



Community News

FALL 2025

ROUTE 59 PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE OPENING SOON

The Route 59 pedestrian bridge and overpass project recently passed a major milestone with the installation of steel trusses. Despite delays in steel production, we're thrilled that this project remains on schedule for completion this fall! The grand opening will be scheduled soon, so be sure to sign up for our weekly e-newsletter, visit our website, and follow us on social media for details.

The Village's Comprehensive Plan envisions a number of key amenities that will help bring our community together, including a better-connected trail system. Constructing a pedestrian and bicycle bridge over Route 59 was a critical piece of the plan. Trail connections at Irving Park Road and Madison Drive connect to the bridge so that travelers can safely cross Route 59 and get to the existing path system on the west side of the road.

The bridge project has been a joint effort between the Village and multiple agencies, including the Federal government, the Illinois Department of Transportation, and Cook County. We are pleased to note that 80% of the cost of the project was funded through grants. Visit our website and learn more about this project and its history.



Board Goals Workshops Underway

The Village Board has been holding its annual goals and objectives workshops to identify and prioritize challenges and opportunities for the coming year. These goals - both ongoing and focused - serve as a blueprint for action. They emphasize maintaining high-quality services and fostering strong intergovernmental relationships. They also guide the development of the Village's annual budget, ensuring that services are cost-effective, provided in a fiscally responsible manner, and support the community's long-term vision. Learn more about the current Board Goals and Objectives at streamwood.org.

Annual Budget Public Hearings

The Village Board will hold public hearings for the 2025 Tax Levy and 2026 Annual Budget before its regularly scheduled Village Board Meeting. A copy of the budget will be available at the Village Hall for public inspection before the public hearings. Learn more about the Village's finances by visiting our website at streamwood.org.

Thursday, November 20, 2025
Hearings begin at 6:30 p.m.

Village Hall Council Chambers
(301 E. Irving Park Rd.)

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VILLAGE BOARD NEWS

Give the Gift of Life at a Blood Drive

Mark your calendars! The Streamwood Blood Commission will host its final blood drive of the year on Wednesday, **October 22**, from 1 to 7 p.m. at Fire Station #31 (1204 S. Park Ave.). Appointments are preferred, but walk-ins are welcome. Schedule your appointment at vitalant.org using group code ORD0SW98 or call 877-543-3768. Every two seconds in the United States, someone needs blood, and one pint of blood can save up to three lives. Please consider donating if you are able.



Celebrate Culture at Unity in Art Event



Join us for the Community Relations Commission second annual Unity in Art Event, which celebrates our community's rich cultural diversity and creativity through art and performance. This event will be held on Saturday, **November 1**, at the Park Place Family Recreation Center (550 S. Park Blvd.) from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. with free live performances beginning at noon. Whether it's art, song, dance, or storytelling, this event helps us weave stronger bonds in our community as we learn about and enjoy our cultural heritage. Are you interested in performing or displaying art? Please contact Deputy Mike Chief Schwartz by emailing mschwartz@streamwood.org or calling 630-736-3776.

Join us to Honor our Veterans



The Veterans Memorial Commission invites you to join them in honoring those who served in the armed forces at their annual Veterans Day ceremony on Tuesday, **November 11**, at 11 a.m. at the Veterans Memorial (301 E. Irving Park Rd.). The ceremony will include a performance by the Celebration Brass Quintet. Visit our website to learn more.

VILLAGE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We had a fantastic time at the 29th Annual Streamwood Summer Celebration! It was wonderful to see so many of you enjoying the "Candyland - A Sweet Time!" festivities, from our youngest residents to our most senior. Thank you to our incredible business sponsors, vendors, volunteers, and staff for making this event such a huge success.

Thank you for joining us at the remembrance ceremony to honor those we lost in the September 11 terror attacks. Then, on September 18, we teamed up with Hanover Township to hold our annual meeting with local school administrators to provide valuable insights on safety and engagement for the new school year. Speaking of school zones, please remain extra cautious when driving in them by putting your phone away and always respecting bus stop signs on two-lane roads. Finally, thank you to the volunteers who joined the Community Relations Commission to help remove invasive species at Phoenix Lake on September 20.

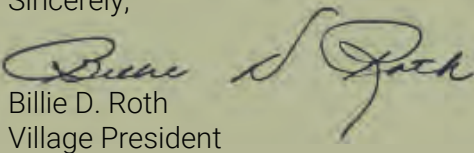
With summer behind us, we're focused on a great lineup of events and important village work. We recently wrapped up our fourth blood drive of the year and are already preparing for the next one on **October 22**. Our Police Beat meetings will continue through October, and the Village Board and staff are actively working on goals for 2026. This process will guide our budget and ensure we continue to provide cost-effective services while maintaining our reputation as fiscally responsible managers of your tax dollars.

We also have some exciting community events and a lot to look forward to this holiday season:

- **Unity in Art** - Join us on **November 1** from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Park Place to celebrate Streamwood's diversity.
- **Veterans Day Ceremony** - Honor those who served on **November 11** at 11 a.m. at the Veterans Memorial.
- **Holiday Helping Program** - Help us celebrate the 14th annual Holiday Helping Program, which provides a merrier Christmas for families facing hardship. Children get gift cards and are helped by police officers and firefighters to shop for their families. You can donate online through our website or contact my office at mayor@streamwood.org or **(630) 736-3801** for more information.
- **Luminaria** - The 41st annual Luminaria is on **December 5** at 6:30 p.m. at the Village Hall. Come volunteer to light the luminarias and enjoy the festive atmosphere with Santa, Mrs. Claus, and K9 Hope. You can listen to local choirs and enjoy cookies and cocoa while we light the tree at the Veterans Memorial.

Visit our website to learn more about all of these events. We look forward to seeing you there. On behalf of the Village Board, we wish you a safe and happy holiday season!

Sincerely,



Billie D. Roth
Village President



First Responders Honored at September 11th Ceremony



Thank you to all who attended the Village's September 11th Remembrance Ceremony at the Veterans Memorial. Your participation helped us honor the memory of those lost on that day. The ceremony featured poignant remarks by Deputy Police Chief Mike Schwartz, who was working as a new officer on the morning of the attacks, as well as the National Anthem sung by Kiera Moore and moving music performed by the Celebration Brass Quartet. We also extend our gratitude to those who joined the Fire Department's traditional morning flag ceremony at Fire Station #31, where we commemorated the courage and sacrifice demonstrated by first responders on September 11th.

VILLAGE CODE CORNER

Yard Waste and Leaf Collection

Residents of Streamwood are reminded not to rake, sweep, or blow leaves into the street, as the Village does not offer street leaf pick-up services. Doing so can clog storm sewer inlets, leading to potential flooding. Instead, all yard waste, including leaves, must be placed in approved containers for collection by Groot Industries. Please note that the final week of yard waste pick-up is **December 8-12**.

Rental and Business License Renewals

All residential rental properties must be licensed by the Village. Business licenses and occupancy permits are required for all businesses, including home-based businesses. Renewal letters will be mailed soon, and all renewals are due by Wednesday, **December 31**. Applications may be picked up at Village Hall or obtained online through our Citizen Self Service portal. For more information on the Village's licensing programs, please visit our website at streamwood.org.

Ground Feeding of Animals is Prohibited

Love wildlife? The best way to care for wild animals is to let them find food naturally. Not only is ground feeding prohibited, but it's also unsafe. Not all human food is safe for animals. It makes them less wary of people, invites unwanted visitors, and can cause wildlife to gather in larger numbers than they naturally would. This increases the risk of injury and disease transmission between animals, people, and pets. It can also cause wild animals to become a nuisance and damage property.

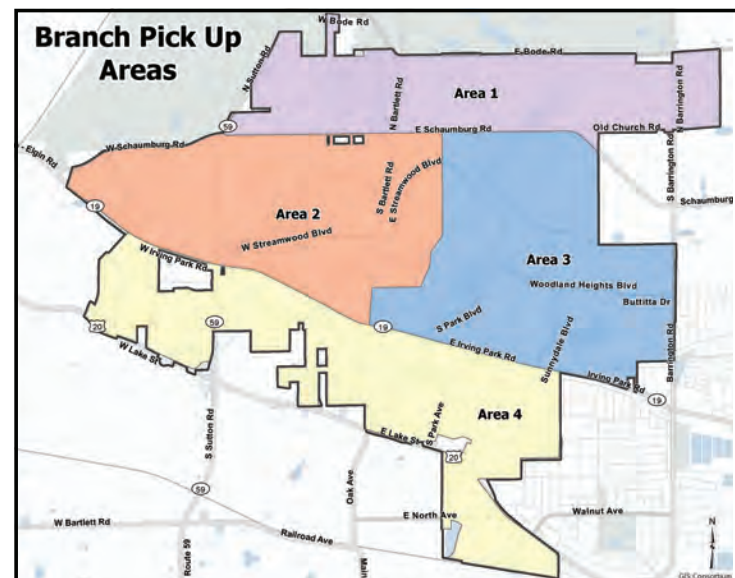
Street Parking Restrictions

Parking is prohibited on Village streets from 1 to 5 a.m. except where noted in specific subdivisions or with a permit. Residents can obtain free overnight parking permits for guests. Up to five permits per address per year are available, allowing up to three days of parking for an unlimited number of vehicles. To get a permit, visit our website, call us at 630-736-3700, or visit the police department (401 E. Irving Park Rd.). Through November 30, parking over the sidewalk is also prohibited on weekdays from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. and weekends from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. During the winter (December 1 to February 28), this does not apply to vehicles parked on residential driveways. When there's more than two inches of snowfall, on-street parking is prohibited until streets are fully plowed. Questions? Please call the Police Department at 630-736-3700.

Branch Pick-up Wraps Up in October

October is the final month of curbside branch collection for 2025. The Village is divided into four service areas, as shown on the map, each with a designated collection day. For a successful pickup, please place your branches at the curb by 6 a.m. on collection day with cut ends facing the street. Branches should not be longer than ten feet or have a diameter larger than six inches. Did you miss your pick up? Crews do their best to collect branches as soon as possible, but cannot guarantee a return visit if they're unavailable. Questions? Email publicworks@streamwood.org or call 630-736-3850. The program will return in April 2026.

- Area 1 (North of Schaumburg Road) - October 6
- Area 2 (West of Oltendorf Road) - October 13
- Area 3 (East of Oltendorf Road) - October 20
- Area 4 (South of Irving Park Road) - October 27



Summer Celebration Was a Sweet Time for All

What a great weekend we had in Candyland at this year's Summer Celebration! The Summer Celebration Committee is very thankful for the generous sponsors, amazing food vendors, local businesses that were part of the Business Expo and/or donated prizes for the raffle, and the many, many volunteers! The annual parade delighted spectators with over 70 vibrant entries. Parade winners were announced at the festival, and trophies were awarded in eight categories! A complete list of winners is available at streamwoodsummercelebration.org. We also had a blast celebrating our amazing team of volunteers - one of our largest groups yet - with an appreciation dinner in August. The Committee is already planning next year's event and looks forward to seeing you at the **Summer Celebration's 30th Anniversary, July 24-26, 2026**.



Streamwood is Now an EV Ready Community

We're happy to announce the completion of the Metropolitan Mayors Caucus and ComEd's Electric Vehicle (EV) Readiness Program! Through this program, we've made it faster and easier for residents and businesses to install EV charging stations. We've implemented smart and effective policies to support widespread EV adoption across our community, helping us drive toward a clean energy future. Are you planning to install an EV charging station? Learn more about permits and apply online at streamwood.org. Questions? Call 630-736-3843 or email us at communitydevelopment@streamwood.org.



Business Grants Available

Streamwood businesses can receive up to \$25,000 in grant funds from the Village's Business Assistance Program. Eligible projects include outdoor dining areas, lighting, landscaping, interior buildouts/rehab, signs and awnings, façade renovations, energy efficiency, and more! Email Community Development Director, Jeff Harris, at jharris@streamwood.org or call 630-736-3829 to learn more about the program. Information can also be found at streamwood.org.

Halloween Celebrations and Safety Tips

Get ready for a paw-sitively happy Halloween! Trick-or-treat hours are set for Friday, **October 31**, from 3 to 7 p.m. Stop by to see us at the Streamwood Park District's Boo Bash on Thursday, **October 30**, from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Park Place Rec Center. Meet our delightfully dressed-up comfort dog, Hope, who promises to be the howl of the party with her costume surprise! Remember, a safe Halloween is a happy Halloween! Our Police Department urges everyone to fetch some friends and walk in groups for safety. Dress in bright colors so you are visible to drivers, avoid masks that can fog up your vision, and only visit well-lit homes. Drivers, please slow down and keep an eye out for pedestrians.



Holiday Lights Safety and Recycling

The Village is teaming up with Elgin Recycling to bring you a convenient and eco-friendly way to dispose of old or unwanted holiday lights. From **November 3 through February 6**, we will accept mini, Italian, C7, C9, rope, and LED lights, as well as extension cords. Before you hang them, be sure to check each strand and extension cord for damage, such as frayed or bare wires and loose connections. Use items for their intended purpose (indoor or outdoor), and check for a safety mark such as the Underwriters Laboratory (UL) mark on the packaging, indicating that the product has been safety tested. Simply drop off your unwanted items in our recycling bins at any of our four locations: Village Hall (301 E. Irving Park Rd.), Public Works (565 S. Bartlett Rd.), Poplar Creek Library (1205 Park Ave.), or Park Place Rec Center (550 S. Park Blvd.)

Holiday Decorating Contest

Do you have the most festive house in the community? Do you look forward to your neighbor's display each year? Consider entering yourself or someone you know in the 2025 Home Holiday Decorating Contest. Entering is free and open to all residents. Simply complete the entry form and return it to the Village Hall by Monday, **November 10**. Judging will take place the first weekend in December, and one winner in each of our three categories will be recognized at a Village Board Meeting: Most Traditional, Most Whimsical, and Merry and Bright. Find the application at streamwood.org and show us your holiday spirit!



Luminaria Event Will Light Up Streamwood



Join us for some holiday magic at the 41st Annual Luminaria on Friday, **December 5**, at 6:30 p.m. See the glow of 3,000 luminarias as they light up Park Boulevard from Lake Street to Schaumburg Road, along with the Village Hall, Veterans Memorial, and Police Department. Join us for a free, family-friendly evening at Village Hall filled with choral music, a tree lighting ceremony, visits with Santa and Mrs. Claus, and delicious cookies and hot cocoa with our comfort dog, Hope. Be a part of creating this magical evening by volunteering! Whether you're helping us assemble luminaria bags in November or placing them on December 5, volunteers are essential to making Streamwood shine. Interested in participating? Contact the Mayor's office at mayor@streamwood.org or 630-736-3801. Come celebrate and help light up Streamwood for all to enjoy!



Police Chief Shawn Taylor
and Fire Chief Mike Meyer

The Streamwood Police and Fire Departments provide an array of services to the Village including emergency response and public education. Fire Administration is located in Station #31 (1204 S. Park Ave.). There are two additional full-service fire stations located to ensure the best possible service to our community: Station #32 (900 W. Irving Park Rd.) and Station #33 (1095 E. Schaumburg Rd.). The police station is located at 401 E. Irving Park Rd. Please contact us if you need assistance and remember to **call or text 911 for all emergencies.**

Join us at the Fire Department's Open House

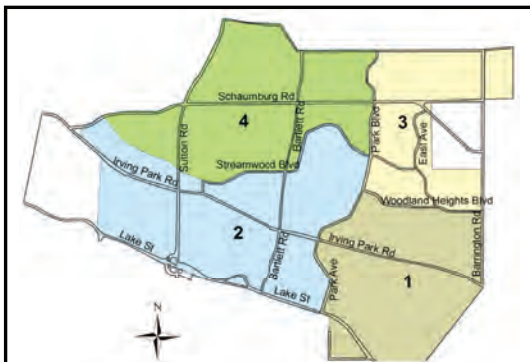
Join us for the annual Fire Department Open House on Saturday, **October 11**, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Fire Station #31 (1204 S. Park Ave.). Enjoy an action-packed day with equipment displays, fire safety information, engaging station tours, and live demonstrations, including a fire sprinkler demo, vehicle auto extrication, and high angle rescues. Participate in hands-on activities like fire extinguisher training and spraying a real fire hose. Meet local safety and community agencies providing vital insights into emergency preparedness. Celebrate Fire Prevention Week with this year's theme, "Charge Into Fire Safety: Lithium Ion Batteries in Your Home." Don't miss this opportunity to engage, learn, and contribute to our community's safety.



Lithium-Ion Battery Safety Tips

Lithium-ion batteries power many household devices but can be fire hazards if mishandled. Keep yourself safe by using the correct charger for each device, and don't overcharge them. Store batteries in a cool, dry place, away from heat and flammable objects. Keep these batteries out of the trash and recycle them at designated collection sites. If batteries are deformed, damaged, leaking, making noise, or swelling, do not use them and dispose of them safely. By adopting these precautions, you can minimize the risk of fire. Visit call2recycle.org for a list of local collection sites and join us at the Fire Department's Open House on Saturday, **October 11** to learn more about practicing safety at home.

Police Beat Meetings Continue Through October



The Streamwood Police Department is committed to building strong relationships with our community through regular Beat Meetings. Streamwood is divided into four beat areas (see map), each serving a specific geographic area within Streamwood. Please join us at our final meetings for 2025. Beat Meetings will be held at 7 p.m. at the Police Station on Tuesday, **October 7** (Beats 1 and 3) and Tuesday, **October 14** (Beats 2 and 4). These interactive sessions provide a platform for residents to learn about police services, ask questions, share concerns, and get safety tips and updates on local crime trends. Meet your Beat Sergeant and learn more at streamwood.org.

CPR and Stop the Bleed Training Available



CPR/Basic Life Support (BLS) Training for Healthcare Providers: Having the skills and knowledge to save lives is essential for healthcare providers. Our expert Fire Department instructors will teach lifesaving techniques on Saturday, **October 4**, from 9 a.m. to noon at Fire Station #31 (1204 S. Park Ave.). Register today by calling 630-736-3650. The fee for this course is \$30 for residents and \$40 for non-residents.

Stop the Bleed Training: Learn how to Stop the Bleed at our free hands-on training course on Saturday, **November 1**, from 9 a.m. to noon at Fire Station #31 (1204 S. Park Ave.). This course will teach you to recognize life-threatening bleeding and act quickly to control it using three quick techniques: applying pressure, packing a wound, and using a tourniquet. Space is limited, so please call our Fire Department at 630-736-3650 today to register.

Junior Police Camp and Citizens Fire Academy Graduates Recognized

Over the summer, our Junior Police Academy graduated 36 new sixth and seventh-graders – our largest class yet! Campers got hands-on experience with police operations, K9 demos, staged arrests, and more. They explored a C.S.I.-style workshop, learned bike safety, and worked with our SWAT team, too. The "drunk goggles" demo stressed the importance of sober driving. The students were recognized at a July Village Board Meeting. Our Police Department looks forward to offering this free program again in 2026.

Graduates of the 2025 Streamwood Citizens Fire Academy were also recognized by the Village Board in July. During the 10-week academy, participants who live and work in Streamwood gained insight into how our firefighter/paramedics perform their duties and serve our Village. Congratulations to everyone who dedicated their personal time to attend this program and supported our Fire Department's commitment to building strong community relationships. Want to join the fun next year? Keep an eye out for 2026 applications!



Free Smoke Detectors and Bed Alarms Available



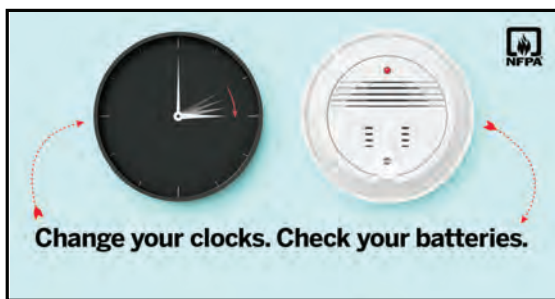
Having a sufficient number of working, properly located smoke alarms in your home increases your chances of getting out safely if there's a fire. Fire research has demonstrated that with today's modern furnishings, fires can spread much more rapidly than in the past when more natural materials were used. Get a **FREE** smoke alarm installed by trained Streamwood Firefighters to protect you and your loved ones. We've already installed over 500 alarms throughout the community! We also offer bed shaker alarms that use a strobe light and vibrating pad to help alert individuals with hearing impairments. Sign up by calling our Fire Department at 630-736-3650 or emailing fire@streamwood.org to make an appointment. Learn more at streamwood.org.

Holiday Helping Program Aids Local Families

We're proud to host our 14th annual Holiday Helping Program, which helps disadvantaged local families. In December, our firefighters, police officers, officials, and staff will use donations to provide gifts to local children for the holidays. Last year, we helped over 40 local families, including 100 children. This program is made possible by local businesses, individuals, and community volunteers. If you wish to donate, visit our website or scan the QR code. Thank you for your support!



Change Your Clocks, Check Your Batteries



Smoke alarms save lives, but only if they're working. On Sunday, **November 2**, when we roll our clocks back for daylight savings, take this opportunity to check your smoke alarm batteries. Smoke alarms with non-replaceable 10-year batteries are designed to remain effective for up to 10 years. Smoke alarms with any other type of battery need a new battery at least once a year. If your alarm begins to chirp, replace the unit or the battery right away. When replacing a battery, follow the manufacturer's instructions and recommendations for specific battery brands and models.

Cooking Safety Tips

The holidays are approaching, which means many people will be busy cooking! Cooking fires are a leading cause of fire-related injury and home fires. Fortunately, they're preventable with simple precautions. First and foremost, always keep an eye on what you're cooking and avoid cooking if you're feeling drowsy. Leaving food unattended is the most common cause of cooking fires. Keep flammable items like potholders and paper towels at least 12 inches away from the stovetop. Wear tight-fitting sleeves to avoid catching your clothing on fire while you reach over the burners. Avoid using extension cords for cooking appliances, as they can overload circuits and start fires. Ensure children are kept at a safe distance from the stove and sharp objects. Point the pot and pan handles towards the back of the stove to prevent accidental knock-overs. Finally, keep a working kitchen fire extinguisher close by and familiarize yourself with its usage. By incorporating these practices into your routine, you can enjoy cooking while significantly reducing the risk of fires and injuries. Stay safe, and happy cooking!

Generous Donation Supports Child Safety Seat Resources

A big thank you to the Streamwood Kiwanis club for their recent donation to support the Village's child safety seat program. Safety seats save lives when used and installed properly. However, according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, nearly half of all child safety seats are installed incorrectly. Need help? Get free expert assistance installing your car seat from one of our Certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians. Do you know someone who needs a safety seat but lacks the financial resources to purchase one? Email us at carseat@streamwood.org, call the Police Department at 630-736-3661, or call the Fire Department at 630-736-3650. You can schedule an appointment for installation, inspection, or find out more about free seats that might be available.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Several governmental units serve our community, and where you live determines which school your child attends, which park and library district serves you, and which social services are available to you through the township. Search your address in our community portal streamwood.org/about-us/map-portal to find which of our governmental partners serve you, then visit their websites to learn more about their programs and events.

OCTOBER

- 01 School District U-46:** Community Town Hall, 6:30 p.m. @ Hilltop Elementary School (1855 Rohrssen Rd., Elgin). Attendees will be able to provide feedback on proposed names for the new middle school being built in Elgin.
- 04 Hanover Township:** Holiday Program Registration Open and Toy Boxes will be available for the drop off donation of new, unwrapped toys @ Immanuel United Church (1500 Old Church Rd.), Park Place Rec Center (550 S Park Blvd.), Poplar Creek Library (1405 S. Park Ave.), and Streamwood Village Hall (301 E. Irving Park Rd.) Register online at hanover-township.org.
- 11 Hanover Township:** Fall Shred Event, 9-11 a.m. @ Senior Center Parking Lot (240 S. IL Route 59, Bartlett). Up to two bags/boxes of personal paper materials will be accepted; small paper clips and staples do not need to be removed. Please, NO plastic bags. Shredding is accepted until the shred trucks are full. Donations will be accepted for the Hanover Township Food Pantry for non-perishable food, personal care, and household items.
- 11 Village of Streamwood:** Fire Department Open House, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. @ Fire Station #31 (1204 S. Park Ave.). This free, family-friendly event includes equipment displays, fire safety information, station tours, and live demonstrations, including a fire sprinkler, auto extrication, and high angle rescues. Participate in hands-on activities like fire extinguisher training and spraying a real fire hose.
- 12 Poplar Creek Library:** Diwali Festival, 12-3 p.m. @ Main Branch (1405 S. Park Ave.). Come celebrate Diwali by enjoying a sampling of authentic Indian food, henna tattoos, music, games, and more! Patrons are encouraged to come dressed in traditional clothing. All ages and ethnicities are welcome. No registration required-just drop in!
- 15 Elgin Community College:** College Night, 6-8 p.m. @ Elgin Community College (1700 Spartan Dr., Elgin, Building J, Gymnasium). Find the college that is right for you. Explore over 150 colleges and universities from across the country that are here to answer your questions. Learn more at elgin.edu.
- 16 School District U-46:** Marching Band Showcase, 6 p.m. @ Streamwood High School (701 W. Schaumburg Rd.). Marching bands from U-46's five high schools will perform. This event is free and open to the public.

- 19 Poplar Creek Library:** Family Concert Series - Rhythm Giants, 2-3 p.m., @ Main Branch (1405 S. Park Ave.). Rhythm Giants is known as one of the tightest bands on the scene, transitioning seamlessly through alternative, rock, blues, grunge, pop punk, and even classic metal songs to provide a diverse and energetic show. Register online at pclib.com.
- 20 Gail Borden Library:** El Trote De Las Calacas (The Skeleton Trot) 5K Run and Walk, 9-11 a.m. @ Main Branch (270 N. Grove Ave., Elgin). This USATF-certified race winds through Elgin's historic northeast neighborhood and scenic path along the Fox River. It will showcase community diversity while raising funds to support residents served by the Library and School District U-46. Register at gailborden.info/trote by October 3.
- 22 Hanover Township:** Secretary of State Driver Services Mobile Facility, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. @ Senior Center (240 S. IL Route 59, Bartlett). DMV services available include vision screening, driver's licenses, state IDs, license plate renewals, voter registration, and more. Appointments are required. Call 331-465-9661.
- 30 Streamwood Park District:** Boo Bash, 4:30-8:30 p.m. @ Park Place Family Rec Center (550 S. Park Blvd.). Enjoy a frightfully fun and free Halloween celebration packed with treats, thrills, and a few haunted surprises around every corner. Learn more by visiting streamwoodparks.org.

NOVEMBER

- 01 Village of Streamwood:** Unity in Art - A Celebration of Cultural Diversity, @ Park Place Rec Center (550 S. Park Blvd). Art/Craft Show 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Performances 12-3 p.m. This free event will showcase the cultural diversity in and around Streamwood through art and performance to help foster better understanding and relationships of area residents. Learn more at streamwood.org.
- 08 Gail Borden Library:** Salute to Service Letter Writing Campaign, 12-2 p.m. @ Main Branch (270 N. Grove Ave., Elgin). Stop by and show your support to current and past service members by creating a letter or drawing. All supplies provided!
- 11 Village of Streamwood:** Veterans Day Ceremony, 11 a.m. @ Streamwood Veterans Memorial (301 E. Irving Park Rd.). Join the Veterans Memorial Commission in honoring those who have served in the armed forces. It will also include a performance by the Celebration Brass Quintet. All are welcome.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER

11 Elgin Community College: Adult Learner Information Night, 5:30 p.m., @ Elgin Community College (1700 Spartan Dr., Elgin, Building B, Community and Heritage Rooms B180 and B181). Thinking about starting or returning to college as an adult? Come and explore 130+ degree and certificate programs, learn about admissions, and discover resources to balance work, family, and school. Get details on affordable tuition, financial aid, and career-advancing opportunities. Learn more at elgin.edu/admissions.

16 Poplar Creek Library: Family Concert Series: Jack Wilson, 2-3 p.m. @ Main Branch Meeting Rooms 1-3 (1405 S. Park Ave.). Jack Wilson is a versatile guitarist from the Chicago area, known for his first-place win at the 2016 International Fingerstyle Guitar Competition and multiple other contest victories. He performs as a solo artist, with various bands, and teaches guitar and bass. His eclectic style reflects his diverse musical background, years of influence from different genres, and musical experiences. Register online at pclib.com.

21 School District U-46: Job Fair, 3-6 p.m. on Friday, 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday @ the U-46 Welcome Center (1019 E. Chicago Street, Elgin). Attendees can do same-day interviews for a number of opportunities in U-46. Learn more at careers.u-46.org.

22 Gail Borden Library: Holiday Book Sale, Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday 12-4 p.m. @ Main Branch (270 N. Grove Ave., Elgin). Stop by and stock up for the winter! Great gift ideas for the upcoming holidays! All proceeds benefit the Gail Borden Public Library Foundation. Visit gailborden.info to learn more.

DECEMBER

01 Elgin Community College: Workforce Information Session, 6-7 p.m. @ Main Campus (1700 Spartan Drive, Elgin, Building K). Explore career-advancing opportunities, learn about short-term training, industry-recognized credentials, paid internships, apprenticeships, and grant-funded programs that can reduce costs. Discover pathways to ECC certificates and meet program experts. Registration is recommended but not required. Learn more at elgin.edu.

05 Village of Streamwood: Luminaria, 6:30 p.m. @ Village Hall and Veterans Memorial (301 E. Irving Park Rd.). Witness the glow of 3,000 luminarias on display along Park Blvd. and near the Village Hall. This free, family-friendly event includes choral music, a tree lighting ceremony, visits with Santa and Mrs. Claus, and more! Visit streamwood.org for details.

05 Streamwood Park District: Dough-Ho-Ho, 6-8 p.m. @ Park Place Family Rec Center (550 S. Park Blvd.). Bring your family out to enjoy some pizza and time with Santa. Ages 12 and over \$20/\$30 each, 11 and under \$15/20 each, 2 and under free. Register now at streamwoodparks.org.

12 Elgin Community College: Under the Streetlamp - Hip to the Holidays, 7:30 p.m. @ Blizzard Theater (1700 Spartan Dr., Elgin, Building H). Swing into the season with Under the Streetlamp's holiday show, Hip to the Holidays! Featuring former stars of Jersey Boys, this high-energy performance blends holiday classics and retro charm with smooth harmonies and slick dance moves. Purchase tickets at elgin.edu/calendar.

14 Streamwood Park District: Santa's Holly Jolly Trolley, 4:30-8:30 p.m. @ Hoosier Grove Barn (700 W. Irving Park Rd.). Hop aboard Santa's magical trolleys and enjoy a sparkling ride through the twinkling lights of Streamwood. \$35 resident/\$45 non-resident. Register now at streamwoodparks.org.

14 Poplar Creek Library: Family Concert Series: Random Ringers Handbell Choir, 2-3 p.m. @ Main Branch Meeting Rooms 1-3 (1405 S. Park Ave.). The Random Ringers Handbell Choir returns for its annual holiday performance! They will perform secular, popular, and classic holiday music on handbells and handchimes. Register online at pclib.com.

Our Community Partners



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Hanover Township
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Village Hall Hours

Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Village Meeting & Event Calendar

October

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| 2 | Board of Fire & Police Commissioners Meeting | 6 p.m. |
| | Village Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 7 | Police Beat Meeting (Beats 1 & 3) | 7 p.m. |
| 11 | Fire Department Open House | 11 a.m. |
| 13 | Columbus/Indigenous Peoples' Day | |
| | Village Offices Closed - Employee In-Service Day | |
| 14 | Police Beat Meeting (Beats 2 & 4) | 7 p.m. |
| 16 | Village Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 21 | Planning & Zoning Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 22 | Community Blood Drive | 1-7 p.m. |
| 23 | Community Relations Commission Meeting | 6 p.m. |
| 28 | Veterans Memorial Committee Meeting | 7 p.m. |

November

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| 1 | Stop the Bleed Trauma Course | 9 a.m. |
| | Unity in Art Event | 11 a.m.-4 p.m. |
| 2 | Daylight Saving Time Ends | |
| 6 | Board of Fire & Police Commissioners Meeting | 6 p.m. |
| | Village Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 11 | Veterans Day - Village Offices Closed | |
| | Veterans Day Ceremony | 11 a.m. |
| 18 | Planning & Zoning Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 20 | Community Relations Commission Meeting | 6 p.m. |

November (continued)

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| 20 | Tax Levy and Budget Public Hearings | 6:30 p.m. |
| | Village Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 27 | Thanksgiving Holiday - Village Offices Closed | |
| 28 | Thanksgiving Holiday - Village Offices Closed | |

December

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| 4 | Board of Fire & Police Commissioners Meeting | 6 p.m. |
| | Village Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 5 | Luminaria | 6:30 p.m. |
| 6 | CPR: Basic Life Support Class | 9 a.m. |
| 17 | Planning & Zoning Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 18 | Village Board Meeting | 7 p.m. |
| 24 | Christmas Holiday - Village Offices Closed | |
| 25 | Christmas Holiday - Village Offices Closed | |

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