

VILLAGE  
GOVERNMENT

All Riverwoods Board of Trustees and Plan Commission meetings are held at the Village Hall unless otherwise specified and are open to the public; residents are encouraged to attend.

**Riverwoods Village Board**

1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 7:30pm. August 5, 19, September 2, 16, October 7 and 21.

**Riverwoods Plan Commission**

1st Thursday at 7:30pm. August 7, September 4 and October 2.

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# Riverwoods

## VILLAGE VOICE

### Don't Let Mosquitoes Steal Your Summer Fun

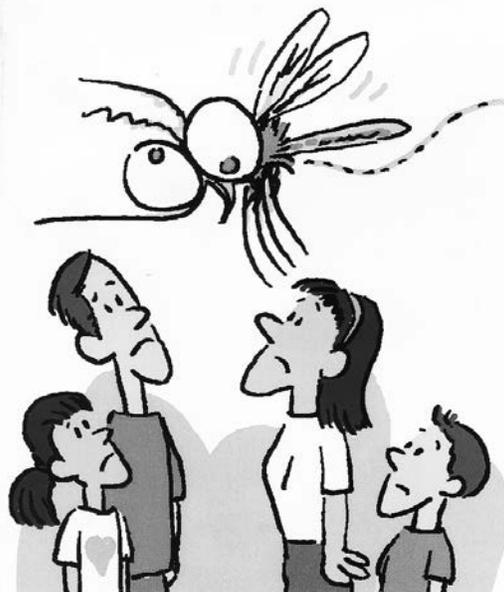
*The Plant Ladies, Sheila Hollander and Margie Kaul are at it again, this time taking your questions concerning that pesky Riverwoods summer resident, the mosquito.*

**I want to enjoy my yard, but I worry about mosquito-borne diseases. Am I being paranoid?**

Besides being annoying, mosquitoes can spread West Nile Virus, which can cause encephalitis or meningitis. In 2012, the Center for Disease Control (CDC) reported a record number of deaths from West Nile Virus; 286 people died in the contiguous U.S. that year. Mosquitoes also can spread heartworm parasites in our pets. So doing something about mosquitoes is being proactive not paranoid.

**How can I prevent mosquito bites?**

There are several things that you can



do to keep those pesky mosquitoes at bay:

- Wear light-colored clothing, cover up your arms and legs, and wear socks, especially between dusk and dawn. Dark colors, like red, blue and black, are especially attractive to mosquitoes

- Avoid scented perfumes or lotions

- Use mosquito repellants. The CDC recommends DEET, picaridin, IR3535, and the plant-based oil of lemon eucalyptus. Some other repellants that studies show will work to repel mosquitoes include the natural repellants neem oil and citronella oil. Be sure to check Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recommendations on the use of mosquito repellants and, which ever type of repellant you use, be careful to follow the instructions on the label. A Gardener's Tip: to prevent a chance of skin irritation, spray your clothes and hat with the mosquito repellant, rather than spraying your skin

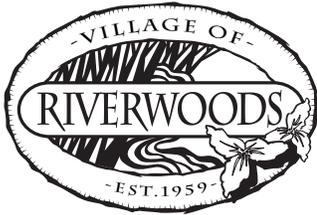
- Check the screens on your windows and doors to be sure they fit securely and there are no holes.

**Is there anything I can do to protect my guests when I have a party in my yard?**

Strategically place fans on your deck or patio to blow away those lightweight mosquitoes. It works like a charm. Also, replace the standard light bulbs by your doors with LEDs, yellow bug lights or sodium lamps.

**What can I do to prevent mosquitoes from breeding in the first place?**

Mosquito larvae need stagnant water and decaying vegetation. If you eliminate the breeding sites in your yard you'll get rid of the mosquitoes before they have a chance



RIVERWOODS  
VILLAGE VOICE

Riverwoods Village Voice is published bimonthly by the Village of Riverwoods. The purpose is to provide a communication forum and information for residents. The views expressed in the newsletter are not necessarily those of the Mayor or members of the Board of Trustees.

Editor: Jackie Borchew.

Any resident wishing to become a newsletter staff volunteer please call the Village Hall at 847-945-3990 and leave your name and phone number.

SEND IN THOSE  
LETTERS!

Letters from residents and Riverwoods homeowners' associations are invited and encouraged. Preferred length: approximately 250 words or less, typed. All letters must include the author's name, address and phone number. Letters may be printed, space permitting, but may be edited for grammar, clarity and length. If controversial topics are addressed, the editor will seek opposing viewpoints for balance. Deadline for the September/October 2014 issue: August 20, 2014. Send to: Editor Riverwoods Village Voice 300 Portwine Road Riverwoods, IL 60015 Jackie@borchew.com

to become a nuisance. Some breeding sites include buckets, drums, watering cans, discarded tires, sunken parts of your lawn, rotted tree stumps, and boats.

Remember to regularly change the water in your bird bath and wading pool. It's also important to keep roof gutters and downspouts free of clogs, and cover trash containers.

Drain water from boats or store them upside down. Drain the water from unused swimming pools, including kiddie wading pools.

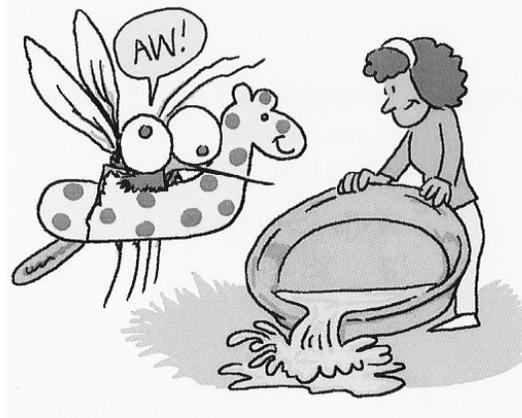
**Will insecticide sprays, insect zappers, and citronella candles repel mosquitoes?**

According to the Southlake Mosquito Abatement District, spraying with an insecticide only works for a short time, insect zappers and sound devices are minimally effective and may kill helpful insects, and citronella candles provide little help and only if you stay close to the product.

Also, there is little evidence that attracting birds or bats to an area to eat mosquitoes actually works or that wearing electromagnetic devices, stuffing your pockets with dryer sheets, or taking Vitamin B will prevent mosquito bites.

For more information contact the Southlake Mosquito Abatement District at [www.slmad.org](http://www.slmad.org) or 1-800-942-2555.

If you have questions about a topic related to Riverwoods, don't hesitate to send in your questions to the Village Voice. We'll see that the plant ladies receive your letter or email.



Here's a tip to stop mosquito breeding in your yard - Empty unused swimming pools. And change the water in wading pools at least weekly.

## Village Board of Trustees Meeting Notes

Summary of ordinances, resolutions, and non-routine matters considered by the Board of Trustees from the meeting minutes of May 6, 20 and June 3. Read the entirety of these minutes or view the video of the actual Board of Trustee meetings on the Village of Riverwoods website at [www.villageofriverwoods.com](http://www.villageofriverwoods.com).

June 3

### ENGINEER'S REPORT

Village Engineer Glenn reported that various paving projects are underway. He stated that the patching has been completed in Hiawatha Woods, that East Course and Blackheath are almost done, and that Winlake Terrace will be completed soon after that. The crew will then start on Kenilwood. Mr. Glenn is still working on the paperwork for the pothole patching project.

### VILLAGE ATTORNEY'S REPORT

Village Attorney Huvad received the first draft of the 2013 annual audit from Miller Cooper. The house at 1382 Kenilwood was demolished. The two lenders are fighting for lien priority, neither of which has gotten a judgment of foreclosure against the borrower. Mr. Huvad is working with the receiver and their attorneys to figure out how to get a judgment to allow the receiver to sell the property. Ideally, he would like the lenders and the borrower to agree to put the property on the market. The receiver for the property at 9 Julie Lane is going to court with a new feasibility report and is recommending demolition.

### POLICE REPORT

Chief Dayno provided the Board with the Police Department activity since the May 20, 2014 Board of Trustees meeting. There was one residential burglary, one theft under \$500, 12 assists, two ambulance calls, two fire calls, four fire alarms, two public service calls, 13 premise exams, two well-being checks, two vehicle lock outs, one construction complaint, six other complaints, 28 burglar alarms, three suspicious auto call, one suspicious person, one field contact, one identity theft, three other investigations, 11 animal problems, one village ordinance violation, four motorist assists, four traffic complaints, two parking complaints, one traffic investigation, three traffic accidents, and four hang ups.

There were six case reports and 70 traffic stops with 62 citations being issued to 43 persons.

Chief Dayno noted that there was a burglary on Hiawatha. The house is between owners and is currently vacant. All of the appliances and the furnace were removed from the house.

During this period the department conducted alcohol compliance checks. None of the establishments sold alcohol to the underage agent.

#### **FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT REPORT**

Duane Christenson from the Lincolnshire-Riverwoods Fire Department presented the call volume for the LRFPD District including mutual aid to the DBFD District for the month of May. There were 30 calls including 12 EMS calls, 13 fire calls, three auto accidents and two other calls. There were 171 calls year to date.

#### **STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Sewer/Solid Waste/Roads/Bike Path** – Trustee O'Donnell noted a few residents have reached out to him about pot holes and the condition of their roads. He will contact Lake County and inquire about their schedule for the repairs.

**Treasurer Liaison/Parks/NSSRA** – Trustee Ford reported that she will meet with the Treasurer to go over reports and to setup meetings with the investment managers.

The NSSRA facilities committee is evaluating a property in Northbrook.

**Woodlands/Budget & Operations** – Trustee Chamberlain noted that she received a few e-mails regarding the Plan Commission hearing on the Terraco property.

She is working on getting specifics from the Village Forester about the Woodland Preservation Area and what information will be printed on the boards and when that will be done.

She and the Mayor are working on correcting the budget categories to ensure items are placed in the correct category.

**IT/Drainage/Stormwater/Environment** – Trustee Baumann thanked everyone for their feedback on the IT survey. The top three issues were the Village network, the Village website and email. The email issues can and have been addressed

by changing the email client. The immediate plan for the website is to refresh the information more frequently and make it more graphically interesting.

The survey showed that there is no consistent methodology for record storing and retention on the Village network. An immediate solution to dealing with record storage would be to migrate to a uniform standard for storing data. As to record retention, a policy could be implemented for which records to keep and which should be deleted. Trustee Baumann will be looking into various software packages and will provide a range of options along with the cost and implementation of those packages.

*May 20*

#### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Village treasurer Hal Roseth indicated that he, Trustee Ford and Village Attorney Huvad have met with the Wells Fargo and Chase advisors. They came away with a good understanding of the advisors' investment philosophies and the roles they play for the Village. He and Trustee Ford will meet soon and work on a new report format for the Trustees. In discussions with the advisors, they discovered that there may be some new investment opportunities that may give the Village a better yield.

Mr. Roseth also noted that the Village is carrying approximately \$1.4 million in an operating account in which they only need to carry \$700,000 in order to remain eligible for reduced bank fees. He and Trustee Ford discussed moving some of the money to the investment accounts. Once he gets the total picture, he will put it in a report.

#### **POLICE REPORT**

Chief Dayno provided the Board with the Police Department activity since the May 6, 2014 Board of Trustees meeting. There was one DUI, 12 other agency assists, seven ambulance calls, three fire alarms, three fire calls, two fingerprintings, two public service calls, 20 premise exams, four vehicle lock outs, one noise complaint, one other complaint, 12 burglar alarms, one suspicious vehicle, one suspicious person, one found property, one other investigation, nine complaints about animals, two roadway debris calls, six motorist

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assists, three traffic complaints, four parking complaints, seven traffic accidents, five 911 hang ups, six crime prevention notices and five case reports. There were 90 traffic stops with 74 citations issued to 63 people.

There are currently five houses on the House Watch list that are checked regularly.

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#### **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS & COMMENTS FROM THE PRESIDENT**

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**Clean Up Day** – Mayor Norris thanked the residents that participated in Cleanup Day this year. Trustee Jamerson reported that approximately 15 bags of garbage were picked up. Trustee Chamberlain noted that Boy Scout Troupe 50 would like to participate in the future.

*May 6*

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#### **DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY SERVICE**

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ComEd has submitted their annual above-ground cable replacement program for 2014. They will replace approximately 400 feet of cable throughout the Village.

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#### **VILLAGE ATTORNEY'S REPORT**

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Village Attorney Huvad indicated that the roof at 9 Julie Lane leaked all winter and now needs replacement. In addition, the exterior needs substantial renovation. The receiver plans to petition for authority to demolish the property as it no longer makes financial sense to effectuate repairs. The property at 1382 Kenilwood has been demolished. The receiver is preparing the petition for court authorization for their fees and costs incurred in the demolition. The Village contacted the real estate agent for the property at 1565 Shawnee to request a voluntary inspection. The agent has not gotten back to the Village. Mr. Huvad sent a notice with a vacant house finding and is demanding a code compliance inspection. He also sent a notice with a vacant house finding and code compliance inspection request for 2421 Forest Glen. The summary judgment, default judgment and injunctive relief motion for 3135 Scotch Lane is set for May 8, 2014.

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#### **POLICE REPORT**

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Chief Dayno provided the Board with the Police Department activity since the April 15, 2014 Board of Trustees meeting. There were two DUIs, seven other agency assists, 10 ambulance calls, two fire calls, two fire alarms, one fingerprinting, 34 premise exams, one safety seat check/installation, one notification, three vehicle lock outs, two noise complaints, one solicitor complaint, two other complaints, 20 burglar alarms, five hold up alarms, four suspicious vehicles, one suspicious person report, one identity theft investigation, one other investigation, eight complaints about animals, seven motorist assists, five traffic complaints, eight traffic accidents, three 911 hang ups, three crime prevention notices and eight case reports. There were 123 traffic stops with 81 citations issued to 66 people.

There are currently five houses on the House Watch list that are checked regularly.

Chief Dayno stated that the department conducted tobacco compliance checks at two businesses and neither business sold to the underage agent. Officer Maciarelo attended a crime prevention training course and will be the department's crime prevention officer.

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#### **FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT REPORT**

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Duane Christenson from the Lincolnshire-Riverwoods Fire Department presented the call volume for the LRFDP District including mutual aid to the DBFD District for the month of April 2014. There were 29 calls including 18 EMS calls, five fire calls, two auto accidents and four other calls. There were 141 calls year to date.

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#### **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS & COMMENTS FROM THE PRESIDENT**

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**Trustee Assignments** – Mayor Norris has made some adjustments in the Trustee assignments and Trustee Ford will now be the Treasurer liaison. Treasurer Ford met with representatives from Chase. She has a meeting scheduled with Mr. Roseth in June. She requested additional information from Wells Fargo so she can do some comparative analysis.

In addition, Trustee Chamberlain will handle the budget and operations and Trustee Baumann will handle information technology.

**IT Review** – Trustee Baumann has collected information from the staff and Village consultants and will categorize the user requirements to determine the potential needs and solutions.

**Village Hall Project Update** – Mr. Hammer will contact the Trustees for their thoughts and ideas. Mayor Norris hopes that the project will serve as a demonstration project for residents, especially the landscaping portion of the project. Toward that end, the RPC has offered to have a brain storming session with their various landscaping consultants and the Village which RPC will pay for.

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#### **PAVEMENT PATCHING CONTRACT AWARD**

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Village Engineer Glenn solicited quotes for pavement patching. He recommends working with the contractor with the lower unit price. He recommends approving a Resolution to appropriate MFT funds in the amount of \$20,000 to pay for the paving.

Mr. Glenn noted the lowest bid came from M & J Asphalt. Trustee Jamerson moved to award the contract for pavement patching to M & J Asphalt based on the submitted unit price of \$94.10 per square yard in an amount not to exceed \$20,000. Trustee O'Donnell seconded the motion. Mayor Norris indicated that the money for this will come from the motor fuel tax funds. The Board voted to accept the bid of M & J Asphalt for paving patchwork.

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#### **AUTHORIZATION FOR SSA 19 CHANGE ORDER**

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Mr. Glenn noted that the residents of Hiawatha Woods requested additional pavement patching. He explained that this is not a Village expenditure. Rather, it would come out of the SSA 19 funds. Mr. Huvad noted that the change order amount of \$24,342.50 would increase the current contract with Curran to a new total of \$834,073.50 and would need to be approved by the Board. The Board voted in favor.

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## SSA 29

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Mr. Huvad explained that this is an Ordinance to propose Special Service Area 29 for the properties on Ringland Road. The public hearing will be scheduled for July 15, 2014. After the hearing, the Village will wait for petitions to arrive. If the Village receives favorable responses from at least 51% of the property owners, they will create the SSA.

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## APPOINTMENT OF MIKE CLAYTON TO ZBA

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Mayor Norris asked Mr. Clayton to serve on the Zoning Board of Appeals. The Board voted in favor.

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## FUND TRANSFER TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Mr. Huvad explained that the Village passed an Ordinance in December 2013 authorizing a transfer of up to \$600,000 to the Police Fund. However, the deficit in the Police Fund exceeded \$600,000. The Village auditors are requesting that the Board pass an Ordinance to amend the amount of the transfer in order that the Police Fund not show a deficit at year end. The Board agreed to the transfer.

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## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

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**Roads/Waste** – Trustee O'Donnell has reached out to Lake County regarding road repairs.

**Police/Building/Zoning** – Trustee Jamerson commented that the construction values are up by about 50% but the fees are down.

In April 2014, there were 11 permits issued with a total construction value of \$328,713 generating fees of \$2,805. In April 2013, there were 11 permits issued with a total construction value of \$512,300 generating fees of \$18,624. Year to date 2014, there were 33 permits issued with a total construction value of \$1,627,306 generating fees of \$13,921. Year to date 2013, there were 31 permits issued with a total construction value of \$820,513, generating fees of \$23,282.

**Information Services/Parks/NSSRA** – Trustee Ford noted that the NSSRA is moving along on the capital acquisition. She will tour a property in Northbrook that is under consideration. They would like to partner with a park district, if possible.

**Budget and Operations** – Trustee Chamberlain noted that she has reviewed the quarterly budget numbers with Mayor Norris. They found some inconsistencies and errors. After the corrections are made, Trustee Chamberlain will get the information to the Trustees. Trustee Chamberlain is also reviewing the cost-sharing programs and will meet with the RPC and Trustee Baumann to get input on making the programs more user-friendly.

**Drainage/Stormwater/Environment** – Trustee Baumann noted that the culvert cleaning program did not receive enough participation. The residents that were interested received their money back. Trustee Baumann will follow up to try to find out why the program failed.



Officer Al Maciareillo and Officer Tim Durkin participated in the Whole Foods Grill Off on Saturday, June 14 in Deerfield, pitting Deerfield, Bannockburn, and Riverwoods Police Departments against the Deerfield/Bannockburn Fire Protection District. The Police won. The proceeds went to the Special Olympics. In the above photo Grill Off participants, from left to right, Riverwoods Officer Al Maciareillo, Deerfield Police Communications Director Mary Anne Glowitz, and Bannockburn Police Lt. Jack Henegahn.

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## Crime Prevention Services

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By Officer Alfred Maciareillo

I would like to introduce myself as the new crime prevention officer for the Village of Riverwoods. My name is Alfred Maciareillo and I have dedicated the past twelve years to protecting the residents of Riverwoods. Prior to my arrival in Riverwoods, I served on the Chicago Heights Police Department for eight years. I have held various positions within the police department including SWAT, NIPAS Mobile Field Force, range training officer, bicycle patrol and senior service officer.

Recently, I completed a 40-hour crime prevention training program. With my new certification, there are a few services that I will be able to provide to the residents and businesses of Riverwoods. I just want to provide a quick overview of some of these services.

I will be able to offer presentations to residents and businesses on topics including but not limited to Bullying, Stranger Danger, Traffic Safety, Internet Safety, Identity Theft, Personal Safety and Workplace Violence.

For Riverwoods residents I can perform a home security survey, which will provide an assessment of security safeguards and risks that I observe at the residence. I will provide the homeowner with guidance on how to correct safety deficiencies using crime prevention through environmental design.

I am available to meet with residents, businesses, home owner associations or any other groups interested to discuss any safety concerns that may be occurring within the village.

Please feel free to contact me at the Riverwoods Police Department 847-945-1130 ext. 231 or email [amaciareillo@riverwoods-il.net](mailto:amaciareillo@riverwoods-il.net).

**Remember, if you see something, say something!**

## Committees Are Forming – This is a Great Time to Get Involved with Your RPC

By Mike Clayton, RPC President

*“I don’t have a lot of time but I want to participate.”*

*“The RPC is involved in so many different things but I am really interested in one or two”.*

*“I just don’t know how to get started”.*

**We Hear You.** And we also know that you have a strong interest in keeping Riverwoods the unique and special place that it is today. The RPC not only wants your participation but we need your participation - within the boundaries of what is possible for you.

With this in mind, we have broken down our activities into four Committees, each with Co-Chairs from the RPC Board. The Committees are:

**Community Action** (Co-Chairs Sheila Hollander, Louise Simonson): recycling; education programs such as the recent one on water; and the family program on snakes, clean up day, etc.

**Conservancy** (Co-Chairs Tim Tomkovich, Laurie Breitung, Sheila Hollander): Village rain gardens, green infrastructure studies, Village cost-sharing programs, etc.

**Policy Advocacy** (Co-Chairs Rich Koomjian, Laurie Breitung): bike path, electrical aggregation, water management, etc.

**Communication** (Co-Chairs Rick Jamerson, Louise Simonson, Tim Tomkovich): Website and Facebook updates, Village Board meeting reporting, Village Voice articles, etc.

With Committees like this you can pick the one you like, focus on a particular thing they do, share an idea or take on a small task. Maybe you have some ideas about streamlining the Village cost-sharing programs. Perhaps you would want to help with our fall educational event. By hooking up with a Committee, we now have a way for you to contribute to keeping Riverwoods special while keeping things manageable for you at the same time. PLEASE take a moment to let us know. And we’ll take it from there.

You can reach us at riverwoodsrpc@comcast.net or P.O. Box 122, Deerfield, IL 60015 or just pick up the phone and call me directly at 847-867-0947.



## THE GREEN CORNER - FALL PROGRAM

### Sustainable Landscaping and Lawn Care: How it Protects Us and Our Children

For many, lawns rank up there with mom, baseball and apple pie. It’s the place your children romp and wrestle, your friends and family gather for picnics and summer holidays, and even the place your dog loves to play. With this kind of contact, doesn’t it make sense that we make our lawns as safe as possible?

Children are particularly vulnerable to lawn and landscape pesticides, herbicides, and fertilizers. Simply stated, children and lawn chemicals don’t mix. Study after study links the use of pesticides and herbicides to a host of cancers, nervous-system disorders and other illness.

Nitrates from inorganic fertilizer have been found in countless rural wells across farm country and have become a problem with public water supplies as well.

We have to ask: why do we continue to dump tons of these products on our backyards year after year?

Do you have to have a dandelion and crabgrass filled lawn? Do you have to have diseased leaves on your shrubs and trees?” Absolutely not! Develop healthy soil with the use of a slow-release natural organic fertilizer to avoid weed problems. Corn gluten is an effective natural pre-emergent. Safe spot treatments include fatty-acid soaps and botanicals such as vinegar or citrus-based products. Use plants that have been selected and bred for resistance to diseases or pests and adapted to your particular location and situation

Find out what you can do and how to do it. This Fall.

#### RPC MEMBERSHIP FORM

Yes, I want to support the RPC in its efforts to preserve Riverwoods! Enclosed is my contribution in the amount of :

\$25    \$50    \$100    \$250    Other \_\_\_\_\_

I have attached my employer’s matching contribution form.

Join at a level of \$100 or more and receive a 10% discount on most plants sold each spring by the RRA Plant Sale Committee.

Please make your check payable to the Riverwoods Preservation Council, P.O. Box 122, Deerfield, IL 60015. The RPC is an independent, resident-run, volunteer-run, non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation. Your contributions are tax-deductible to the full extent of the law. Thank you!

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Find the Riverwoods Preservation Council on Facebook at [www.riverwoodsrpc.org](http://www.riverwoodsrpc.org), and at [riverwoodsrpc@comcast.net](mailto:riverwoodsrpc@comcast.net).



## Summer Time at Riverwoods Montessori

For children ages three months – six years, summer time at Riverwoods Montessori Country Camp is filled with fun activities. Children are actively engaged in nature study, gardening, science activities, sports skills, swimming, arts and crafts and cooking. Special events and field trips are provided for older children. Pictured are campers – Rohan Shah of Buffalo Grove and Maxim Mirtchev of Riverwoods enjoying science experiments.

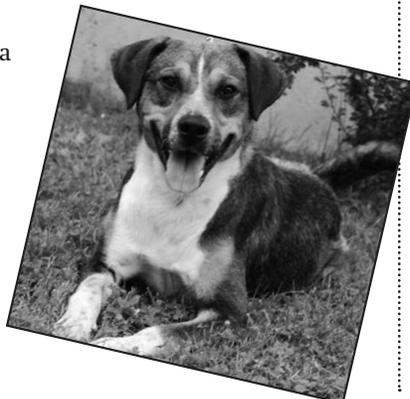
Camp is in session until August 15th and the school year begins on August 28th for all students (infants, toddlers, preschoolers, kindergarteners and elementary students through sixth grade). For information please contact Lisa Kamlich, Director of Schools or Arlene Gordon, Director of Admissions at 847-945-7582.

## Dog Days of Summer

Summer is here and we're all coming up with creative ways to make the most of every second of it. Here's an idea that you may not have thought of – adding a friend to your life right now. A four-legged friend to celebrate these dog days of summer! A companion who will only have eyes for you and stay loyal by your side through this season and into the next. Orphans of the Storm has just that friend waiting to meet you.

Meet Tom. This handsome hound mix just arrived at the shelter and is already getting a lot of attention. At two years old, he is active and playful and ready to jump start your summer!

Meet Tom at Orphans of the Storm animal shelter any day 11am-5pm.



## YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN THE RPC

The RPC would like to involve more people throughout the Village in local ecological issues. We have sponsored interesting programs and events, such as a water management panel, shoe and eyeglass recycling, installation of a rain garden at the police station, and a native plant lecture at Red's Garden Center. The RPC, a nongovernmental, resident-run environmental organization, is seeking directors and others interested in Riverwoods' ecological matters. To learn more, please contact the RPC at [riverwoodsrpc@comcast.net](mailto:riverwoodsrpc@comcast.net).

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### REMEMBERING A FRIEND

It is with sadness and fond memories that we share that long time Riverwoods resident and trustee Paul Newall has passed away this January. He was residing in Hot Springs Village, Arkansas at the time.

## Riverwoods Book Club Summer Reading Break

By June Melber

The book club is on vacation until Thursday, September 18, at 10am, when we start our 11th year with **A Tale for the Time Being**, by Ruth Ozeki. Our picks for the rest of 2014 are: October – **Rin Tin Tin** by Susan Orlean (perhaps followed by a tour of Orphans of the Storm animal shelter). November – **Mayflower**, by Nathaniel Philbrick, and December – **I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings**, by Maya Angelou.

Hope you're enjoying summer with a bag full of great books! See you in September.



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## SSA #26 Getting The Job Done

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Kenilwood Road Association formed an SSA to redo the roads in the entire neighborhood. Not long ago our roads were riddled with pot holes, old deteriorating patchwork, and narrow corner lanes that presented hidden dangers. Today our roads are smooth and a delight to drive on.

Residents especially enjoyed watching the construction. The steam roller operator seemed to have the most fun job.

