



# Village News

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## News & Information for Residents

The Village of Lemont is dedicated to promoting and preserving the character of the community and ensuring a high quality of life through professional public service provided in a friendly, consistent, and fiscally responsible manner, emphasizing the best interest of the community as a whole.

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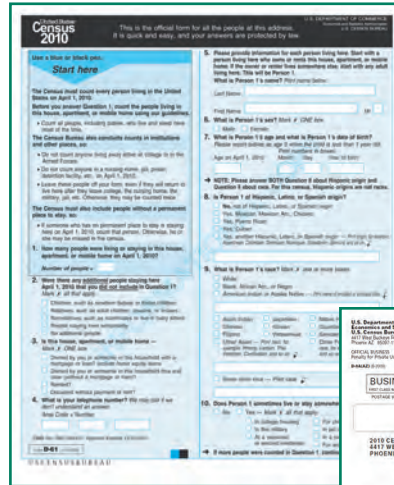
DON'T MISS . . .

**St. Patrick's Day Parade and Festival**  
March 6th - 1:00 p.m.  
Historic Downtown Lemont

**FREE Spring Yard Waste Pick Up**  
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April 1, 2010  
is  
Census Day



10 Questions  
10 Minutes  
Mail it Back!



## From the Mayor's Desk

### Meetings with Legislators

Over the past weeks and months, I have had the occasion to meet frequently with U.S. Representative Judy Biggert over the Asian Carp issue and the proposed closing of the Sanitary & Ship Canal. She is completely versed on the topic and has been a valuable ally in our opposition to closing the Ship Canal. Many local industries including Citgo and IMTT use the canal to transport commodities and would be forced to close if this transportation source is suddenly no longer available. Recent news reports indicate that the federal government has pledged \$78 million to stop the advancement of the carp into the Great Lakes. Our hope is that the funds will be used to discover alternate solutions rather than closing the locks. The Army Corps of Engineers has submitted a \$13 million plan to construct a permanent dam in the I & M Canal west of downtown Lemont and an impervious barrier in the DesPlaines River to control the carp.

I have also met with area mayors and U.S. Representative Dan Lipinski on the topic of improved rail service on the Heritage Corridor Line. A recent article in the Southtown Star called it the worst of Metra's 11 commuter lines. We applaud Congressman Lipinski for stepping up to bat on this issue, and we pledge to continue our efforts to lobby for additional trains. Funding for the High Speed Rail route from Chicago to St. Louis passing through Lemont has been approved. Final plans and details are not available yet, but if plans proceed as proposed, grade crossing improvements and a "quiet zone" may be possible in the future.

As Mayor, I believe it is important to meet with our legislators and our councils of government. These meetings sometimes reveal previously untapped grant possibilities and resources that could benefit our community.

### Budget & Finance

March is typically the month that the Village Board determines its budget and spending priorities for capital projects for the coming fiscal year. All revenues projected to date point

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## Mayor's Message (cont'd)

to an even leaner year in 2010, with revenues decreasing by at least \$1.2 million. That said, we still intend to fund a limited road resurfacing program for four of the worst streets due for maintenance. Community Development Block Grant funds will partially fund a water main upgrade on State Street from Illinois to Cass. Previously applied for stimulus funds may fund a sewer project on Warner Avenue and if funds are received, it would be cost effective for the Village to upgrade the water main as part of the project. Stimulus money is also paying for the traffic signal at 127<sup>th</sup> Street and Timberline Drive. Main Street will be resurfaced in late summer with funding through the Southwest Conference of Mayors. TIF funds will be used for the reconstruction on Talcott Street and revenues generated from commuter parking fees will pay for the resurfacing of the Metra Lot. We continue to explore every avenue for other funding sources for necessary infrastructure improvements to keep the burden away from our taxpayers.

### Census Forms in the Mail

By mid-March, every household in Lemont will receive a 2010 Census Form in the mail. I am urging each and every Lemont resident to fill out the 10-question form for each member of the household, put it in the envelope and mail it back. \$400 billion in federal funds for things like roads, schools, grants, along with state-shared revenue are all distributed to municipalities based on census count. That count will follow Lemont as its official population for the next ten years, so it is critical to have an accurate initial count. Census data is tabulated when you return the form, but any personal information provided is sealed by law for 72 years, so it is completely safe. If you should have any questions at all regarding the census, or if you lose the form or do not receive one, please call the Village Hall at (630) 257-1590 and we will try to assist you. If you do not return the form by April 1, you may expect a visit from a census enumerator who will follow up with residents who do not return the form.

### Downtown Redevelopment

The Village is in the process of refinancing the public parking garage on River Street. More attractive bond financing rates should save the taxpayers a significant amount of money in interest over the life of the bonds. Much of the garage space is for public use and at this point parking is free—some people I have talked to are not aware that there is public parking. Marquette Companies, the original developer, has refinanced the Front Street Lofts development resulting in much more attractive pricing for the units. As soon as the transaction is final, we should begin to see some of the commercial spaces occupied over the summer.

### Village Boards & Commissions

Village commission appointments expire at the end of April and sometimes there are vacancies to be filled. I am seeking civic-minded citizens who might be interested in serving on one of these advisory bodies. All that is required is a sincere interest, a desire to improve your community and your participation at commission meetings. An application form and a listing of the commissions and regular meeting nights are on the Village website at [www.lemont.il.us](http://www.lemont.il.us).

### Village Staff

Over the next few months, Dan Fielding, Director of Public Works, and second in command, Joe Camodeca, will be retiring. Dan and Joe have been an unbeatable team for the past 18 years and have built what I consider to be one of the most efficient and dedicated Public Works Departments in the state. Our thanks to them for their excellent leadership and a job well done.

*Mayor Brian Reaves*



Mayor's Drive  
Monday, April 26  
Ruffled Feathers  
2 Shotgun Starts  
7:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

#### **Fees:**

**\$150 Per Player Includes:**  
**18 Holes & Cart**  
**Cont'l Breakfast/Box Lunch**  
**Buffet Dinner**  
**Scramble Format - Prizes**

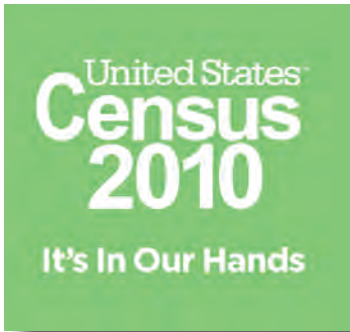
Hole sponsorships (\$175), lunch and beverage sponsorships are also being accepted to defray some of the costs of the outing.

One hundred percent of the profits from the outing will be made available to all bona fide Lemont service and non-profit organizations and recognized community groups. Last year, about \$20,000 was distributed through the Mayor's Drive. Registration forms and applications for Charity funds are available in the Mayor's Office. Call (630) 257-1590.

## State of the Village May 19th

The 7th Annual State of the Village Report sponsored by the Lemont Area Chamber of Commerce will be held on Wednesday, May 19th. Mayor Brian Reaves will present information on current and future Village plans and projects.

Tickets and information are available by contacting the Chamber office at 101 Main Street, (630) 257-5997.



**CENSUS 2010**  
**Assistance Center**  
**Lemont Public Library**  
**50 E. Wend Street**

**Open**  
**March 19 - April 19**

**Hours:**

**Mon. - Thurs.: 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm**  
**Saturday: 11:00 am - 2:00 pm**

A Census 2010 Help Center will be located at the Lemont Public Library from March 19 through April 19. Census personnel will be available to provide census forms and assist any resident who needs information or assistance in filling out the form. Non-English speaking residents can also receive help at the Assistance Center.

**Census Forms will be in the mail by mid-March. If you do not receive a form in the mail, forms will be available at:**

**Lemont Village Hall**  
**418 Main Street**

**Lemont Public Library**  
**50 E. Wend Street**

**Lemont Park District**  
**16028 127th Street**

**Call (630) 257-1590 for more information.**

**Everybody  
 Counts  
 in  
 Census 2010**



**We Can't Move Forward Until You Mail it Back!**

In 1790 the Nation's first census was taken. The form you will receive in March, 2010 is the shortest census form since that time. **Only 10 simple questions are asked for each member of the household. It takes about 10 minutes to complete and is completely safe.**

**Why should you return the census form?**

- ◆ Determining congressional seats and distribution of \$400 billion in federal funding are just a hint of the many important uses of census data.
- ◆ The federal government uses population data to allocate funds in a number of areas:
  - **Title 1 grants to school districts across the nation**
  - **Head Start programs**
  - **Women, Infants and Children food grants**
  - **Public transportation**
  - **Road rehabilitation and construction**
  - **Programs for the elderly**
  - **Emergency food and shelter**
- ◆ Census data helps the private sector determine where jobs and job programs are needed.
- ◆ Population figures are used to determine locations of highways, hospitals and schools.
- ◆ Corporations use population to determine locations for commercial enterprises, such as food stores, pharmacies and other essential services.

**Frequently Asked Questions:**

**Can I fill out the Census Form on line?**

**Not this time.** Although this is likely to be an option in the future, this time it is necessary to manually fill out the form, put it in the envelope and mail it back in the postage paid envelope. **DO IT!**

**I am not a U.S. Citizen. Should I fill out the form?**

**YES.** The purpose of the Census is to count the entire population. Citizenship is not relevant and there is no question on the form asking whether you are a U.S. Citizen.

**Census workers must pass security and employment reference checks. Enumerators will carry and display 2010 Census identification. If you are concerned about a visit from an enumerator, ask to see identification.**

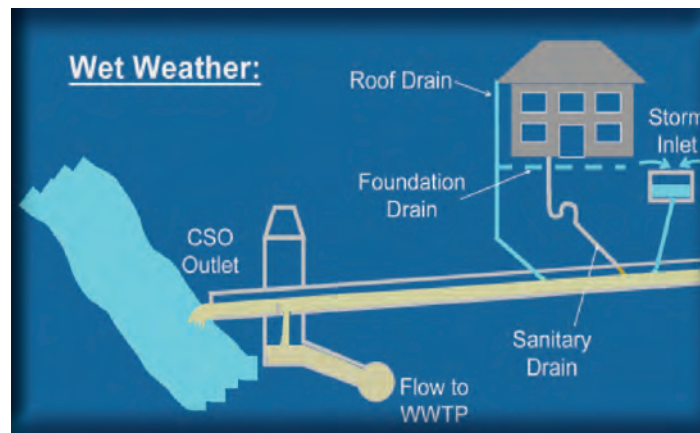
## Sewer Rate Increase Coming

Lemont has been notified by MWRD (Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago) and the IEPA (Illinois Environmental Protection Agency) that because both our combined and separated sewer systems are creating sporadic rainfall event overflows into the I & M and the Sanitary & Ship Canals in violation of the Clean Water Act, we will be required to take extensive action to correct the problem and have been given a timeline to comply by 2013.

Over the past several years, the Village has upgraded and separated the older sewer system as funds become available for street reconstruction. According to the MWRD, Lemont's rate of wet weather flow exceeds 800 gallons per capita per day (gpcpd). The mandate from MWRD is to reduce this rate of wet weather flow to or below 150 gallons per capita per day (gpcpd). Penalties for failing to meet this rate of flow if Lemont is not proactive could be very expensive.

A complete evaluation of the overall sewer system is the first step in the process to arrive at a long-term control plan and involves televising and flow monitoring of both systems. Initial estimates indicate that this evaluation alone may cost about \$500,000. Once this information is compiled and assessed, we can only speculate on the cost of implementing the long-term plan. The bottom line is that this will be an expensive process at a time when Village revenues are least able to absorb the cost.

Village sewer rates are a flat \$15.00 per 2-month billing cycle per household/unit for residential sewer accounts. (\$7.50 per month) Commercial accounts are billed



**Illustration: Sewer System – Wet Weather**

\$15.00 per unit for the first 20,000 gallons and \$.25 for every 1,000 gallons thereafter. We have explored other avenues to fund this mandated sewer work, but find that an increase in the sewer rate is unavoidable.

**Effective May 1, it is likely that the flat sewer rate for residential accounts may increase up to \$5 per month with a corresponding increase for the commercial users. Based on the information available now, we anticipate that this will**

be a one-time increase. To minimize the impact to seniors, a discount will be applied. Once we have a better idea of the cost involved in implementing the long-term control plan and unknown mandates by IEPA and MWRD, we will provide more specific information. We hope to finalize this by the end of March. Please check the Village website periodically at [www.lemont.il.us](http://www.lemont.il.us) for updates.

The sewer increase will only partially fund this exhaustive and very costly process. The Village will continue to seek sources of funding for the remainder of the system upgrades that will inevitably have to take place.

## Green Programs

### Illinois Energy Star Appliance Rebate Program

Point of Purchase rebates on ENERGY STAR qualified clothes washers, dishwashers, refrigerators, freezers and room air conditioners will be available for items purchased from participating retailers during Earth Week, April 16 - 25, 2010 through the State of Illinois Rebate Program.

Our local **SEARS APPLIANCE CENTER**, 1146 State Street is a participating retailer in the program. If you are considering purchase of a new appliance, take advantage of this program and support a local retailer at the same time.

### Rx Prescription Drug Disposal Program

Safely dispose of out of date and unwanted prescription and over the counter medications at the Lemont Police Department, 14600 127th Street during office hours.

In its first year, this program collected 467 pounds of drugs, 180 pounds of pills/tablets and 647 pounds of miscellaneous medications and equipment that otherwise may have ended up in our landfills or in the water supply.

For more information, please contact officer Denise Bode, (630) 257-2229 or [dbode@lemont.il.us](mailto:dbode@lemont.il.us).

# Free

## SPRING CLEAN-UP!

A special **FREE** Spring Yard Waste Pick-up provided by the Village of Lemont and Waste Management has been scheduled on the **REGULAR TRASH PICK-UP DAY:**

**APRIL 20, 21, or 22**

Place bags at curb by 6:00 a.m.  
**NO STICKER NEEDED**

## Landscape Waste and Branch Pick-up to Begin April 1

The landscape waste pick-up program will resume on April 1 and continue through the end of November. Yard waste will be collected on your regular trash pick-up day. To guarantee timely pick-up, landscape waste must be placed in a biodegradable paper landscape waste bag up to 33 gallons in capacity. **LANDSCAPE WASTE IN CANS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED.**

Place landscape waste at the curb prior to 6:00 a.m.

A landscape waste sticker is required and may be purchased at the Village Hall, Lemont Township Office, Chipain's, Jewel Foods, Peterson's Hardware and Sears Hardware.

**The cost per sticker is \$2.50.**

### Branches/Brush

The annual branch/brush pick-up program will begin on April 1 and continue through the end of November. Branches and tree limbs will be picked up on the regular trash pick up day by Waste Management. **A sticker is required for each bundle.**

#### BRANCHES MUST BE TIED:

- less than 4 feet in length.
- less than 4 inches in diameter.
- less than 50 pounds.
- tied with biodegradable string/twine.

## Lemont Environmental Advisory Commission & Lemont Heritage Committee Earth Week Events

### Recycling Events Saturday April 17

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - Metra Lot



#### Motor Oil Recycling

Collecting used motor oil, fuel oil, lubricant oil, brake/transmission fluid and antifreeze. *Co-sponsored by Citgo Refinery*

#### Document Disposal

Dispose of personal and business paper safely and securely. All documents will be shredded on site. *Co-sponsored by Beaver Document Shredding*

#### Electronics Recycling

Dispose of outdated electronic equipment including PCs and computer peripherals, servers, networking equipment, stereo & home entertainment equipment, phone equipment & cell phones. **There is a \$10.00 disposal fee for monitors; \$15.00 fee for TVs.** *Co-sponsored by E-Scrap Technologies*

#### Latex Paint Recycling

Accepting Latex paint, any color. Paint may be brought in cans or mixed into a 5-gallon container. **\$2.50 per gallon fee; \$8.00 per 5 gallon container.** *Co-sponsored by Earth Paints Collection Systems*

#### Prescription Medication Collection

Dispose of unused and outdated prescription medications safely while saving our water supply. *Co-sponsored by Lemont Police Department*

#### Bicycle Recycling

Accepting used bicycles in any condition; also bike parts and accessories. *Co-sponsored by Working Bikes Cooperative*

#### Food Collection for the Food Pantries

Bring non-perishable food for the Food Pantries to the Metra Lot.

#### Civil War Re-Enactment - Legion Park - 1:00 p.m.

Legion Park. Civil War reenactors will portray Lemont's 5 Warden Brothers as they leave to fight in the Civil War. John Warden was subsequently issued the Congressional Medal of Honor. Call 630-257-2972 for more information.

*Sponsored by Civil War Memorial Committee*

### Heritage Quarries Trail Clean up - Green up

★ Saturday, April 24 ★  
8:30 - 11:00 a.m.



Meet at Heritage Quarries Pavilion on K.A. Steel Road beginning at 8:00 a.m. Long sleeves, long pants are recommended. Bring gloves. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

*This event is sponsored by the Lemont Heritage Committee*

## NEW BUSINESS OPENS!



**Three Corners Grill & Tap**  
12371 Derby Road

### Building Permits Are Required for Home Improvement Projects

Considering a home improvement project? Most building projects including sheds, fences, pools, and decks require a building permit to ensure compliance with building codes and zoning regulations. Permit applications can be downloaded from the Village website: [www.lemont.il.us](http://www.lemont.il.us) or contact the Building Department at (630) 257-1580.

For your own protection, Village ordinance requires contractors to be licensed through the Village, bonded and insured. Visit [www.lemont.il.us](http://www.lemont.il.us) for more information.

### Lawn Sprinkler Valves Annual Testing Required

Lawn sprinkler RPZ valves must be tested annually by a certified RPZ valve tester to prevent cross contamination of the public water supply. Annual notices are mailed from the Building Department. A list of certified testers is on the website.

### NEW REGULATIONS for Removal of Lead Paint

Beginning in April, Contractors performing renovation, repair and painting projects that disturb lead-based paint in homes, child-care facilities and schools built before 1978 must be certified by the USEPA.

For additional information:  
[www.idph.state.il.us](http://www.idph.state.il.us) or  
[www.lemont.il.us](http://www.lemont.il.us).



## Celebrate St. Patrick's Day!

### PARADE & IRISH FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, MARCH 6 - 1:00 PM

Historic Downtown Lemont  
Featuring Chicago Stockyard Kilty Band &  
Lemont's Own Irish Queen, Elizabeth Alvey.

#### Parade Route

Line-up at Lemont Safety Village 12:30 p.m.  
South on Stephen to Main Street, West to V.F.W. Hall,  
15780 New Avenue.

### ENTERTAINMENT AFTER THE PARADE

Visit the V.F.W. Hall for great family fun!

- 1:30 Irish Dancing
- 3:00 Celtic Sounds
- 4:00 Soda Bread Contest

Sponsored by the Village of Lemont

Carriage Ride for Lemont's St. Patrick's Day  
Queen Provided by Joe Galica,  
Paradise Banquets, Bridgeview, Illinois.

Flowers Provided for our St. Patrick's Day  
Queen by Petal Play Design Studio,  
Lemont, Illinois.



**When:** Saturday, May 8  
**Where:** Main Street,  
Downtown Lemont

**Check-in:** 6:00 a.m.  
**Race begins:** 8:00 a.m.

The Advocate Good Samaritan Quarryman Challenge 10 Mile and 5K Road Race offers elite athletes, age group competitors and fitness runners a different, challenging course in Lemont's unique, scenic and small town setting. The 10-mile and 5K races start and finish in historic downtown Lemont. Each race course winds through the scenic, hilly historic neighborhoods of Lemont. Come out and challenge yourself to participate in the 5K or 10 mile run.

Not running? Please volunteer for the race or cheer on the runners as they wind through our community and the downtown area. Play music, ring bells, display signs and write encouraging remarks (in chalk please) on the route to cheer on Lemont residents and visitors to our community as they run the race.

For more information call Dave Fako at (630) 243-7111 or visit:

[www.quarrymanchallenge.com](http://www.quarrymanchallenge.com)

### March 6: St. Patrick's Day Parade & Festival - Historic Downtown Lemont

For full details, see Page 6.

### March 6: 3:00 p.m.

#### St. Al's/St. Pat's Denim & Diamonds Gala

Join us at Bobak Signature Events in Woodridge, IL for an amazing night of Silent and Live Auctions along with appetizers, a 5-Course Meal, Guys Game Corner, Premium Open Bar and dancing. Cost is \$65/person. For more info, call Jen Pickering at 630-863-2252 or visit our website at [www.galainlemont.com](http://www.galainlemont.com).

### March 7: Noon until 6:00 p.m.

#### Girl Scouts Annual Spaghetti Dinner

Location: Old Quarry Middle School. Silent Auction & Bake Sale. Tickets: Adults/\$7, Seniors/\$6, Children 5-12/\$5, Children 4 & Under Free. Tickets available in advance from local Girl Scouts or on the day of the event at the door. Dine in or carry out available. For more info, visit <http://lemontgirlscouts.webs.com>.

### March 11: 7:00 p.m.

#### Let's Connect! (A Gathering for Women)

We'll be packing care packages to send to the troops at the Lemont Police Department meeting room. Please join us to meet other women in Lemont and help out the troops as well. Donations for the care packages will also be gladly accepted and can be dropped off at the Police Dept. any time. If any questions, call Julie Johnson at 630-243-1898.

### March 13: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon

#### Children's Resale

First Church of the Nazarene, 12725 Bell Road, Lemont. Cash only, please; no strollers or children. For more info, call 708-349-0454.

### March 21: 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

#### St. Al's/St. Pat's School Pancake Breakfast with a Visit From the Easter Bunny

St. Alphonsus Church Basement, 210 E. Logan. Cost is \$6/adult and \$4/child or senior. For an additional \$2, you can have your picture taken with the Easter Bunny. For more info, call 630-783-2220.

### March 23: 7:00 p.m.

#### Lemont Area Historical Society

Location: The Old Stone Church, 306 Lemont Street. Doris Peterman will share her "Adventures in Kenya" and Richard Lee will be exhibiting his Photo Exhibit "Hidden Places in Lemont." For more info, call 630-257-2972.

### March 26: 8:00 p.m.

#### Teen Flashlight Egg Hunt

Must be 13 or older to participate in this FREE event. For more info and to register, call the Park District at 630-257-6787.

### March 27: Noon to 3:00 pm.

#### H2O Egg-Venture

Centennial Community Center. This is an "all ages" FREE event at The CORE! No more running for eggs, this year we're going to dive for eggs, meet the Easter Bunny and more! For more information and to register, call 630-257-6787.

### March 27: 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

#### 5th Annual "Easter Egg Hunt"

Franciscan Village, 1270 Village Drive, Lemont. Entertainment, refreshments, door prizes and face painting. Admission is FREE!

#### Event Schedule:

10:00 - 10:30 Visits with the Easter Bunny  
10:30 - 11:30 Easter Egg Hunts  
11:30 - 12:30 Entertainment/Refreshments

#### "Egg Hunt" Schedule:

10:30 a.m. 1 yr. - 4 yr. olds  
11:00 a.m. 5 yr. - 8 yr. olds  
11:30 a.m. 9 yr. - 12 yr. olds

**R.S.V.P. by March 24, 2010.** For additional information, please call 630-243-3412.

### March 27 – April 24 – May 22: 5:30 p.m.

#### Special Needs Respite Nights

Location: First Church of the Nazarene. Ages birth-18. Supervised by trained professionals. To register or for more information, call 708-349-0454.

### April 17-24: Lemont Celebrates Earth Week

See Pg. 5 of this newsletter for full information.

### April 18: Noon to 5:00 p.m.

#### Lion's Club Spring Community Dinner

Location: VFW Hall, Lemont. Pork chops with all the fixings plus children's menu: hot dogs and fries. Tickets: Adults, \$7; Seniors, \$6, Children 6-12, \$5, 5 and under FREE. Along with great food, there will be a meat raffle all day long to add to the fun. For further info, contact Ross Lillwitz, 630-257-7236 or e-mail: [rlillwitz@att.net](mailto:rlillwitz@att.net).

### April 22 - 25: Friends of the Lemont Library Annual Spring Book Sale.

In addition, a special preview night will be held on April 21 from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. for the Friends of the Lemont Library. Membership for an individual can be purchased at the door for \$10.00. Items can be donated anytime. For more information call 630-257-6541.

### April 23: 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

#### "Know The 10 Signs"

Franciscan Village, 1270 Village Drive. The Alzheimer's Association and Franciscan Village have teamed up on this presentation. This FREE program focuses on the 10 warning signs of serious memory problems, gives a basic overview of Alzheimer's disease, and covers risk factors, diagnosis and benefits of early detection.

### April 26: 7:30 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

#### Mayor's Drive for Charity

Ruffled Feathers Country Club.  
1 Pete Dye Drive. For more information, call 630-257-1590.



### May 6: 7:00 p.m.

#### Let's Connect! (A Gathering for Women)

Our final gathering before summer will be at Ruffled Feathers, Lemont. Cost: \$5. Vanessa E., a Christian vocal artist, will be the guest speaker and performer. Please join us for an evening of fun and fellowship. If any questions, please call Julie Johnson (630) 243-1898.



### May 8: Quarryman Challenge 2010

See Pg. 6 of this newsletter for additional information.

### May 8: 9:00 a.m. to Noon (Rain or Shine)

Lemont Garden Club's Annual Plant Sale  
Parking Lot of Lemont Park District. For more info, call 630-257-3538 or contact Sheryl at 630-257-7787. No sales before 9:00 a.m.

### May 9-15th: American Cancer Society's Paint the Town Purple

Participants wanted to help Paint the Town Purple to show support of finding a cure for cancer. During the week of May 9-15th tie a purple ribbon around the trees in your front yard or your mailbox, plant purple flowers, and support local businesses that are participating in this event. Look for more info in your local papers or check out our website at [www.relayforlifelemont.com](http://www.relayforlifelemont.com). Local businesses interested in participating can call Roxy Summers at 630-739-1046 or Janine Davidson at 630-257-6008.

### May 21: 6:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

#### Cop on Top for Special Olympics

Intersection of Archer & Derby. Lemont Police Dept. will again join with police departments all over Illinois in the annual "Cop on Top" fundraiser. Last year over \$3,000 was raised. Your spare change will support a worthy cause and help get Chief Shaughnessy off the roof of Dunkin' Donuts.

### May 22: 7:00 p.m.

#### LJWC's Trivia Night...Hollywood Nights

Location: Lithuanian World Center. Go to [www.lemontjuniorwomansclub.org](http://www.lemontjuniorwomansclub.org) for details.

### May 23: 1:00 p.m.

#### St. Alphonsus Men's Club Golf Outing

Woodbine Golf Course, 14240 W. 151st Street, Homer Glen. Cost is \$80/person and includes golf, cart, awards, door prizes and dinner. For more info call Bob Parry at 708-301-7496. Men and women are welcome.



Lemont  
Homer Glen  
Lockport  
**July 9 - 6:00 p.m. to  
July 10 - 6:00 a.m.**

**TEAMS NOW FORMING!**

Gather your friends and neighbors and form a team for the 2010 Relay for Life on July 9-10, 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. to join us in the fight against cancer. For more information, contact Janine Davidson (630-257-6008) or Roxy Summers (630-739-1046) or visit:

**[www.RelayForLifeLemont.com](http://www.RelayForLifeLemont.com)**

*For the most up-to-date event listings, visit our web site at [www.lemont.il.us](http://www.lemont.il.us) and the community site at [lemontevents.com](http://lemontevents.com). (Register there to post your organization's events.)*

# Feedback

Your comments, suggestions and concerns are important to us. Please use this form to communicate and include your name and address if you would like a response.

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**Return to:**  
Village of Lemont  
418 Main Street  
Lemont, IL 60439



## **MARCH 1<sup>st</sup> THRU 7<sup>th</sup> IS SEVERE WEATHER PREPAREDNESS WEEK**

**Prepare a Home Tornado Plan**  
**Designate a Safe Area Where Family Members Should Gather**  
**Replace Batteries in Radios and Flashlights**



### **Lemont Village News**

Village of Lemont  
418 Main Street Lemont, IL 60439-3788  
630-257-1550  
FAX 630 257-1598  
email: vlemont@lemont.il.us  
website address: www.lemont.il.us

#### **Mayor**

Brian K. Reaves

#### **Clerk**

Charlene Smollen

#### **Trustees**

Debby Blatzer      Rick Sniegowski  
Paul Chialdikas      Ronald Stapleton  
Clifford Miklos      Jeanette Virgilio

#### **Village Administrator**

Benjamin P. Wehmeier

*Village Board Meetings*  
*2nd & 4th Mondays - 7:00 pm*

**Village of Lemont**  
**418 Main Street**  
**Lemont, IL 60439**

*Car-T-Sort*  
*Bulk Rate*  
*U.S. Postage*  
*PAID*  
*Lemont, IL*  
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