

## A Quarterly Newsletter for Village Residents

Summer 2022





4<sup>th</sup> of July Schedule Enclosed

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## Village Directory

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## President's Message

Stephan K. Pickett Village President

I sit writing the summer article for the Legend remembering that a week ago we were wiping snow off our vehicles and next week's forecast is for 86 degrees. Makes you wonder why we live here with such goofy weather patterns. But then there is the recall of the "quality of life". And the weather is but a small part of the quality of our little piece of the world. The major portion of that overall phrase of quality is made up by our community, the Village of Sleepy Hollow.

While the governmental side contributes much towards our quality portion by providing the various services such as Police, plowing and resurfacing of the streets, maintaining the parks, repairing water main leaks, replacing sewer grinders or pumps, it is a lot for a small village like Sleepy Hollow. That leaves much work for us, the residents.

Small activities like driving the speed limit in the neighborhood, walk/jog facing the oncoming traffic are a couple items that we all can and should do that contributes to the quality of our village. Installing lights outside, be considerate and don't allow the light to shine in a neighbor's window or if street side, that it does not distract drivers. If you like to put out posters, just remember to keep them on private property and not in the Village right of way.

Other activities are a bit more involved. Such as the swales and culverts that make up the Village drainage system. The maintenance

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## Connect with the Village

Phone: (847) 426-6700Fax: (847) 426-4082Hours: Monday-Friday 7:00am to 3:30pmEmail: sleepyhollow@sleepyhollowil.orgWebsite: www.sleepyhollowil.org

**Meetings:** Regular meetings of the Village Board are held on the first and third Mondays of each month at 7:30 pm. Residents are welcome to attend. If you wish to speak at a board meeting, you must sign in prior to the start of that meeting. The Planning and Zoning commission meets on an as needed basis. Anyone interested in volunteering for this commission should contact President Pickett. All meetings are now livestreamed from Village Hall.

## PRINT NEWSLETTER INTEREST FORM

A survey was included in last summer's edition of The Legend. A question on the survey asked if you would be willing to pay the printing and postage cost to have a physical copy of The Legend mailed to your home. Due to enough resident interest, we have begun to investigate this possibility further. In order to determine the actual cost, we need to find out exactly who would be interested in this option. Please fill out the form below and drop off at Village Hall. You can also email your preference to the <a href="mailto:shlegend@gmail.com">shlegend@gmail.com</a> or call the Village Clerk.

Yes, for a nominal fee would like physical copies of all editions mailed to my home

Interested, but not completely sure yet

Currently, the summer edition is mailed to all homes compliments of the Service Club. Check the box below if you would prefer to **not** have the summer newsletter mailed to you.

I would like to be removed from the newsletter mailing list, and am okay receiving all editions (including summer) electronically

Name

House #

Street Name

## Village Hall will be closed on Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup> in honor of Independence Day.

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of these is the responsibility of the homeowner and without proper upkeep will impact the flow of rainwater throughout the neighboring area affecting property up stream.

The residential drainage is flowing towards either Jelke Creek or Sleepy Creek. Residents living adjacent to these water ways bear extra responsibilities as they live in the flood plain/flood way area. Activities in the flood plain/way are controlled by the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers. Building berms, piling of yard waste and putting in structures that fill in areas that are supposed to take excess rainwaters does not help up stream.

The quality of life in Sleepy Hollow is not the result of just one thing, it is sum of many. And each and every one of us that call Sleepy Hollow home share that responsibility.

Enjoy your summer and remember the 4<sup>th</sup> of July in the Hollow will be a 2-day event this year. Fireworks will be on Saturday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> with the parade and picnicking on Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup>.

> Peace, SKP

## VILLAGE COST SAVINGS

Last fall when Public Works began the process of replacing the aging diesel fuel storage tank, Chief Parma inquired into the possibility of having a gasoline storage tank installed also. After checking the various building code requirements and conversations with the State Fire Marshall's office, it was determined that the Village could have a gas storage tank in a safe, yet convenient place.

With the safety questions answered Chief Parma was able to arrange a deal where the old diesel tank would be removed and disposed of at no cost to the Village along with the placement of one new diesel tank and one new gasoline tank. The Village will now benefit in two ways. First, the cost of fuel, both diesel and gas, will now be at a bulk rate rather than current pump price. And secondly, the Police Officers will no longer have to leave the Village in search of gasoline saving the Village not only on the cost of fuel but also a savings of time by allowing the Officers to stay within the boundaries of the Village.





## From the Police Department

Samuel J. Parma Jr., Chief of Police Sleepy Hollow Police Dept. (847) 426-4425

#### SOME SUMMER COMMENTARY



Warmer weather is finally in our area which means more opportunities to get out and experience the quiet streets and parks of Sleepy Hollow. With that being the case, we need to raise our awareness while driving through town. This means obeying the speed limits, stopping at stop signs, staying off cell phones and moving over to give pedestrians and cyclists plenty of room. Speeding increases stopping distances and reduces reaction times; two things in combination that can lead to tragic and life altering consequences. Remember, the minimal time you think you are saving by speeding goes away quickly when one of Sleepy Hollow's finest stops you to have a chat about your driving habits. Let's avoid those chats.



Fireworks

Since we are on the topic of unpleasant chats, let's talk about fireworks. The 4<sup>th</sup> of July is guickly approaching, and I would like to remind all residents about the rules governing fireworks. Private, unlicensed, or nonpermitted fireworks are illegal under both Illinois State Law and Village of Sleepy Hollow municipal code. Someone charged with illegal possession or use of fireworks could face up to a year in jail and a \$2500 fine under state law and a fine of up to \$750 if charged with a village ordinance violation. Either way, not a good outcome. Worse than the criminal ramifications of illegal fireworks are the injuries suffered by hundreds of citizens every year. Please do not put yourself or others at risk. Instead, plan to join us for the wonderful fireworks display sponsored by the Service Club planned for July 2, 2022, at Sabatino Park. It's a much bigger, better, and far less expensive way to go!

#### A Brief Comment About Your Officers

One of our priorities as an organization is to give back to our community as many times as we are able. We support programing at Sleepy Hollow Elementary School and regularly participate local community special events. Sleepy Hollow Police Department personnel also take part in fundraising initiatives throughout the year to support Special Olympics Illinois. We are honored to do what we can to help raise funds for these inspiring athletes, both children and adults, with intellectual disabilities. Our small department raises thousands of dollars each year to provide financial help for this wonderful cause. I am proud of our officers' efforts!

#### Help Us Help You!

Crime doesn't take a summer vacation. Vehicle burglaries, stolen vehicles, and car jackings are still happening all around us. Please remember to lock your cars and remove all valuables from view. Also, if you see suspicious behavior or activity, call 911 and let us get involved. If you see something, say something, and lock it or lose it are not just words. I hope everyone has an enjoyable and relaxing summer.



## SLEEPY HOLLOW POLICE DEPARTMENT HONORABLE MENTION

PRESENTED TO

## Police Officer Christopher Diori

On December 27, 2021 at approximately 7:56 PM, Officer Christopher Diori was dispatched to a well-being check in the 900 block of Locust Drive. The call involved a female experiencing mental health issues who was potentially suicidal. As the call continued, the female subject became more agitated and out of control. The female stated that she was going to kill herself and began opening the door to the second-floor balcony. Believing that she intended to jump off the balcony, Officer Diori moved toward the subject and grabbed her around the upper body to prevent her from harming herself.

Officer Diori's quick and decisive actions prevented the subject from harming herself and allowed for her to be transported to the hospital for treatment. In doing so, he upheld the highest levels of police work and cast a positive light on our profession and organization.

Congratulations on a iob well done!



<u>Stephan K. Pickett</u> Village President Samuel J Parma Jr. Chief of Police

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Brian P. Senior Technician



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#### **Exclusive Deals With This Ad For Sleepy Hollow Neighbors:**

- Seasonal Cleanings: \$59.95 (Reg \$99.95)
- Service Calls \$99 (Reg \$120)
- Priority Scheduling 24/7 with a Sleepy Hollow resident technician
- 20+ years of experience
- Servicing Furnaces, A/C, Water Heaters, Dryer Vents, Sump Pumps, Boilers, Electrical, and More

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From the Fire Department

Richard Thomas, Fire Chief Brian Rohrbacher, Public Education Coordinator Rutland Dundee Fire Protection District P.O. Box 203- 11 E Higgins Rd, Gilberts, IL 60136 (847) 426-2522



### WATER SAFETY

Not including boating incidents, about 10 people die from drowning every day in the United States, according to the Centers for Disease Control. While drowning is a risk for every age group, National Safety Council statistics point to drowning being the #1 cause of death for children ages 1-4. Deaths in this age group are mostly due to a child falling into a pool or being left alone in the bathtub.

More than 1 in 5 drowning victims are children 14 years old and younger, and most incidents happen when a child falls into a pool or is left alone in the bathtub. Keep your kids safe in the water:

- Consider enrolling children over the age of three in swimming lessons
- Don't rely on lifeguards to watch your children
- Never leave your child unattended



## REAL ESTATE VALUES

The following table shows pricing information of real estate sales in the Village of Sleepy Hollow from March 1, 2022-May 31, 2022\*. Sales table only includes properties listed publicly through Multiple Listing Service; private transactions are not factored into sales tabulations. All figures are rounded to the nearest dollar.

Subdivision Name	# of Sales	Average Sales Price	Median Sales Price
The Bluffs	0		
The Carriage Homes of SH	0		
Deer Creek	1	\$502,000	\$502,000
Saddle Club Estates	3	\$446,000	\$450,000
Sleepy Hollow Manor	6	\$363,726	\$353,000
Surrey Ridge	0		
Sleepy Hollow as a whole	10	\$402,235	\$422,000

\*Table reflects values from March 1<sup>st</sup> to mid-May printing. Please see our Fall edition for the completed data to May 31<sup>st</sup>.

## EARTH DAY CLEANUP EVENT



The 6th Annual Earth Day Cleanup of the trash along Sleepy Hollow's roads was held on Saturday, April 23. A special thanks goes out to Bill Hof for organizing the event and to those who participated this year: John Florance, Bill Hof, Bob Cernosek, Joanne Gresmer, Shirley Sanders, Linda Hof, Judith Diamond, Julitte Thurman, Ella Thurman, Jenny McGuire, Stone Thurman, Shane Thurman, Laura Rice, Steve Westlund, Marta Keas, Tyson, Bryan, and Summer Keas, Greg Ehmann, Robert Lindemann, Rich English, John Janikowski. Lynne Meng, Kyle Meng, and Kathy Eaton

## **CELEBRATING 10 YEARS IN FULL COLOR**

If you couldn't already tell by cover of this edition, 2022 marks ten years since The Legend became a color publication. What originated in the 1970s as a local newspaper took a hiatus and then returned as a black and white stapled office paper packet. In 2012, The Legend evolved once again to its current format. Through the years, The Legend has been entirely produced by volunteers and the timeline below outlines some key events that have occurred within The Legend in the last ten years.

- Summer 2012: Joy Wind produces her last edition of The Legend
- Fall 2012: Karen Kruger takes over editing duties and restyles The Legend to a 12-page color format
- Winter 2012: The first Winter edition is sent to residents. Previously, The Legend was only sent out 3 times per year (Spring, Summer, and Fall)
- Winter 2017: Karen Kruger announces she is passing off The Legend to someone else as she is moving
- Spring 2018: JP Lanz, Kathleen Eaton, and CM Parker assume editing duties and produce their first edition
- Summer 2019: JP departs from the editing team; The Legend continues to be produced by CM and Kathy
- Fall 2019: The Legend undergoes a facelift with a new font family; print production ceases making this the first edition to not be mailed to residents. A plan is put in place so residents will still receive the summer editions in the mail while Fall, Winter, and Spring will be online exclusives.

#### Summer 2020: Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, The Legend is not printed; first summer edition to not be mailed

Summer 2021: The Service Club assists with costs so this edition of The Legend can be mailed to residents; a newsletter improvement survey is released asking for residents' feedback on the newsletter

Spring 2022: The Village investigates the possibility of a subscription service so interested residents can receive Fall, Winter, and Spring editions of The Legend by mail

## New Company... ...SAME GREAT SERVICE!!!

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  - Invest in Real Estate
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From the Service Club

Sleepy Hollow Service Club P.O. Box 43 Sleepy Hollow, IL 60118 Shsc-il.org



### **WELCOME TO SUMMER 2022**

Welcome to the Summer of 2022 from the Service Club. We made some changes to the July 4th celebration schedule this year to accommodate supply chain and scheduling challenges

#### 2022 Schedule

- Fireworks July 2 (parking opens at 7pm)
- Independence Day July 4 (8am to 4pm)
- National Night Out August 2
- Halloween in the Hollow October 29
- Holiday in the Hollow December 3

Full schedule information meeting dates and events is available at <u>www.shsc-il.org</u>. All events are located in Sabatino Park.

#### July 2<sup>nd</sup> Fireworks

Fireworks will be on July 2 this year. Parking will open at 7:00pm and the suggested donation is \$20. We are moving the fireworks show to July 2 to take advantage of lower rates for fireworks displays, but it will be a challenge to raise the necessary funds to cover the 25% increase for the show.



#### July 4<sup>th</sup> Celebration

The July 4th celebration will be very similar to last year's event with **The Lenny's** as entertainment, the best **Parade** in town, a great **Car Show** and a couple of **Food** trucks to augment the fare offered by the Club. For the kids this year we will have some **Games**, **Pony Rides**, **Balloons Artist and Face Painting**.

#### **Fireworks Raffle**

With the return of the fireworks comes the return of the fireworks raffle. To reduce costs for the raffle we will not print individual raffle ticket books and mailing them to each house. You will receive a raffle mailing with a newsletter and order form. When payment is made, online or by check, we will fill out the appropriate number of entries. Enter early and you will be included in our early bird raffle for various gift cards from local businesses. Look for the mailing or visit our site to find the entry form. <u>www.shsc-il.org</u>

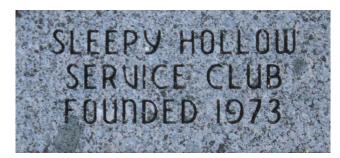


#### **Old Street Sign Auction**

The Club is offering the old metal street signs from the village for auction starting around the July 4th event so stay tuned to bid on your favorite street. <u>www.shsc-il.org</u>

#### **Flag Pole Memorial Bricks**

The Club will once again soon be offering engraved bricks for sale in preparation for next year's 50/65 event. The Sleepy Hollow Service Club turns 50 and the Village of Sleepy Hollow turns 65. The cost is yet to be determined.



#### Easter Egg Hunt Recap

The Easter Egg Hunt event was a great success and everyone sure enjoyed being back in the park on a cool, windy but sunny Saturday. Thanks to the members who planned the events and the volunteer hours by Troop 32 who helped in stuffing the some 3,000 eggs.





**Become a Member** 

The next two Club meetings will be June 7 and June 21 at 7:30 pm at D.C. Cobbs. All are welcome to come join or just check us out. As a reminder, any head of household residing in Sleepy Hollow is eligible to become a member. Non-residents are also welcome to join as associate members. For more information about joining the Club or just helping out, email info@shsc-il.org.

Visit the website at www.shsc-il.org to find out about past and future events, volunteering, joining, sponsoring or contacting the Club. See you in the Hollow.



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## From the Building Safety and Zoning Dept.

**Barbara J. Dettmer, Code Official** International Codes Consultants and Inspections, Inc. (630) 816-8455

This year's soaring gas prices may have many reconsidering the comforts and amenities—and entertainment—available in their very own homes. As an alternative to vacations or weekend getaways, some homeowners may decide to make improvements to their homes, such as remodeling a basement into a game/recreation or theater room, adding a sunroom, screened porch, or outdoor venue such as a deck, swimming pool, or perhaps a built-in cooking area.

If one of these projects is on your planning list, here is a list of the items you will need to bring with your completed permit application.



- ✓ Two complete set of plans. These plans should include the structural drawings, and any electrical, mechanical (heating/air conditioning), or plumbing changes to be done.
- $\checkmark$  A list of the contractors doing the work, if you, the homeowner, are not doing the work; and
- ✓ A copy of your plat of survey showing the exact location of any new exterior construction. This needs to be drawn to scale and be sure to show the distances from any lot line to the new project. (A plat is not needed for interior work.)

On another subject--septic and well issues are a concern to many residents. If you have any questions about your system or needed repairs/replacement, please contact the Kane County Health Department/Environmental, 1750 Grandstand Place, Elgin. The Department's 24-hour phone number is 630-208-3801. For information resources, the Department's website is: https://www.kanehealth.com/Pages/Water-Waste.aspx.

If you have any questions, please call Code Official, Barbara Dettmer, Village of Sleepy Hollow, Department of Building Safety and Zoning. Her cell phone number is 630-816-8455.



Jully 2nd

Fireworks Spectacular at Sabatino Park Parking Opens at 7 PM \$20 suggested donation



8:00 am 9:00 am - 11:00 am 10:00 am - 2:00 pm 11:00 am - 3:30 pm 11:00 am - 4:00 pm 11:30 am 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm



4:00 pm

July 4th

Fishing Derby BGSA Car Show Food & beverage sales Beer & Wine sales Parade begins Entertainment, featuring *The Lenny's* Games open Bags tournament Pie eating contest

Fun Run

Raffle drawing for grand prizes

Close of entertainment and concessions

### A LETTER TO THE EDITORS From Kelly Thomas

As a resident of the Village of Sleepy Hollow for the past 34 years, I would like to make my fellow residents aware of some items that need our attention. Sleepy Hollow has been a wonderful and safe place to raise our family, and we have enjoyed all that our unique Village has to offer. With that being said, there are some very near-term things that need to be addressed to maintain the unique character and safety of Sleepy Hollow:

#### Sabatino Park Playground

Sabatino Park Playground is over 20 years old. It is currently being inspected/maintained by the Dundee Park District, but the playground is owned by the Village of Sleepy Hollow. Any repairs are the responsibility of the Village of Sleepy Hollow. Based on its current condition, the playground will need to be replaced within the next 1 - 2 years. The cost for this could potentially be over \$200,000, and the Village does not have enough funds set aside to cover this large of an expense. With that being said, We, as a Village, need to come together and either (1) get volunteers to work on getting grants, or (2) if you have experience working on Grants, please let us know if you are willing to assist, or (3) put together a fundraiser specifically for the purpose of generating Playground Funds, or (4) Vote Yes to pass a dedicated referendum for an increase in our taxes to cover the cost of the playground replacement.



#### **Road Safety**

A small group of residents have been working together with the Village of Sleepy Hollow Board, and our Police Chief, to work on ideas to help curb the excessive speeding throughout the Village. This is an ongoing issue but, again, we need to work together to fix the issue. The maximum speed limit within the Village is 25 MPH, yet drivers routinely travel at speeds far in excess of that, and with little regard for the pedestrians, or wildlife, who are present on the same roads, and have the right of way. Incremental progress has been made to help minimize non-resident traffic, for example removing Village of Sleepy Hollow from GPS/road congestion apps like Google Maps and Waze, where their software had previously diverted traffic through our Village when larger, external roads were congested. Route 31 being congested at 72, so redirecting traffic at 31 and Willow onto Willow, was common practice by these companies' software in the past. Other examples are at Randall and Joy when Randall at 72 was backedup, or at Locust and 72 when 72 was backed up at 31. This has been stopped through our efforts. While this helps with the volume of traffic, and potentially from drivers who are non-resident, as a Village we still need all residents to participate in SLOWING DOWN!

You may have noticed the \$5.00 increase in Village Vehicle Stickers this year. The Village Board approved the increase to create funds dedicated to fund traffic safety programs (Purchasing/Installing Portable Speed Monitoring Devices, LED lights on stop signs and additional speed signs) throughout the Village to make drivers aware when speeding to please SLOW DOWN.

#### **Police Body Cameras**

The police department is in need of Car/Body Cams. They will need to be utilized by all Illinois Police officers by 2025. This is part of the SAFE-T Act, signed into Law in Feb 2021. Village of Sleepy Hollow Police officers are here for our safety, and we as residents should consider creating a separate fund-raising event to help offset the cost to the Village, or VOTE YES if this is put on a future referendum. We all benefit from this directly.

#### Lake Sharon Restoration

Lake Sharon has, for the majority of Sleepy Hollow's existence, been a community asset, a place where families could fish, watch wildlife, picnic and play. It has not aged well and has become both a health hazard, and also a safety concern. A group of residents have been working with Kane County, the Army Corps of Engineers, as well as environmental groups like the Friends of the Fox to help clean up Lake Sharon/preserve its deterioration, shores and dam, as well as restoring other streams/ponds throughout the village, and bring Lake Sharon back to a safe, and enjoyable part of our community. Unfortunately, this is a large and costly project (dredging, establishing plant buffers on shorelines and rebuilding shorelines) which will only last for a few years before having to do this again. YES, it takes \$\$\$ to get this done. If you have experience, either with obtaining grants, or having worked on projects like this before, please let the Village know so that we can all work together to try to find a more viable fix that will last for our community.



#### In Closing

Our Village Board has done a good job of managing the Village finances with the very minimal resources they have available, but without additional funds some of the projects will not get taken care of and we will all be the worse for that.

Also, the Village Board is going to begin mailing out The Legend again to those residents that prefer to have it mailed, versus reading it online. If you prefer a mailed version, please notify the Village Clerk with your address so that you can receive a copy. Also, you will also be able to pick up a copy of The Legend at the Village Hall when you pay your water bill/stop in for other Village business. In closing, we, as residents, need to increase our awareness of the issues in the Village and what we can individually, as well as collectively, do to help. If you can, also please volunteer your experience/time, either for the issues I've touched on here, or something else you'd be glad to give your time to. Please also attend the regular Village Board Meetings at the Village Hall, or via computer if you prefer, so you know what business is in front of the Board. Our Board of Trustees are making decisions that affect you, and your home ownership, at each of these meetings. This is your forum to express concerns as a resident, or share good things, too. Lend your voice so this community continues to be the safe, enjoyable, and enviable place we all want it to be. Thank you.

Disclaimer: Letters to the editors are a way for residents to convey their grievances to the Village as an alternative or in addition to speaking at Board Meetings. Views expressed in this column may or may not reflect the views of the Editors, the Board of Trustees, or Village Staff. All letters must be approved by the Village President before being published in The Legend. Letters may not use obscene or vulgar language and may be edited for clarity. Published letters will include the author's name.

### **CCR WATER QUALITY REPORT**

The annual Sleepy Hollow Water quality report is available to view at: https://bit.ly/3w9Vrqk or use the

QR code at right. This report contains important information about the source and quality of your drinking water. Please call (847) 426- 6700 if you would like a paper report mailed to your home.



## Summer

#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

7:30 pm Village Hall

7:30 pm DC Cobbs

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#### June

- 3 Village-Wide Garage Sale
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  6 Village Board Meeting
- 7 Service Club Meeting
- 14 Flag Day
- 19 Father's Day
- 20 Village Board Meeting
- 21 Service Club Meeting (July 4th Planning Meeting)

**1 Newsletter Contest Entries Due** 

#### July

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7:30 pm Village Hall
8:00 am to 12:00 pm s)
7:30 pm Village Hall
All Day Sabatino Park
3:00 pm SabatinoPark
Sunset Sabatino Park

1 Village Board Meeting7:30 pm Village Hall9 Service Club Meeting7:30 pm DC Cobbs10 Newsletter Deadline for Fall Issue15 Village Board Meeting7:30 pm Village Hall

Replacing an original cement walk in Saddle Club Estates? Editor will buy Pulte Master Builder plaque. Contact theshlegend@gmail.com

## ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

No. 543 A resolution establishing a policy for the care and management, including pruning, trimming or cutting of trees, shrubs, bushes, plants or other vegetation in the right of way of village roadways

No. 544 A resolution establishing the official name of Illinois Route 72 in The Village of Sleepy Hollow and establishing official addresses

2022-2 An ordinance amending the regulations governing sewer rates and charges in the Village

2022-3 An ordinance amending the regulations concerning tree care and management in the village

2022-4 An ordinance establishing temporary 60-day vehicle weight limits for all vehicles traveling on or using any streets or roads within the Village of Sleepy Hollow, Kane County, Illinois

2022-5 An ordinance amending the provisions of the village code regarding the Planning and Zoning Commission

2022-6 An ordinance authorizing the sale of surplus property to wit: 2014 Ford Explorer Utility VIN 1FM5K8AR7EGA38458

## ACCESSING VIRTUAL MEETINGS

Village Board meetings will continue to be livestreamed to YouTube. You are still welcome to physically attend the meeting at Village Hall, provided the room is not at capacity. Public comments may be given in-person at the meeting or by using the form on the Village website until 5:30pm on the day of the meeting. Hand written comments are also accepted, but must be received one day prior to the meeting. Archived meeting videos are viewable on the village's YouTube channel and minutes continue to be viewable on the village website.

## COUNTY RECYCLING EVENT

The annual Recycling Extravaganza will be held July 9<sup>th</sup>. This event offers residents the opportunity to recycle electronics, clothing & textiles, books, polystyrene foam, paint, aerosols, bicycles and more. Additional information will be released closer to the event and can be obtained by calling the county's recycling office at (630) 208-3841 or visiting their site at https://www.countyofkane.org/Recycling/Pages/recyclin gEvents.aspx

#### Summer 2021 Contest: Newsletter Trivia

Continuing along with this edition's theme "Celebrating 10 Years in Full Color", we thought it would only be appropriate for this contest to test your knowledge of fun facts about The Legend. You only need to answer one question in order to enter, but we encourage you to answer as many as you can. Bring this form to Village Hall or email your answer to <u>theshlegend@gmail.com</u> by August 1<sup>st</sup> to enter. Winner will be drawn at random from correct entries received and will be notified by phone. Prize can be picked up at Village Hall.

- 1. How many times has purple been used as the theme color for any edition of The Legend?
- 2. How many front covers have had flowers on them?
- 3. A feature column of early editions of The Legend was called "Odds 'N' \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. In what edition did Pickett's headshot in the President's Message column change to the current photo?
- 5. What was the first edition to not include the "From the Fire Department" column?
- 6. True or false, blue has been the most common theme color used thus far?
- 7. The first summer edition to not be mailed featured what on the cover? ---a field, flags, fireworks, or flowers
- 8. Since 2012 how many newsletters have had 14 pages?
- 9. How many back cover photos have had eggs in them?
- 10. What edition focused on the History of Sleepy Hollow Road and its Special Tribute?

Name:	and the
Phone:	

## THE VICTORIAN REVIVAL ABODE FROM SPRING

The house featured in our spring contest is located at 404 Arabian Parkway. This unique Village home is the only Equestrian model to be built with the Victorian exterior to have a left-hand garage placement, as well as a side-



loading garage. Through the years, the house has undergone cosmetic changes to its exterior, losing the signature half-round fypons and hardboard cladding as well as seeing a side addition that added a small porch and third bay to the garage. Only four Victorian Equestrians were built, and each one is unique to the Village's housing stock. 407 Arabian is the only one to have two fireplaces, 510 Belmont is the only one to have the standard (front suite) layout, and 706 Pimlico is unique since it has the optional (rear suite) layout, one fireplace, and front-loading right-hand garage placement.





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