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## CRESTWOD ADVISER

## Crestwood PD Welcomes Two New Full-Time Officers



Last month, family, friends, staff and our police commissioners welcomed two new full-time officers to the Crestwood Police Department. The commission had the pleasure of swearing in the two new full-time police officers. Both recruits have had a background with Crestwood. Sarah Powers and Amy Green started in our cadet program and later became parttime officers. We welcome you aboard the Village of Crestwood Police Department's full-time staff. We recognize the sacrifice that police officers make when choosing this career, and the importance of hiring the right people. We believe both Sarah and Amy will be great additions, and that our Village community will be in great hands with our newest officers.

The Crestwood Police Department swore in two new full-time officers in June. Pictured from left to right: Police Commissioner Chris Newhall, Police Chief David Weigand, new full-time Officer Sarah Powers, Police Commissioner James Fowler, new full-time Officer Amy Green, Police Commissioner Patrick Serratore.



July 15-16<sup>th</sup>

We will be having a Village Wide garage sale July 15-16<sup>th</sup>. Please come to Village Hall to obtain your Free Permit. We are hoping to compile a list of participating streets.

HAPPY GARAGE SALE.

ONE PERSON'S TRASH IS ANOTHER PERSON'S TREASURE



## Another Successful Shredding Event

On June 4th, the Crestwood Police Department held its Document Shredding Fundraiser onsite at the Police Department. This annual event has been hosted by the police department for the last eight years, with donations raised from the event going toward the department's fundraising efforts for Special Olympics Illinois.

According to event coordinator Detective Chris Soderlund, even after eight years, there is no indication that people are running out of shredding. "Even though the event doesn't start until 9am, we have people lining up by 8:30," Soderlund says. "We provide people with a safe and secure way to get rid of documents that contain their personal information, while raising a little money for the athletes of Special Olympics."

The onsite shredding is provided by Beaver Shredding, which donates the service each year in support of the Crestwood Police Department's fundraising efforts.

Residents are reminded of the importance of properly disposing of anything that contains your personal information.

And more importantly, **NEVER GIVE OUT YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION TO ANYONE OVER THE PHONE.** 

### Village Hall

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#### LETTER FROM MAYOR KEN KLEIN

Dear Neighbors,

First, I'd like to start by saying that I hope all homeowners who applied for and received their free gas cards found it helpful during these neverbefore-seen gas prices. We wanted to provide a gesture of support during these difficult times.

July has arrived at last, bringing with it the good times of summer, not least of which includes celebrating our nation's Independence Day July 4th. We hope to see as many of you as possible at our Sparks in the Park celebration on Friday, July 1st, and hope that everyone will have an enjoyable and safe July 4th holiday. Do take care, as we note in this edition of the Crestwood Adviser, to exercise common sense and caution when it comes to fireworks use in the Village. Most fireworks are not legal in Illinois, and consequently, are not legal in the Village confines. We strongly encourage you to leave the fireworks displays to the professionals and have consideration for our veterans who may be suffering from PTSD, as well as our pets who end up terrified by them.

As summer advances, so does progress here in Crestwood. New businesses are opening that will add jobs and contribute to the tax base. In the near future, you can look forward to Bubbakoo's Burritos moving into the strip mall between the Walgreens and the Panda Express on Cicero Ave. Jimmy John's will be moving into this strip mall as well, offering a drive-through for better service. Several other new deals are in the works at present for new businesses who are interested in locating on Route 83, which we look forward to announcing at the appropriate time.

In the meantime, I hope that everyone remembers to take advantage of the many great things to do in our Village for residents of all ages, from league sports that are available for free to Village children, to the wide range of activities offered at our Crestwood Recreation & Wellness Center, our Crestwood Public Library and at the Biela Center, not to mention our other facilities like the Southwest Ice Arena and Ozinga Field. There's something here for just about everyone, and this is a great time of year, especially for our young people, to make the most of it all.

There are a couple of events I would like to encourage everyone to attend — first, our Community-Wide Garage Sale coming up Friday, July 15th-Saturday, July 16th. As is tradition in the Village, garage-sale permits are FREE, but must be picked up in person at Village Hall, at 13800 S. Cicero Ave. The other event, taking place Tuesday, Aug. 2nd, is our National Night Out celebration at Walker Park, 13900 S. Laramie Ave. This is a great opportunity to get together with the rest of your community, meet our first responders and get to know them a bit while enjoying food, drinks, games and other family fun. I hope to see many of you there.

Once again, please be safe, look out for our youngsters in the crosswalks and on our streets, and enjoy a safe and restful July 4th holiday.

Sincerely,

Ken Klein

Ken Klein,

Mayor of Village of Crestwood



## Village Meeting Schedule

Village Board Meetings - 8:00pm

**Crestwood Civic Center** | 13820 S. Cicero Ave | July 21st

**Committee of the Whole** - 7:00pm

**Village Hall** | 13800 S. Cicero Ave | July 19th

Planning Commission – Zoning Board - 8:30pm

**Crestwood Civic Center** | 13820 S. Cicero Ave | July 11th and 25th

### Village of Crestwood Parking

Crestwood Village ordinance prohibits parking on any village street between 2:00am and 6:00am. The reason for this ordinance is so police will be alerted to abandoned vehicles or suspicious vehicles that require investigation. This ordinance also ensures that all streets throughout the Village will be open to fire and rescue equipment in the event of an overnight emergency. This is especially necessary in areas where narrow streets can block large fire trucks. We will continue to enforce this ordinance. Thank you for your cooperation with this ordinance. The initial fine for this violation is \$75.00. This is a Village-wide ordinance. PLEASE BE SURE THAT YOUR LATE NIGHT AND OVERNIGHT GUESTS ARE MADE AWARE OF THIS AS WELL!

### **Important Numbers**

Village Hall .....

13800 S. Cicero Ave. Main: (708) 371-4800 Fax: (708) 371-4849

Mon., Wed., Thu., Fri.: 9:00am-4:00pm

Tues.: 9:00am-8:00pm

Police Department .....

13840 S. Cicero Ave. Main: (708) 371-4800 x 5007 Fax: (708) 371-8307

Nonemergency (708) 385-5131 Emergency: 911

Fire Department .....

13840 S. Cicero Ave. Main: (708) 371-4800 x4500 Fax: (708) 385-2836

Recreation & Wellness Facility .....

5331 w. 135th St. Main: (708) 659-4800

Mon.-Thu.: 5:30am-10:00pm Friday 5:30am-8:00pm

Sat.-Sun.: 7:00am-5:00pm

Library .....

4955 135th St. Main: (708) 371-4090

Mon.-Thu.: 9:00am-8: 00pm Friday: 9:00am-5:00pm

Saturday: 9:00am-4:00pm Sunday: Closed

Worth Township ..... (708) 371-2900 (Residents north of 135th)

Bremen Township .....

(708) 333-1591 (Residents south of 135th)

Republic Services..... Call Village Hall first to be advised at (708) 371-4800, before dailing Republic Services at (708) 385-8252.

(847) 705-4222

Cook County Highway Dept. ..... (708) 448-8006 or (847) 705-4228



## An Appeal to Common Sense for **Fireworks Safety and Consideration**

We would like to respectfully ask Village residents to exercise common sense judgment when it comes to backyard or driveway fireworks displays. Many of the fireworks that are sold legally in neighboring states are still illegal to sell, possess or use here in Illinois, and more than that, they are often dangerous, causing serious injury to many, with a high percentage of victims being children under 11.

Obviously, some will be tempted to scoff at the law. Apart from the illegality and the dangers posed by many fireworks made available each year, there are other factors to consider — not least, our vets and our pets. For those suffering from combat-related PTSD, fireworks can be a triggering event of great anxiety. For dogs and other domestic animals, the seemingly random explosive sounds of fireworks are frightful and panic-inducing. We ask that people think, and to act with consideration and thoughtfulness for those in your community.

In any event, due to the public safety risk and the risk to property loss, the Village of Crestwood ordinance explicitly prohibits any person from possessing, manufacturing, storing, selling or exploding fireworks in the Village all year round. The law in Illinois does not change over the July 4th holiday or any other holiday.

Let the professionals put on the show and just enjoy!

# Flip inflatable kiddie pools to prevent rainwater buildup that children could fall into.

## Save the Date: **National Night Out** Aug. 2nd

The Crestwood Police Department cordially asks residents to mark their calendars: The National Night Out will take place Tuesday, Aug. 2nd. The campaign promotes police-community partnerships and builds neighborhood camaraderie to help make our Village as safe as it can be. Neighbors who might not otherwise communicate get the chance to introduce themselves, and Crestwood residents get to know the police officers who patrol their streets, bringing everyone together in a positive setting.

More information will be available soon about this year's activities, but rest assured that this year's National Night Out will be, as always, a fun and enriching experience for families and for everyone who lives in Crestwood.

## Recycling Reminder

This is just a reminder to all residents and businesses to prevent contaminated recyclables from going into our recycling bins. This applies to everything, but food items in particular are a common problem. Used pizza takeout boxes, bottles, cans or jars that haven't been thoroughly rinsed, aluminum foil of any sort whether clean or not, as well as disposable foil pans of the sort used in baking or for catering, are all items that can contaminate the pool of recyclables and cause them — along with everything else in their vicinity — to be unfit for recycling, defeating the purpose of the program. When this happens, it forces recycling companies like Republic Services to find alternative solutions for the contaminated materials, and it substantially increases costs for local recycling programs.

Republic Services remains committed to providing us with reliable services. Extreme action is necessary to keep our local recycling programs operating as intended. We must work together as a Village to do better. As usual, the Village will take on any additional cost for service, but we are asking you to do your part as residents. We know sometimes it's hard to tell what can and should be recycled. For questions or additional details, please visit RepublicServices.com.

Thank you for sharing our commitment to recycling and responsible environmental stewardship.





## **Get Back to Nature in Cook County**

With gas prices being what they are this summer, for many, travel options are limited. But there are options right here in Cook County that can help you to get away from it all. Whether you're a novice or have lots of experience, camping is an adventure that takes people out of their comfort zones and helps them to unwind while basking in nature. In recent years, upgrades to sites like Camp Bullfrog Lake (Willow Springs), Camp Dan Beard (Northbrook), Camp Reinberg (Palatine), Camp Shabbona Woods (South Holland) and Camp Sullivan (Oak Forest) have made camping a more inviting activity.

Each of these campgrounds features its own distinct character, and a different selection of amenities and lodging. Some are set near a lake or river, while others may cozy up to a nearby nature center. The sites vary in accommodation, from the smaller Camp Shabbona Woods with a capacity of 153, to the much-larger Camp Bullfrog Lake, which can host 334. For more information on this tremendous resource and how you can plan your ideal camping getaway, visit the Forest Preserves of Cook County website at fpdcc.com/camping.



With gas prices hindering more ambitious travel plans, camping locally could be just the getaway you need this summer.

#### **Gift Card Scams**

Someone might ask you to pay for something by putting money on a gift card, like a Google Play or iTunes card, and then giving them the numbers on the back of the card. If they ask you to do this, they're trying to scam you. No real business or government agency will ever insist you pay them with a gift card. Anyone who demands to be paid with a gift card is a scammer. Read on to learn more about gift card scams.

#### What Gift Card Scams Looks Like

Gift cards are for **gifts**, not for payments. But they're popular with scammers because they're easy for people to find and buy, and they have fewer protections for buyers compared to some other payment options. They're more like cash: once you use the card, the money on it is gone. Scammers like this.

If someone calls you and demands that you pay them with gift cards, you can bet that a scammer is behind that call. Once they have the gift card number and the PIN, they have your money. Scammers may tell you many stories to get you to pay them with gift cards, but this is what usually happens:

- 1. The caller says it's urgent. The scammer says you have to pay right away or something terrible will happen. But be assured, don't, and it won't.
- 2. The caller usually tells you which gift card to buy. They might say to put money on an eBay, Google Play, Target or iTunes gift card. They might send you to a specific store often Walmart, Target, CVS or Walgreens. Sometimes they say to buy cards at several stores, so cashiers won't get suspicious. And the caller might stay on the phone with you while you go to the store and load money onto the card. These are all signs of a scam.
- 3. The caller asks you for the gift card number and PIN. The card number and PIN on the back of the card let the scammer get the money you loaded onto the card. And the scammer gets it right away.

#### **How Scammers Convince You to Pay With Gift Cards**

Scammers pretend to be someone they're not to convince you to pay with gift cards. They want to scare or pressure you into acting quickly, so you don't have time to think or talk to someone you trust. Here's a list of common gift card scams and schemes:

- The caller says they're from the government maybe the IRS or the Social Security Administration. They say you have to pay taxes or a fine, but it's a scam.
- Someone says you've won a prize but first, you have to pay fees
  or other charges with a gift card. Remember: no honest business
  or agency will ever make you pay with a gift card. But also did
  you even enter that sweepstakes?

What To Do If You Paid a Scammer With Gift Cards
If you paid a scammer with a gift card, tell the company that
issued the card right away.

#### Amazon

- Call 1 (888) 280-4331.
- Keep the Amazon card itself and your receipt for the Amazon card.

#### **Safely Buying and Using Gift Cards**

Remember that gift cards are for **gifts**, not for payments. So if you buy gift cards to give away or donate:

- **Stick to stores you know and trust**. Avoid buying from online auction sites because the cards may be fake or stolen.
- **Check it out before you buy it**. Make sure the protective stickers are on the card and that they do not appear to have been tampered with. Also check that the PIN number on the back isn't showing. Get a different card if you spot a problem.
- **Keep your receipt**. This, or the card's ID number, will help you file a report if you lose the gift card.

#### **Report Fraud**

If someone asks you to pay them with gift cards:

- Report it to the Federal Trade Commission at ReportFraud. ftc.gov. Report it even if you didn't pay. Your report helps law enforcement stop scams.
- You can also report it to your state attorney general.
- If you lost money, also report it to local law enforcement. A police report may help when you deal with the card issuer.

## What to Know **About Watering Your Lawn**

There are many misconceptions with regard to how and when you should water your lawn. We invite you to take a look at five common myths about lawn watering to give you some helpful tips on what's best. These are important, as proper watering is the one lawn care task that will impact your lawn more than any other.

## Misconception #1: I Don't Have to Water My

One of the most common misconceptions is the misbelief that there is no reason to water it on your own. A lot of people think that rain will naturally provide a lawn with what it needs. But what about a dry spell? While your lawn can survive a couple weeks of drought, it will eventually thin the turf and create an ideal environment for weeds to invade. If you want a healthy lawn, you definitely will need to water it from time to time.

#### Misconception #2: How Much I Water My Lawn Is Based on the Season

While a lot of people believe that the watering needs of the lawn are set by the season, the truth is, it has nothing to do with the season and everything to do with how much moisture is present in the soil. You might be wondering, "When do I start watering my lawn in the spring?" The answer is that it all depends on how much rainfall is present. You could have a dry spring that requires you to ramp up your watering. The hotter and windier it is, the more quickly your lawn's soil will dry out. If you're wondering about watering your lawn in the winter, there is no need. Grass goes dormant in the winter and the cool temperatures help keep soil from drying out. No matter what the season, the answer is giving your lawn what it needs to thrive.

#### Misconception #3: The Best Time to Water My Lawn is After the Sun Sets

While a lot of people say it's best to water at night,



With proper watering technique and a bit of care, you can avoid your lawn drying out and becoming unsightly.

the reverse actually is true. The ideal time to water your lawn is just after the sun rises. At this time of day, it's still cool and the water won't evaporate quickly — but it still gives the grass blades plenty of time to dry before the sun sets. Wet, dark conditions create an ideal breeding ground for causing lawn disease that can damage your turf, so watering the lawn in the evening should be avoided. If you can't find the time to water your lawn in the early morning, even with automated timers, then try to do it early enough during the day to allow grass blades to dry by nightfall. Midday watering won't hurt your lawn, but you may need to do it longer as you'll lose moisture to evaporation.

#### Misconception #4: Watering My Lawn by Hand is the Best Method

Watering your lawn by hand can be deceiving. It seems like you're getting ample water everywhere, but you actually may be causing it to pool in certain areas or even run off. Oftentimes a lawn that is watered solely by hand is not receiving as much as you think. The best method to water your lawn is to use sprinklers that mimic slow, soaking rain. Hand watering works fine for very small patches of grass where you've planted new grass seed, or for container plants, but when it comes to your lawn as a whole, stick to sprinklers for the best results.

#### Misconception #5: The Worst Thing I Can Do is Under-Water my Lawn

Many have concerns about under-watering, but the truth is that overwatering can be just as bad — maybe even worse. When soil becomes oversaturated, it can become waterlogged, and you actually can drown your grass roots. An overwatered lawn is also more prone to lawn diseases.

Lawns need approximately 1 to 2 inches of water each week in order to stay healthy and green. The best way for lawns to receive that water is through a slow and soaking rain, either naturally or as a result of your sprinklers. Just be careful not to assume that a downpour has given you ample water. Stick a finger down into the first few inches of soil and get a sense of how moist it is.

Also consider putting a rain gauge outdoors to measure rainfall. When you do need to water, place a shallow can — empty tuna cans work well — halfway between your sprinkler head and its furthest point of spray. This will help you tell how much water your lawn is receiving during your supplemental watering sessions. You don't need to be watering your lawn every day, but instead just need to ensure that it's getting its weekly 1 to 2 inches of water with about 2-3 waterings per week.

## We Watch, We Call!

Mayor Ken Klein and the Board of Trustees have heard the requests of many to report crimes in our Village. Working with our Police Department, a compiled snapshot of a month's reporting will be shown here in the Adviser. Our intent is to inform the public in order to protect and be vigilant in calling upon our Police. The Mayor urges all to stay tuned in to your neighbors' wellbeing and property. Call our police, report suspicious activity, be aware. (911 or Dispatch non-Emergency 708-385-5131).

the scams that are occurring. Please remember that if anyone contacts you for any reason — overdue taxes, warrant for your arrest, allegations of illegal activity on your accounts — and offers to allow you to settle the matter by purchasing gift cards, IT IS A SCAM!

Do not give anyone on the phone your personal or banking information.

Do not allow anyone over the phone or via email or link to access your computer.

If you have any doubts at all, please contact the police department for advice. Senior Service Office Tom Dawson or any other police officer will be able to assist you in determining if it is a scam. Our officers are here 24 hours a day and would rather respond to assist you in preventing a scam then to have to take a report where you have been scammed out of thousands of dollars.

#### **Deceptive Practice**

05-02-2022: A resident reported that she received an email that appeared to come from Amazon requesting that she call the 800 number provided and reference her account being compromised. When she called the customer service number provided they attempted to obtain personal information including her credit card information and Social Security number. The resident became suspicious and hung up.

**Each month we continue to remind residents about all** 05-09-2022: A resident received a phone call from someone claiming to be an agent for Amazon who wanted to discuss a recent Apple computer/iPhone transaction. During the call, the resident was requested to obtain \$5,000.00 in Target Gift Cards in order to pay for her transaction. The resident relocated to Target to purchase the gift cards, however, learned that Target has a two gift card limit due to recent scam incidents. After purchasing two \$500.00 gift cards, the resident proceeded to Kohl's to purchase the remaining gift cards. The resident then sent pictures of the gift cards via text message to the alleged Amazon representative. The resident then received  $\,$  05-20-2022: Unknown suspects broke the window of a a phone call stating that she had purchased the wrong gift cards at which time she provided her banking/checking account information, after which \$500.00 was withdrawn. 05-31-2022: Unknown suspects broke the window on a The resident then suspected the transaction was a scam and refused to take any further calls from that number.

> 05-20-2022: A resident was notified by Illinois Dept of Security that a claim was filed using his identity.

#### <u>Theft</u>

05-07 2022: A victim reported that while inside Planet Fitness located in the 4900 block of Cal Sag Road, unknown suspects broke into his locker, stealing his wallet. It was later discovered that his credit cards were used for several transactions.

#### **Criminal Damage to Property**

05-01-2022: Unknown suspects broke the windows on a vehicle in the 140th block of Laramie.

05-05-2022: Unknown suspects threw a landscaping brick through the kitchen window of a residence in the 128th block of Terrance Lane.

05-17-2022: Unknown suspects broke the window of a business in the 131st block of Rivercrest Drive.

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#### **Armed Robbery**

05-25-2022: As the cashier at the All Star Gas station, located in the 141st block of Pulaski, was closing for the night, he was approached by a male subject wearing all black clothing who had his face covered and was wearing gloves. The subject displayed a handgun and ordered both victims to the ground. The suspect then took the wallets of both victims and over \$500.00 in currency before fleeing the scene.

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- Which plan is right for me?
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Call a licensed independent sales agent LAURA MANDUJANO Hablo Español 312-825-5194 (TTY: 711) En español? Llame al 312-825-5194 (TTY: 711) Laurainsurance1@gmail.com

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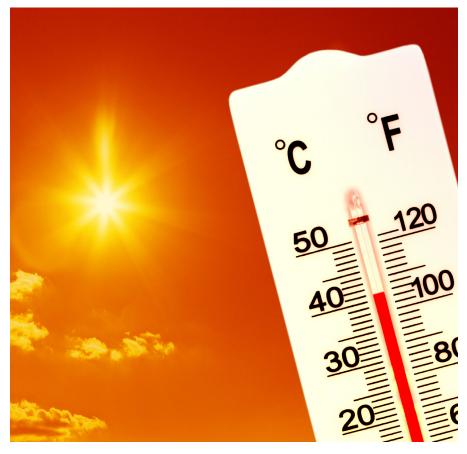
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## **What Can You Do to Defeat Dangerous Summer Sun?**



The nice weather is here, and with that comes more time to spend outside. It is important to remember that all family members are at risk for injuries from the sun, but everyone can take steps to protect themselves.

Covering up and avoiding the peak hours of sun are the best ways to avoid injury from the sun.

- Wear a hat with a rim facing forward with at least a 3-inch brim. Get in the shade whenever possible and wear broad-spectrum sunglasses that protect against both UVA and UVB rays.
- Remember the peak hours of sunlight are 10:00am to 4:00pm try to avoid this window for exposed outdoor activities.
- Wear sunscreen when you are outside, every day, every time. Make it a rule for outside play and a habit, just like wearing a helmet while you are riding a bike.

Those less than 6 months of age, or immobile, should be kept in the shade with the help of an umbrella, or covered with a hat and longer clothing. Sunscreen isn't harmful to babies, but shade is an easier option.

When buying sunscreen, look for a sun protection factor (SPF) of 15 or higher. Make sure that it is labeled as broad spectrum or specifically covers UVA and UVB rays. For sensitive areas, use zinc oxide cream, which is thick white or full of color that you see lifeguards wearing. This cream is also available in clear options.

Sunscreen should be reapplied at least every two hours while in the sun and immediately after being out of the water, even if labeled "waterproof."

Spray sunscreen is a favorite for parents, because kids can be hard to corral and keep in one place. You can spray on your palms, and rub gently to a child's cheeks and neck, and then spray the rest of their body and rub around. When using lotions, make sure you are getting good coverage and apply evenly. Put the zinc oxide cream on the nose and around the ears, the thicker the better.

If sunburn causes blisters, fever, chills, headaches or other feelings of illness, it is best to see a physician. These symptoms can be a sign that something else, such as heat stroke, is going on.

More serious sunburns will be treated like regular burns, which risk infection, so it's important to keep the wound clean and dry. Use antibiotic creams as directed by your doctor.

If you have any questions about sun safety, feel free to call your physician's office at any time.

#### Chicago South Elks Annual



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4428 Midlothian Turnpike Crestwood, IL Call Jeanne to reserve your space (708) 560-6771

\$20 per space

(each space = 2 parking spots)

\$5 table rental - includes 2 chairs

#### **CHICAGO SOUTH ELKS LODGE #1596** 4428 W. Midlothian Turnpike Crestwood, IL 60418

ANNUAL

Email:

## CONTRACT

SATURDAY, JULY 23RD 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Set-up 9 a.m.

Phone	#=	4

How many spots?

(\$20/spot. 2 parking spaces = 1 spot)

Table rental & 2 chairs? (\$5/set) Circle how many you need: 0 1 2 3

#### Make checks payable to: **CHICAGO SOUTH ELKS**

**Contact Jeanne** at (708) 560-6771 with questions to reserve your spot(s)

Mail payment to: Jeanne Poore **5002 West Circle Place** Crestwood, IL 60418



This year's Five-O race event will take place at Grundy County Speedway in Morris, Ill.

## **Five-O Racing for Special Olympics** moves to Grundy **County Speedway**

Since 2017, the Crestwood Police Department has participated in the Five-O Racing for Special Olympics, a stock car race in which officers use retired police vehicles to race and raise money for Special Olympics Illinois.

New this year, the event will be held on Saturday, Sept. 24th, 2022, at the Grundy County Speedway in Morris, Ill., just 45 minutes from Crestwood.

A few of the drivers had their first chance to drive on the asphalt track recently, and discovered that there is a big difference between a dirt and asphalt track. In an inaugural opening heat race, the

drivers took to the asphalt, and after a few minor adjustments, completed their first eight laps with the Lemont PD taking the checkered flag.

#### It's time for the drivers to raise the money

Each driver is raising money to benefit the athletes of Special Olympics Illinois, and to increase the competition, the starting lineup of the race is determined by the amount of money raised by each officer. Each officer has an online donation page established for people wanting to contribute. Please visit our site to make a donation and to learn more about this terrific event:

https://soill.donordrive.com/participant/soderlund

Checks also will be accepted, payable to:

Special Olympics Illinois and mailed to: **Crestwood Police Department Attn: Torch Run** 13840 Cicero Ave Crestwood, IL 60418

On the day of the event, the day will start with a Touch-a-Squad, which will include the racing squads of officers from several departments. Opening ceremonies will begin at 4:00, followed by the heat races for the Five-O drivers. After the heat races, there will be a 200-lap enduro race, and finally, the Five-O drivers will compete in a 25-lap feature race to find out who is the fastest cop on the track!

Save the date and come join us for an exciting day

#### **Sponsorships Available**

Would you like to advertise your business on one of the race squads? Reach out to Detective Chris Soderlund (csoderlund@crestwood.illinois.gov) or Deputy Chief Alexander (dalexander@crestwood. illinois.gov) about having your business or company logo displayed one our race squads.



## **Your Child and Online Safety**

The Internet has changed the way we live, learn and grow. But as wonderful as it is, the pitfalls are plentiful and education on how to avoid them needs to start early. If your children are online at all, it's never too early to provide them with guidelines to keep them safe while on the Internet:

Don't share too much information. Create a list of things your kids should never post online — like their birthday and year, full name, address, or phone number — and make sure they understand why it is important to keep this information private.

Be careful about what you post. The Internet isn't private. Once your kids share a post, picture, or video, they can't control how others will use it, and it can never be permanently deleted. Teach them to be thoughtful and cautious in what they post and share online.

Connect only with people you know. "Don't talk to strangers" is a good rule for the real world and the cyber world. Predators and stalkers can easily create fake profiles to hide their identities, so instruct your kids to only connect with friends they know in "real life." Also, check your children's privacy settings to make sure strangers can't see their profiles. Sometimes privacy settings are reset to default settings during program updates, so check their profiles regularly.

**Keep your location private.** Many apps, networks, and devices have geo-tagging features that broadcast your location. This information could lead a stalker directly to your kids, so check that these features are completely off.

**Protect your passwords.** Show your kids how to create strong passwords, and make sure they know



Be sure to talk to your kids about the very real dangers of the Internet.

to never share them with anyone (except their parents or a trusted adult). For guidance on how to make a strong password, see the "Best Practices for Creating a Password" tip card at www.dhs.gov/ stopthinkconnect-toolkit.

If you'd like to learn more about protecting your

children online, check out the Parent and Educator Resources from the Stop. Think. Connect. campaign or visit www.dhs.gov/stopthinkconnect for more

Source: DHS.gov

#### **Attention Veterans**

If you were honorably discharged from the U.S. military and believe you suffer from an injury or illness that you contracted because of your service, you are invited to attend a meeting of the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Chapter 84 in Crestwood to get help in filing a claim for your injury or illness.

There is no charge or fee for this service. The DAV is a national service organization comprising of veterans

dedicated to helping other veterans to receive the medical attention and compensation they deserve.

DAV Chapter 84 meets on the first Friday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Elks Lodge #1596 at 4428 Midlothian Turnpike in Crestwood, Illinois. National and Chapter Service Officers will be available to assist you in filing a claim for compensation and medical assistance. Bring a copy of your DD-214 to the meeting with you.

Again, this service and all subsequent services provided by the DAV are free of charge. To learn more about the DAV and its mission to serve disabled veterans, visit their website at: www.DAV84.org.



**Disabled American Veterans** 

## **Using CodeRED in Our Community**

#### **Southwest Central Dispatch Web Page:** www.swcd911.net

When on this page you can link to the CodeRED Page at https://public.coderedweb.com/ cne/211C7ED54931

What is CodeRED and why is it important to me? CodeRED is an emergency notification service that allows emergency officials to notify residents and businesses by telephone, cell phone, text message, email and social media regarding timesensitive general and emergency notifications. Only authorized officials have access to the CodeRED system.

When will CodeRED be used? Any message regarding the safety, property or welfare of the community will be disseminated using the CodeRED system. These may include AMBER alerts, notifications of hazardous traffic or road conditions, boil water advisories or evacuation notices.

#### Does the CodeRED system replace other systems that have been used to provide time-sensitive information to residents?

This system is an enhancement to existing means of communication and is meant to supplement current or past systems used for mass notification.

Does the CodeRED system already have my telephone number, or do I need to sign up to receive CodeRED notifications? The CodeRED database contains information received from public databases, including regional phonebooks. However, no resident should assume that their information is in the system. If you cannot register online, you can call and speak with one of our communications specialists to complete your registration over the telephone.

I have a business located in Crestwood can I arrange to have CodeRED contact my



## WEATHER WARNING

**business?** Yes. Fill out the CodeRED registration form but be sure to select the "This address is a business" option. Please note that emergency calls can only be delivered to a direct dial number. Automated attendants will disrupt the process and the calls will not be delivered. Businesses should register their main number and establish a procedure for distributing the CodeRED message to their workforce.

### What if I want to register additional numbers

for my address? After you submit the initial registration form, you may start the registration process again and submit more numbers for the same address.

#### Is my personal information protected?

**CodeRED** is a service of Emergency Communications Network which takes security and privacy concerns very seriously. They will not sell, trade, lease or loan any data citizen supplied data to third parties.

#### How will I recognize a CodeRED message? A

CodeRED Emergency message will have a caller ID of 866-419-5000. A CodeRED General message will have a caller ID 855-969-4636. We suggest you program both numbers in your cell phone as a "new contact" and use "CodeRED Emergency" and "CodeRED General" as the contact name. If you need to replay the emergency notification message again, simply dial the number and you will be able to hear the message again.

#### What should I do if I receive a CodeRED **message?** Listen carefully to the entire message. You will have the option to repeat the message by pressing any key. Do not call 911 for further

information unless directed to do so or if you need immediate aid from the Police or Fire department.

#### I have a landline, and it does not work when the power goes out. How will the system

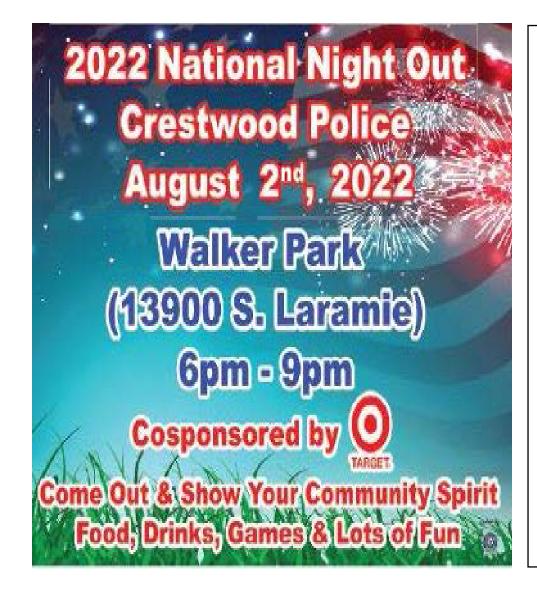
**be able to contact me?** Make sure you have at least one working corded telephone — and be sure to turn the ringer on. The CodeRED sign-up form allows you to indicate both a primary and alternate phone number. Cell phone and/or work phone numbers can be entered as alternate phone numbers. Both primary and alternate phone numbers will be contacted when a notification is sent

Will the CodeRED system leave a message on an answering machine? Yes, the CodeRED system will leave a message on a machine or on voicemail. The CodeRED system will leave the entire message in one pass.

**What happens if the line is busy?** If the line is busy, CodeRED will try two more times to connect.

#### What circumstances might prevent a message from being delivered to me?

- If your contact information has changed and you have not registered your new information.
- If you only a landline at your residence, the power is out and you did not register an alternate phone number.
- If your line is busy for an extended time and your calls do not forward to voicemail or an answering machine.
- If you have a privacy manager on your main phone and you did not register an alternate phone number.







5331 W. 135th St. Crestwood, Il. 60418 708-659-4800

## Junk in the Trunk

It's a garage sale out of the trunk of your car! Sunday, September 18th 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

#### Sellers Needed—Public Welcome!

FREE ADMISSION/ FREE PARKING TO THE PUBLIC FROM 9:00 AM TO 1:00 PM THE GARAGE SALE IS HELD IN THE PARKING LOT OF THE REC CENTER 5331 W. 135TH Street, Crestwood, IL 60418

Sellers Fee: \$13.00 Crestwood Resident / \$18.00 Non-Resident

- (Guarantees a reserved 18ft by 20ft (size of 2 parking spaces) to sell your treasures) Sellers are responsible for their own tables and electric. Sellers keep all profits
- No firearms, guns, tobacco, alcohol, unsuitable material or fireworks can be sold. Sellers will be asked to
- leave if items are deemed illegal or inappropriate by the CRWC staff & no refunds given.
- The CRWC will advertise this event in the local paper and by flyers and signs around the community. More then one 18ft by 20ft space can be purchased. Mark the # of spaces and enclose payment.
- Please return form and payment by Friday, September 9th. You will be emailed a confirmation.
- Event will be held rain or shine. Tents and canopies are allowed. Set up is between 7:00am to 8:45am.
- Questions: 708-659-4800 or email: crwcsports@crestwood.illinois.gov Make checks payable to CRWC. Payments received after September 10th will not guarantee a reserved

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Sellers Contact Phone #
Sellers Email Address

# of 18 x 20 spaces: Amount Enclosed: Return the bottom of this sheet with payment by September 9th to the CRWC, 5331 W. 135th St. Crestwood, IL. Any questions, please call 708-659-4800 or email: crwcsports@crestwood.illinois.gov

**MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY** | Fitness from 11am-12pm

**TUESDAY** | Bingo at 1pm

**FRIDAY** | Bingo at 1:15pm

#### Monday **Thursday** Tuesdav Wednesday Friday Chair Fitness (11-12 pm) Bingo (12:15-3:15 pm) 6 5 7 8 Bingo (12-3 pm) Art Class (10-12 pm) Line Dance (1-2 pm) **CHAIR FITNESS (11-12 PM)** TOPS (6-7:30 pm) Chair Fitness (11-12 pm) Mexican Train (1-3 pm) BINGO (12:15-3:15 PM) **CLOSED** Pinochle (12-4 pm) Bunco (1:30-4 pm) Senior Club (12:30-3:30 pm) **Happy Independence Day** Zumba (6:30-7:30 pm) 12 13

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**Four Winds Casino** Line Dance (1-2 pm) Mexican Train (1-3 pm) Zumba (6:30-7:30 pm)

**CHAIR FITNESS (11-12 PM)** BINGO (12:15-3:15 PM) **SCRAPBOOKING (5-9 PM)** 

#### Look What's Cooking!!!

Friday, July 1st: Chipped Beef on Toast Salami Sandwich Tuesday, July 5th: Chicken Kiev Friday, July 8th: Tuesday, July 12th: Baked Pork Chop **Unstuffed Cabbage** Friday, July 15th: Tuesday, July 19th: Sausage Penne Pasta

Chair Fitness (11:12 pm)

Bratwurst & German Potato Salad Friday, July 22nd: Tuesday, July 26th: Zesty BBQ Chicken Sandwich

Lunches are \$5.00. Extra Dessert, Pop and Water are \$1.00. Please pay before receiving your lunch. On Tuesdays we serve from 12:00-1:00 pm and Fridays from 12:15-1:15 pm. Bingo will be played following lunch. All lunches are served with a side and dessert. Reservations must be made one week in advance. For cancellation, call: 708-371-4800 Option #6.

#### **Biela Center Backyard BBQ** GRAND RE-OPENING

4545 Midlothian Turnpike, Crestwood

Saturday, July 23, 2022 11:30 am - 1:30 pm





#### **FEATURING MUSIC BY:**

Jimmy Alfano Eagle Scout Band

Come join us and see all of our remodeling updates. Stay for bean bags, giant jenga and more!! Each attendee will receive a ticket toward a raffle prize. Hamburgers, hot dogs, and non-alcoholic drinks will be available for purchase. FREE popsicles and other surprises!

To schedule Dial-A-Ride services, please call Village Hall at 708-371-4800 by Friday, July 22 nd.



#### **First Time Visitors**

Present this ticket for one FREE lunch (and stay for Bingo)

**Biela Senior Center** 4545 Midlothian Turnpike, Crestwood Not applicable for holiday lunches

## Craft Hour

Come decorate a yard pinwheel at The Biela Center 4545 Midlothian Turnpike, Crestwood

> Monday, July 18th 10 am – 11 am

To ensure enough supplies, please register ahead of time by calling Cindy at 708-371-4800 (ext. 6001) or Ashley (ext. 6002)





With the summer months approaching, please remember to drink plenty of water, stay in air conditioning and out of the sun, and check on your neighbors and relatives to ensure their safety.

Seniors needing relief from the heat, please visit:

The Biela Center 4545 Midlothian Turnnike Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-4 p.m.



## Medical Equipment









The Biela Center has some equipment for short term use. Should you find yourself, or a family member in need, please call Cindy at 708-371-4800 ext. 6001 or Ashley ext. 6002 for availability.

#### Grandparent/Grandchild Day

Do you have a grandchild home for the summer? Beat the heat and join us for games and a FREE ice cream social at: The Biela Center 4545 Midlothian Turnpike

> Thursday, July 14th 10 am - 12 pm









FRIDAY NIGHT LINE DANCE PARTY! Grab your cowboy boots, cowboy hats and come on down to Boot Scootin' Boogie the night away!

Date: Friday, July 15, 2022

Time: 6:30pm to 10:00pm Location: Biela Center 4545 Midlothian Turnpike, Crestwood, IL Cost: \$5.00 per person \*\*\*Enter through the back door entrance\*\*\*

> To reserve your spot please email: LDAlearntolinedance@gmail.com Men, Women, Guests of ALL AGES are we All CDC COVID-19 quidelines are being followed.

#### **Crestwood Senior Club**

4545 Midlothian Turnpike Crestwood, IL

#### Join the fun!

Doors OPEN All are welcome to come **JOIN US** in an afternoon out for our Senior Club Meeting.

We meet two times a month on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month @ 12:15-3:30pm.

We offer sweet rolls, coffee, split the pot, raffles, bingo, and on occasion have lunches to celebrate special events!!

#### **JULY**

#### Wednesday, July 6, 2022

Hot Dogs, Potato Salad, Chips, Cake, Soda

#### Wednesday, July 20, 2022 Pathlights Presentation Christine Suddreth









#### Pride of Oregon- Luncheon Cruise

The pride of Oregon is an authentic Paddle Wheel Riverboat, 102 feet of real river charm. The boat docks at the historic Maxsons Riverside Restaurant. Built in 1939 as a replica of the famous Rosie O'Shea paddle wheel, her festive exterior and graciously appointed interior provide a relaxing atmosphere for memory-making cruises. She has the capacity of 143 sightseeting passengers.

Date: Thursday, September 22, 2022

Depart: 8:00am Cost: 85.00

Cost includes: Transportation, Lunch and Boat Ride

as of March 1, 2022 Full payment is due upon reservation. Call Ashley or Cindy with any questions: 708-371-4800 Option #6 No refunds; you may transfer your seat to another person.

As of June 9, 2021 there will be a fee of 2.95% when using a credit card.

All other items being paid using a credit card, debit card or e-check will incur a 2.95% processing fee (minimum of \$1.95), assessed by invoice Cloud, the Village of Crestwood's electronic payment processing vendor.



Are you looking for more ways to have fun, win some prizes, and love to play Bunco?

The Biela Center has started hosting Bunco on the <u>First and Third Thursday</u> of every month, from 1:30 pm-4 pm. Admission will be \$5.00 every time in order to win select prizes. We hope to see you there!

Please Contact Ashley or Cindy with any questions @ ~ 708-371-4800 Option #6 ~

Biela Center: 4545 Midlothian Turnpike Crestwood, IL Lets Roll!

Bunco Players have talent. They can roll dice and talk at the same time.



Boot Scootin' Boogie!

We offer Line Dancing lessons on Thursdays!!

Time: 1pm to 2pm Location: Biela Center 4545 Midlothian Turnpike Crestwood IL Cost: \$20.00 for the month

To reserve your spot please email: LDA learn to line dance @gmail.comMen, Women, Guests of ALL AGES are welcome All CDC COVID-19 guidelines are being followed.



Date: Thursday, October 27, 2022

Depart: 9:00am
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Cost: \$85.00 includes Transportation, Lunch,
Reindeer Experience tour, Buggy Ride Farm Tour (Weather permitting) ch will include: Sliced Beef Brisket, cowboy beans, au gratin potatoes, sweet & sour slaw, sweet cornbread, hot apple pie, & drinks (Vegetarian meal upon request)

As of March 1, 2022, full payment is due upon reservation.

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#### SENIORS PUMP IT UP!

WITH CERTIFIED INSTRUCTOR DIANA ESPARZA

#### STENITORS GET YOUR BODY MOVING WITH AN EXERCISE CLASS DESIGNED

#### <u>JUST FOR YOU</u>



MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, & FRIDAYS 11:15 AM- 12:00 PM \$2.00 a class

#### NO CLASS ON: Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022

THE BIELA CENTER 4545 MIDLOTHIAN TURNPIKE



#### \*\*Important Date Changed\*\*

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Escape into Chicago's underworld on a crime and mob tour with stops on-andoff the luxury, climate-controlled bus. Walking tour paths explore historic
crime scenes with great photo opportunities. True crime stories about Chicago
Gangster Al Capone, The Untouchables, The Chicago Mob, Prohibition, John
Dillinger, Frank "The Enforcer" Nitti, Cap George Streeter, Leopold & Loch,
H.H. Holmes & more. Visit historic landmark buildings: Biograph Theater, Holy
Name Cathedral, Cook County Criminal Courthouse, Harry Caray's Italian
Steakhouse, etc. Tour famous Chicago neighborhoods: Streeterville, River
North, Gold Coas. La Chicago neighborhoods: Streeterville, Cocks
and tourists agree that this educational and entertaining thice mile. Locals
is a unique cultural experience.

Depart: 8:30am Return: 3:30pm

Cost: \$100 Cost includes: Transportation, Crime Tour & Pizza Lunch

Effective immediately: Full payment is due upon

We will no longer be accepting reservations without full payment. Thank you for your understanding.

Call Ashley or Cindy to reserve your spot: 708-371-4800 Option #6

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#### Home of your Chicago White Sox

Grab your coolers with your favorite beverages, your Sox gear and let's head to the ball game!!!

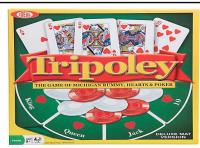
Join us for Elvis Night & Post-Game Fireworks

Date: Friday, August 26, 2022 Departure: 4:30pm

Cost: \$75.00 Includes: Tickets, Parking and Transportation.

As of March 1, 2022, Full payment is due Call Ashley or Cindy with any questions 708-371-4800 Option #6 No refunds; you may transfer your seat to another person.

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#### **Tripoley Players Wanted!**

Our Tripoley players are looking for more people who would like to join their group. Tripoley meets twice a month on Thursdays.

Tripolry is a classic family game that mixes Michigan Rummy, d Poker Designed for 2 to 9 player while playing fun card games; the player with the most chips at the end of the game wins!

Once we have enough people to start playing, we will have a start date

If you are interested, please call Ashley or Cindy to register 708-371-4800 Option #6



#### The Four Winds Casino

There is still a guideline we will have to follow: this may change closer to our trip

s, as of May 27, 2021 a message from the Four Winds Casino Shuttle. We have moved CDC recommendation on masks, so anyone who is vaccinated does not have to wear a This will be done on the honor system as no checks will be performed. We will still be requiring temperatures be taken before coming out to the casino. Date: Thursday, July 28, 2022

Depart: 9:30am

4545 Midlothian Turnpike Crestwood, IL 60418

Return: 4:30 pm Cost: \$30.00 per person

ncludes: \$15.00 Instant Slot Credit, Up to \$10 Food Credit that can be oward the following food outlets: The Buffet, Timbers Fast Food & Deli, Grab N Go, Kankakee Bar & Grill.

Any questions please call Ashley: 708-371-4800 EXT: 6002 Payment is due: Thursday, July 14, 2022

Full Name:\_ Address:\_\_\_ Address:

City & State:

DOB:

Current W-Club Card:

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#### Rules of the Road!!

#### Mark your calendars!! Super Seniors

Date: Wednesday, October 5, 2021 Time: 10am-2pm

Location: Biela Center 4545 Midlothian Turnpike Crestwood, IL

What is Super Seniors? Super Seniors is a convenient and voluntary program for driver's license renewal, which includes Rules of the Road classroom instruction, and a vision-screening scam. The Rise of the Road Review Course also includes a review of safe driving exceeding scam. The Rise of the Road Review Course also includes a review of safe driving techniques and literature of the Road Review Course also includes a review of safe place.

A Secretary of State Mobile Driver Services Unit will be available for participants to renew their driver's licenses. An identification card can be obtained for \$20.00; however, if you are age 65 or offer you may obtain a free, non-expiring State of lilinois photo ID card.

FYI, Drivers age 75 and older are required to take a driving test to renew their driver's licenses; therefore they must visit a

Driver Services Facility.

NEW/RENEWAL/CORRECTION OF STATE ID LICENSE PLATE RENEWAL STICKERS MOTOR VOTER REGISTRATION WITH RENEWAL OF DL/ID

SISTRATION WITH RENEWAL OF DL/ID SENIORS AGE 65 AND UP (NO CHARGE FOR STATE ID) PROPER IDENTIFICATION WILL BE NEEDED FOR THE ABOVE SERVICES

ALL PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE BY CHECK, CREDIT CARD, DEBIT CARD OR MONEY ORDER. NO. CASH ACCEPTED.

PLEASE NOTE: SENIORS AGE 75 AND OVER MUST VISIT A PERMANENT SECRETARY OF STATE DRIVER'S SERVICES FACILITY TO RENEW DRIVER'S LICENSES.

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#### Please Read... **Important Policy Information**

#### New Payment Policy - Effective Immediately

Full payment is due upon reservation. We will no longer be accepting reservations without full payment.

We would like to remind everyone about our No Refunds Policy.

If you are unable to attend a trip that you have paid for, you will have the option to try and find someone to take your place. \*\*Unless there is a waiting list, in which case you will not

#### need to find a replacement, and you will be issued a refund\*\* No refunds will be given otherwise.

This is in place because we have to pay the facility's fees prior to our trip, which means they are paid well in advance, and your seat has already been paid.

If you have any questions please call Cindy or Ashley 708-371-4800 option # 6

#### Join Us!!



for more information.

play Turnpike,

Crestwood Call Cindy at 708-371-4800 Ext. 6001 or Ashley at Ext. 6002



Did you know the Biela has a pool table? Gather your friends and drop in to play! Call for available times.

Do you like to play board games? Come on over!



 ${\it G}{\it O}$  to the Biela Center for  ${\it GAME}$  NIGHT 4545 Midlothian Turnpike

> Friday, July 15, 2022 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

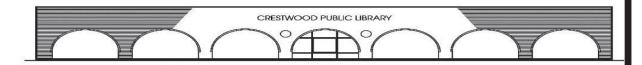
Join us for a FREE night of fun!

Bring your favorite game or cards (or we'll have a few here to borrow)

Snacks will be provided



#### **CRESTWOOD** PUBLIC LIBRARY



4955 West 135th Street • Crestwood, Illinois 60418 • (708) 371-4090 • Fax (708)371-4127



#### **July Crestwood Library Events for Adults**

#### Needles & Yarn Knitting Club

Bring your knitting, crocheting, or sewing projects to the library! In-Person Program | Monday, July 25th, 6:30 pm

#### Stampin' Up Card Class

Create your own one-of-a-kind themed greeting cards! \$5 per Person | In-Person Program | Monday, July 11th, 6:00 pm

#### **Adult Craft Kit**

Stop by the front desk to pick up a take home craft for anyone ages 16 and older! Available on Monday, July 18th

#### SCRABBLE CLUB

Stop by the library to join a game of Scrabble and meet some new folks! In-Person Program | Saturday, July 16th, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm



#### Classroom Kitchen: Thai Inspired Grilling

Grilling doesn't just have to be about burgers and hot dogs. Impress your friends and family this summer with some Tha-inspired grilling: kebobs and flatbread pizzas. The flavors are bright and vibrant, just like the feel of summer. This is a cook-along program, so if you would like to cook with Kristyn, you'll want to prep ahead of time! Be sure to take a look at the list of ingredients and detailed recipes posted on our website in the Events calendar. Virtual Program | Thursday, July 7th, 6:30 pm

#### Frozen In Time: Finding the W.C. Kimball

In 2019 a team of divers, historians and shipwreck enthusiasts found and identified a new shipwreck in northern Lake Michigan. Though the W.C. Kimball was not unlike many other schooners that sailed the inland seas during the late 1800's, it's the incredible condition she is in now, that makes her one of the most significant finds ever. Diver and artist Cal Kothrade tells the story of how shipwreck hunter Ross Richardson found the Wisconsin built vessel, and of the diverse team that would eventually solve the mystery of what this sail-away's name is.

Virtual Program | Wednesday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00 pm

#### **Medicare 101 Seminars**

Please join Bill Johnson - a local independent insurance agent with over 25 years experience in the Medicare and health insurance industry - for free informational seminars at the Crestwood Library. Space is limited for these events.

In-Person Programs | Wednesdays, July 20th & 27th, 10:00 am

## **July Crestwood Library Events for Families and Youth**

#### Summer Reading with "Oceans of Possibilities "

Crestwood Library's annual Summer Reading program "Oceans of Possibilities" continues until Saturday, July 30th, 2022. Summer Reading registration is open until Saturday, July 16, 2022.

Summer Reading is open to ages 1-adult.

#### Take & Make Monday Crafts for Kids

Every Monday, a limited number of craft kits will be available for pick-up for children to create at home. Basic supplies and instructions will be provided. Craft kits are suitable for all ages; younger children may need adult assistance.

#### **Brown Bag Lunch and a Movie**

Kids of all ages can pack a lunch and head to the library on Fridays this summer to watch a movie. Movies begin at 12:30 pm every Friday during July. Call 708-371-4090 to see what is showing each week.

Kids ages 6-12, come share your creativity and join us for a fun day of building with Legos! Your creation can be inspired by our weekly theme or your own design. Lego Club meets twice a month. Tuesdays, July 12th & 26th at 4:00 pm Registration is required.

#### **Crafty Kids**

Kids in grades K-3 can join us in person to make a fun ocean themed craft on Thursday, July 28th, at 3:30 pm. Registration is required. If you are unable to attend, leftover crafts can be picked up at the Front Desk while supplies last.

#### **Craftweens**

Tweens/Teen in grades 4-8 can come to the library to make a craft on **Thursday**, July 14<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 pm. Registration is required. Leftover crafts will be available for pick-up, while supplies last, after the program.

#### **Take Home Science Kits**

Crestwood Library will be offering hands-on science kits for kids to experiment at home. Adult supervision may be required. A limited number of take-home science kits will be available to pick up beginning Wednesday. Toly 7th, 2022.

#### **Special Events for All Ages**

Magic Show: Patrons of all ages join us in person for the magic of Gary Cantor. Tuesday, July 13th at 6:00 pm. Please register.

Under the Sea Celebration: Summer Readers, join us on Saturday, **July 30 from 11:00am – 1:00pm** for our end of Summer Reading Party. Celebrate with raffles, face painting, sand art, & Ice cream!

#### **Preschool Story Time - Summer Session**

Kids ages 1-5, under 3 with adult, can come hear stories and make a craft to take home during this 30-minute program. Story Time meets on Fridays, at 10:30 am from June 10-July 29th. Space is limited. Registration is required. Mask wearing protocols will be in place.

#### Messy Mondays for Toddlers & Preschoolers

Parents can bring their young ones (ages 1-4) to the library to create with all things messy during this 30-minute art class. Please wear clothes to get messy. Class will meet twice a month on Mondays at 10:30 am. July dates: July 11th & 25th. Registration is required to attend.



#### Read to the Dogs!

Therapy dogs Hershey and Hazel are back at the library, and ready to hear kids grades K-4 read their favorite stories. Registration is required for a reading time. Wednesday, July 20th, 2022, from 5:00-6:00 pm.

#### **Chess for Kids**

Miss playing chess with your friends or would you like to learn how to play chess? If so, Mr. Pierre is back to host another session of Chess for Kids. Program open to kids ages 6-16. Friday, July 15th at 3:30 pm. Registration is required. Limit of 10 children.

#### Family **B** I **N G 0**

Family Bingo returns on Wednesday, July 27th, 2022, at 6:00 pm. Bring the whole family for a fun night of Bingo. When a parent gets Bingo, the kids win the prize! Registration Required. Limit of



5331 W. 135th | Crestwood, IL 60418 708-659-4800

Hello Residents,

The Crestwood Recreation and Wellness Center Staff are gearing up for the summer! Along with the activities listed here, please visit www.crestwoodfitness.com to keep updated to what is happening in the building and community with the CRWC! As always, feel free to reach out to us by calling us at our new phone number (708) 659-4800 or email us at crwcsports@crestwood.illinois.gov.

The CRWC will be offering a membership specifically for college students who are home for the summer. This new membership is only \$45 and will be good now through Aug. 29th, 2022. Our college summer membership will allow the students access to our sport courts, track, and fitness center throughout these summer months. Come on in to the CRWC to sign up for your College Summer Membership today!

Our newest 6-week session of swim lessons begins July 26th through Aug. 27th. Come into the CRWC on Monday, June 20th, to secure your child's spot. Our lessons do fill up fairly quickly. If you happen miss registration, don't you worry. Our swim lessons run continuously throughout the year. Every six weeks or so, we will have information for our new session. Feel free to call us at (708) 659-4800 with any questions.

Get ready for Summer Camp! From June 13th-July 22nd, the CRWC will be hosting a 6-week Summer Camp for kids between the ages of 8 and 13 years old. The camp will take place from Monday-Thursday from 7:30am-12:00pm. Our staff will plan daily activities for the campers to participate in tie-dye, outdoor sports, scavenger hunts, and indoor games. We are offering daily or weekly rates for any new campers deciding to join the fun. Come on into the CRWC to register!

Zumba classes are held at the Biela center every Thursday night at 6:30. Feel free to drop by and try a class for \$10. If you enjoy the class, come pick up a punch pass or sign up for the next 6-week session here at the CRWC!

The CRWC is happy to announce our partnership with the Morton Arboretum. Their mission is to beautify Crestwood by planting trees throughout the Village. Together we plan to plant 18 trees by Walker Park in October and are looking for volunteers! If you are interested in volunteering your time planting trees for our village, please call us at (708) 659-4800 for more information. The Morton Arboretum will have a booth at the Windy City Thunderbolts game taking place July 15th if you'd like more information on their mission.

Cityside Volleyball Club is coming to the CRWC! Cityside is a club affiliate of 1st Alliance Volleyball Club providing teams for youth athletes ages 11U-14U. We are excited to begin working closely with Cityside Volleyball in providing camps and hosting tournaments for the community.

Come on out to show your support for our Crestwood Crush teams. Pinto games are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at Playfield Park. We have tournaments every weekend also at Playfield. Bring the family out, catch a game and support your community.

We are happy to announce our annual Island to the Wood 4.6 Whiffle Ball Tournament! This is a double elimination tournament with a full day of Live Entertainment, Beer Garden and Food Vendors. It will be located at the Walker park Softball fields on Saturday, Sept. 10th. We are looking for all teams, sponsors and food vendors who are interested in participating in our annual event. Call or come on into the CRWC for more information.

Junk in the Trunk will be held here in the CRWC parking lot on Sunday, Sept. 18th from 9:00am-1:00pm. You can find the sign up form on our website at crestwoodfitness.com or can come in person to the CRWC to secure your parking spot. The registration deadline will be Friday, Sept. 9th, so gather your items for resale and get ready for our annual event.

**Rocco Mossuto** 





Wiffle Ball Tournament



## IN SPORT NEWS | BY JAMES BESENHOFER

## **Bremen High School Softball Pleased With Growth This Season**

By James Besenhofer

The Bremen Braves finished their season May 28, losing to Lemont in a playoff game by a final score of 13-0. The Braves were looking for a better outcome to their season as they finished 8-22 for the season.

In their first 15 games of the season, the Braves had a record of just 1-14. Bremen was 4-8 at home, 3-11 on the road, and 1-3 at neutral sites.

The Braves finished 9th out of 11 teams in the South

Suburban Conference, finishing above Blue Island Eisenhower and Hillcrest. Bremen finished with a 6-13 record in conference play.

In conference play, the Braves had a negative 36 run differential, allowing 179 runs and only scoring 143. For the whole season, Bremen finished with a negative 105 run differential, allowing 294 runs, and only scoring 189.

There were some bright sides, though, for the Braves, as they had three players in the top 5 for batting average in the conference.

Sasha Esparza was second in the conference in batting average, batting a .563 in conference play; Kaycee McManus was fourth, batting a .478, and right behind her was Amanda Gaskin, whose batting average was a

Esparza had a phenomenal season in conference play. She led the conference in slugging with an amazing 1.014 slugging percentage. She was also second in RBIs with 36, and finally, she was third in on-base percentage with a .587 OBP.

The Bremen Braves will look to have a better season next year.

"I am pleased with the overall growth this season," Head Coach, Renee Yunker said. We have two young pitchers that are really developing, and will continue to show success in the upcoming seasons. We were very young this year and decided to play tougher teams this past season. We saw great competition regularly, which is helping us prepare for the next season. We are looking forward to what these athletes bring forward next year."

## **Shepard Astros Close Out Season**

By James Besenhofer

The Shepard Astros baseball team ended its season May 28, losing its first playoff game to Lincoln Way Central by a score of 10-0. This was the second time all season in which the Astros were shut out.

Shepard should not be disappointed, though, as they had a great season filled with many memories and highlights.

The Astros ended the year with a record of 15-15-1. Sadly, the Astros ended the year on a slump, losing five straight games.

Shepard perfectly split their wins and losses at home and on the road going 7-7 at home and 8-8-1 on the road this season.

The Astros finished sixth in the whole conference with a record of 11-7-1 in conference play. They ended the season behind teams such as Lemont, Oak Forest, Reavis, Thornton Fractional South and Oak Lawn.

The tie happened in a game against Eisenhower that ended in extra innings, as no team had scored a run in eight innings.

During conference play, the Astros had a remarkable plus-62 run differential, scoring 129 runs and only allowing 67. On the season as a whole, they had a plus-31 run differential, scoring 186 runs and only giving up 155.

Also, Shepard made history in one of their conferencle games. "During the conference season, two of our pitchers, Tyler Bartczak and Dominic Chillmon, combined on a perfect game against Argo," Head Baseball Coach, Frank DiFoggio. "It was the third perfect game thrown in school history."

Batczak, Paul Kladis and Mike Tieri all had a great year for the Astros. Bartczak was pitcher of the year on Shepard's side of the conference as well as all-conference, said DiFiggio. Kladis and Tieri were all-conference too, DiFiggio added.

Finally, during the season, the Astros traveled to Myrtle Beach. "The Shepard Astros' season had many highlights this year," DiFiggio said. "One of them was the Ripken Experience in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina over spring break. The Astros went 2-3 against some of the top teams in the country."

## **Bremen High School's Baseball** Season Comes to an End

By James Besenhofer

The Bremen Braves season came to an end May 26, as they lost a tournament game to Marian Catholic with a score of 6-0. The Braves ended the season above .500, finishing with a record of 14-12-1.

The Braves went 6-6 at home, 7-6-1 on the road, and 1-0 at neutral sites. During the season the Braves had two stretches of four gamewinning streaks.

"It was a solid season," Head Baseball Coach, Michael Cline, said. "We won our last nine out of 12 games. With strong victories over Richards, Tinley Park, Evergreen Park and Oak Forest."

Bremen finished eighth in their whole conference combined, ahead of teams such as Eisenhower, Evergreen Park and Richards.

In conference play, the Braves had a plus-40 run differential, scoring 137 runs and only allowing 97. For the whole season, they had a plus-47 run differential, scoring 196 runs and only giving up 149.

"I think we got really good pitching and defense," Cline said. "A lot of those games were very tight games — we beat Tinley 7-6, we beat Oak Forest 7-6, we beat Evergreen 4-1. So just the ability for us to get some timely hitting, but some solid pitching with some solid defense backing it up, was crucial."

The Braves saw some very good work from some of their players during conference play. Connor Houlahan had a .404 batting average, .614 slugging percentage, 22 RBIs and a .609 on-base percentage. Matt Holec had a .327 batting average, a .709 slugging percentage, three home runs, and a .507 on-base percentage.

"A very good season," Cline said. "Another good year four our program. Another successful season, and looking forward to keeping it going next year."

## **Shepard Astros Softball Finishes Impressive Season**

By James Besenhofer

The Shepard Astros' softball season ended bittersweetly, with the team losing a playoff game to Lincoln-Way East with a score of 2-0. The Astros had won two previous playoff games going into this game.

In those two playoff games, they beat Bloom and Lincoln-Way West with a combined score of 21-0. The Astros took care of business in their first playoff game against Bloom, winning 10-0. They followed that victory with an even more impressive 11-0 win against Lincoln-Way West.

Shepard made it into the playoffs with a 27-6 record. The Astros were a perfect 13-0 at home, 12-5 on the road and 2-1 at neutral sites.

The Astros had an 8-2 record in their first 10 games of the season. During the season, they managed both an eight- and a nine-game winning streak.

The Astros dominated their conference, finishing in first place in the South Suburban Conference with an 18-1 record. They finished just in front of Evergreen Park, who had a 17-2 record in conference play.

Shepard had a plus-201 run differential in conference play, scoring 233 runs and only allowing 32. Shepard, during the whole season, scored 310 runs while only allowing 74, mustering an incredible plus-236 run differential on the season.

Kelly Green stood out with amazing conference play

this season, finishing third in ERAs with a 2.32, strikeouts with 109 Ks, and wins with seven.

Sarah Kreamalmeyer and Sofia Cerullo were also great in conference play. Kreamalmeyer finished third in home runs with four, and sixth in slugging with a .792 slugging percentage. Cerullo finished third in slugging with a .826 slugging percentage, and fourth in on-base percentage with a .561 OBP.

The Astros look to have as good or an even better season next year.



## Fun & Entertainment \*Sudoku and Crossword Answers appear in next issue

#### FREE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING FOR CRESTWOOD RESIDENTS!

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#### **OBITUARIES**

Fleming, Daniel, passed suddenly and peacefully at his home at the age of 62. Born and raised in the Chicago neighborhood of Mt. Greenwood, Dan is survived by his children, Daniel, Sarah, Frankie Rose and James, by his mother, Rose (nee Hummer), his siblings Denise (Pete) Toussaint, Dennis (Patti), Dianne, Bill, Debbie, Bridget (Dan) Brennan, many nieces and nephews, aunts and uncles, cousins and countless friends. He was preceded in death by his father, John, and his brother, David (Geri). Dan worked as a union sprinkler fitter for 40 years and spent much of his time in his favorite role of father to Danny, Sarah, Frankie, and James. Generous, funny, and quietly humble by nature, family and friends meant everything to him. Always thinking how he could best take care of the people in his life, Dan leaves a powerful legacy of love, loyalty, integrity and laughter to his children, and to all those who loved and admired him. Services for Dan will be private. In lieu of flowers, consider making a donation to the American Heart Association. May his memory be a blessing. Arrangements entrusted to the Becvar & Son Funeral Home, 5539 W. 127th Street, Crestwood. For more information, call (708) 824-9000 or visit www. becvarfuneralhome.com

Msgr. Sarauskas, R. George, passed away after a lengthy illness on June 25th, 2022, at the age of 77 years. Beloved son of the late Mary and Stanley Sarauskas. Loving brother of Lynn (David) Leonard and the late Ted Sarauskas Fond uncle of Karen (Scott) Grzybowski and Sara (Dan) Potter. Dear great-uncle of Kate and Julia Grzybowski and Olivia and Jackson Potter, Visitation took place Monday, July 11th, 2022, at Incarnation Catholic Church, 5757 W. 127th Street, Crestwood. A funeral Mass followed. Interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, contributions to the American Heart Association, Tunnels to Towers, or the Ukranian Relief Fund would be appreciated. Arrangements entrusted to the Becvar & Son Funeral Home, 5539 W. 127th Street, Crestwood. For more information, call (708) 824-9000 or visit www.becvarfuneralhome.com

Whelan, Robert H., passed away at his Crestwood home on Thursday, June 23rd, 2022, at the age of 78 years. Beloved husband of Sue, nee Shannon. Loving father of Kimi Davis, Kelly (Chad) Gordon, and Christopher Whelan. Cherished grandfather of Nevaeh, Kylah, Brody, Colton, Aubrey, Lily and Tenley. Dear brother of Betty (Bill) Jolley, and the late William (Trudy) Whelan. Visitation was held Tuesday. June 28th, until time of chapel prayers, at the Becyan & Son Funeral Home, 5539 W. 127th Street, Crestwood. A funeral Mass was celebrated at Incarnation Catholic Church, 5757 W. 127th Street, Crestwood Cremation private. In lieu of flowers, contributions to the American Diabetes Association or PAWS in Tinley Park would be appreciated. For more information call (708) 824-9000 or visit www.becvarfuneralhome.com

Crestwood's very own ongoing strip...

#### **94 South** by Jim McGreal

#### SUDOKU

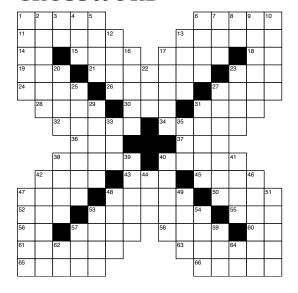
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#### **JUNE Sudoku Solution**

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#### CROSSWORD



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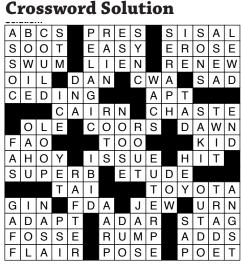
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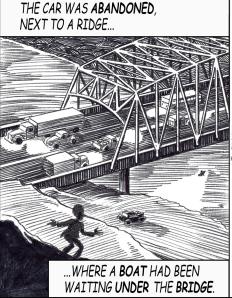
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...AND SHE **DUG UNDERNEATH** IT, UNTIL IT WAS FOUND.







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### **GET UP AND GET OUT!**

#### Movie in the Moonlight: "The Bad Guys" Saturday, July 9, 8:15pm

Moraine Valley Community College | 9000 W. College Pkwy.,

Moraine Valley Community College's popular Movie in the Moonlight series returns this summer. This month, "The Bad Guys" will be shown on a large, inflatable screen at the Gateway, between Buildings F and M, on campus. Families must bring their own blankets or chairs, and should social distance themselves from other groups. Outside food is welcome. Alcohol and smoking are not allowed on Moraine Valley's campus. People who need to smoke must do so in their vehicles. In the event of inclement weather, check the website for updates. Movies are subject to change. Admission is FREE. For more information about Movie in the Moonlight, call the Communications Office at (708) 974-5281 or visit morainevalley.edu/movie-in-the-moonlight.

#### Windy City Thunderbolts Vs. Lake Erie **Crushers: Harry Potter Night**

Friday, July 15th, 7:05pm | Ozinga Field | 14011 S. Kenton Ave., Crestwood

Harry Potter Night is back! Appearances by Harry, Hermione, Ron and Hagrid courtesy of Windy City Wishes. The first 500 kids will receive a Wizard Wand. A costume parade will take place prior to the game at 6:30pm. (Must be in line by 6:15.) During the game, kids can visit Hogwarts Houses, a Wand-Making Station, and enjoy butter beer (for the adults & kids) at the concession stands. The night closes with the ThunderBolts' world-famous fireworks show. And, as always, kids run the bases after every home game. For Friday games only: Get 2 upper-level seats, 2 hot dogs, and 2 beer/ soda/waters for \$22. (Tickets must be purchased before game day.) Purchase your tickets by calling (708) 489-2255, online at www. wcthunderbolts.com, or in person at the Ozinga Field box office.

#### Windy City Thunderbolts Vs. Lake Erie **Crushers: Country Night**

Saturday, July 16th, 6:05pm | Ozinga Field | 14011 S. Kenton Ave., Crestwood

Country Night presented by Lakeshore Beverage is back with postgame fireworks! The entertainment starts from 4:15-5:30pm as Strawdawg Band plays your favorite country hits. Country music will be playing all night long, with a mechanical bull on the concourse. The night closes with the ThunderBolts' world-famous fireworks show. And, as always, kids run the bases after every home game. Purchase your tickets by calling (708) 489-2255, online at www.wcthunderbolts.com, or in person at the Ozinga Field box

#### Windy City Thunderbolts Vs. Lake Erie **Crushers: JULIE Family Sunday**

Sunday, July 17th, 2:05pm | Ozinga Field | 14011 S. Kenton Ave., Crestwood

Family Sunday presented by JULIE, your Illinois one-call system ("Call 811 Before You Dig"), is back. For just \$39, families will receive 4 tickets, 4 hot dogs, 4 chips, 4 soda/waters, and 4 hats. On top of the affordable ticket option, families will be able to enjoy various family-themed entertainment, including an in-game animal presentation from Animals for Awareness, Dave DiNaso's Traveling World of Reptiles and Big Run Wolf Ranch. Every Sunday is also Military Appreciation Day presented by SecurityOne security Services - Illinois, at which any Veteran or active military member will receive two free tickets to that day's game — just present your military I.D. at the box office on that day. After the game, all fans can go on the field, get autographs from their favorite ThunderBolts, run the bases and play catch in the outfield. Purchase your tickets by calling (708) 489-2255, online at www. wcthunderbolts.com, or in person at the Ozinga Field box office.

#### **Shakespeare Under the Stars: Twelfth** Night, or What You Will

Moraine Valley Community College (Outside, at the Gateway) | 9000 W. College Pkwy., Palos Hills

Come on out for the 18th season of Shakespeare under the Stars with one of the Bard's most uproarious comedies, filled with thorny love triangles, mistaken identities and unrequited love. Unrestrained madness and hilarity prevail in one of Shakespeare's most unforgettable comedies. Cost: FREE.

#### Wilderness Adventure Camp

Tuesday, July 26th - Friday, July 29th, 9:00am-12:00pm Little Red Schoolhouse Nature Center 9800 Willow Springs Rd., Willow Springs

During this wilderness exploration camp, learn how to navigate through the forest. Activities include hiking, fire building, aquatic recreation, and other outdoor activities. Ages: 12-14. Forms, waivers and payment are required to complete registration. Cash or check only. Cost: \$45. No refunds. Space is limited to allow for physical distancing. Masks are required. For more information or to register, call (708) 839-6897 or email littlered.schoolhouse@

#### Windy City Thunderbolts Vs. Empire State Greys: Shark Night

Friday, July 29th, 7:05pm | Ozinga Field | 14011 S. Kenton Ave., Crestwood

Sharks + Fireworks = FUN. Any kid dressed as a shark receives a

voucher for a FREE Ice Cream Cup! Sharks EVERYWHERE! The first 500 kids will receive a shark-themed airplane glider. The first 500 adults 21 years of age and older will receive a can koozie from JULIE, Inc. And, as always, kids run the bases after every home game. For Friday games only: Get 2 upper-level seats, 2 hot dogs, and 2 beer/soda/waters for \$22. (Tickets must be purchased before game day.) Purchase your tickets by calling (708) 489-2255, online at www.wcthunderbolts.com, or in person at the Ozinga Field box

#### Windy City Thunderbolts Vs. Empire State Greys: Superhero & Camp Out Night

Saturday, July 30th, 6:05pm Ozinga Field | 14011 S. Kenton Ave., Crestwood

Superheroes, fireworks and a sleepover? Come on out for the annual Superhero & Camp Out Night presented by Trinity Christian College. The first 500 kids 12 years of age and under will receive a superhero cape! A costume parade will take place prior to the game at 5:30pm. (Must be in line by 5:15.) Captain America, Spider-Man, Wonder Woman and Black Panther will meet their biggest fans courtesy of Windy City Wishes. After the game and post-game fireworks, camp out under the stars in your own (stakeless) tents. Play on the field and enjoy a late-night movie on the videoboard courtesy of Emagine Theatre - Frankfort. Popcorn and drinks will be available. In the morning, a light breakfast will be served to campers. Purchase your tickets by calling (708) 489-2255,

#### Windy City Thunderbolts Vs. Empire **State Greys: JULIE Family Sunday**

online at www.wcthunderbolts.com, or in person at the Ozinga

Sunday, July 31st, 2:05pm

Ozinga Field | 14011 S. Kenton Ave., Crestwood

Family Sunday presented by JULIE, your Illinois one-call system ("Call 811 Before You Dig"), is back. For just \$39, families will receive 4 tickets, 4 hot dogs, 4 chips, 4 soda/waters, and 4 hats. On top of the affordable ticket option, families will be able to enjoy various family-themed entertainment, including face painting from Marvelous Faces and an in-game animal presentation from Animals for Awareness, Dave DiNaso's Traveling World of Reptiles and Big Run Wolf Ranch. Every Sunday is also Military Appreciation Day presented by SecurityOne security Services – Illinois, at which any Veteran or active military member will receive two free tickets to that day's game — just present your military I.D. at the box  $\,$ office on that day. After the game, all fans can go on the field, get autographs from their favorite ThunderBolts, run the bases and play catch in the outfield. Purchase your tickets by calling (708) 489-2255, online at www.wcthunderbolts.com, or in person at the Ozinga Field box office.