

# VILLAGE VIEWS

Village of Greendale Newsletter January 2020



## Election Information

### 2020 Elections

- *February 18, 2020:* Spring Primary
- *April 7, 2020:* Spring Election and Presidential Preference Primary
- *August 11, 2020:* Partisan Primary
- *November 3, 2020:* General Election



### ⇒ **ATTENTION HIGHLAND VIEW**

**SCHOOL VOTERS!!!** Due to school construction, voters at Highland View School will need to use a different parking lot and entry door for the 2020 elections. Instead of entering the parking lot off of Ramsey Avenue, voters will be redirected to go south on Eastway Circle to the parking lot south (sometimes referred to as the “upper lot”) of the school. They will follow the path from the south parking lot and enter through the south door. Voting will still take place in the Highland View gym. Please reach out to the Village Clerk at (414) 423-2100 with any additional questions.

⇒ **MY VOTE WISCONSIN WEBSITE**, At [myvote.wi.gov](http://myvote.wi.gov) you can register to vote, check your voter registration status, find your polling place, see what’s on your ballot, request an absentee ballot and check provisional ballot status. Also, if your driver’s license is up to date this is the quickest and easiest way to register or make name or address changes.

⇒ **DID YOU KNOW THAT ABSENTEE VOTING IS AVAILABLE TO ANYONE?** Absentee voting is available to all registered voters for any reason. In-person absentee voting is available to voters the two weeks prior to the election in Village hall from 7:30 am to 4:00 pm. Photo id must be provided with the request.

⇒ **CURBSIDE VOTING OPTION** If you cannot enter the polling place or the Village Hall for absentee voting due to disability, curbside voting is available. Two poll workers will bring you your ballot and conduct voting at your vehicle or at the polling place entrance. If you vote curbside you are not required to sign the poll list. Instead, the poll workers will write “exempt by order of inspectors” in the signature space on the poll list. If you vote curbside and need to update your voter registration due to an address or name change, or if you are not currently a registered voter, you may also register to vote curbside, you should contact the Village Clerk beforehand to discuss an arrival time and what you should do when you get to the voting location.

## Citizens Academy

The Greendale Police Department is proud to announce that it will be holding its first ever CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY. The goals of the Citizen Police Academy are to give the public a closer view of how the Department operates, to enhance the relationship between the Department and the community it serves, and to provide the public with a greater understanding of the profession of law enforcement.

The Citizen Police Academy is offered at no cost during 8 Wednesday evenings from 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm. An application form, additional information and qualifications are available on the Village website under “Police Department” and at the front window of the Safety Center, with a deadline of February 10<sup>th</sup>. Hope to see you there!

## Free Memory Screen

Are you concerned about your memory? It is important, as we get older, to recognize the changes we may experience, especially in relation to our memory. A cognitive screen/memory screen is defined as a wellness tool that helps identify possible changes in memory and cognition. It creates a baseline of where a person is at so that future changes can be monitored. This is not a diagnostic tool, but a screen that can provide early detection for dementia. The memory screen process is very simple in which you will be asked to answer some questions and complete a task. The screen takes about 15-30 minutes. The memory screens will be provided by Candice LeGros, Dementia Care Specialist, Milwaukee County Aging and Disability Resource Center. Please call (414-423-2110) to schedule your free memory screen.

*When:* Thursday, February 6, 2020

*Where:* Greendale Health Department, 5650 Parking Street

*Time:* Appointments are available from 9:00 am to 2:30 pm

*Cost:* FREE

## New Winter Event in Greendale!

Greendale’s Winterfest Event will be reconfigured into a new St. Patrick’s Day Celebration on Saturday March 14, 2020. This new event will still involve the beloved Chili Cook Off and Winter Market in the Hose Tower similar to Winterfest. Plans also include a Greendale Green Beer Tent, and our own Greendale Pub Crawl to celebrate St. Patrick’s Day. To sign up for the chili contest please visit the Village website [www.greendale.org](http://www.greendale.org) (Our Community—Public Celebrations). More details to be announced closer to the event.

### “Save the Date” For These Upcoming Health Department Programs!

Please put these Health Department sponsored programs on your calendar. Both events are free and open to the public. For additional information contact the Greendale Health Department at 414-423-2110.

- The **3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Community Wellness Event** will be held the evening of Thursday, April 16, 2020. Plan to join us at Greendale High School for this event.
- **“A Morning of Health” Senior Health & Resource Fair** will be held on Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at the St. Alphonsus Church Community Room. Registration starts at 9:00 am, Health Fair is 9:30 – 11:30 am. Please contact the Greendale Health Department to register for this event.

### Join Together To Protect Your Heart and Celebrate During American Heart Month

February is American Heart Month and the Greendale Health Department hopes to inspire residents to protect and strengthen their hearts with the support of others! Did you know that people who have close relationships at home, work, or in their community tend to be healthier and live longer? One reason, according to the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, is that we're more successful meeting our health goals when we join forces with others.

#### *Why Reaching Out Is Good*

Having positive, close relationships and feeling connected with others benefits our overall health, including our blood pressure and weight. Having people in our lives who will motivate and care for us helps, but having feelings of closeness and companionship helps our health too. Making the following heart healthy lifestyle changes will be easier and more successful if you work with other motivated people:

- Get physically active.
- Achieve a healthy weight and maintain it.
- Eat heart healthy foods.
- Quit smoking.

Remember, you don't have to make big changes all at once. Small steps will get you where you want to go!

### Library Programs

This is just a sample of the wealth of upcoming Library activity, check the Library website for a full list.

*New!* Register for many programs online using the Library event calendar at [Greendale.org](http://Greendale.org)

#### **Introduction to Yoga with Cari Terry from Simple Joy Yoga,**

Friday Feb. 7, 10:00-10:45 am, Registration Required  
Curious about yoga? Not sure where to start? Then join us for a quick intro to yoga in a low-stress and non-judgmental environment. You'll learn about the benefits of yoga, what to expect in a yoga class and try some beginner yoga poses. Please bring a yoga mat or beach towel.

#### **DIY Sugar Scrub,** Tuesday Feb. 11, 6:30-7:30 pm

Registration Required  
Come to the library and pamper yourself by creating your very own sugar scrub! Materials will be provided.

#### **Lunch and Learn Series, monthly Wednesdays,**

12:00-1:30 pm, Registration Required  
Bring a bagged lunch and listen to an informative presentation on a different topic each month. We will provide the dessert!  
2/12- Light of the Lakes with Phil Block  
3/18- Conquering Back Pain with Adam Cosson from Elite Sport & Spine

#### **Book a Librarian\***

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the Month, 2:00-4:00 pm  
Feb. 13, 27 & Mar. 12, 26  
Registration Required

Would you like a personal introduction to resources available at the library? Need more time with a librarian than you can get over the phone or if you just walk in? Then Book a Librarian! Twice a month you can schedule a 30 minute session with a librarian for a tailored, fit for you based appointment with basic technical assistance on topics such as creating an email account, browsing the library's catalog, downloading e-books and audiobooks, using online resources through the library's website, or other computer basics.

*\*We are unable to install software or troubleshoot your personal devices. Also, we cannot offer medical, legal, tax, financial, business or personal advice.*

Contact the library at (414) 423-2136 (or [greendale.reference@greendale.org](mailto:greendale.reference@greendale.org)) for additional information or to set up an appointment.

#### **Maximize Your Job Search in the Current Online Job Market**

Presented by the Goodwill Workforce Connection Center/  
Greendale *In Partnership with the Greendale Park and Recreation Department*

Mon. February 24, 5:30-7:00 pm, Registration Appreciated  
Overview of the strategies you need to optimize your online job search. The discussion includes tips for making sure your resume is the best it can be to help you get through the Applicant Tracking System and Online Applications.

#### **Interviewing Skills -** Presented by the Goodwill Workforce Connection Center/Greendale

*In Partnership with the Greendale Park and Recreation Dept.*  
Mon. March 16, 5:30-7:00 pm, Registration Appreciated  
This workshop provides information on how to prepare for your job interview. Includes a discussion of the types of questions asked and an opportunity to practice answering some of the most commonly asked questions.

#### **Medicare 101 with Dave and Kelly Zauner**

Tues. March 24, 6:00-7:30 pm, Registration Required  
Confused about Medicare? Take the Medicare 101 seminar! Brought to you by David and Kelly Zauner of Medicare Strategies, LLC, this program will help you understand the ins and outs of Medicare.

#### **After School Family Fun** for Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

EVERY MONDAY, February through April, 3-4:30 pm  
After a long day at school, come to the library to calm down, have a snack and enjoy yourself doing crafts and/or build with Lego's. Children under 8 require an adult caregiver to attend the program.

**Family Storytime** for Birth through 5 years old, 10-10:30 am

- ◆ Miss Kathy, a professional storyteller, brings her puppets, musical and storytelling talents to the Greendale Public Library! Thursdays: 2/13, 2/20, 3/5, 3/12, 3/19, 4/2, 4/23
- ◆ Miss Lisa, the youth services librarian, has a traditional interactive story time focusing on books, music, and movement! Simple craft included. Thursdays: 2/27, 3/26, 4/9, 4/30

**Thursday Morning Playgroup**, for Birth through 5 years old, 10:30-11:30 am, Thursdays: 2/13, 2/20, 2/27, 3/5, 3/12, 3/19, 3/26, 4/2, 4/9, 4/23, 4/30

This is a time for babies, toddlers, and preschoolers up to 5 years old and their grown-ups to gather and play. We have a variety of toys and a big space for kids to enjoy.

**Adult Programs**

**Tech Tuesday**, 3:00-5:00 pm

Tuesdays: 2/4, 2/25, 3/10, 3/24

Need help with your computer, tablet, or other device? Stumped by email, the Internet, or your smartphone? Greendale High School Mac Pac volunteers offer free one-on-one technology help at the Greendale Public Library. Drop in help is available on a first come, first served basis. Appointments are

encouraged and appreciated.

**Monday Movie Matinee**, 2:00-5:00 pm

Grab some popcorn and join us for free showings of popular films. The upcoming films are:  
2/10- Hundred Foot Journey  
3/9- The 33

**Color Me Calm**, 6:00-7:30 pm

February 3 and March 2

Enjoy a stress free evening of coloring fun and intricate coloring pages designed just for adults. The library will provide the materials but feel free to bring in your own supplies. Registration is not required, just drop in!

**Teen Programs**

**Teen Paint and Sip** for Grades 6-12

February 25, 3:30-5:00 pm

Relax, listen to music, enjoy a fun drink, and create a masterpiece with acrylic paints.

**Teen Laser Maze Challenge** for Grades 6-12

March 10, 3:30-5:00 pm

Can you make it through a laser maze without tripping an alarm? Come to this fun program and find out!

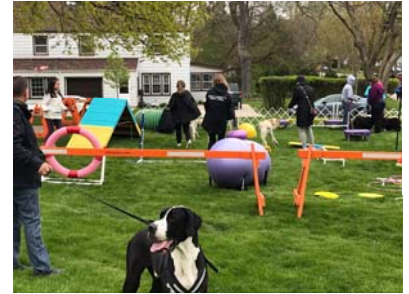
**UPCOMING VILLAGE EVENTS**

- **Cheers to Education:** Friday February 21st at the Greendale Community Learning Center, 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm—A food and beverage sampling event to raise funds for the Greendale Schools. To purchase tickets: <http://GreendaleFoundation.org>
- **St Patrick's Day Celebration NEW:** Saturday March 14th, More information available soon, check the Village website for details [www.greendale.org](http://www.greendale.org)
- **GEA Children's Resale Event:** Greendale High School, Saturday March 28th 7:30 am to 2:00 pm and



Sunday March 29th (1/2 price sale) 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

- **Lions Spring Fair, Easter Egg Hunt & Pancake Breakfast:** Greendale High School, Saturday April 4, 2020
- **Petpalooza:** Saturday May 9th, Downtown Greendale, Check the Village website for more information closer to the event!



**VILLAGE BOARD CORNER**



The Village of Greendale has purchased a new 2020 Crane Carrier garbage truck. It was recently delivered and has begun collecting garbage in the Village. This truck allows the Village of Greendale's curbside garbage collection to be more efficient. This truck has a 27 yard capacity, which is 7 more yards than our previous truck, allowing us to put a full days route on one truck and reducing the amount of trips to the landfill.



we have reduced the number of employees for garbage collection from three to two. The 2020 Crane Carrier has a rear backup camera allowing safer travel

through the Villages narrow streets.

The 2020 Crane Carrier garbage truck works best with the Village of Greendale 95 gallon and 65 gallon garbage carts. If you currently do not have one, we encourage you to purchase one. They can be purchased online at [www.greendale.org](http://www.greendale.org) (Departments—Public Works), or at Village Hall, and will be delivered on the Friday after you purchase it.

Also, this truck has two rear tippers and a larger hopper, allowing garbage collection to be more efficient. With a step side cab

## VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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## WHO DO I CALL?

- **Missed garbage or recycling?** Contact the Department of Public Works 423-2133
- **Sanitary sewer backed up? Flooded Street?** During normal business hours contact the Department of Public Works 423-2133, for after hours please contact the Police non-emergency line at 423-2121 and someone from Public Works will be contacted for assistance.
- **Pothole, sidewalk issue, general street maintenance, downed Village tree?** Contact the Department of Public Works 423-2133, any emergency issues after hours may be reported to the Police Department non-emergency line at 423-2121.
- **Rummage sale permit?** Contact the Village Hall at 423-2100
- **Questions on fences, sheds, pools, additions/alterations to buildings/Permits?** Contact the Department of Inspection Services at Village Hall 423-2100

## VILLAGE DEPARTMENTS

- **Village Hall: 6500 Northway**  
Phone: 423-2100  
*Hours: Monday—Friday 7:30 am to 4:30 pm*
- **Police Department: 5911 W. Grange,**  
Phone: 423-2121 (non-emergency)
- **Fire Department: 5911 W. Grange**  
Phone: 423-2131 (non-emergency)
- **Public Library, 5647 Broad Street**  
Phone: 423-2136  
*Hours: Monday—Thursday 8 am to 8 pm, Friday 8 am to 5 pm, and Saturday 8 am to 2 pm, Sundays 1 pm to 4 pm (Labor Day through Memorial Day)*
- **Department of Public Works, 6351 Industrial Loop**  
Phone: 423-2133  
*Refuse & Recycling Center Hours: Monday—Friday 7 am to 3 pm, Saturday 9 am to 1 pm December through March) & 8 am to 4 pm (April through November)*
- **Health Department, 5650 Parking Street**  
Phone: 423-2110  
*Hours: Monday through Friday 8 am to 4:30 pm*
- **Park & Recreation, 5647 Broad Street**  
Phone: 423-2790  
*Hours: Monday—Friday 8 am to 4:30 pm, Tuesday 8 am to 6:30 pm*

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