7553
	Concerts in the Park	June 14, 21 & 28 7 p.m.	Village Green One Friendship Plaza	Annette Leiber 543-4100
	Taste of Addison Food Fest	June 21 6 - 9 p.m.	Village Green One Friendship Plaza	Angelo Sorce 693-7553
	Relay for Life	June 24 - 25	Addison Trail High School 213 N. Lombard Road	932-1141

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