



The Village Bulletin

The Village of Shorewood Hills

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SUMMER ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Dartmouth Road – The road between Columbia Road and Oxford Road will be reconstructed. The project began on June 16 and includes repair of existing sanitary sewer, replacement of the water main and portions of the storm sewer. It should be completed in September.

Wellesley Road – The entire road will be reconstructed from Colgate Road to Oxford Road. This portion of the project is expected to begin at the end of June or in early-July. In a similar fashion the existing sanitary sewer will be repaired, water main and portions of the storm sewer will be replaced. September is the expected completion date (weather dependent).

Tallyho Lane – A degraded portion of the road surface from just east of Western Road to Shorewood Boulevard will be milled off and resurfaced at the same time asphalt is being installed on Wellesley and Dartmouth Roads, tentatively scheduled for late-August.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

All events will be at the Village Hall unless otherwise noted***

JULY

1	Blackhawk Lease Task Force	12:00 pm
4	July 4th Holiday (Village office closed)	
7	Waterfront Committee	5:30 pm
8	Pool Committee (on-site at the Pool)	6:30 pm
14	Municipal Court (Traffic)	5:00 pm
14	Parks Committee	5:30 pm
14	Public Works Committee	7:00 pm
15	Plan Commission	7:00 pm
21	Board of Trustees	7:00 pm

AUGUST

11	Municipal Court (Traffic)	5:00 pm
11	Parks Committee	5:30 pm
11	Public Works Committee	7:00 pm
12	Plan Commission	7:00 pm
12	Services Committee	7:00 pm
13	Finance Committee	5:30 pm
18	Board of Trustees	7:00 pm

** The calendar includes all meetings and dates submitted at the time of publication

*** Meeting dates/times are subject to change. Check with the Village Hall or the committee chair.

JULY - AUGUST 2014

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE JUNE 16, 2014 MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES *Complete detailed minutes will be available on our website or at the Village Hall*

Attendance – All Trustees were in attendance.

Appearances and Communications – Jeff Held of Strand Associates presented the final draft of the University Avenue Corridor Study. The overall theme of the study was to seek options to reduce demand for peak-hour single-occupant motor vehicle travel and/or improve conditions for alternative modes of transport without a severe detriment to car and bus travel (*for more information see the article on page 3*).

Consent Agenda – In an effort to expedite meetings, items on the consent agenda are considered as a group and are adopted with one motion. Any Board member may unilaterally remove an item from the consent agenda if he or she believes the item needs discussion. Consent agenda items included approval of the [May 19](#) meeting minutes; solicitor permits for Fund for the Public Interest; block party permits for the July Fourth parade, Independence Day dance and Oxford Road on September 1; and numerous tobacco, beer, wine and liquor licenses. The seasonal hiring for the Summer Basketball program was removed from the consent agenda to allow Mr. Benforado to recuse himself from the vote because his son will be a program counselor.

Proposed ordinance related to keeping of chickens – The Board referred the matter to the Plan Commission for consideration.

Resolution R-2014-7 – The Board unanimously approved [resolution R-2014-7](#) recognizing and thanking Fire/EMS Chief Keith Anderson, whose last day in the office will be June 30, 2014.

Resolution R-2014-8 – The Board unanimously approved [resolution R-2014-8](#) providing some guarantees of support for the EMS & Fire Associations community service aspirations, including helping with the Village's Fourth of July celebration.

Resolution R-2014-9 – The Board unanimously approved [resolution R-2014-9](#) accepting the 2013 Compliance Maintenance Annual Report. This report on the Village sanitary sewer system is required by the DNR. The Village received A's in all categories for a grade point average of 4.0.

Consider acceptance of proposal for Village space needs planning – The Village received a proposal from Potter Lawson and was notified that Strand had intended to submit a proposal, but missed the deadline. After a discussion on the scope of the proposal and the fact Potter Lawson had not included Public Works within their proposal, the Board decided to provide Potter Lawson an opportunity for a revision of its proposal and to invite Strand to submit a proposal.

Consider response to Madison Metro's request for increased partner share – The Board referred this matter to the Finance Committee to develop an equitable contribution for the Board to consider.

Consider amendment to the professional services agreement with Vierbicher for pool patio expansion – The Board approved the Pool Committee's request to spend \$3,800 for additional planning assistance for the possible expansion of the pool concessions area to the west. This matter will be considered by the Pool and Parks Committees at future meetings where neighboring residents will be invited to attend.

Review and recommendations regarding UBD Fields Master Plan – There is nothing new to report.

Blackhawk Lease Negotiating Task Force – The Board discussed a possible counter proposal for calculation of the base rent paid to the Village. Issues of Village access to the club are yet to be determined.

Village President's Report – Mr. Sundquist reviewed the plans for the Board of Trustees' cookout on July Fourth.

Adjourn – The meeting adjourned at 10:24 pm.

JULY FOURTH FAMILY PICNIC
Board of Trustees Cookout

Friday, July 4

5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

Heiden Haus field across from the Fire Station

The trustees will be grilling summer time favorites like burgers, brats, hot dogs and other tasty treats.

A community food table will be present if you would like to bring a dish to pass.

PROPERTY TAX PAYMENT REMINDER

Did you only pay half of your tax bill in January? Residents are reminded that the second half of their property tax payment is due to the Dane County Treasurer by July 31. The Village does not accept payments after January. Instead, mail your property tax payment directly to:

Dane County Treasurer
City-County Building, Room 114
210 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd
Madison, WI 53719



**Next Bulletin Deadline:
Monday, July 21, 2014**

SPRING CLEANING & COMPUTER RECYCLING SUMMARY

Both events were a rousing success. During the weekend of May 30-June 1, Village residents managed to fill two 30-yard dumpsters to the brim with old junk that was not fit for donation. We also filled a DPW truck with recyclable materials.

The following weekend, residents unloaded old computers, monitors, TVs and other small electronics at our Computer Recycling Roundup. The 28 TVs, 15 PCs, 12 microwaves, 5 dehumidifiers and numerous other items filled two DPW trucks and a pickup. All of these recyclable materials will not be dumped in the landfill thanks to our recycling partner Resource Solutions (www.recyclethatstuff.com).

UNIVERSITY AVENUE TRANSPORTATION STUDY

At its June 19 meeting, the Board received a presentation from Jeff Held of Strand Associates summarizing the joint Near Westside and University Avenue Corridor Transportation Study. The overall theme of the study was to seek options to reduce demand for peak-hour single-occupant motor vehicle travel and/or improve conditions for alternative modes of transport without a severe detriment to car and bus travel.

The study looked at the University Avenue corridor from Segoe Road to Breese Terrace. It is a main transportation artery carrying about 55,000 vehicles per day. It also looked at the adjacent neighborhoods including Shorewood Hills, the Regent neighborhood and UW Campus. The study was equally funded by the Village, City of Madison and University of Wisconsin.

The goals of the study were to provide exclusive and/or priority transit that moves high volumes of people; improve access to the west UW campus and VA medical complex area (both ingress and egress); and improve the connectivity and comfort level of bike and pedestrian travel.

A number of recommendations were provided including but not limited to: priority traffic signals for buses; limitations on parking to encourage bus and bike transportation; completion of the east-west bike path along with improvements along Campus Drive; dual left turn lanes from University Avenue to University Bay Drive; eastbound access to Campus Drive at Walnut Street; enhanced pedestrian crosswalks; partial traffic signals (similar to the signal at University Station), at Blackhawk Ave (near UWCU) and Hilldale Way (near Target) and enhancements for bike travel in the Regent neighborhood.

Due to the topography of the area and potential costs involved, it may take years for some of these goals and recommendations to be considered by all of the stakeholders. The presentation is available on the Village's website at: www.shorewood-hills.org.

“TRI-IT” TRIATHLON



The Village Recreation Committee & Shorewood Hills Elementary School PTO is hosting the sixth annual Shorewood Hills “Tri-It” Sprint Triathlon for **ALL** ages on July Fourth. On-site registration will start at 8:30 am outside Shorewood Hills Pool. Participation is free, with voluntary contributions to the PTO accepted at registration.

Heat #1: Adults & Kids >12 y/o
250 m swim, 7 km bike, 3 km run.

Heat #2: Kids < 12 y/o
150 m swim, 3.2 km bike, 1.6 km run.

Fourth of July Celebration Schedule at a Glance

Thursday, July 3rd

Village Dance – free Village Fire Station 8:00 to 11:00 pm

Friday, July 4th

- Try-It! Triathlon..... Outside Shorewood Hills Pool..... 8:30 am
- Village Softball Game..... North Side of the School..... 9:00 am
- League Bake Sale..... Village Fire Station 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
(drop off goodies at 8:00 am)
- Village Art Fair Village Fire Station 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
- Children's Parade Village Fire Station 12:30 pm start*
(line-up at 12:15 pm- *please note time change from prior years)
- Children's Games School Grounds..... 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm
- Adult Waterfight Tournament..... Heiden Haus field about 2:30 pm
- Family Picnic School grounds..... 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm
- Fireworks Blackhawk Country Club..... Dusk (approximately 9:30 pm)

** The Parade will start this year at 12:30 pm **

JULY 4TH ART FAIR

Artists Wanted!

Last call for the Shorewood Hills Annual Art Fair during the Village's Fourth of July celebration. Would you like to share your work with friends and neighbors? In past years, resident artists have displayed a wide variety of work from traditional paintings to photography to jewelry to wooden crafts. You may also sell your work.

ANNUAL LEAGUE JULY 4TH BAKE SALE!

Calling all bakers and sweet lovers. The Shorewood Hills Community League's **Annual Bake Sale** will be held on the Fourth of July 4th at the Fire Station. Come down and enjoy a homemade dessert or help by donating a baked good. The League needs your support! **Setup starts at 8:00. The Bake Sale runs from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.** Contact the League to volunteer shcleague@gmail.com.



The Art Fair runs from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm in the Fire Station on July 4th. Have a beverage, a treat from the bake sale and visit with your friends. Contact the Art Fair coordinator Tad Pinkerton at tad@thinkpink.com or 233-1623 for details and to reserve your spot.

LEAVE THE FIREWORKS TO THE PROFESSIONALS

The sale of fireworks typically increases this time of year, but many of the fireworks sold in Wisconsin can not be legally used by individuals. Sparklers (shorter than 36"), stationary cones and fountains, toy snakes, smoke bombs, caps, noisemakers and confetti poppers with less than 1/4 grain of explosive mixture are the only legal fireworks allowed in the Village of Shorewood Hills (and neighboring communities). Even these legal fireworks can be dangerous!

Amateur fireworks endanger not only the users, but also bystanders and surrounding structures. Fireworks are one of the leading causes of injuries requiring emergency room treatment this time of year. Simple fireworks can cause serious injuries to the eyes, head and hands. Is the risk of potentially permanent injury to you or your family worth a few seconds of fireworks fun?

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PTO TRASH-TO-TREASURE FUNDRAISER

The Shorewood Hills Elementary School PTO is hosting a Trash-to-Treasure sale on **Saturday, August 23, 2014** with all proceeds directly benefitting the SHES Teacher Fund for teachers to purchase needed items for their classrooms. We are currently seeking donations for the sale from the Village! We are looking for furniture, sports equipment, gently used clothing, musical instruments, fishing & camping gear, household items, knick-knacks, books, vinyl records, etc! So clean out your basements, garages, & closets and help our beloved neighborhood school. All donations are tax-deductible.

Donations will be accepted the following dates:

- Saturday, July 26 & Sunday, July 27 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Fire Station
- Wednesday, August 20 & Thursday, August 21 from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm in the school's gym

In the case you have items to donate but cannot make the above donation drop-off events or if you have larger items that you may need assistance with, please contact Melissa O'Russa at 358-5291 or mjlannta@yahoo.com to make arrangements. Please note: We are unable to accept some items due to safety issues such as mattresses & box springs and baby car seats. For a complete list please go to: www.facebook.com/shorewoodhillspotosale.

In addition, we are seeking volunteers from our community to help out! Please contact Colleen Titelbaum at 630-9374 or ctitelbaum@gmail.com if you are interested. More information on the sale to come! Please join our Facebook page for most up to date details! www.facebook.com/shorewoodhillspotosale



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The Shorewood Hills EMS & Fire Association urges you to avoid using all fireworks and leave the fireworks show to the professionals! Come to see your volunteers shoot off an outstanding fireworks display at the Blackhawk Country Club on Friday night, July 4. Our personnel have completed extensive safety training and work under established guidelines in a controlled setting. Safety is our number one goal.

After this type of large fireworks display, you should never pick up fireworks or casings that may have fallen to the ground. Fireworks that have been ignited and fail to immediately explode or discharge may still be active. Children (and adults) should stay away from smoking or charred remnants and notify the Fire Department immediately for proper disposal.

If you must use fireworks, please:

- Read and follow the directions.
- Have an adult present to supervise.
- Use fireworks outdoors.
- Always have water on hand (a garden hose and a bucket).
- Ignite fireworks on a flat surface away from any combustible or flammable materials.
- Keep fireworks away from the house, dry leaves, decks, woodchips, etc.
- Never give fireworks to small children.
- Do not let small children use sparklers as they can produce 1200° heat which is easily enough to burn skin or ignite clothing!
- Never point fireworks at other people.
- Never re-light a “dud” firework (wait 15-20 minutes and place the “dud” in a bucket of water to soak).
- The fireworks user should always wear eye protection.
- Never put any part of the body over the fireworks.



Have a happy and SAFE July Fourth!

WORD OF THE WOODS

ARBOR DAY 2014

The Village celebrated Arbor Day this year on April 25. This was the ninth consecutive year planting trees with the 4th and 5th graders from Shorewood Elementary School. Shorewood Hills Forestry and Parks staff planted trees (and celebrated) along side the school children and teacher Cara Masuga. Eight trees were planted on Amherst Drive (east of the tennis courts). Some of the trees were planted on the school side and others were planted on the residential side. The species planted this year were: ‘Exclamation’ London Planetree (3), ‘JN’ Muscledwood (1), ‘Purple Prince’ Flowering Crabapple (2), and ‘Donald Wyman’ Flowering Crab (2).



A special thanks to Madison Gas & Electric (MGE) and Urban Tree Alliance for their participation in our Arbor Day Celebration. MGE has provided staff and funding of trees over the last nine years. Evan Slocum and Urban Tree Alliance have donated trees and assisted with the tree planting the last three years.

Tree planting isn't reserved just for Arbor Day! For more information about how you can contribute to our urban forest by planting a tree, visit these links:

- Urban Tree Alliance: www.urbantreealliance.org
- “Plant the right tree in the right place”:
www.mge.com/environment/trees/planting.htm
- Digger’s Hotline: Always call 811 before you dig!



EAB UPDATE

Treatment of ash trees has begun

The Village has contracted with Urban Tree Alliance to treat approximately 80 public ash trees. Those trees were selected based on their age, health, structure and location. The Village opted to use a product called Tree-age which is applied every two years and has a 95% success rate. The cost of this product is \$8/inch diameter trunk. Residents who are interested in treating ash trees on private property can use the same contractor and get the same rate. Contact the Village Forester if you have any questions or would like to treat ash trees on private property.

The majority of the trees being treated have been adopted by property owners in the Village. Thank You to all those who sponsored trees! Another ‘Thank You’ to the Garden Club who made a significant donation to treat ash trees and replant other species after ash trees are removed.



ARBOR DAY 2014

BIRD TESTS POSITIVE FOR WEST NILE VIRUS IN DANE COUNTY

Officials Encourage Precautions against Mosquito Bites

June 9, 2014: PHMDC (Public Health of Madison and Dane County) and state health officials announced that a bird recently tested positive for West Nile virus in Dane County, the first to do so in the county this year. Although very few mosquitoes actually carry West Nile virus, infected birds serve as an early warning by indicating that the virus is present in the area. This means that people should pay more attention to protecting themselves against mosquito bites.

Increasing risk of WNV infection in humans may be preceded by a spike in sick or dead birds so it is important for people to continue reporting sick or dead birds that they find to the Dead Bird Hotline 1-800-433-1610.

West Nile virus is spread to people and horses through the bite of an infected mosquito. Mosquitoes become infected with West Nile virus by biting infected birds and then potentially transmit the virus by biting other animals or people.

Peak mosquito season is just getting started, so it is very important to take the necessary steps to avoid bites and help reduce potential exposure to the West Nile virus infection. Here are a few important steps to take to help avoid bites:

- Limit time spent outside at dawn and dusk, when mosquitoes are most active.
- Apply insect repellent to clothing as well as exposed skin because mosquitoes are capable of biting through clothing.
- Make sure window and door screens are in good repair to prevent mosquitoes from getting into your house.
- Trim tall grass, weeds and vines because mosquitoes use these areas to rest during hot daylight hours.
- **ELIMINATE SOURCES OF STANDING WATER BY...**
 - ... Getting rid of items that can hold water, such as tin cans, plastic containers, ceramic pots or discarded tires. Turn over wheelbarrows, wading pools, boats and canoes when not in use. Water left in these items provides breeding grounds for mosquitoes.
 - ... Cleaning roof gutters and downspouts for proper drainage (again to avoid standing water).
 - ... Changing the water in birdbaths and pet dishes at least every three days.
 - ... Cleaning and chlorinating swimming pools, outdoor saunas, and hot tubs; draining water from pool covers.
 - ... Landscaping to prevent water from pooling in low-lying areas.

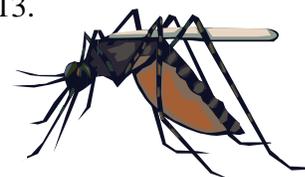
The chances of a person becoming infected with the West Nile virus are very low and most infected people will not have any symptoms. Those who do become ill typically develop a fever, headache, and rash that lasts a few days. Symptoms may begin between three to 15 days after being bitten by an infected mosquito. Older adults and people with compromised immune systems are at an increased risk of severe disease from the virus and can develop neurologic illness such as meningitis, seizures, and paralysis. There is no specific treatment for West Nile virus other than to treat symptoms. If you think you have a West Nile virus infection, contact your healthcare provider.

Statewide monitoring activities for West Nile virus began May 1. Horse owners should contact their veterinarian to get their horse vaccinated or if they suspect their horse is ill.

The Department of Health Services has monitored the spread of West Nile virus since 2001 among wild birds, horses, mosquitoes and people. Since 2002, there were 234 human cases (confirmed and suspected) of West Nile virus statewide, with 23 reported in Dane County. Four cases were reported in 2013.

For more information on West Nile virus go to:

- www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/communicable/ArboviralDiseases/WestNileVirus/
- www.publichealthmdc.com/disease/westNile/



YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS

For several years, the Village Hall has been kept a small database of Village kids interested in doing odd jobs including mowing lawns, raking leaves, pet sitting or other work. Residents looking to hire help may call the Village Hall or e-mail Karla (kendres@shorewood-hills.org) to get a list of these young community entrepreneurs.



If you have kids that would like to be included on this database, they may e-mail Karla or call the Village Hall at 267-2680 (7:30 am to 4:00 pm, Monday through Friday). Kids, Karla will need your full name; phone number; if you are interested in raking leaves, mowing lawns, yard work in general, pet sitting, dog walking, etc. Please indicate if you will work anywhere in the Village or just in your own neighborhood (please include your address if only working in your neighborhood).

If you are currently part of the Village Hall database and would no longer like your name/number given out, please contact Karla to be removed.

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EMERGENCY WARNING SYSTEM

We have recently had severe weather roll through Madison and Dane County. Below is some useful information from Dane County Emergency Management.

When disaster strikes, you may have only a short time to make what might be a life or death decision. Even though it is rare, catastrophic events do occur. We cannot predict exactly where or when they will occur, but we can take precautions to minimize the danger.

One of the most important things you can do is to be aware that a danger is present. Most of the injuries and deaths happen to people who are unaware or uninformed. For this reason, it is crucial that you understand the warning system.

The **Dane County warning system** consists of multiple components. Dane County takes an “all-hazards” approach to public warning. This means that we use the same decision-making structure and alerting methods, regardless of the threat. Severe weather is far and away our most common threat, but it is not the only one we face.

There are 134 outdoor warning sirens in the Dane County. The county is responsible for testing and warning activation of all of the sirens in the system. Sirens are sounded in reference to storm-based warnings meaning that only the sirens located within the Warning Polygon issued by the National Weather Service will actually be activated.

The primary activation point of the county sirens is in the Dane County 911 Center, with backup capabilities in the County Emergency Management office. While tornado warnings are the most common cause for siren activation, the sirens should not be considered to be “tornado sirens.” Outdoor warning sirens are designed to alert individuals who are outdoors of a possible hazard. Sirens are not intended to alert people who are in cars, homes, or other buildings. Modern building practices have effectively reduced the sound penetration inside. If you hear an outdoor warning siren you should “Shelter, Shut and Listen.”

- Shelter yourself, your family and your pets (if possible) inside away from the outside.
- Shut and lock doors and windows.
- Listen to radio and TV broadcasts as well as other sources of official information to learn how long you should stay sheltered and if there is any additional action you should take.

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Radio and television broadcasts are usually the best source of ongoing information about major emergencies. Be aware, though, that different stations and channels serve different areas and have different staffing levels.

Sirens can also be very susceptible to disruptions in the electrical power supply. A majority of the sirens operate on power supplied by local utilities. Power failures, which are common during thunderstorms, can disable a siren.

A **NOAA All-Hazards radio** receives broadcasts exclusively from the National Weather Service. The radio can provide rapid warning, direct from the source, when hazardous weather conditions pose a threat to life and property. It is also an “all-hazards” warning system, used not only for immediate flood or tornado related events, but also hazardous materials releases or other localized hazards. The radio receivers behave like smoke detectors, silently monitoring, and then alerting people to the initial warning message immediately upon receipt, providing more time to respond to the event. The radios are programmable, allowing the user to set it up to alert for only the event types and locations they are concerned about.

We recommend every household have an all-hazards radio. Here are some questions to help you decide on purchasing a radio: How do you receive severe weather and other public warnings now? Many people would say they receive these alerts from the outdoor sirens or from warnings broadcast on local television or radio. Are these sources always completely reliable? Can you always hear the sirens when they are sounded? Indoors? At night, with the windows closed and the air conditioner on? Is the siren loud enough to wake you up when you are sleeping?

Likewise, local television and radio is a great way to receive up-to-date warning information, but it works only if your radio or TV is on and tuned to the right station. Again, what about at night when you are sleeping? Or when you happen to be watching a cable or satellite channel that does not carry the local warning information. In those cases, you are very likely to miss the warning. A NOAA All-Hazards Radio, on the other hand, is designed to be an indoor warning device. It is always on and it will wake you up if you are sleeping.

NOAA Weather Radios are available through local electronics stores as well as from a large number of sources on the internet.

The **Wireless Emergency Alert system** is a national emergency alert system established through partnership between the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and wireless industry carriers. The system is designed to allow emergency managers to send concise, text based messages to Wireless Emergency Alert system capable devices. Mobile users are automatically enrolled to receive them. These alerts will appear on a person’s mobile device similar to a text message and are sent to all capable devices within an targeted geographic area. This assures that people in the area of the emergency will be rapidly alerted, while not alarming people that are not at risk.

Dane County uses a combination of methods for alerting the public when disaster threatens. We recognize that no one application can provide warning to all citizens. As a result, we take a systematic approach, understanding the advantages and disadvantages of each component.

The warning system can only be effective if you understand the benefits and limitations of the alerting methods available. There are a great deal of warning devices and methods available to you. We recommend that you take advantage of as many of them as possible. No one warning method is perfect and no one warning method can be guaranteed never to fail. By relying on one single method, such as the sounding of the outdoor warning sirens or the receiving information solely from broadcast meteorologists, you risk missing a warning if that system fails. By taking a systematic approach and getting information from more than one source, you are much more likely to receive the warning, even if there is a failure in one of the components.

We strongly recommend that you consider the following:

- Purchase a weather alert radio if you don't already have one.
- Rely on the sirens only for outdoor warning.
- Turn to broadcast radio or television for details and follow-up information.
- Register to receive alerts on your cell phone, text, and e-mail at: <http://dane.alertingsolutions.net>
- Follow us on [Twitter \(@DaneCountyEM\)](#) and like us on [Facebook \(Dane County Emergency Management\)](#).

For additional information go to: <https://www.countyofdane.com/emergency/warning.aspx>. Stay Safe!!

ANNUAL FOURTH OF JULY BAKE SALE!

All bakers and sweet-lovers are invited to the **Annual League Bake Sale** on July 4th at the Fire Station. Come down and enjoy a homemade dessert or help by donating a baked good. We need your support!



If you are not much of a baker, there are many other ways to get involved! We will need help setting up starting at 8:00am as well as help during the bake sale from 9:00 am to 1:00 am.



Please email shcleague@gmail.com to let us know how you can help.

GARDEN CLUB NEWS

At the **Annual Garden Club Luncheon**, held on June 5, Village Forester Corey George was presented with a check for \$3,000. The gift will fund replacement of ash trees which have been removed from the Village Parks in an effort to halt the spread of the Emerald Ash Borer, as well as provide some delayed treatment for several remaining Park ash trees. The Garden Club also contributed \$2,500 to augment the salary of the Village Horticultural Interns, an increase of \$500 over previous years.



Garden Club does many things to keep the Village green:

- Maintain and support (financially and volunteer labor) 22 Triangle Gardens, which are enjoyed by the entire Shorewood Hills neighborhood.
- Provide a variety of educational programs which inform and teach members and the community, as well as support a social network among Garden Club members, thereby reinforcing the pleasures of belonging to a club with a mission.
- Garden Club makes financial donations to the Village and a variety of organizations (including Olbrich Botanical Gardens, Allen Centennial Gardens, Friends of the Lakeshore Preserve, and Friends of the Arboretum) each year, thereby strengthening the goals of the club's mission statement to promote civic beautification and nurturing the environment.

We invite you to become a member of the Garden Club for the 2014-15 year. Please complete the form on the next page and return it to Annette Mahler, 3220 Tally Ho Lane.

SHOREWOOD HILLS GARDEN CLUB MEMBERSHIP

** It is time to renew your membership for the 2014-2015 year

Please complete the form below and return it to:

Annette Mahler
3220 Tally Ho Lane
Madison, WI 53705

(make checks payable to: Shorewood Hills Garden Club)

2014-2015 MEMBERSHIP

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

I wish to be an active member of the Garden Club. As such, I agree to pay annual dues of \$20, and agree to volunteer for one or more activities (please check the boxes in the next column that suit your interest & talents).

SUPPORTING MEMBERSHIP

I wish to be a supporting member of the Garden Club. As such, I agree to pay annual dues of \$30.

A GIFT THAT GROWS

I wish to make a donation of \$_____ to be used by the Garden Club toward the purchase of plant materials or other necessary supplies used for the beautification of the Village.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

(please print clearly)

In order to save on postage costs, please remind me of Garden Club meeting dates via e-mail, rather than by U.S. mail.

Please remind me via U.S. mail.

GARDEN CLUB VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

There are many jobs to be done and the Club is strongest and most active when many individuals roll up their sleeves and help. Join us for another terrific year of gardening in the Village!

Become a club officer or committee chair

Host a meeting at my house

Provide refreshments for a meeting

Allow members to tour my garden

Bake for the Election Day Bake Sale and/or assist with sale

Care for a Village Triangle Garden (annual commitment)

Help with Triangle Garden work-days

Help with the Plant & Mulch Sale in May

I would like to suggest a program, special event or tour for a Club meeting:

*And consider inviting a neighbors to join the
Garden Club. New members are welcome!*

ICE CREAM SOCIAL – JULY 20

Join us at Shorewood Hills Pool for the League's annual Ice Cream Social on Sunday evening, July 20, 2014 before the Water Ballet show. Enjoy scoops of ice cream (\$1 for one scoop) and stay to watch the performance. All proceeds help fund League events.

We also need volunteers. Please e-mail shcleague@gmail.com if you are interested in scooping!



CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

SERVICES

Green Acres Lawn Service – Now is the time to sign up for lawn mowing, fertilizer and weed control programs, lawn aeration, shredded bark mulch sales and spreading, gutter and downspout cleaning, sidewalk and driveway edging, bush pruning and tree work. Free estimates. Fully insured. Call Rob at 831-8050 or email rkuster@chorus.net

Guitar Lessons – Located in the Village. Over 15 years teaching experience. References upon request. Sign up now for a free interview lesson. Contact Aaron Katcher at 608-661-0226 or visit <http://katcherinc.com> for more information.

Math Tutor – Quality Math Tutor for ages 8-18. Questions please contact Barb Center at (608) 217-4732 or bcentermd@gmail.com.

RENTAL WANTED

Two physician household, new UW-Madison faculty, looking for a 3+BR/2+BA house to rent in Shorewood Hills starting mid-July or August, for a year. Please contact Mihaela at 615-554-4480 / mihandela@gmail.com or Aleks at 615-554-8780 / aleksstanic@gmail.com

FOR SALE

Sue Jefferson “**Your Neighbor and Neighborhood Realtor**” has partnered with Wanda Roche, an agent at the Stark Company, to better serve you.

“Knowledge and timber shouldn't be much used till they are seasoned” – Oliver Wendell Holmes
Sue and Wanda currently have these Village homes for sale:

- 3315 Blackhawk Drive–\$899,000
 - 3405 Blackhawk Drive–\$950,000
 - 1234 Wellesley Road–\$624,900
 - 3316 Blackhawk Drive–soon to be on the market
- Call Sue Jefferson 608-279-3701 or Wanda Roche 608-212-2928 of Stark Company Realtors, for all your Real Estate needs.

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LEAGUE BULLETIN ADVERTISING POLICY

The Shorewood Hills Community League Bulletin accepts ads from Village residents and businesses. The League does not accept non-resident commercial ads. Non-residents wishing to buy or rent homes in the Village may place ads for such if they provide a Village reference. Limit ads to 150 words or less.

The Village staff manages the Bulletin advertising program for the League. If you would like to place an ad, contact **David Sykes** at: dsykes@shorewood-hills.org. Commercial ads are 50¢ per word. Other resident ads are 30¢ per word. Residents under the age of 18 may place ads at 10¢ per word. Deliver payment to the Village Hall, 810 Shorewood Blvd, Madison, WI 53705. Checks should be made out to: Village of Shorewood Hills (or VoSH).

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The League would like to acknowledge births and deaths of Village residents. Please help by notifying Susy Cranley at 695-7763 or susycranley@charter.net with such information.