

Bartletter

Halloween 2020



Save the Date!

Pumpkin Smash & Document Shredding
Saturday, 11/7

Also MORE FUN Halloween activities with details on page 5

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Trick-or-Treating

Like so many holidays that have changed because of the coronavirus pandemic, you can expect Halloween 2020 to look a bit different as well. Many traditional Halloween activities can be high-risk for spreading viruses. However, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/daily-life-coping/holidays.html, offers some low-risk alternatives that are fun for the kiddos while maintaining the “spirit” of the holiday.

- ~ Carving or decorating pumpkins with members of your household or outside, at a safe distance, with neighbors and friends
- ~ Having a virtual Halloween costume contest
- ~ Having a Halloween movie night with people you live with
- ~ Having a scavenger hunt-style trick-or-treat search with your household members in or around your home rather than going house to house

If you do decide to trick or treat on Halloween (Saturday, 10/31), the Village’s hours are traditionally from 3 to 7 p.m. This year, please help prevent the spread of the virus by social distancing, staying in your immediate neighborhood and wearing a face mask at all times. Please remember to turn on your porch light if you will be passing out candy.

The Village, Bartlett Park District, Bartlett Library District and Bartlett Fire District also invite families to this “haunted road” event.

The Boo Drive Thru: Friday, 10/30 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Bartlett Community Center Parking Lot

This will be a contact-free, frightfully delightful drive through event for families. Enter from Stearns Road and enjoy the spooky scenes without leaving the comfort of your car.



A Well-Trained Police Force

The Bartlett Police Department continually strives to build trust with the public and form positive community relationships. Professionalism and communication are key to achieving this community bond.

Professional development and ongoing training are some of the building blocks employed to help officers adhere to the high standards the department has set for itself.

In 2019, members of the department attended 14,441 hours of training. Ongoing instruction includes important topics, such as de-escalation, crisis intervention, mental health awareness, implicit bias and cultural diversity.

Recently, Detective Christopher Johnson and Officer Jouwon Tate attended a two-day Fair and Impartial Policing trainer's program to learn about the effects of implicit bias. They were taught tactics on how to reduce and manage biases so officers can be more effective in their day-to-day operations. Johnson and Tate will be responsible for teaching this important topic to all members of the police department.

Bartlett has also contracted with a police training vendor to conduct an eight-hour training block on implicit bias that all department members will attend by the end of October 2020. This course will assist department personnel in overcoming maladaptive bias, using productive bias and improving their verbal and nonverbal communication skills.

In-house training covering mental health awareness and suicide also is scheduled for 2020. Approximately 81% of Bartlett police officers currently are trained in Crisis Intervention Team (CIT). CIT programs create connections between law enforcement, mental health providers, hospital emergency services and individuals with mental illness and their families. Through collaborative community partnerships and intensive training, CIT improves communication, identifies mental health resources for those in crisis and helps to ensure officer and community safety.



Additionally, the department is planning in-house instruction on the Police Executive Research Forum's Integrating Communications, Assessment and Tactics (ICAT) training. Essentially, ICAT is a new approach to use-of-force training for American police officers that integrates critical thinking, crisis intervention, communications and tactics. ICAT is anchored by a Critical Decision-Making Model that helps officers assess situations, make safe and effective decisions, and document and learn from their actions.

The goal is to enhance both police safety and public safety by providing more tools, skills, and options for officers handling different types of critical incidents. The training is especially effective for situations in which subjects are acting erratically because of mental illness or behavioral crisis and are unarmed or armed with a weapon other than a firearm.

Bartlett Police Department expects to incorporate ICAT training on an annual basis beginning in late 2020 or early 2021.

The Bartlett Police Department is committed to remaining on the forefront of professional development for its officers and to the pursuit of training programs, techniques, concepts and best practices that will allow police personnel to address current community needs and prepare for future trends in law enforcement.



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Take Five with the Trustees

Bartlett Village President Kevin Wallace has appointed Stephanie Gandsey to fill the Village trustee seat left vacant following the death of Michael Camerer in June. Although this board remains profoundly saddened by the sudden loss of Dr. Camerer, we warmly welcome Trustee Gandsey to the dais at Village Hall.

Gandsey is a graduate of Northern Illinois University, where she earned both a B.A. in Public Relations and Media Studies and an M.A. in Communication. She has lived in Bartlett for 11 years.

Since 2017, Gandsey has served as an economic development commissioner for Bartlett. She brings more than 15 years of professional experience in leadership strategy, marketing, communications and public relations at both non-profit organizations and private sector companies to her new role.

Not only does Stephanie have an exceptional record of professional accomplishments, she is enthusiastic about using her knowledge and skills to serve and support our community. She will chair the Village Board's Community & Economic Development Committee and we are fully confident that she is the right person for the position.

Gandsey was sworn in at the Tuesday, 8/18 board meeting, and she will serve the remainder of Camerer's term, which expires in 2021.

Almost at the same time that we welcomed our new board member, we said good-bye to Village Trustee Kristina Gabrenya, who resigned her board seat effective 9/16, in order to devote more time to her family and business.

"It has been the highest honor to have had the opportunity to serve this incredible community and its residents. I would like to thank you and each of the board members and staff for your kindness and support and for your unparalleled dedication. This is an

amazing community to live and work in, made possible by the residents, officials and staff that are committed to making it so," Gabrenya wrote in her resignation letter. "The opportunity to work with each of you and to serve the Village of Bartlett has been an experience for which I will always be grateful."

Gabrenya was appointed to the Village Board in May of 2017 to complete the term of her late mother, long-time Village Trustee T.L. Arends. She was re-elected in 2019 to a four-year term, which expires in spring 2023.

Born and raised in Bartlett, Gabrenya earned her doctor of optometry at St. Louis College of Optometry in Missouri and returned to the Village in 2005 to open her professional practice. Bartlett Vision is located on West Bartlett Road.

Her good standing as a Bartlett business owner and active member of the Bartlett Rotary, the Bartlett Area Chamber of Commerce and the Bartlett Lions Club allowed her to offer unique insight and build strong ties between the Village and its business community and civic organizations. Trustee Gabrenya's tenure on the Board may have been short in years, but it was long on the fresh perspective and enthusiasm for the work at hand that she brought to each meeting. Her steady leadership and guidance helped the Village successfully navigate many economic development and modern-day challenges during the past two years.

We want to extend our many thanks to Kristina for her service and dedication to Bartlett and offer her our very best wishes.

Vince Carbonaro



Raymond H. Deyne



Stephanie Gandsey



Adam J. Hopkins



Aaron H. Reinke



Fall Fun at Bartlett Hills

Oktoberfest “To Go!”



Bartlett Hills Golf Club, 800 W. Oneida Avenue, is hosting an Oktoberfest “TO GO” Curbside Pickup from noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday, 10/11.

The entree includes assorted German sausages with dipping sauces; pork schnitzel with mushroom gravy; and lemon thyme butter roasted chicken. On the side are spaetzle, braised red cabbage and green beans with apple crisp for dessert.

Dinner for one starts at \$29.95 or \$34.95 to include two German beers. For four people pay \$119.80 without beer or \$131.95 with beer. Prices do not include tax.

Please call 630-213-3103 or email evan@bartletthills.com to reserve your pickup time.

Prime Rib “To Go!”



Bartlett Hills Golf Club, 800 W. Oneida Avenue, is offering its famous Prime Rib Night for contact-free, curbside pickup only on Saturday, 11/7 from 3 to 7 p.m.

Choose dinner for one, two, three or four people, ranging in price from \$33 to \$105, tax not included. You'll get Caesar salad, rolls & butter, prime rib au jus, baked potato, grilled Italian vegetables and a choice of wine.

Call now to order by 11/6, 630-213-3103 or you can email evan@bartletthills.com.

Free Leaf Collection

For the health and safety of Bartlett residents, leaf burning has been prohibited in the Village since 1991. To help with the abundance of leaves each autumn, Bartlett's contract with Groot Industries provides for leaf collection at no additional cost to residents during October and November.

Leaves should be placed in brown paper yard bags at the curb each Tuesday alongside other household refuse and recyclables. DO NOT put leaves in plastic bags; these will not be collected. You DO NOT need to buy Groot yard waste stickers for leaves. Generic yard waste bags without stickers are accepted. **However, all other yard waste, such as grass clippings, pulled weeds, etc., must still be placed in stickered yard bags for collection.**

Branches/brush must be bundled in 2 foot by 2 foot by 4 foot long bundles and is collected weekly through November.

Village ordinance prohibits any person from depositing, raking, shoveling, plowing, blowing or dumping any leaves, grass clippings, branches or snow, onto any public parkway, gutter or street. Excess leaves and lawn clippings can obstruct sewers and cause flooding. Large piles of leaves also can freeze once temperatures drop and become roadway hazards.



More Halloween!

Mask Force, Doing Our Part!

Masks are not just for Halloween anymore. Wearing a face mask helps stop the spread of COVID-19. The Bartlett History Museum is asking families to help create a Facebook exhibit of Bartlett children, ages 3 to 12, wearing their face masks.

“Mask Force, Doing Our Part!” will document this time in history and show how Bartlett children actively helped in the fight against the coronavirus.



Send an individual portrait of your child(ren), each wearing their favorite face mask, to Pam, bartlethistory@gmail.com by October 31. Please include your child's name (only first names will be used online), their favorite flavor of ice cream and your contact information. One image per child. These images will become

part of the museums' COVID-19 archive.

Each submission will be entered into a drawing for a chance to win one of six gift cards to a

Bartlett ice cream parlor. The exhibit will be featured on the “Village of Bartlett Museums” Facebook page in November.

Decorating Contest

This Halloween Bartlett will be carving out some new memories with a Village sponsored decoration contest for homes and businesses. A pumpkin patch, ghosts galore or will it be a Hallow-scream? How are you going to decorate for Halloween?

There will be one winner in each of the three categories, no tricks, but the treat will be an Ace Hardware gift card for each winner. Pictures of the winning entries will be posted on the Village's social media and website pages. The contest is open to Bartlett residents and business owners. Complete the nomination form on the Village website by Friday, 10/23, www.village.bartlett.il.us/services/halloween-2020.

Categories

- * Jack-o-Lanterns a Glow - Give 'em pumpkin to talk about! Carved or whole your pumpkin theme will steal the show!
- * Positively De-frightful - Creep it real! This is only for the bravest of hearts! Zombies, ghosts and goblins rule here!
- * Spooktacular & Fang-tastic - You've got everyone under your spell with your eek-tastic decorations. If you've got it, haunt it.

Pumpkin Smash/Document Shred 2020

Saturday, 11/7 from 9 a.m. to noon - METRA Parking Lot on Bartlett Avenue
For Pumpkin Composting ONLY: enter at S. Eastern & E. Oneida Avenues
For Shredding AND Composting: enter at S. Eastern & E. Bartlett Avenues

This year the annual Pumpkin Smash, held cooperatively with SCARCE, and the Village-sponsored document shredding event will be combined.

The shredder truck allows residents to discard important documents in a secure manner. This program is for residents only and NOT commercial businesses.

Residents, you can “Green Your Halloween” by bringing your pumpkins and jack-o-lanterns for composting. Regular or decorated pumpkins are allowed, but please remove yarn, stickers or any plastic items before composting.

Visit the SCARCE website, www.scarce.org/pumpkins/ for more information or you can call the Village at 630-837-0800.



POLICE BEAT



Prescription Drug Drop-Off 10/24

Residents can drop off items inside Village Hall, 228 S. Main Street, from 9 a.m. to noon. Medications accepted in the program include non-controlled prescription and OTC drugs, liquid medication in leak-proof containers, pet medications, vitamins, ointments, lotions, homeopathic remedies and suppositories. No needles/sharps accepted! Proof of residency is not required. Please wear a face covering when coming inside Village Hall.

Neighborhood Watch

Interested in starting a Neighborhood Watch? The benefits of such a group include:

- **Partnerships with law enforcement and your neighbors**
- **Reduction in crime**
- **A more secure and better prepared hometown**
- **A more united community**
- **Improved communications**

Starting a Neighborhood Watch group is easier than you think! Check out the five steps below and contact Bartlett Police Department Crime Prevention Unit with any questions 630-837-0846.

1. Recruit and Organize as many neighbors as possible

It is wonderful that you are taking the steps to start a Neighborhood Watch group in your neighborhood. The first step is talking to your fellow neighbors about starting a group.

2. Contact your local law enforcement agency and schedule a meeting

The next step is contacting your local law

enforcement agency. Invite them to meet with your group at a time and place convenient for your Watch Group.

It is essential for your group to work in collaboration with law enforcement because Neighborhood Watch is a cooperative effort.

3. Discuss community concerns and develop an action plan

If law enforcement is unavailable to come to the first meeting, you might want to have a meeting to discuss the concerns and issues in the neighborhood. Your group should create a plan on how to work towards lessening the impact of the top three concerns of neighbors.

4. Create a communication plan

It is important to decide what type of communication will work for your Watch Group - meetings or social media or both.

5. Take Action: Hold Meetings and Events

Neighborhood Watch Toolkit has a number of wonderful training topics and meeting ideas that can be useful to your group.



Did You Know?

...the Village now offers paperless utility billing. You can sign up to receive your Bartlett water-sewer bill by email and help reduce the impact of paper billing on the environment. Visit the "Paperless Water-Sewer Bills" webpage, www.village.bartlett.il.us/how-do-i/sign-up-for/paperless-water-sewer-bills, to sign up.

You will need a couple of pieces of information from an existing bill to fill out the online form, including your account number and your customer number.

Please note, if you sign up after the 15th of the month you will not begin receiving your e-bill until the 2nd billing cycle. For example, if you sign up on April 3, you will receive your first e-bill in May. If you sign up on April 16, you will not receive your first e-bill until June.

If you need to change your email address or later decide to cancel paperless billing, please call 630-837-0800 or use the online contact form.

October 2020

“Dreams come a size too big
so that we can grow into them.”

~Josie Bisset,
American actress



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
				1 ZBA 7 pm	2	3
4	5	6 Village Bd 7pm	7	8 Plan Comm 7 pm	9 Bartlett High Fine Arts Craft Show, virtually on Facebook, October 9-11; October 16-18 & October 23-25	10
11 Oktoberfest TO GO, noon to 6pm @Bartlett Hills	12 March of the Women: Music to Remember Sufrage, 7pm EDC 7 pm	13 Presidential Campaigns through History 7pm on Zoom	14	15	16	17
18 Bartlett Lions Drive-Thru Pancake Breakfast, 8 to 11 am, Village Hall	19	20 Village Bd 7pm	21 Through the Ether(net) Magic, 7 pm	22	23	24 Drug Dropoff @Village Hall, 9am to noon
25	26	27	28	29	30 Boo Drive-Thru 6:30 to 8:30pm Comm Ctr Lot	31 HALLOWEEN

November 2020

“A different world cannot be built by indifferent people.”

~Original author unknown



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 ELECTION DAY If You Drew the Zoo, K-3rd, 10 am Village Bd 7pm	4	5 ZBA 7 pm	6	7 Pumpkin Smash & Shredding, 9am to noon, Prime Rib TO GO, 3 to 7pm
8	9 Kiddieland Remembered, at 7 pm EDC 7 pm	10	11 VETERANS' DAY	12 Plan Comm 7 pm	13	14
15	16	17 Village Bd 7pm	18 Thanksgiving Dinner Made Easy, at 7 pm	19	20	21 Bartlett Volunteer Fire Association Virtual Turkey Raffle, pg 11
22	23	24	25	26 THANKSGIVING	27	28
				<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p><i>Holiday Hours</i> Village Hall is closed Thursday, 11/26 thru Sunday, 11/29 for the Thanksgiving holiday</p> </div>		
29	30 Mid-Century Christmas, 7pm on Zoom					



Don't Feed Wildlife!

Although people who feed wildlife view it as a positive experience, wildlife biologists discourage the practice because it has a negative impact on the wildlife and the community.

1. Feeding wildlife increases the risk of injury and/or disease transmission to humans and their household pets.
2. Urban wildlife congregates in numbers larger than they would under natural conditions, increasing the spread of diseases between animals.
3. When wildlife is fed regularly, they become less wary of people. This can cause them to become nuisances and damage property.
4. It is illegal in Illinois to feed deer or lure deer to come to the property to eat what has been set out for other animals. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) will enforce this law and impose fines.

Bartlett allows a maximum of four bird-feeders to be hung from trees, a minimum of 4 feet from the ground and filled with birdseed specifically intended for birds. Bird-feeders must be cleaned at regular intervals to reduce the spread of disease.

Plant trees, shrubs and flowers that provide natural food sources, cover and nesting sites for birds. This reduces the likelihood of healthy birds coming into contact with sick birds and other animals.

Make sure bird-feeders are equipped with devices to discourage squirrels from feeding. Clean up seeds that fall to the ground to prevent attracting rodents, opossums, raccoons, squirrels, skunks, etc.

If you feed your pets outdoors, remove the bowls and clean up any spilled food. **NEVER** place food scraps outside and store garbage properly in solid trash containers with secure lids.

If animals have become a nuisance, contact a licensed wildlife trapper to remove the animal from your property. To do it yourself, you need a permit; contact IDNR at James Pate Phillip State Park, 847-608-3100. **POISONING OF WILDLIFE IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED.**

Find more information on these websites: www.wildlifeillinois.org; www.dupageforest.org; www2.illinois.gov.

Seasonal Code Enforcement Reminders

- * All summer recreational vehicles, boats and trailers must be off driveways by November 1 and cannot be returned to driveways until May 1.
- * Snowmobiles and trailers may be parked on driveways starting November 15 until April 15.
- * Holiday lighting and displays are permitted on private property for a period NOT TO EXCEED 90 days.

Mailbox Reimbursement Policy



Fall is just getting started, but the Bartlett Public Works Department is one step ahead, already planning for snow removal.

Occasionally, heavy snows knock over or cause damage to residents' mailboxes. The Village policy for reimbursement of damaged mailboxes during snowstorms is only applicable to those mailboxes that are built to U.S. Postal Service specifications and requirements and hit directly by a Village snowplow.

During the upcoming months, PW staff will survey their snowplow routes and make note of any weak posts or already damaged mailboxes. Residents will be informed if they have a mailbox that requires a repair to withstand a heavy snowfall and snowplowing in their neighborhoods.

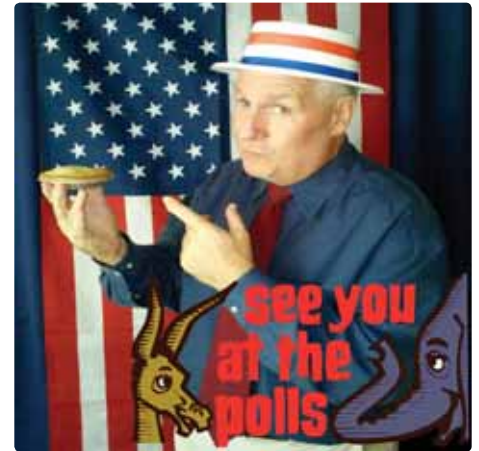
The complete mailbox reimbursement policy can be found on the Village website, www.village.bartlett.il.us. If you have additional questions, please call PW, 630-837-0811.

Mudslinging, Muckraking and Apple Pie: Presidential Campaigns, the Great American Pastime

Political campaigns are getting down and dirty. How did this campaign craziness get started? Believe it or not, they have actually become more civil over the years.

Join the Bartlett History Museum as it hosts Terry Lynch via Zoom on Tuesday, 10/13 at 7 p.m. You will hear the stories of the mudslinging and muckraking of the Jefferson v. Adams campaign of 1800, the Jackson v. Adams of 1828, the Lincoln v. Douglas of 1860 and Grant v. ANYONE! Also covered in this FREE program is the 1912 campaign, when Teddy Roosevelt decided to start his OWN political party.

Attendees must have a Zoom account prior to the presentation. Registration is required and limited to 100 virtual attendees. To register, email Pam at prohleder@vbartlett.org. The Zoom link will be emailed to each participant after registration.



A Mid-Century Christmas

Christmas in America from the 1940s through the 1960s meant aluminum trees, department store Santas and cartoon specials on TV. Every kid in the suburbs had to have an Easy-Bake Oven, a G.I. Joe or a Slinky. The coolest houses had rotating color wheels for their trees. Bartlett was no exception as seen in photos from this time period in the museums' collection.



Historian Leslie Goddard explores this optimistic era in a new illustrated lecture, using photographs, advertisements, greeting cards, and catalogs to explore why this era was a turning point for how the holidays are celebrated in the U.S.

Join the Bartlett History Museum as it hosts Goddard's FREE Zoom presentation on Monday, 11/30 at 7 p.m. Attendees must have a Zoom account prior to the presentation. Registration is required and limited to 100 virtual attendees. To register, email Pam at prohleder@vbartlett.org. The Zoom link will be emailed to each participant after registration.

Share Your Stories

This is not Bartlett's first experience with a global pandemic. The 1918 flu struck the Village. Today, the Bartlett History Museum is actively gathering the images, stories and artifacts that will preserve all aspects of the COVID-19 pandemic in the community's history.

From online learning, working from home, postponing or canceling of events to acts of kindness and more, share your stories with the museum. The goal is to have all voices heard and a museum collection that is inclusive, equitable and representative of everyone who calls Bartlett home. Contact Museum Director Pam Rohleder at bartletthistory@gmail.com.

Open 24/7 Online!

Currently the Bartlett History Museum and Bartlett Depot Museum are closed due to the COVID-19 pandemic. But the online collection is open 24/7.

There are more than 1,440 Bartlett images, objects and other archival materials just waiting to be discovered at bartlettmuseums.pastperfectonline.com/. You can search by keyword, name, random images, etc.

BARTLETT BRIEFS

HOLIDAY CRAFT SHOW

This year the **Bartlett High School** craft show, "Home for the Holidays" is going virtual. There will be three weekends when you can shop with various crafters, all on Facebook. Visit the Bartlett High School Fine Arts Craft Show page on October 9-11, October 16-18 & October 23-25; Fridays, 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturdays/Sundays, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Crafters interested in participating, contact Yvonne at ydmboxtop@sbcglobal.net

SAVE THE DATE FOR THESE VIRTUAL BARTLETT PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENTS

Monday, 10/12 at 7 p.m.

The year 2020 marks 100 years since the last state ratified the 19th amendment, which granted women the right to vote. Hammered dulcimer player and singer Phil Passen will perform songs about women's suffrage and more during "March of the Women: Music to Commemorate the Anniversary of Suffrage."

To attend this Zoom program, registration is required & a link or code will be sent to your email address.

Wednesday 10/21 at 7 p.m.

Magician Jeanette Andrews will lead you "Through the Ether(net)" during this program of interactive magic and illusory demonstrations.

To attend this Zoom program, registration is required & a link or code will be sent to your email address.

Tuesday, 11/3 at 10 a.m.

Grades K to 3rd can join Mark Anderson to play fun drawing games and invent silly animals in the interactive "If You Drew the Zoo."

To attend this Zoom program, registration is required & a link or code will be sent to your email address.

Saturday, 11/7 at 2 p.m.

Writing a book? Want to publish it? Amy Alessio will show how you can squeeze words into your busy day and give tips on getting ready to publish during "Finish That Book."

To attend this Zoom program, registration is required & a link or code will be sent to your email address.

Monday, 11/9 at 7 p.m.

From 1929 to 2009, Kiddieland was one of Chicago's favorite amusement parks. Cheryl Brown will revisit the history of the park with vintage photos and exclusive videos during "Kiddieland Remembered."

To attend this Zoom program, registration is required & a link or code will be sent to your email address.

Wednesday, 11/18 at 7 p.m.

Chef Dave Esau will chop, slice, simmer, sauté and roast while discussing prep skills, healthy eating and professional techniques as he guides you through "Thanksgiving Dinner Made Easy."

Bartlett library will provide a link on the date listed to view this pre-recorded program.

LIONS PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Bartlett Lions Club is still serving its Pancake Breakfast this fall, but it is a drive-thru event to keep everyone safe. Come pick up your pancakes, sausage & fruit on Sunday, 10/18 from 8 to 11 a.m. in the Bartlett Village Hall parking lot, 228 S. Main Street. \$5 per meal. More info at www.bartlettlions.org.

TURKEY RAFFLE

It's that time! The **Bartlett Volunteer Fire Association** will be hosting a VIRTUAL fresh turkey raffle on Saturday, 11/21. The proceeds raised will be donated to the Hanover Township Food Pantry and the Wayne Township Food Pantry. Herbie, Gertie and Family will be there...will you? For more information on purchasing raffle tickets or becoming a sponsor, go to [Facebook.com/BartlettVFA](https://www.facebook.com/BartlettVFA) or email bvfabarnmanager@gmail.com.

Please submit information for the December/January Bartletter to: Gabrielle Infusino, Village Hall, 228 S. Main St., Bartlett, IL 60103 or ginfusino@vbartlett.org by Friday, October 30.

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Holiday Tree Lighting

Date: Friday, 12/4 at 7 p.m.

Place: Bartlett Park, Oak Ave & North Ave

Start your holidays at the annual Tree Lighting sponsored by the Bartlett Area Chamber of Commerce with the Bartlett Park District and the Village.

Due to the coronavirus pandemic, Santa will not be making his annual visit to the Bartlett Park Log Cabin prior to the tree lighting. Please help keep everyone in the community healthy by wearing a face mask and maintaining a safe social distance at this event.

Details are subject to change, so please check the Village website and social media for any updates closer to the event date.



Contact Us

GO REQUEST: Do you need to report a pothole or a streetlight that is out, voice another concern,



ask a quick question or offer a compliment? Use Bartlett's GORequest system to contact the Village 24-hours a day, 7-days a week. Access the GORequest system on your smartphone or

other electronic device for free by searching "GORequest" in the Apple app store or on Google Play. You can also access it using the "Stay Connected" link on the homepage of the Village website. GORequest ensures that your issue is directed to the right person, in the right department and it provides you with a tracking number for easy follow-up. It also lets you search a Q&A database, subscribe to eNews, connects you directly to the Village website and more.

CALL: Village Hall Main Office, 630-837-0800
Public Works, 630-837-0811
Bartlett Hills Golf Course, 630-837-2741
Police Department, 630-837-0846
Emergency and TDD Service, call 911

Bartlett Village Hall Hours

Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, 9 a.m. to noon