

Sauk Village Hall

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Sauk Village, IL 60411

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WINPAK Addition
Ground Breaking



On Thursday, April 28th I had the opportunity to attend the Winpak addition groundbreaking. The groundbreaking ceremony was held for a 348,000 square foot expansion to the existing 267,000 square foot facility occupied by Winpak Portion Packaging located at 1111 Winpak Way in Sauk Village.



News from the Village Clerk

Debbie Williams

Village Hall will be closed on Monday, May 30, 2016 in observance of Memorial Day.

Village Stickers are now on sale.

Passenger stickers remain at \$30.00 and trucks remain at \$48.00.

There is one \$20.00 senior discount per household. Your current village sticker expires on June 30th.

You must purchase and display your new village sticker by midnight on June 30th, 2016. otherwise the sticker price will double and you could receive a \$100.00 ticket..

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Mayor's Corner (continued)

Mayor David Hanks



The new expansion will include:

- 197,000 square foot warehouse
- 137,950 square foot production plant area
- Amenity area
- Maintenance storage
- Break room
- Washrooms
- Mechanical utility room
- Truckers room
- Shipping office
- Plant grinding room

The building exterior will add:

A second rail spur

- 12 Storage silo's
- 2 new 4000 amp electrical services
- 150 parking stalls
- 25 truck stalls
- 20 dock doors
- Exterior drive-in-door



In addition to constructing the new expansion to the facility, there will also be several renovations to the older facility which include:

- 15,000 square foot of new office space on the second floor
- Renovation to the main lobby to accommodate new stairs
- Elevator to second floor
- Renovation of an existing area to create expanding production
- Enlarge locker rooms and training spaces
- Renovation of existing maintenance shop offices and tool storage rooms

What's Happening Now!!!

Cop on Top– Friday– May 20th—starting at 6:30am– Sauk Village Dunkin Donuts
Fundraiser to support Special Olympics.

Sauk Village Community Clean Sweep- Saturday, May 21st 9:30 am- 1 pm. - Meet behind the Village Hall. Volunteers are needed. Contact Linda Todd for more information
708/758-33

Seniors– Free Luncheon– Saturday, May 21st– 3pm– 5pm– Senior Center. All Sauk Village Seniors are invited. Sponsored by The Sauk Village Senior Committee.

Community Flea Market and Craft Show- June 4th - 9am -3pm - (Paesel Community Center) behind the Police Station. Vendors and Shoppers needed. Sponsored by the Beautification Committee of Sauk Village- Contact Linda Todd for more information.

Independence Day Celebration- Saturday, July 2, 2016

Parade- 1pm starting at Popeye's Chicken

Concessions and other vendors – 2pm behind Village Hall- Contact Village Clerk Debbie Williams 708/753-5121

Fireworks- (To be determined) at dusk behind Village Hall

National Night Out- Tuesday, August 2nd 5-9 pm- behind Village Hall- Contact Village Clerk Debbie Williams

ATTENTION- SAUK VILLAGE 8th GRADERS-
41ST Annual Student Government Day Essay Contest

8th graders are asked to participate in an essay contest. Student Government Day essay winners will tour the village facilities, meet village staff and represent our Mayor, Clerk, Trustees, Department Heads, etc... during an upcoming board meeting (date and time to be determined). Please contact Trustee Rosie Williams or Village Clerk Debbie Williams for additional information at 708/753-5121.

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THE METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO AND THE VILLAGE OF SAUK VILLAGE ARE OFFERING **FREE 55 GALLON RAIN BARRELS** TO SAUK VILLAGE RESIDENTS.

SIGN UP NOW TO RESERVE UP TO **FOUR FREE** RAIN BARRELS.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE NUMBER _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Stormwater Information

Recycling Rain CONSERVATION AT HOME

During a typical rainstorm, the rain that falls on the roof runs off into the ground, a storm drain, or a stream. If you're motivated to save a little water to re-distribute it on your lawns or plants — or even use it for laundry, dishes or other interior needs — collecting rainwater from your gutters' downspouts is a no-brainer.

You can even use landscaping features to filter the pollutants out of stormwater runoff that would otherwise have been detrimental to our watershed.

What Can You Do?

- ◆ INSTALL A RAIN BARREL OR CISTERN TO REUSE RUNOFF.
- ◆ PLANT A RAIN GARDEN. WATER WILL FILTER THROUGH THE GARDEN TO REDUCE POLLUTANTS.
- ◆ USE A SHOWER BUCKET. NEXT TIME YOU'RE WARMING UP THE SHOWER, STICK A BUCKET UNDER THE RUNNING TAP UNTIL YOU'RE READY TO GET IN. YOU'LL BE SURPRISED AT HOW MUCH WATER YOU COLLECT!
- ◆ REUSE EXCESS DRINKING WATER. GOT AN ALMOST-EMPTY WATER GLASS THAT'S BEEN SITTING OUT TOO LONG TO DRINK? FEED IT TO A THIRSTY HOUSE PLANT INSTEAD!



Do your part to
PROTECT OUR WATERS

Sauk Talk is Produced by volunteers of the Public Relations Committee of Sauk Village, Rosie Williams Trustee/Composer and Staff Members Nanette Wargo and Debbie Williams. With special appreciation for technical support provided by Colleen Baughman. Suggestions should be directed to the Village Hall at 708-758-3330 or emailed to sauktalk@saukvillage.org.

Neighborhood Watch

Lynda Washington-House



Hello Sauk Village!!! It gives me great pleasure to thank you for overwhelmingly, supporting our **LIVE PLAY** on Friday, April 15, 2016 at Rickover Jr. High School. It was a huge success and enjoyed by all, with a dinner afterwards at the Ed Pasel Community Center. We reached our 3 goals which were:

1. Promote Community Involvement & Interacting with each other
2. Raise money for our **500** Back to School **FREE** Book Bag Give Away
3. Recruit new Block Club Captains. We featured Willie the Entertainer (a child star) and many other local community recording artist with a LIVE PLAY of Sauk Village residents and friends! It was packed and we really enjoyed the play entitled: Are You My Neighbor? The schools. Churches and residents spoke loud and clear that they want more activities for the youth.

Up coming events we will have are a Safety Forum for all the businesses, churches and school officials. This will be held **Friday, July 1, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at the Village Hall.** Finally, the book bags will be distributed on **Thursday, August 18, 2016 at Rickover Jr. High School at 5:30 p.m.** in conjunction with School District 168 Back to School Bash! This will be a great Safety Rally and book bag give away event! Inform all your neighbors it's a first come basis to receive 2 book bags per family. Our committee is working hard for you. We are looking for volunteers please contact me today.

FINALLY, We are starting our summer program for Sauk Village. Our Jr. Neighborhood Watch program grades 6th – 12th! It will run the months of June, July and August. We meet the 2nd Monday of every month at the Fire Station located at 1822 222nd Street, Sauk Village, IL. 60411. This will be a fun and informative program educating our youth to some facts about public safety. Please encourage your child/ren to participate. Thank you in advance, I would love to see you at these events and please spread the word. Get involved and join us. Motto: Working together means winning together!

Girl Scouts of America



I can't wait to

When you just can't wait for what you'll do next, you can do anything.

At Girl Scouts, girls are always counting down to the next adventure we'll go on together. Maybe it's artistic. Maybe it's an experiment. Maybe it's getting outside or helping the community. With us, you'll make a bunch of new friends and have a ton of new experiences that show you how exciting the world is, and how awesome you are, over and over again.



Want to be a Girl Scout leader?

Sauk Village Girl Scout Adult Volunteers Needed!!!!!!!

****Join in the fun and register with Girl Scouts as an adult volunteer leader!!!!****

Lead a team of adult volunteers who will mentor girls through experiences in which they will develop their passions, make friends, try new things, explore their world, and broaden their horizons. Make memories that will last a lifetime.

Tammy Jones
708-272-2104

Police Department

Police Chief Robert Kowalski

2016 marks the 14th Anniversary of the Dunkin' Donuts Cop on Rooftop event with the Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics Illinois! This event has been a huge success over the years; in fact, nearly \$2.3 million has been raised during this great partnership!

This year's Cop on Rooftop event will be held statewide on **Friday, May 20, 2016**, from 5 a.m. to 2 p.m. In 2015, 195 locations participated and raised more than \$542,000. Let's keep this positive momentum going for this event – join the statewide initiative and participate at your local Dunkin' Donuts store! The Sauk Village Police Department along with help from the Sauk Village Fire Department, Sauk Village Emergency Services and Disaster Agency as well as other Sauk Village Employees will be collecting donations at the Dunkin Donuts located on the corner of Torrence and Sauk Trail beginning at 6:30 am.

The Cop on Rooftop event is a fun, unique and easy way to raise money for the athletes of Special Olympics Illinois. We hope to see you stop by!

Senior Committee News

Rose Langston

The Sauk Village Senior Citizen Committee thanks all the participants who helped make our 8th Annual Chili Cook Off a huge success. Special thank you to our fifteen chili chefs George Ann 'Gigi' Austin (first place), Ralph Goskie, First Lady Linda Hanks (third place) Mary Howard, Colin Joseph, Rose Ketcham (second place), Morgan, Les Morgan, Nadine Morgan, Nancy Pollack, Shirley Rowley, Mona Shymkus, Susan Soto, Chris Turner, and Claudia Walker. The judges (Southland Voice Barb Dorman, Mayor David Hanks, Kathy Tustison, Village Clerk Debbie Williams, and Trustee Rosie Williams for Trustee Ed Myers) had a very, very difficult time selecting the winners. There were many, many door prize winners and 50/50 drawing winners (cash – Rose Langston, special prizes – Mary Harris, Bill Kirkland, Jean Long, Shirley Rowley, Chris Turner, Jeanne Turner, and Ken Walker). Congratulations to all the winners and a special thank you to all our prize donors Rose Langston, Nadine Morgan, Mona Shymkus, Steve Shymkus, and Barb Stearns. We greatly appreciate line dance instructor Flora Haynes and musical entertainers The Morgan Family (Floyd, Nadine, Bill, Dennis, and Les) for their faithful commitment to our events annually. Working with our volunteer committee members (Rose Ketcham, Rose Langston, Floyd Morgan {he donated gallons of water for coffee annually}, Steve Shymkus, Barb Stearns, and Frank Williams) are many other volunteers (Abby Hanks, Adam Hanks, Ben Hanks, Ethan Hanks, Chris Johnson, Bob Ketcham, Nadine Morgan, Sharon Nowak, John Poskin, ED Shankel, Chris Turner, Kathy Tustison

Senior Committee Open Activity every Friday 12:30-3:30 p.m. with coordinators Steve Shymkus and Frank Williams. All senior citizens 50 years young are welcome, no meeting, no membership and no dues. Light refreshment and bottled water served.

Celebrating 'Older Americans Month 2016'

'In appreciation of our Sauk Village senior citizens, we (the Sauk Village Senior Citizen Committee) are hosting a luncheon to celebrate the 51st Anniversary of the Older Americans Month.'

Luncheon Saturday, May 21, 2016 from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Please reserve your no charge luncheon ASAP (as soon as Possible). Complete and return the following to Village Hall by Tuesday, May 17, 2016. Proof of residency at the door is required with a photo ID (with address, no P.O. Box) and a current utility bill.

Name _____

Address _____

Sauk Village, IL

Phone number _____

Beautification Committee

Beautification Committee of Sauk Village



Community Flea Market/ Craft Show

June 4, 2016 9AM till 3PM



Vendors and Shoppers, we hope you will join us.

This event to be held at the Paesel Community Center located behind the Police Department at 21701 S. Torrence, on June 4, 2016. Spaces are available at a nonrefundable cost of \$10 each space and a limited number of tables for rental at \$3 each. We encourage vendors to bring their own tables. Cash or Money order accepted payment for your space/ spaces and/or table(s) must be made to the Beautification Committee of Sauk Village and turned in to the Village Hall at 21801 Torrence, (708)-758-3330. If interested contact the committee through the Village Hall or svbeautification@saukvillage.org . To insure participation, please fill out the form below and return it with payment at the village hall by May 27th, 2016. Vendors doors open at 8 AM. Food will be available for purchase.

NAME: _____ **Phone #** _____

Complete address: _____

City, State _____

Email address: _____

Number of spaces _____ **Number of rental tables** _____

Total submitted _____ **Electricity required** _____

For more information contact svbeautification@saukvillage.org
Funds raised by this event provide ongoing support to the Beautification Committee of Sauk Village.



Beautification Committee

SAUK VILLAGE COMMUNITY CLEAN SWEEP MAY 21, 2016 9:30 AM TILL 1 PM



The Beautification Committee and Sauk Village friends and residents will gather behind the village hall 21801 Torrence Ave. to form our task units and choose locations for spring clean up at 9:30 AM.

Please join us in our spring cleaning task for 2016. Public buildings and village access roadways are on our radar for our anti-litter attack.

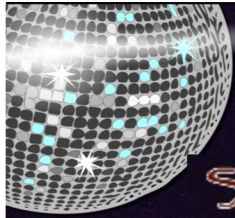
If you are unable to attend this event but would like to form a neighborhood Adopt-A-Block clean up, those efforts would be welcomed and appreciated too! Take Pictures & send them in.

It is helpful if you can bring your own gloves and rakes.

Contact Linda Todd (708) 758-3330 (leave a message)

svbeautification@saukvillage.org





Human Relations Committee Presents...
FIRST ANNUAL
SAUK VILLAGE YOUTH PICNIC



The Human Relations Commission is hosting its first annual Youth Diversity Picnic on June 11, 2016 from 1-5pm located behind the Village Hall 21801 S. Torrence ave. Sauk Village, IL 60411. We are looking for Talented Youth 13-19 years old to express themselves through poetry, singing, and or rap songs. Find out about job opportunities and things to do over the summer. For more information contact Commissioner Frank Williams @(708)753-5121 & Commissioner Latonya West @(708)890-0323

Food Music & More



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<p style="text-align: center;">One Drip Per Second</p> <p>1 MINUTE LOSS = 1/12 OUNCE 1 HOUR LOSS = 6 OUNCES 1 DAY LOSS = 1 GAL. & 1 PINT 1 WEEK LOSS = 8 GALLONS 1 MONTH LOSS = 34 GALLONS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Two Drips Per Second</p> <p>1 MINUTE LOSS = 1/3 OUNCE 1 HOUR LOSS = 20 OUNCES 1 DAY LOSS = 3 2/3 GALLONS 1 WEEK LOSS = 26 GALLONS 1 MONTH LOSS = 100 GALLONS</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Drops Breaking To Stream</p> <p>1 MINUTE LOSS = 2 OUNCES 1 HOUR LOSS = 1 GALLON 1 DAY LOSS = 24 GALLONS 1 WEEK LOSS = 175 GALLONS 1 MONTH LOSS = 700 GALLONS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">1/16" Stream</p> <p>1 MINUTE LOSS = 7 1/2 OUNCES 1 HOUR LOSS = 3 1/2 GALLONS 1 DAY LOSS = 64 GALLONS 1 WEEK LOSS = 575 GALLONS 1 MONTH LOSS = 2500 GALLONS</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">1/8" Stream</p> <p>1 MINUTE LOSS = 23 OUNCES 1 HOUR LOSS = 11 GALLONS 1 DAY LOSS = 260 GALLONS 1 WEEK LOSS = 1800 GALLONS 1 MONTH LOSS = 7800 GALLONS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">3/16" Stream</p> <p>1 MINUTE LOSS = 39 OUNCES 1 HOUR LOSS = 18 GALLONS 1 DAY LOSS = 425 GALLONS 1 WEEK LOSS = 3000 GALLONS 1 MONTH LOSS = 12,750 GALLONS</p>

Compliments of: Illinois Rural Water Association

P.O. Box 6049

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SAVE THE DATE-
SAUK VILLAGE
60TH ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION
JULY 2017



IMPORTANT NUMBERS

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POLICE AND FIRE NON EMERGENCY	758-1331	SENIOR CENTER	753-5141
COMMUNITY CENTER	758-4115	BLOOM TOWNSHIP	754-9400
COOK COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT	210-4500	RESPOND NOW EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE	755-4357
COMMONWEALTH EDISON	1-800-3347661	NICOR	1-888-642-6748
REPUBLIC SERVICES DISPOSAL	708-385-8252	MCCONATHY PUBLIC LIBRARY	757-4771

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