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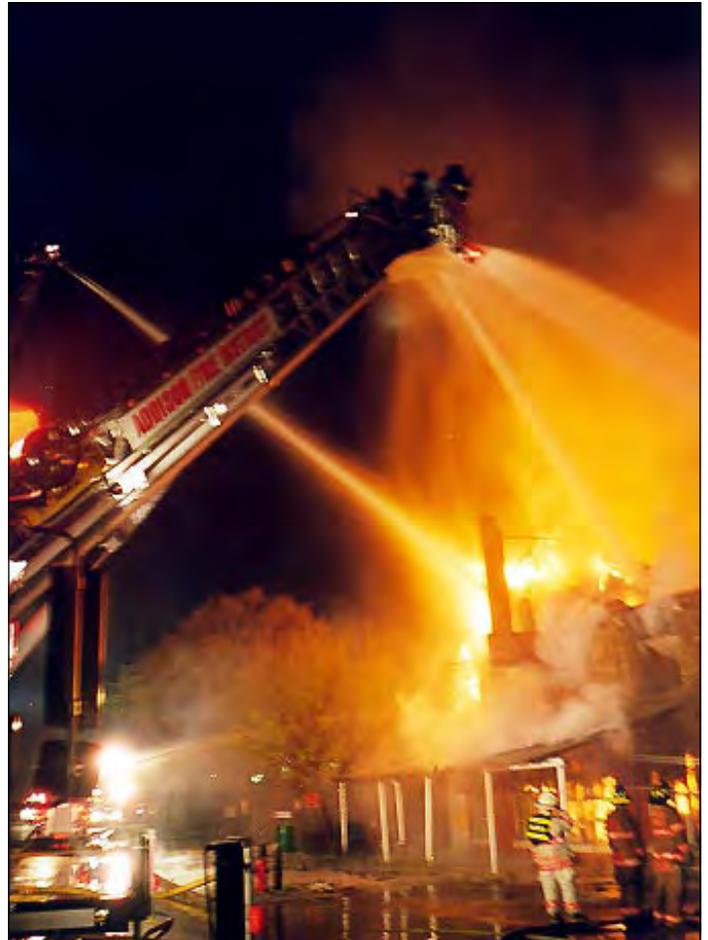
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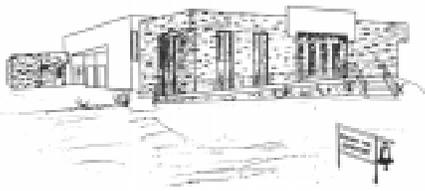
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FLASHPOINT



News from the Addison Fire Protection District #1

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Fire Trivia



Last Issue's Question:

What is an SCBA?

Answer:

SCBA is the acronym for Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus. This is the air pack worn by firefighters that allows them to breathe clean air in a hazardous atmosphere.

This Issue's Question:

Having smoke detectors in the home will cut your chances of dying in a house fire by how much?



Residential Key Boxes

The Addison Fire Protection District is now offering key boxes to residents of Addison. Key boxes could benefit those who may have difficulty getting to their door to let emergency crews into their home. A key box will allow paramedics to gain quick entry into a home or apartment without the delay or possible damage caused by the need for forced entry.

What is a key box? A key box is a small, locked, strongbox that can either be hung on a door or mounted to next to the door on a home. A key to the home or apartment unit is placed in the box and the box is locked. Only the Addison Fire District has the key to open the box. No one else, including the resident, can gain entry into the box.

In an emergency, where the resident cannot get to the door to let firefighters or paramedics into the home, rescuers can open the key box and quickly gain entry.



Frequently Asked Questions

Are key boxes safe?

In a word, yes! The key box used is of a strong, high quality design. Anyone wanting to gain entry into a home would find breaking into the key box much more difficult than most other ways of entry. Key boxes have been used for years on commercial buildings in Addison as well as most communities throughout the country. Addison has *never* had a key box forced open in all the years they have been in use.

Who would want a key box?

Primarily, someone who would have difficulty getting to their door to let emergency crews into their home or apartment. This would include residents who are elderly, disabled or confined to a bed.

Where is the key box placed?

There are two styles of key boxes available. One has a special hanger that secures over the top of the entry door. The other style is bolted directly onto the building, next to the entry door. Both are equally secure.

How does the key box program work?

Anyone wanting a key box can contact the fire department to obtain a purchase form. The resident then orders a key box directly from the manufacturer. When the key box arrives, the resident can call the fire district and arrange a time for us to come to the home. At the home we will open the box, place a house key inside, and then re-lock the box.

How much does a key box cost?

The price of a key box is \$125.00 - \$140.00, depending on the model you choose. If the bolt-on box is used the installation will be the owner's responsibility.

To find out more about residential key boxes contact Captain Norm Sturm at the Addison Fire District, 628-3100.

Upcoming CPR Classes

Heartsaver- May 23 & June 20

Healthcare Provider- May 25 & June 22



Village of Addison

SUMMER 2000

From the Mayor's Desk ...



Whenever the Village Board makes a major revision to ordinances such as our Building Code, current property owners are given a reasonable length of time to comply.

Such was the case in 1992, when our sign code was revised in order to improve the appearance of our business districts. While new businesses have been required to conform to this new code by erecting monument signs and applicable facades, existing businesses were given seven years to make changes.

Once this code went into effect, letters were sent to each property periodically indicating their nonconformity. To verify the actual number of violations and their locations, field checks were done to measure, inspect, check past records and determine the status of every existing sign with the Village limits.

Since that deadline passed last July, further action has been taken. It is regrettable that various individuals try to circumvent the process, and that recourse is necessary to maintain enforcement.

It has been established that no new permits of any kind will be issued to these sites without resolving the issue of bringing signs into conformance. Inspections continue, and with the weather improving, they will increase.

Although there are businesses that still exist that

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Improvements continue on east Fullerton Avenue as local businesses comply with the Village's sign ordinance. The ordinance improves the appearance of our business districts, and the Village as a whole.

Subdivision Plan Nears End

\$700,000 Grant Brings Water to Armitage/Ardmore

Nearly five years after having their request to be annexed fulfilled by the Village of Addison, residents in the Armitage/Ardmore subdivision will have water mains installed and streets resurfaced.

Thanks to a Community Development Block Grant – the largest Addison has ever received, and the fourth that has helped to make this project possible – residents will pay just 25 percent of the cost.

This will be the final phase in the project, the first three of which brought sanitary sewers throughout the subdivision.

“When the area was annexed, it was determined that the failing septic fields in the neighborhood were high priority, so sewers were laid in the first years of the project,” said Public Works Director Steve Weinstock.

Three CDB Grants of \$412,500 helped pay for the sewer projects over the past three years.

This spring, the Village received a nearly \$700,000 grant.

“We had intended to do the water project in phases, as we had the sewer work,” Weinstock said. “This will allow us to do all the work at once.”

On March 20, the Village Board awarded *Vincent DiVito, Inc.* the contract for the project, which will include the resurfacing of all non-concrete streets in the subdivision.

The project was scheduled to begin in April, and will be completed by summer's end.

The cost to residents will range from \$680 for a \$125,000 home to \$1,100 for \$200,000, per year for 16 years.

Residents also have five years to take advantage of discounted fees to tap onto the sewer and water.

Mayor's letter

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have not resolved the sign issue, our Village Inspectors are aware and are working to resolve these problems.

General enforcement is focused on the more serious or more noticeable violations first, since compliance of these properties will have a greater impact on the appearance of our community, and will act as a more noticeable example for other businesses.

The vast majority of our businesses have complied, and many are in the midst of renovations now. We appreciate their desire to follow the established guidelines, which will benefit our entire community.

Within a matter of months, all remaining violations will be addressed, at which time only new signs will be an issue to consider.

Respectfully,



Larry Hartwig
Mayor

Mayor Larry Hartwig and the Addison Village Board of Trustees remind you to

“Save the Date”

Addison Village Hall Dedication and Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

Date: *Saturday, August 26, 2000*

Time: *11 o'clock in the morning*

Place: *Village Hall, One Friendship Plaza*

Mark your calendar now!

Details in the next issue of Spotlight on Addison



A Bit of Addison History

One of the advantages to living in Addison is its proximity to Chicago and its many benefits, including two airports.

But just a little more than 30 years ago, Addison residents didn't need Chicago for all air travel.

Up until the early 1970s, a small two-runway airport known as Mitchell Field was located west of Rohlwing Road and north of Fullerton Avenue in Addison.

The area is currently home to a number of industrial businesses, and all that remains to remind us of the past is the name of the street on which they are located – Mitchell Court.

The Addison Historical Museum has very little information on this aspect of Addison's history, and would appreciate any reminiscences, photos, memorabilia, etc., which anyone would be willing to share.

Please contact the museum at 630/628-1433.

ACTV Moves to New Village Hall

ACTV Addison Community Television plans to move into the new Village Hall April 25-28.

During this time, a limited program schedule will be broadcast. Regularly scheduled programming should resume by May 1.

During May, the Monday night Village meetings will not be broadcast live, but rather videotaped for broadcast during the week.

Live Village meeting broadcasts will resume after the Village offices have moved into the new Village Hall and meetings are conducted from the new Board room.

2000 Street Maintenance Project Gets Approval

The 2000 Street Maintenance Program has been approved by the Village Board, and will this year focus mostly on the Foxdale subdivision.

The street were chosen for resurfacing based on requests by residents, as well as visual inspections by the Engineering Department and the Public Works Department.

The estimated cost for the project, which will resurfaced slightly more than two and one-quarter miles, will cost approximately \$507,000.

The funds for this project come from the Motor Fuel Tax generated by the State of Illinois.

As a separate project, Army Trail Blvd., between Broadview and Mill Road, will be resurfaced this summer at a cost of \$779,982.

The following streets are scheduled to be resurfaced this summer:

Street:	From:	To:
Amelia Lane	Rumple Lane	Lawler Avenue
Bridle Terrace	Foxdale Drive	End
College Blvd.	Swift Road	End
Foxdale Drive	Lake Street	Royal Drive
Kingston Drive	Army Trail Road	Kendall Trail
Lombard Road	Lake Street	Byron Avenue
Mulloy Drive	Rumple Drive	Lawler Avenue
Royal Drive	Foxdale Drive	Scarlet Drive
Rumple Lane	Woodland Ave.	Kings Point S
Saddle Row	Foxdale Drive	End
Scarlet Drive	Grove Avenue	End

Welcome to Town

The Village of Addison welcomes the following new businesses to our community.

- Aurelio's**, 1455-C W. Lake St.
- Brooke Cutting Tools, Inc.**, 1130 W. Fullerton Ave.
- Drum Corps International**, 470 S. Irmen Drive
- El Amigo Restaurant**, 509 W. Lake St.
- Euro-Tech, Inc.**, 506 Westgate
- Jet Brite Car Wash**, 625 W. Lake St.
- Johnson Storage & Moving**, 1750 W. Fullerton Ave.
- Law Eng. & Env. Serv.**, 2055 W. Army Trail, Suite 114
- Mediterranean Market**, 1250 W. Lake St., Unit 21
- Midwest Automotive Electronics**, 43 W. Fullerton Ave.
- NAPA Auto Parts**, 608 W. Lake St.
- Papa Joey's**, 111 S. Lombard Road
- Partytime Productions**, 2300 Windsor
- Resource Telecom**, 367 Rohlwing Road., Unit D
- Sal's Little Sicily Pizza**, 815 S. Rohlwing Road
- U.S. Tooling Technologies Corp.**, 104 Interstate Road

Police Officer Memorial Week



Police Beat

Everyday in this country, some 700,000 sworn officers put their lives on the line for our protection. Despite a dramatic decline in the nation's crime rate, the number of law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty remains high. In fact, during the last 10 years, 1,596 federal, state and local officers have lost their lives in the performance of duty – an average of 160 officers killed each year, or one police fatality somewhere in America every other day.

Police Facts

- Since 1794, more that 15,000 law enforcement officers were killed in the line of duty
- Deadliest year in law enforcement was 1974 when 271 officers were killed
- There are 828 officers on the Police Memorial Wall in Washington D.C.
- During the last 10 years more officers were killed on Fridays than any other day

According to the National Crime Victimization Survey, conducted by the Bureau of Justice Statistics in 1997, there were nearly 35 million crimes committed in the United States, an average of more than one crime every second.

That is the lowest level of crime in nearly 25 years. Violent crime rates have declined by 21 percent since they peaked in 1993, and nonviolent crime rates dropped 22 percent since 1993.

This year **Police Officer Memorial Week** is scheduled for the week of May 14-20. The 12th Annual Candlelight Vigil will be held on Saturday, May 13, 2000 in Washington D.C. at the National Law Enforcement Memorial, where a reading of the newly engraved officers names will be read.

As each new name is added to the memorial wall the message that rings out is: *"It is not how these officers died that made them heroes, it is how they lived."*

Please join with the Addison Police Department in saluting the Law Enforcement Officers who given their lives to help protect each of us by flying your flag at half staff commemorating Peace Officers Memorial Day, May 15, 2000.

More information about the Law Enforcement Memorial is available at www.nleomf.com.

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Village Manager	
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Streets, water, street lights, tree trimming, branch pickup	620-2020
Environmental Services	
Recycling, sewer backups, flood control	279-2140
Police (Non-Emergency)	
Traffic violations, crime prevention, stray animals	543-3080



Improved Wood Chips

The Village of Addison is offering an improvement to the free wood chips that are made available to residents.

By using a tub grinder to regrind the wood chips, they are now more uniform in size, with far fewer twigs and sticks mixed in with them and are of a much higher quality.

Residents can use these wood chips as mulch around trees and shrubs, and their rich brown color will enhance any landscape.

The wood chips are available at the corner of Vista and Winthrop avenues, adjacent to Fire Station No. 2 and the water standpipe.



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 will end in two night performances, on July 28 and 29.

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.



Sandcasting Project

The Addison Center for the Arts is sponsoring a community-wide Sandcasting Mural Project, in cooperation with the Addison

Park District.

Janet Sullivan, environmental sculptor, will be leading children and adults in sandcastings, combining the art of last century and this one, to enhance the walls of the lower level at Centennial Park.

Two walls will be filled with 130 of these castings. You are invited to check out a sample at Community Park, or visit Centennial Park and observe the many familiar names, schools and organization from our community.

Families, friends, and organizations can complete a casting by placing objects to be imbedded in sand, then cast in cement.

Children under 12 must partner with an adult; one session per participant. Sign up at Community Park, 120 E. Oak St., for one of these sessions: May 2, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.; May 4, 1 - 3 p.m. (seniors only) or 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.; May 9, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.; May 11, 1 - 3 p.m., or 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.; May 16, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

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EDUCATION

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Board approves budget

Construction paid in full without tax increase

Each fall, the Board of Education approves the annual budget for the Addison Elementary School District 4. The 1999-2000 budget was approved at the September board meeting for a total amount of \$31,731,985.

The budget includes a onetime expenditure of \$6.2 million for the construction of additional classrooms and a multi-purpose room at Fullerton School, and additional classrooms and a gymnasium at Army Trail School.

The gymnasium is begin financed through an intergovernmental agreement with the Addison Park District, and through grants from the State of Illinois. The grants, amounting to \$1.4 million were obtained through the intercession of State Senator James "Pate" Philip and State Representative Lee Daniels on behalf of the Park District and School District 4. The remainder of the project is being financed with School District dollars accumulated in Working Cash Fund.

The budget includes expenditures in excess of \$20 million for the Education Fund, \$9.2 million for the Operations and Maintenance Fund, \$1.5 million for the Transportation Fund and approximately \$400,000 for the Social Security Fund/ Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund.

Revenues from local sources, including property taxes amounting to \$17.8 million, are budgeted at slightly more than \$26 million. The State of Illinois will contribute \$3.7 million in revenue to the school district. Federal grants are expected to contribute \$1.2 million in revenue. Total revenue budgeted is \$31,074,443.

Local tax dollars account for 57.4 percent of the revenue received by the school district.

The tax rate for the second half of the 1998 tax collection is \$2.1146 per \$100 of Equalized Assessed Valuation of property. This is a decrease of \$.015 from 1997.

1999 - 2000 BUDGET \$31,731,985



	OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE	29%
	TRANSPORTATION	5%
	EDUCATION	65%
	IMRF/SOCIAL SECURITY	1%

Health requirements

Please note the following health requirements for the 2000-2001 school year.

Students entering any of the School 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 on or after 15 month of age. For more information about this vaccine, parents should contact their pediatrician.

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 and 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 2000-01 school year. Hepatitis B is given in a schedule of three doses.

Children are no longer required to receive a lead screening before beginning school.

Immunizations are available from the DuPage County Health Department at \$7 per vaccine, per child. Parents must accompany their children to the clinic and present their children's current immunization records.

Children will be excluded from school for the 2000-01 school year until their immunizations and physical exams are current.

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: 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
All other Tuesdays: 3:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Artists-in-Residence return to celebrate

Millennium Arts Project

Since 1982, the Addison Cultural Arts Development Commission has received grants from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency, to partially fund the extremely successful Artist-in-Education Residency program.

To date, 20 artists in all art disciplines – visual, music, theater, dance, creative writing and multi-cultural – have enhanced the existing curriculum in Addison's public and parochial schools.

The program has exposed students to the arts as a way to communicate through self-expression, building and encouraging self discipline, motivation, self-confidence and social skills.

It is important for students to engage in the tools of an artist to express ideas, and this program enhances the state goals for learning in the fine arts, allowing teachers to integrate the creative process into teaching.

Eleven professional artists who have contributed to the cultural wealth of the Village of Addison have returned during the months of March, April and May as part of the Arts Millennium Project, sponsored by the Addison Center for the Arts.

Annette Leiber, president of the ACA and coordinator of the Millennium Arts Project, has been working with principals from each school to bring in artists who best fit their needs to be most beneficial.

The following artists will be integrating our schools and community:

Eloise Bradley Fink, creative writer; Jim Kanas, folk/jazz musician; Tom & Chris Kastle, songwriting/folklore/theater; Lynda Lowe, fiber artist; Charlotte Main, multi-cultural artist; Rich Maisel, songwriter/synthesizer; Craig Sjogerman, creative writing/playwriting/theater; Janet Sullivan, environmental sculptor; Nancy Vochon, bookmaker/papermaker.

Projects which will involve the entire community include:

- A theatrical production with a cast of children & adults
- Fiber mural by adults that will be displayed throughout the community for many years.

Please contact the Addison Center for the Arts at 543-2039 if you are interested in participating in the community projects.

Young Authors head to State Conference

The Illinois Young Authors Conference is a celebration of the written work of children in kindergarten through eight grade.

The purpose of the conference is to support classroom teachers in their efforts to encourage and improve students' abilities in writing, reading, listening and sharing.

The accomplishments of our young authors are recognized within each classroom. Outstanding effort is also recognized at the building and district level.

Each Illinois school district is allowed to send no more than one student per 500 enrolled to the conference. Eight students in three different age/grade divisions have been chosen by a district-wide panel of judges to represent District 4 at this year's conference to be held on Saturday, May 5.

The conference will take place on the campus of Illinois State University, located in Normal, Illinois.

District 4 Young Authors Winners – 1999-2000

PRIMARY DIVISION, K-2:

Taylor Mederios, Grade 2, Wesley School: "A Strange New City"
Kali Maginity, Grade 2, Stone School: "Clue Finder Kali & The Case of The Disappearing Cookies"

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION, 3-5:

Veronica Carlson, Grade 3, Fullerton School: "Rachel's Alien"
Ricky Avila, Grade 4, Wesley School: "The Sea Adventure"
Angela Gibellina, Grade 3, Fullerton School: "Baby Furby's Christmas"

UPPER GRADE DIVISION, 6-8:

Amy Addante, Grade 6, Indian trail Junior High: "My Summer at Camp"
Nicole Dvorak, Grade 7, Indian Trail Junior High: "Megan & Mariah"
Mia Pietrangelo, Grade 7, Indian Trail Junior High: "Poems"

Student authors will meet noted Illinois children's authors and illustrators while participating in a variety of workshops. Special sessions are planned for family and escorts of our authors.

A luncheon for the authors will be provided at the conclusion of the

activities.

This year marks the 26th year of the Young Authors Conference and promises to be an exciting event.

Congratulations to our eight representatives who will also be honored at District 4 Board of Education Meeting on Monday, May 8.

Lake Park students get hands-on lessons

Lake Park fourth and fifth grade students are experiencing a yearlong study of recycling, composting and Egyptology.

This unit of study provides students with hands-on experiences integrating all curricular areas.

As part of this program, students have visited the Oriental Institute, the DuPage County Solid Waste Education Center and the Field Museum.

Additionally, they have had experts visit with them in class to provide further learning experiences.

All students will choose a topic of interest from this unit of study to develop a hyperstudio stack of information. This type of educational



Lake Park kids use many ways to study this year. At left, Abel Velasco (left to right) and Jorge Alaniz study waste collection while above, Maria Pimentel, Marisela Gomez and Maria Lopez use charts to study recycling.

experience provides students with opportunities to problem solve, work cooperatively, do research and learn new technology.

Students put on thinking caps for Science Olympiad

Indian Trail Junior High School students joined forces with Addison Trail High School again this year in the Regional Science Olympiad competition. I.T. students met throughout the school year to learn about, practice and train for the competition.

Hinsdale South High School hosted the competition on Saturday, March 4 from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Science Olympiad tests the students' knowledge of all the life, physical, earth and space sciences, as well as presenting problem solving and engineering-type activities.

The Indian Trail Junior High School Division B (grades 6-9) team consisted of Haris Porcic, Katie Sulita, Steve Kaiser, Sheril Varughese, and James Stay.

Ninth grade Addison Trail High School students Rishi Chopra and Sonali Patel rounded out our team.

Haris Porcic and Steve Kaiser were both awarded medals for their work in an oceanography/weather event, while Rishi Chopra and Sonali Patel won medals for an event on physical fitness/nutrition and bioprocess lab.

Although the team's total score did not qualify for the state competition, our students did receive the award for displaying the best team spirit of the 30 schools par-



Harriet Carlson (center) chaperoned Indian Trail and Addison Trail students to a successful competition. Left to right, Sonali Patel, Steve Kaiser, Katie Sulita, Sheril Varughese, James Stay, Haris Porci and Rishi Chopra display the team's winnings.

ticipating in the competition.

Congratulations to all the members of the team for their hard work, willingness to learn, and awards received.

Thanks to Addison Trail, Mark Ailes, and his team of teachers for their support and efforts in providing a training situation for our students.

Addison Police Officers' beats extend to schools

Safety of our children is always on the minds of everyone associated with District 4 – the administration, the teachers, and of course, the parents.

Those concerns also extend to those who protect our community, including our schools.

Commander Joe Lullo of the Addison Police Department has asked the patrol officers to begin visiting the schools in Addison.

There are five patrol beats in Addison, and beat officers have begun to first visit the schools within their assigned beat.

The idea, said Commander Lullo, is for the officers to become familiar with the layout of each, as well as the surrounding grounds of each facility. Once that occurs, Commander Lullo will have officers visit all other schools in Addison, even those not in their assigned beats.

"It's good for officers to have the familiarity with every major facility in their area, but most importantly the schools," Commander Lullo said. "It is also a good

idea for students to see police officers in uniforms at times other than when there are problems."

This type of visitation creates a good environment for everyone, and makes the jobs of the officers much easier.



Addison Police Officer Mike Kalicki chats with Army Trail first and second grade ESL students on recent visit.

Addison Public Library

Happenings

- 5/5.....Cinco de Mayo Festival, 3:45 p.m.
5/6.....Peter Pan Breakfast, 9:30 a.m.
5/9.....Mother's Day Make & Take, 3:45 p.m.
5/9.....Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
5/15.....Writing Is Fun, 7 p.m.
6/10...Summer Reading Program Begins,
9 a.m.
6/10.....The Book Olympics, 10:30 a.m.
6/13.....Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
6/27.....Music Extravaganza, 7:30 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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Once upon a Millennium Teen and Adult Summer Reading

Saturday, June 10–Saturday August 5

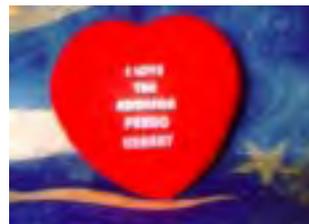
Start your journey toward the millennium; join **ONCE UPON A MILLENNIUM**, the Summer Reading Club for Teens and Adults. It's the timely thing to do this summer! Beginning June 10, register at the Fiction Desk. Join a **ONCE UPON A MILLENNIUM** club and collect a timely gift. The **TEEN CLUB** is for 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 who register will receive an Addison Public Library book bag and \$5 in VideoBucks. The first 225 who finish will earn a heart-shaped stress reliever to squeeze anxieties away. Everyone who completes the program will receive an entry into the Grand Prize drawing.

The rules are few; the rewards are many. From June 10 through August 5, read a total of six books from the adult or teen collection; you may select whatever interests you. Your total can include two unabridged audiobooks. When you complete your six selections, you will qualify for the Grand Prize Drawing. You must have an Addison Public Library card, and all of your 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 Monday, August 7.

All Teen and Adult Club members can enter separate monthly drawings. For each book you read in June and July, you will earn one chance in the monthly drawing. Entries are unlimited; each month you start fresh. You can win only one prize per month, but prize winners still qualify for the Grand Prize drawings. Winners will be contacted by phone, or you may stop by the Fiction Desk to see if you have won!



This summer, journey through our fiction and nonfiction collections. Discover bibliographies with a number of timely reading suggestions. Reading will make you a winner!

Success Stories at the Library

CAMPAIGN WINS STATE RECOGNITION

The Illinois State Library informed Sharon Hoffman, Director of the Addison Public Library, that our public relations campaign "Outdoor Reading Room" was chosen as one of the 24 outstanding PR projects from more than 600 submitted. It was featured on the State Library's Web page last fall and in a written publication this spring.

AMAZING BOOK SLEUTH

Karen Dini, Reader Services Coordinator, was asked to find a book. "Crime" was the only remembered word in the title. The author was thought to be Charles Lindbergh. After checking several sources, the closest title our book sleuth could find was *Scene of the Crime* by Richard Lindberg. This was the precisely the title the patron wanted!

Computer Classes

▶ BASIC SEARCHING OF THE INTERNET

Thursdays; May 4, 11, 18; 7 p.m.

Fridays; May 5, 12, 19; 9:15 a.m.

Thursdays; June 1, 8, 15; 7 p.m.

Fridays; June 2, 9, 16; 9:15 a.m.

▶ WINDOWS 98

Thursday; May 4; 1:30 p.m.

Thursday; May 11; 1:30 p.m.

Thursday; May 18; 1:30 p.m.

Thursday; June 1; 1:30 p.m.

Thursday; June 8; 1:30 p.m.

▶ FAMILY TREE MAKER

Friday; May 12; 1:30 p.m.

▶ FAMILY ARCHIVES

Friday; May 19; 1:30 p.m.

▶ SCANNING FAMILY PHOTOS

Friday; May 5; 1:30 p.m.

Friday; June 2; 1:30 p.m.

▶ GEDCOMs

Friday; June 9; 1:30 p.m.

▶ REGISTERING SURNAME RESEARCH ON THE WEB

Friday; June 16; 1:30 p.m.

▶ RESEARCHING YOUR ROOTS ONLINE

Thursday; May 25; 7:30 p.m.

Register at the Fiction Desk. Each training class is limited to 8 people. A \$25 deposit, which is refunded for perfect attendance, is required. No deposit is required for *Researching Your Roots Online*.

Book Discussion

Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood

by Rebecca Wells

Tuesday, May 2, 7:30 p.m.

Vivi and her three best friends formed the Ya-Ya sisterhood during their childhoods. The Ya-Yas encourage Vivi to share her scrapbook, *The Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood*, with her daughter.

The Awakening by Kate Chopin

Tuesday, June 6, 7:30 p.m.

Searching for ways to assert her individuality, Edna Pontellier becomes closer to a young man, Robert Lebrun. Through the friendship of Robert and other companions she meets on Grand Isle, Edna comes to an awakening within herself, even as the outside world seeks to force her back into a preconceived role in society.

Who's Looking at Us?

The Library's Web site is a very popular spot. Here are some interesting statistics for March 2000.

- Our Web site had 105,349 hits from all around the world.
- Users from France to Argentina to the Fiji Islands to Kazakhstan visited our site. In fact, there were 625 visits from _____ users in Japan.
- Tuesday around 7 p.m. was the busiest _____ time, although the site is used at all _____ hours of the day and night.
- The average visit lasts 11 minutes.

We've received e-mail requests for information from as far away as Australia. The husband of a popular fiction author, Luanne Rice, was very happy to find annotations of his wife's books in Readers' Corner.

Readers' Corner is listed as an innovative Web site for Readers' Services. The Half Hollow Hills Library uses us as a source for books to be published. The Salt Lake County Library System links to our list of Christian fiction. Overbooked, formerly known as Book Links, is a web site for ravenous readers. This site contains numerous links to our Book Discussion section.

Check out our Web site at www.addison.lib.il.us. You can look at our online catalog, request and renew materials, find out about and register for programs, and much, much more.

Writing Is Fun—Before and After Fifty

Monday, May 15,
7 p.m.

How can you become the writer you've always wanted to be? Eloise Bradley Fink, a former Addison Artist-in-Residence, will discuss the craft of writing. Bring a notebook and pen to try quick exercises and take home other how-to suggestions.

Fink has had a diverse career. She has been a public relations director, produced advertising projects, led writing workshops, taught English, directed an operetta, lectured about writing, contributed to textbooks, and published her poetry. This is an opportunity to learn about the craft of writing from an expert.

This program is partially funded by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council and cosponsored by the Addison Center for the Arts as part of its Millennium project and the Library.



Audiobooks are now available on CD. Check out titles in this new format.



On March 13, Boris Gulko, the reigning U.S. Chess Champion played Addison Public Library card holders.

The last player...





Kidding Around



Cinco de Mayo Festival

Friday, May 5, 3:45-4:30 p.m.
Registration Begins April 22
Grades 2-5; Group limit 20

Begin your celebration of Cinco de Mayo at the Library with games, crafts, and treats. The party will conclude with breaking a piñata.

Peter Pan Breakfast

Saturday, May 6, 9:30-10:30 a.m.
Registration Begins April 22
All ages, under 10 with an adult

"I won't grow up," says Peter Pan. Join us as we search for "Neverland" with the help of Peter Pan and Tinkerbell. A light breakfast will be served, followed by "Neverland" games. Have your picture taken with Peter or Tinkerbell!

Mother's Day Make & Take

Tuesday, May 9, 3:45-4:45 p.m.
Registration Begins April 29
Grades 1-4; Group limit 25

Mother's Day is just a few days away. Come to the library and make your mother a card and gift. It's FREE!

VolunTeens
Don't Forget! Registration continues through May 13 for students currently in 6th grade and up.

Music Extravaganza

Tuesday, June 27, 7:30-8:15 p.m.
Tickets available beginning June 17
All ages, under 10 with an adult.

Ken Baron performs his original songs on guitar and banjo, including songs recorded by Bob McGrath of *Sesame Street*. Every song encourages audience participation. Highlights include "The Bubble Song" with a bubble machine and "I'm the Elvis Impersonator" with children learning to sing like the "King."

Summer Reading 2000 Reach for the Gold: Read

Saturday, June 10-Saturday, August 5



NAME OUR MASCOT CONTEST

Saturday, May 6-Saturday, May 27
Entry Forms Due: May 27, 4:30 p.m.

Eligible Participants: 3 years old & up

In honor of "Reach for the Gold: Read," we are sending a bear, our Summer Reading mascot, to the Olympic games in Sydney, Australia. Give your suggestion for the bear's name to Children Services. The winner will receive a gift certificate to "Build a Bear."

Our library bear will begin its trip at the "Send Our Bear to the 2000 Summer Olympics" party in July. If you are going to Australia or a state or country to the west, let us know. Maybe you can start the bear on its journey to Sydney.

THE BOOK OLYMPICS

Saturday, June 10, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

All ages, under 10 with an adult

Registration May 20-June 7

To kick off Summer Reading, the Library will hold its own Olympics: a Book Olympics. Participants will compete against teams of children and against a team of library staff members in events such as "Book Cart Relay." Winning teams will be awarded prizes.

SUMMER STORY TIMES

June 27-July 26

SUMMER STORIES FOR ALL AGES

Tuesdays, June 27-July 25, 10-10:30 a.m.

No registration is needed for this outdoor, drop-in series of stories.

BEGIN WITH BOOKS

Wednesdays, June 28-July 26, 10-10:30 a.m.

Registration begins June 17.

BEDTIME STORIES

Wednesdays, June 28-July 26, 8-8:30 p.m.

Registration begins June 17.

REACH FOR THE GOLD: READ

Who Can Join Summer Reading?

Children from birth through those entering 8th grade may participate.

To sign up children must have their own valid Addison Public Library card or, if five and under, a parent's or legal guardian's Library card.

How to Join Summer Reading?

Pick up a log by showing your Library card, June 10-August 4.

What Are the Rewards?

Earn a VideoBuck for signing up (two bucks if you bring in the summer reading flier received at school).

Receive a Library Dollar for each hour read (up to \$20), which can be spent at the Boomerang Boutique or the Down Under Diner in Children Services.

A book for 20 hours of reading.

BONUS: For every 50 hours of reading, children earn a book for a local charity.

When to Pick up Prizes?

Between June 24 and August 5.

READING RAFFLE

Check out books and get a ticket for a drawing to win a choice of prizes, including an American Girl Doll or a collection of Pokemon toys! To encourage young patrons to check out books and read, the Library will hold a Reading Raffle. From June 10 through August 5, children will receive one ticket per day at the Check-in, Check-out Desk when they borrow Children Services' materials with their own valid Addison Public Library card. Children under 5 years of age may use a parent's Library card. Winners will be announced August 9.

Register for all programs at the Ask Me Desk, 458-3338. Registration is limited to Addison Public Library card holders. If the program is not filled 5 days before it is scheduled, non-Library card holders can reserve a space on a first-come, first-serve basis.

June 2000

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

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

Village of Addison - 131 W. Lake Street 543-4100

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

Addison Public Library - 235 N. Kennedy Drive 543-3617

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

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VILLAGE - Senior Citizens Commission 6:30 p.m. Citizens Advisory Council 8 p.m. LIBRARY - Windows 98, 1:30 p.m. Basic Searching of the Internet, 7 p.m.	LIBRARY - Basic Searching of the Internet 9:15 a.m Scanning Family Photos, 1:30 p.m.		8	9	10	11
			VILLAGE - Community Council 7:30 p.m. DISTRICT 4 - 8th Grade Promotional Exercises ATHS, 7 p.m. LIBRARY - Windows 98, 1:30 p.m. Basic Searching of the Internet, 7 p.m.	LIBRARY - Basic Searching of the Internet 9:15 a.m GEDCOMs, 1:30 p.m.	D.A.R.E. Fun Run, 9 a.m., Centennial Park LIBRARY - Summer Reading Program Begins, 9 a.m. The Book Olympics, 10:30 a.m.	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
VILLAGE - Finance & Policy Committee 6:30 p.m. Cultural Arts 6:30 p.m. Hist. Comm 7 p.m. Board Meeting 8 p.m.	LIBRARY - Book Discussion, 7:30 p.m.	VILLAGE - Advisory Liquor Commission 7:30 p.m. DISTRICT 4 - Students Last Day of School FIRE DISTRICT - Board Meeting 7 p.m.	VILLAGE - Zoning Board 8 p.m. LIBRARY - Basic Searching of the Internet, 7 p.m.	VILLAGE - Pub. Health, Safety & Judicial 6:30 p.m. Building, Zoning & Development 7 p.m.	LIBRARY - Basic Searching of the Internet 9:15 a.m Registering Surname Research on Web, 1:30 p.m.	Father's Day 
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Looking for something to do? There's plenty of fun planned this summer!

Event	Date/Time	Location	Contact
 Kiwanis Club Pancake Breakfast	April 29 6:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.	St. Paul Chrch 37 Army Trail Road	Don Layne 279-2977
 ALS Tag Days	May 12 & 13 All day	Please give generously at locations throughout town (Volunteers are needed!)	Tony Fiacchino 629-7216
 VFW Poppy Days	May 19 & 20 All day	Please give generously at locations throughout town (Volunteers are needed!)	Tony Fiacchino 629-7216
 Memorial Day Ceremony	May 29 10:30 a.m.	Veterans Memorial Corner of Army Trail & JFK Drive	628-9804
 AAIC Golf Outing & Dinner	June 8 Tee times begin 7 a.m.	Bloomington Golf Course	Dee Hanrahan 543-4300
 D.A.R.E. Fun Run	June 10 Begins 9 a.m.	Centennial Park 1776 Centennial Place	Crime Prevention Officer Karen Miller 543-3080
 Concert in the Park	June 13, 20 & 27 7 p.m.	Village Hall Portico One Friendship Plaza	Annette Leiber 543-4100

This information, provided by event coordinators, was compiled by the Village of Addison Community Relations Department on April 7, 2000. 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