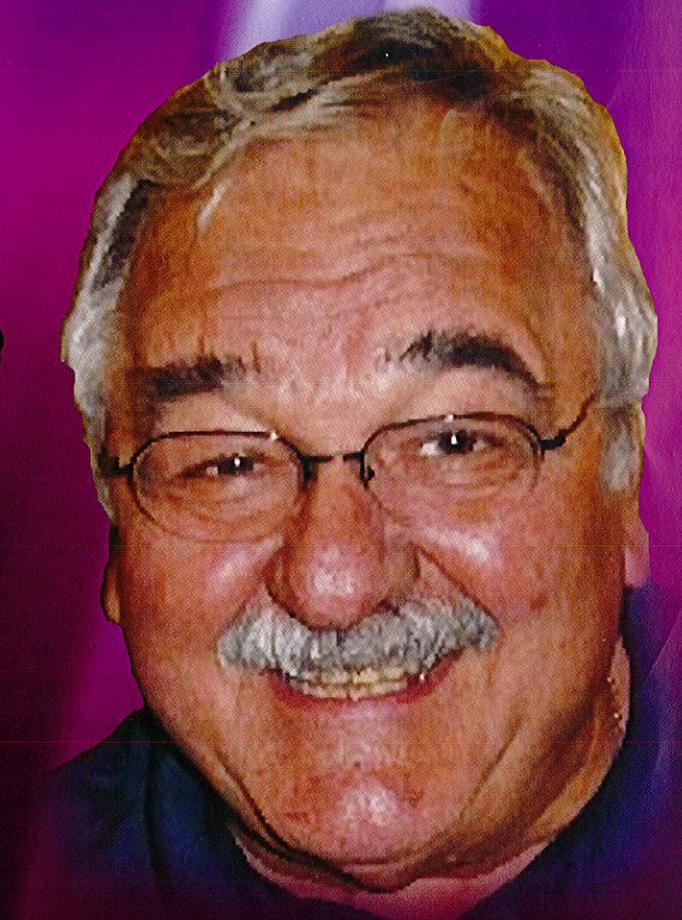
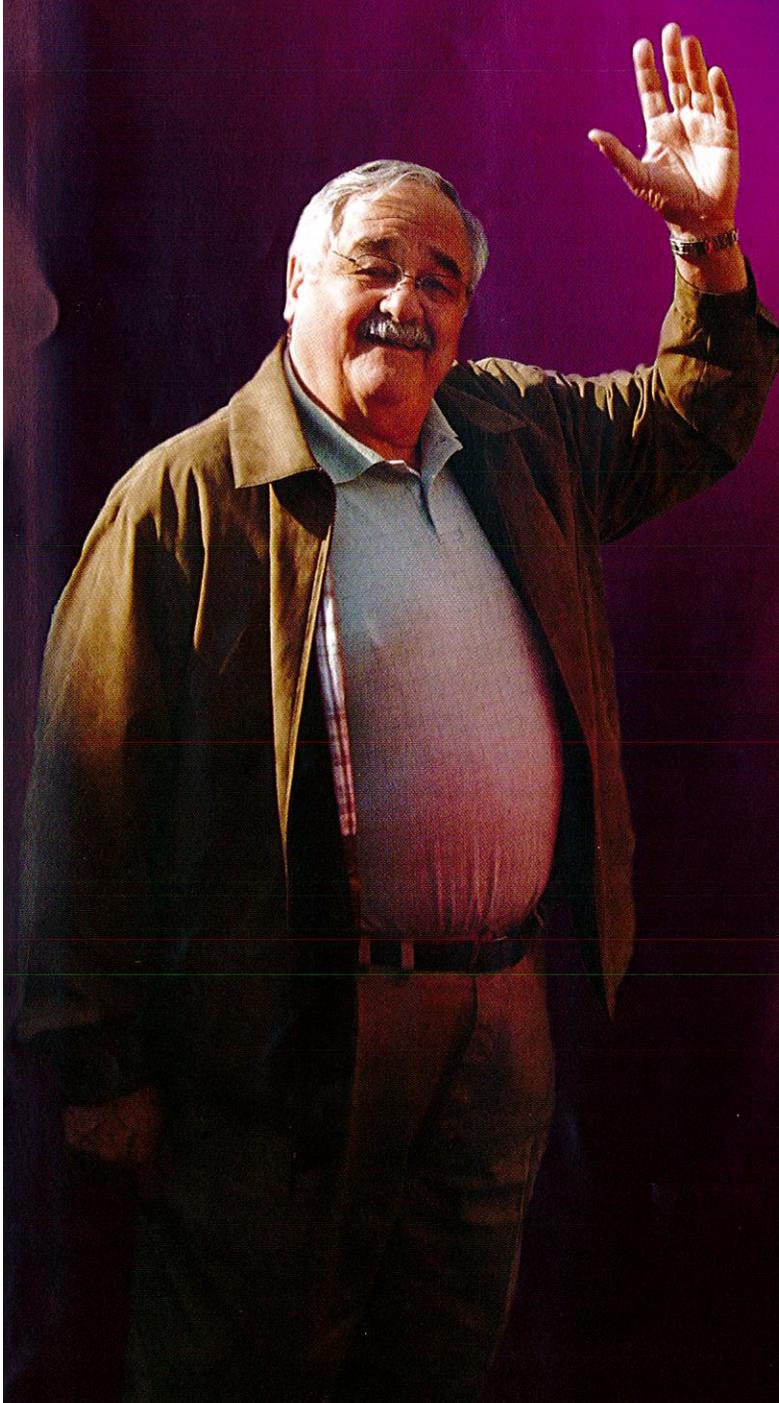


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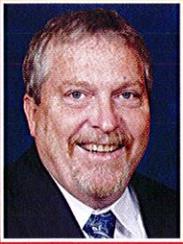
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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Mayor Kerry Durkin

*"Fall has always been my favorite season. The time when everything bursts with its last beauty, as if nature had been saving up all year for the grand finale."
Lauren DeStefano*

Glenwood lost a dear friend Gabe Loukaki, the owner of Gabe's Place on Main Street. Our condolences go out to his family, wife Sula and daughter Maria. Gabe was a dear friend, confidant and mentor that will be missed, but never forgotten by his friends. His entrepreneurial spirit drove the development of the corner of Main and Young Streets giving us the premier breakfast lunch restaurant in the region. Gabe's compassion was evident in his generous nature of giving back to the community and the Village accepted him as one of our own. We are grateful to all that came out and expressed their condolences to the family; it was an overwhelming experience to see the number of lives Gabe touched during his time with us.

Our restaurants are the envy of many in the Southland and the recent closing of Sanfratello's Pizza was a shock to the Village. We continue to work with the founder of the business, Joe Sanfratello, to re-establish the restaurant on Main Street and hopefully they will have a grand re-opening soon. The Village is finishing a redevelopment agreement with Glenwood Oaks that included parking lot resurfacing, lighting and landscaping improvements. Wendy's on Halsted Street will be remodeling their restaurant soon also benefitting from a redevelopment agreement to upgrade the store to the new corporate model.

The success of these and the other restaurants in the Village will continue to keep our Village as the destination breakfast, lunch, dinner and banquet location of the Southland. Ownership of the Town Center Plaza recently met with Village Officials to work out the details for two more potential destination restaurants. Hopefully the parties can come to agreement and increase the options available for dining in the Village.

Landauer Corporation, a manufacturer of dosimetry in the Village is completing the rehab of their location in the Industrial Park. The Village continues looking forward to helping Landauer expand their presence in the military application of their new products.

Westside Transport continues to grow and will soon be expanding as we develop the 14 acres of Village owned land north of their current site, funded in large part by a grant from the US Department of Commerce. The two million dollar grant was awarded to the Village to develop the land formerly owned by Nicor on Chicago Heights-Glenwood Road. The Village is grateful to all three of our representatives in Washington that continue to work diligently on this project with us, Representative Robin

Kelly, and Senator Durbin and Senator Kirk. The Village Administrator, Donna M. Gayden, and I have continued to meet with them and their staffs to develop the entire footprint of the former Nicor site.

We are anticipating Baker Pump's occupancy of the site, the corner of 195th Street and Chicago Heights-Glenwood Road that they recently acquired from the Village. We owe a great deal of thanks to Kevin Welsh for his work on that project and all of the others he is actively working on at this time. Kevin in addition to his duties as Fire Chief and Building Supervisor has been working on numerous economic development projects for the last few years. Glenwoodie Golf Club continues to grow, and recently the Board of Trustees created a discount card for resident owner occupied taxpayers both residential and business to receive a 50% discount on golf. Contact the Village Hall to get your discount card!

Glenwood Seniors are also benefitting from a recent Board action, discounted taxi service! Our seniors are a valued asset to our community and the Board of Trustees have funded a taxi voucher program to help them regain the mobility they require and that we often take for granted. Contact the Senior Center for details.

The Police Department is finalizing the acquisition of a license plate reader to enable the collection of overdue fines owed to the Village. The ordinance allows the boot/tow of vehicles with outstanding ticket debt to the Village. Contact the Police Department for details.

The Public Works and the Building Departments are finalizing the removal of infected ash trees throughout the Village. This process is painfully expensive but the trees need to be removed due to the danger they present. If you have an ash tree on your property you have most likely received a warning ticket to have it removed. Those that cannot afford the removal are encouraged to contact the Village Administrator to work out a plan for the removal of the tree.

Sprinkler backflow devices are a hot item for those that have lawn irrigation systems. We have been audited by the EPA and are required to implement a process to have backflow devices installed and monitored for all properties with sprinklers. I will be presenting to the Board a program that will finance a portion of the maintenance of the device since the water billed through the system is charged for sewer service but does not use it. The ordinance should be ready by October.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Kevin Welsh, Fire Chief

The Inspectional Services Department of the Fire Department is tasked with assuring that the properties in the Village are maintained in a code compliant manner. We accomplish this in a variety of ways. We perform Property Maintenance Reviews on each property on a regular basis to remind our residents of their responsibility to maintain their property. We maintain databases to assure that everyone is complaint with the Landlord/Tenant Regulations of the Village, and regularly inspect all commercial properties for compliance with fire, building and health codes if applicable.

The topic of this particular article is the "For Sale Inspection Program". This program mandates that EVERY property that changes hands in ownership must be inspected for current day code compliance. This means that some of the systems within your home or business may not be compliant with the updated codes that have been enacted by the Village Board since your building has been built. The Inspectional Services Department would be happy to perform a survey of your property to advise you of the areas that may need attention prior to your decision to sell. Some of the more common areas that get listed are the exterior conditions of the property with dead trees, overgrown vegetation, peeling paint, gutter issues and broken windows or missing screens. Interior common violations would include damaged walls or ceilings, inoperable smoke and carbon monoxide detectors, plumbing and electrical issues and the possibility of mold and/or floor surfaces that pose a risk to persons.

Two major areas of concern for the Village deal with the safety of our water system and the integrity of our sewerage system. Both of these systems are regulated by state or federal authorities and failure to comply can put the Village at risk of non-conformance litigation or fines.

The first of these areas is the cross connection of drain pipes in your building. This simply means that the pipes designed to carry storm water are cross connected to the

pipes designed to take ONLY sanitary waste water. This cross connection not only creates great possibility for contamination and disease, it creates a severe overload problem for the sanitary sewer system that will only lead to making the sewer water backup problem in town much worse. While you may have never experienced actual sewer water backup, I can tell you that it is devastating. You may not be the recipient of the flooding, but your super charge of the system may actually lead to backups for your neighbors or neighborhood. The only opportunity to get this condition corrected is through the For Sale Inspection Process. While this may sound like a tremendously expensive proposition, it can be done quite cost effectively. We would be happy to work with you to find cost effective solutions, please call us.

The second concern deals with water as well, but it is on the fresh side of the system. There are a certain number of buildings in the Village that were either built with well water pumps in them or that have had these well pumps added to the building over time. The Environmental Protection Agency strictly regulates the mixing of untreated well water with the treated domestic water system, again a cross connection or cross contamination can impact hundreds of users. There are a couple of different styles of these well systems in town. When the inspection is performed, if a well point or a well pump is noted, further investigation will be needed to determine if there is any cross connection to the municipal water system. Wells for non-potable use are not restricted at this time and as such can be maintained, however ANY possibility of cross connection must be remedied and certified by a licensed plumber.

With these particular concerns being in the forefront of compliance issues at the present time, I offer that we continue to enforce all codes on all properties and encourage anyone with a concern to call my office for assistance at 708.753.2440.



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Antique Fire Pumper Restoration

The Fire Department has been the recipient of the original Fire Pumper of the Village of Glenwood, a 1936 Ford Pumper. This truck was donated to the Glenwood Firefighters Association by the family of former Fire Chief Layle Irwin who passed away this spring. Chief Irwin purchased this truck many years ago so that it would not end up in a scrap yard. The truck needs major rehabilitation and your Firefighters are in the process of doing the necessary work with help of some very generous professionals in the repair business.

The Glenwood Firefighters Association will be conducting a Boot Drive Fundraiser to raise money to help offset the cost of this rehab. Once complete, the pumper will be stored on Village property and used for all special events of the Village to showcase our heritage. If you would like to see this amazing antique as we make the repairs or if you would like to assist us, please stop by Fire Station #1 at 605 Glenwood-Lansing Road.



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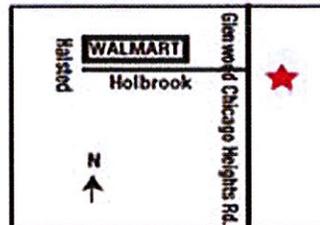
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The Department of Inspectional Services has said goodbye to their long time Administrative Secretary Connie Starkey. After 18 years of caring for our residents, Connie will now enjoy her "Retirement Years" relaxing and enjoying some of the finer things in life that she had put aside to devote herself to the citizens of Glenwood.

Connie joined the Village in 1996 as Secretary to the Building Department. She has seen many upgrades and changes over her years here. She started in ("the little cottage") at the "OLD" Village Hall with hardly enough space to "change your mind" let alone serve the needs of the growing community. Connie saw us through the transition to the new Village Hall, she sustained us through the transition to the Fire Department as we transitioned the operations of the Department to the computer age.

Connie's compassion and dedication to her job will be sorely missed, not only by her co-workers but by the countless residents, contractors and developers that she assisted through the years. She was NEVER too busy, not to give the "person at the counter" or "on the phone" her complete attention and work tirelessly to assist them in whatever manner needed. Over the years if you had any need to work with a building issue, you were certain to have met Connie and I am sure that you left the encounter pleased with the manner in which you were treated, even if you did not like the rules you had to follow.

Thank you Connie for your years of service to the Village of Glenwood.



*Glenwood Remembers
Employee,*

Samantha Reed

On June 29, 2014, the Village of Glenwood lost one of its most meticulous and well-loved employees, Samantha Reed. Samantha, who was 26 years young, started her employment with the Village in 2010 through a government-sponsored summer program, and worked in the Village's administrative offices as the Glenwood Gazette Technical Assistant. In 2011 she was promoted to a full time position as Administrative Assistant to the Police Chief.

Among Samantha's most endearing qualities were her consistent smile, her faithfulness to her job, which was evident during periods of struggle with illness, and her amicability with her co-workers and the community as a whole.

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BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT



OWNERS OF
GLENWOOD PAINT
AND WALLPAPER



*Richard and
Holly Nielsen*

Here are the ones who help to paint the world of Glenwood and surrounding communities, Richard and Holly Nielsen, the owners of Glenwood Paint and Wallpaper since 1976! The store, which sits at 113-B East Main Street, is one of Glenwood's most frequented businesses.

Happy about their long time venture here as paint storeowners, Richard admits that Holly is the business guru and does all the ordering of supplies, bookkeeping, and customer sales. Richard says he handles all the technical intricacies of painting and wallpapering successfully-the challenging aspects of completing a decorating project. They both admit that the customers, contractors, and retail traders have kept them contentedly here all of these years, and customers return continually for their quality products.

Richard met Holly in 1969 when he returned from serving in Vietnam and they were married in 1972. Four years later they became paint store entrepreneurs even though, Richard jokes, "Holly didn't want any part of it in the beginning- in fact she got dragged into the idea."

"I soon learned it was like building blocks," Holly said, "We had to build customer relations like with any business. It has been rewarding because we have met so many interesting people." With smiling eyes, Holly admits, "Richard actually taught me everything I know about paint."

Richard, who is a Glenwood Village Trustee, a Veteran, a member of AMVETS and works with the Boy Scouts, has been a resident of Glenwood since 1953. When he moved here, he says, there were about 500 people in Glenwood and everyone knew everyone. He says he learned so much about the rich history of Glenwood including the connection with Abraham Lincoln's son, Todd Lincoln, who founded the Glenwood School of Boys, now the Glenwood Academy.

"You know what," he said enthusiastically, "that property in front of the school was a large hog farm and in fact, the school owned the farm and when boys went to that school, they learned farming!"

Richard recalled the days when the original location of the Glenwood Paint Store was the main post office. "There was no mail delivery at that time and everyone picked up their mail. By the time we became a paint store, the postal service had changed and mail got delivered to your door."

Holly and Richard have two children and two grandchildren. They fondly remember when the children played among the paint cans with their little cousin, Kirstin. Now Richard, Jr. is a painting contractor and daughter, Shelly, is a cardiac echo technician.

The Gazette is happy to present the owners of Glenwood Paint and Wallpaper, Richard and Holly, in our Business Spotlight.

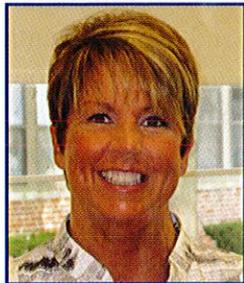
GLENWOOD FOREST HOMEOWNERS AND RESIDENTS GROUP

The Glenwood Forest Homeowners and Residents Group meeting began August 27, 2014 with a lively discussion introduced by two of the facilitators, Al Malukas and Jesse Flowers. The newly formed Group of Glenwood Forest homeowners and residents is planning to operate in its future meetings with cooperative committees and has as its vision an informed group led by brilliant and enthusiastic young and older citizens.

At the August meeting, members discussed recent plans of the Economic Development Committee for the entire Village, and concerns particular to the Forest Subdivision. As in the other Homeowners Association meetings of Glenwood, the issue of vacant properties arose as residents voiced concerns over squatters and property upkeep. Before Sgt. Perry and Village Trustee, Carmen Hopkins, arrived, members expressed the desire for a police officer and Village Official at every meeting to address concerns of the members. Sgt. Perry reviewed some Village ordinances, and encouraged residents to report all suspicious activity and ordinance violators to the Department. Trustee Hopkins addressed the unfinished Hickory Glen Park issue and covered some ongoing programs for the area's youth.

Facilitator, Sharon Negri, gave the website where Forest residents may access Forest news, and she welcomed interested members to serve on the Communications Committee.

The Glenwood Forest Homeowners and Residents Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm at the Forest Park Field House. All Glenwood Forest Subdivision residents are invited.



Mary Hollie

*Glenwood Academy
Welcomes New President
and Launches
New School Year*

After a successful summer enrichment program filled with camping adventure, computer activity, and field trips, Glenwood Academy is welcoming new President, Mary Hollie, to its campus. Mary Hollie holds a Masters of Social Work from the University of Illinois and comes to Glenwood with a wealth of knowledge and experience with young people. She is the secretary of the Board of Directors for the Alliance for Children and Families and is a member of the Child Welfare Advisory Committee of Illinois.

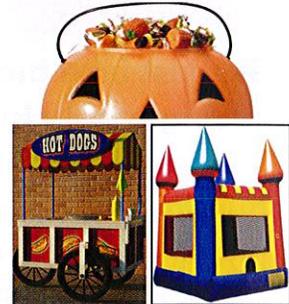
Bringing in the new President who believes a strong system benefits children and their families, Glenwood Academy's Board of Trustees and Community Board of Directors are ready to launch the Academy's new school year and are expressing their excitement and anticipation in what lies ahead! The Academy is planning its Olympic Day, a daylong event that promotes physical fitness as students participate in 15 challenging events. The Academy also looks forward to this year's 66th Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon. The Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon that takes place in downtown Chicago is a greatly attended celebratory event that features an annual fundraising raffle and highlights the talents of the students. Heartwarming and memorable, the program allows those of the Academy to celebrate and give thanks among hundreds of friends and contributing guests. The program also gives the Village of Glenwood the opportunity to participate and recognize the Glenwood Academy, founded by Abraham Lincoln's son, Todd Lincoln, as a pillar of excellence in our community.

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LEAF PROGRAM

The Village will offer free leaf pick up again this year. Call 708-753-2400 for pick up dates. The leaves need to be in the brown paper landscape bags but **DO NOT** put stickers on them and they will be picked up on your garbage day. Please remember this is for **LEAVES** only and any other landscape waste **WILL REQUIRE A STICKER**. It is also very helpful to keep the curb line in front of your home clear of leaves as this helps keep the storm drains clear during any rain events. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

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The weather was perfect for our Annual Senior Picnic held on August 7th at Veterans Memorial Park. I hope that many of you attended and had an enjoyable time!

After our Annual Picnic, Bloom Township Senior Department starts to plan for fall and winter month programming. Coming up in September we have our regular scheduled Yoga, Line Dancing and Stronger Seniors Exercise Programs. Look for the Senior Community Lunch Program Schedule to be released soon, held at Glenwoodie Golf Course! In October we are offering a host of programs. Cook County Commissioner Joan Patricia Murphy will host the Low Cost Rabies Vaccine and Microchip Clinic for dogs and cats. If your driver's license renewal is coming up, why not take the Secretary of State Jesse White's Drivers Review Course? Need something more than a review, take the AARP Smart Drivers Course and get a discount on your vehicle insurance. Don't forget, to take care of your health by getting an annual flu shot; make an appointment!

Most importantly, in October begins the Medicare Part D Open Enrollment Period through December 7, 2014. This is the time to see how your current Part D plan stacks up against itself and other insurance plans on the market for coverage effective January, 2015. Come in after October 15, 2014 for a complete screening for Part D and other Medicare Savings Programs and Extra Help Part D assistance.

For more information on all of Bloom Township Senior Services, including our Senior Wheels Transportation Program, please contact our offices at 708-754-9400 ext. 244 or stop by in person at 425 South Halsted Street, Chicago Heights, IL or visit us on the web at www.bloomtownship.org. Don't forget to like us on Facebook. Search us at social@bloomtownship.org.

Sheryl Ford, Senior Director

The Village is looking for
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If you are interested, contact
JoAnne Alexander at 708.753.2438

St Andrew's Lutheran Church Celebrates 50th Anniversary



On Saturday, November 29, 2014 St Andrew's Lutheran Church, located at 845 Strieff Lane, Glenwood, IL 60425, in holding a Gala Celebration to commemorate its 50th anniversary followed on Sunday, November 30, 2014 with a Festival Worship Service at 9am. All former members and friends of St. Andrew's are invited to join in the celebration. For more information please call the church office at 708-755-8895.



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The Glenwood Hawks Youth Basketball is ready to begin another fun and exciting basketball season. The Glenwood Hawks Youth Basketball program is designed to instruct boys and girls in 3rd through 8th grades, in the fundamental skills and rules of basketball. The children will participate in an 8 to 10 game schedule, with practice scheduled to begin in November. Registration for the 2014-2015 Glenwood Hawks basketball season is scheduled as follows:

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November 14, 2014 Veterans Day Luncheon – *Glenwoodie Golf Club*
November 18, 2014 Agent Orange Informational Seminar

*Please join us for these three fantastic opportunities for veterans and resident seniors of Glenwood.
See details below along with other scheduled events.*

Senior Writing Program

October 3 & 10, 2014 1pm to 2:30pm - Blakey Center

*Engage yourself in writing your memoirs, poetry and short stories and begin the process of publishing your works! **Registration is required.***

Government Day

October, 22, 2014 10am-2pm - Blakey Center

Gives you the opportunity to talk to and learn from representatives from different governmental agencies such as Social Security, I-Cash, Secretary of State, Cook County Recorder of Deeds, Cook County Sheriff's Office and more.

Veterans Day Luncheon

November 14, 2014 - Glenwoodie Golf Club

Doors open at 11am - Lunch is served at 12pm

Reservations for this free event are required and can be made at the Blakey Senior Center starting October 1, 2014.

Agent Orange Informational Seminar

November 18, 2014 1pm-3pm - Blakey Center

Professionals will be available to help you understand who is eligible for benefits. If eligible, they will assist with the application process. Please pass the word to all of our veterans, young and old.

Taxi Voucher Program is Up and Running

Remember, on the first Thursday of the month we hold a **Birthdays Potluck Luncheon** as well as a **Senior Luncheon** on the third Friday of the month.

Event calendars can be found in the Village Hall, in the Blakey Center, and at the monthly Homeowners Association meetings.
For more information or to register for an event, call the Senior Center at 708-753-2438.

JoAnne Alexander, Senior Director

GLENWOOD ESTATES HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

The Glenwood Estates Homeowners Association came together at 7pm, Wednesday, August 13, 2014, to review and discuss important policies, programs, and concerns particular to their residential Subdivision and to the Village. Association President, Mike Turner, brought Police Sgt. Owens to the floor to report on local activity in the area. Sgt. Owens also reminded members to lock residential entrances and car doors at all times.

Mrs. Nellie Briggs, Coordinator of the Estates Cookout, informed members of plans to grill hot dogs and hamburgers and to provide a host of activities for the Estates' young people. Association members concurred that the project was an excellent opportunity to "expose the Estates" and to show that this Subdivision of Glenwood was "alive and breathing". They also expressed a hope that this would draw more homeowners to the Association in an effort to promote community relationships.

Secretary, John Graham, reported on the special efforts they were making to disseminate signs to interest more homeowners to attend the special activities, and enthusiastic members volunteered their services and food for the picnic. Members then expressed their concerns about the local park's conditions and pointed out that there is broken and outdated park equipment. President Turner said he would invite Village Officials to the next meeting to allow members to express their concerns and he promised he would place these concerns at the top of the agenda.

The Glenwood Estates Homeowners Association meets every second Wednesday of the month at Arquilla Park Field House at 7pm. The Association welcomes new members.

BROOKWOOD POINT HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

Members of the Brookwood Point Homeowners Association met on August 6, 2014 in their regular monthly meeting as the Association President, Adam Winston, greeted all and began the lively discussion of Village news.

Several questions from the floor revealed residents' concerns over the vacant Speedway Gas Station on Glenwood-Dyer Road and other vacant properties in the area. President Winston explained that a local developer was buying many vacant properties in the area and some residential properties had the identifiable "black door" of that developer.

A lengthy discussion ensued regarding the Village's image as a whole. Association members learned that many factors contributed to the Village's "low-income" image, and several members expressed dismay at learning one of the main factors was the federally funded School Lunch Program. Members accepted the challenge to discover new ways in changing the Village's image and attracting new businesses and homeowners to the area. "We have to do a better job in marketing ourselves," one member expressed.

The Brookwood Point Association welcomes new members and meets every first Wednesday of the month at the Hickory Glen Field House at 7pm.

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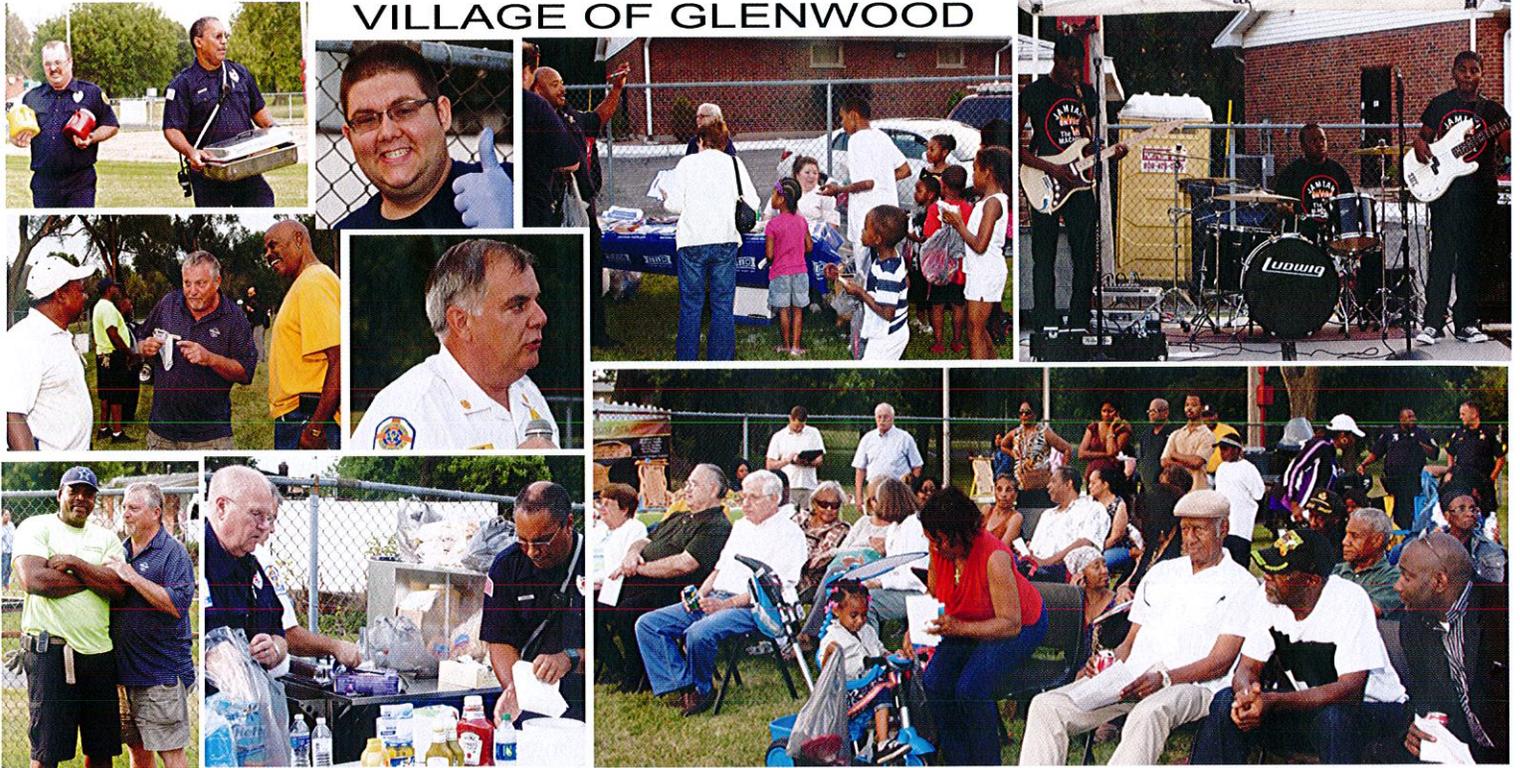
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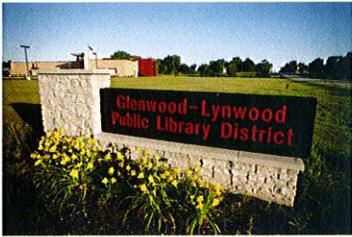


GLENWOOD HOLDS NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

On Tuesday, August 5, 2014, residents and Village Officials of Glenwood came out to celebrate National Night Out, an annual event held in communities across the nation. The Event which promotes police-community relationships and neighborhood camaraderie, took place this year in Arquilla Park, and featured as entertainment the youth band, Jamiah on Fire and the Red Machine. Residents of Glenwood also had a chance to interact in the regular Village Board meeting, which all took place under a friendly evening sky.

After the Village Board meeting, attendees of National Night Out enjoyed hot dogs, chips and ice cream graciously served to all by officers of the Village Police and Fire Departments. As the youthful and talented Band sang and played, residents strolled around the park, greeting each other and swaying to the vibrant music





GLENWOOD-LYNWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY



*The Library has a little something
for Everyone this Fall!*

Halloween Bash

We have brought back your favorite fall programs, and created some brand new ones that we know you'll love.

Mark your calendars because our vastly popular Halloween Bash will be Friday, October 24th at 5pm!

If you've never attended it, the Halloween Bash is two hours of jam-packed spooky fun for the entire family.

There are costume contests, a green-screen photo area, face painting, and even a haunted ride on the Howlin' Express!

Here are just a few more of our new and returning programs happening this season.

Tai Chi and Qigong

Saturday: September 27th

9:00-10:30am

Tai Chi and Qigong focuses on physical, spiritual, and mental meditation through movements that will increase your flexibility, circulation, and awareness.

Spend your morning reducing stress in this fun and free recreational class. Ages 16+.

Morning Storytime

Tuesdays and Thursdays: September 16th - November 13th

11:00-11:45am

Evening Storytime

Every 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month

7:00-7:30 pm

We offer both morning and evening storytimes in our KidSpace area for children ages 8 and under.

The program includes fun and interactive games and crafts.

New Programs!

Gospel Choir Bootcamp

Saturdays: October 4th - November 8th

2:00-4:00pm

For the songbirds looking to take their talent to the next level, we are hosting a new Gospel Choir bootcamp.

We've brought in seasoned instructor/director Pored S. Bordes to lead the choir.

Every Saturday, the choir will learn a variety of techniques including proper breathing, diction exercises, basic sight reading fundamentals, choir discipline, and more.

The deadline to register is September 26th.

A cash deposit of \$25 is required at the time of registration.

The Village of Glenwood Park Programs
at Glenwoodie Golf Club present ...

The 5th Annual Holiday Marketplace

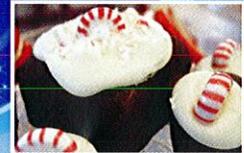
Saturday, November 15, 2014 - 11am - 5pm
Sunday, November 16, 2014 - 12pm - 5pm

Glenwoodie Golf Club
19301 South State Street
Glenwood, IL 60425
Phone: 708.753.2438

HOMEMADE CRAFTS
GREAT GIFTS
RAFFLE PRIZES
HOLIDAY SHOPPING
CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES
HOLIDAY SNACKS SOLD

If you would like to be a vendor
at the Holiday Marketplace Event,
space is still available. For information, contact
JoAnne Alexander at 708.753.2438

Free Admission - Open to the Public - Ample Parking



The Village has a drop box
to use for paying your
water bill after normal
business hours.
The drop box is located on
Rebecca Street on the
west side of Village Hall.
DO NOT place cash
in the drop box.

Village Hall Holiday Closing

Tuesday, November 11, 2014
VETERANS DAY

Thursday, November 27, 2014
THANKSGIVING DAY

Friday, November 28, 2014
DAY AFTER THANKSGIVING DAY





The Village of Glenwood

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Village Contacts

Police Emergency: 9-1-1

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Village Board, Commission & Committee Meetings

Residents are encouraged to attend all meetings.

Board of Trustees Meetings:

1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at
7:30 p.m. at the Village Hall

Committee of the Whole Meetings:

1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at
6:00 p.m. at the Village Hall

Special Board of Trustees Meetings:

As called and posted in the Village Hall

Plan Commission:

3rd Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the
Village Hall **Economic Development Committee:**
4th Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the
Village Hall

Village Department Contacts:

Village Hall: (708)753-2400

Building Department: (708)753-2416

Economic Development Office: (708)753-2400

Fire Department (Non-Emergency): (708)753-2440

Mayor's Office: (708)757-2309

Village Administrator: (708)757-2311

Police Department (Non-Emergency): (708)753-2420

Public Works Department: (708)753-2417

Sewer/Water Department: (708)753-2417

Parks & Recreation Program: (708)753-2400

Glenwoodie Golf Course: (708)758-1212

Senior Center: (708)753-2438

General Contacts:

Bloom Township & Assessor's Office: (708)754-9400

Thornton Township: (708)596-6040

Glenwood Post Office: (708)758-5170

Glenwood Lynwood Public Library: (708)758-0090

School District #167: (708)758-5190

Bloom High School: (708)755-7010

Bloom Trail High School: (708)758-7000

Governors State University: (708)534-5000

Homewood Flossmoor High School: (708)799-3000

Prairie State College: (708)709-3500

*The Village is looking for volunteers
to serve on the
Beautification Committee*

Please send a Letter of Interest to

Village of Glenwood

One Asselborn Way

Glenwood, IL 60425

Attention: Parks Department

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1642 South Halsted Avenue - Chicago Heights, IL - 708.756.0521

20644 Torrence Avenue - Lynwood, IL - 708.753.0098

AGES: 6 WKS - 5 YEARS OLD

FREE! FREE! Pre K. Program 9:00am - 11:30am & 1:00pm - 3:30pm