

Bartletter

progress with pride

National Night Out 2016



The Village of Bartlett invites you to this year's FREE National Night Out events and also is asking for your help.

In honor of Bartlett's 125th Birthday, the Village will attempt to set a Guinness world record at the NNO Picnic in the Park on 8/2. To tie into Bartlett's history and train roots, the community will attempt to break the record of the most people blowing train whistles simultaneously. The current record is 1,127, held by the Friends of the Chatham Historical Society (USA) in Chatham, New Jersey. Let's Go Bartlett - come to Bartlett Park on 8/2 and let's blow some train whistles!

FRIDAY, JULY 29

6 to 10 p.m. - Twilight Skate Park Bash at Bartlett Skate Park 6 to 8 p.m. - Tailgate Party at Jim Jensen Pavilion in Apple Orchard Park 8 to 10 p.m. - NNO Pool Party at the Bartlett Aquatic Center

SATURDAY, JULY 30

8 a.m. to noon - NNO Community Blood Drive/Prescription Drug Dropoff/Food Drive at Bartlett Village Hall 3 to 10 p.m. - Block Party/Neighborhood Lighting Competitions

SUNDAY, JULY 31

1 p.m. - NNO Putt, Chip & Drive Crime Out of Bartlett Golf Skills Competition at Bartlett Hills Golf Club

Visit the National Night Out page on the Village website, wwww.village.bartlett.il.us, for more information.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

4 to 4:30 p.m. - Bicycle Safety Check
& Bike Ride with the Village
starting at the Jim Jensen Pavilion
5 to 9 p.m. - NNO Picnic in Bartlett Park
Come to the Picnic in the Park and help
Bartlett "BLOW" past the current Guinness
train whistle record!

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ZONED FOR BUSINESS

The Village has welcomed several new businesses and "re-welcomed" a popular eatery. **Metro PCS**, recently opened at 107 E. Lake Street, sells smart phones and plans at highly affordable prices. The store has several special offers for new customers, so call 630-855-6526 for details.

Martha Katselis, a long-time Village resident who previously owned The Closet Boutique in Bartlett, has opened **Little Shop on Oak** at 138 S. Oak Avenue. The retail shop carries women's fashions and will add some men's items soon. Hours are from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekends. Call 630-640-1079 for information.



Ace Relocation is up and running at its new 60,000 square foot facility at 1543 Hecht Drive in the Brewster Creek Business Park. One of the leading moving companies in the nation, Ace offers local, national and international moving expertise, well trained drivers and crews, and reliable packing services all at a competitive price. See www.acerelocation.com for details.

Lucky Star is now at the former Cadillac Ranch location, with new, state-of-the art lighting and sound systems and a new dance floor. Lucky Star brings live country music acts to town and dance music with DJs from 8 p.m. to 3 a.m. Thursday through Saturday. To see a schedule of upcoming events and musical acts, visit www.luckystarbar.com or the Facebook page.

Bartlett Pharmacy is open at 300 W. Bartlett Avenue, in the same building as Spin Doctor Cyclewerks. Village resident Nahren Khoshaba is the mother of four and a pharmacist dedicated to helping others live a happy and healthy life. She holds a BS from Loyola University and a PharmD from Midwestern University. Hours are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday. Bartlett Pharmacy also offers free home delivery and mailing of prescriptions. Call 630-855-5178 or learn more at www.bartlettpharmacyrx.com.



D'Licious Crepes & Roti re-opened at 225 S. Main Street in Bartlett Town Center with new hours and additional offerings. In addition to mouthwatering crepes and Indian fare, owner Rakesh Chopra's eatery now has gelato and Cafes Richard brand coffee drinks. New hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday. The restaurant is closed on Monday. The tasty variety of crepes is lengthy, so visit D'Licious Crepes' Facebook page for photos and additional details.







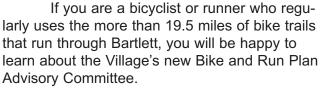








Timeout with the Trustees



The new committee consists of five members appointed by the Village President with the advice and consent of the Board of Trustees. One member is a Village Trustee, currently Trustee Michael Camerer, and the other four members are Village residents appointed at large. They will meet quarterly.

The Bike and Run Committee has been tasked with reviewing the Village's existing bike plan and bike paths and working with staff to prepare a new bike and run plan. In addition the committee will be making ongoing recommendations regarding the continued maintenance of, upgrades to and expansion of the Village's bike path system as well as other bike and running related matters and proposals.

The five-member committee got to work during its first quarterly meeting in March. Village GIS specialist Kristy Stone showed maps of existing bike paths in the Village and regional trails.

The North Central DuPage Trail will connect the Prairie Path to Busse Woods in Elgin. The Village previously was awarded a grant to install two bike path connections to the trail system in the state park, but those funds have been placed on hold. The Village will continue to work with surrounding municipalities, the counties and the Forest Preserve District of DuPage County to make sure the plans are all consistent and bike paths are connected.

One new and exciting order of business for the committee was Active Transportation Alliance's proposal to bring a bike race, the Kickstand Classic, to the northwest suburbs. This non-profit advocacy organization is the same group that organizes Bike the Drive in the City of Chicago each year.

The Bike and Run Plan Committee unanimously favored bringing the bike race to Bartlett and the Village Board approved the measure at its April 5 meeting.

Now it is up to area residents to take Trustee Arends advice and "get their bikes derusted and have all the sprockets checked."



Save the Date -**September 25, 2016**

The Kickstand Classic is a new bike race coming to Bartlett for cyclists of all abilities, riding any type of bike, be that a cruiser, hybrid or racing bike. Everyone is welcome!

Participants race on a car-free, loop course and are grouped into waves with people who bike at similar speeds. See how fast you can rock the clock for this 19-mile race. Each participant is electronically chip timed for accuracy.

Registration includes Kickstand Classic commemorative wicking tech t-shirt and finisher's ribbon, on-course technical bike support, a rest stop with light snacks and water, age group awards, and access to a post ride festival with a live band and more.

Visit www.kickstandclassic.org for all the details and registration information.

Clean out your basement, closets and drawers, then bring your old cell

phones, American flags, eyeglasses, prom dresses, crayons and personal documents for shredding to Bartlett Village Hall, 228 S. Main Street.

Cell Phones & Crayons

Monday, 6/13 thru Friday, 6/17 - 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Saturday, 6/18 from 9 a.m. to noon The cell phones will be donated to Cell Phones for Soldiers, which provides free calling minutes to military personnel overseas. Crayons will be donated to SCARCE, where volunteers peel, sort and melt them to make "Super Crayons" for children with special needs.

American Flags and Eyeglasses

Monday, 6/13 thru Friday, 6/17 - 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Saturday, 6/18 from 9 a.m. to noon The Village will collect worn American flags, for proper disposal, and used eyewear, which will be given to the Bartlett Lions Club.

Prom Dresses

Monday, 6/13 thru Friday, 6/17 - 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Saturday, 6/18 from 9 a.m. to noon Your gently used prom dresses will be given a second life when they are donated to help young high school women throughout the area attend their proms in style.

Document Shredding

Saturday, 6/18 only, from 9 a.m. to noon

The Village will host a shredder truck to allow residents the opportunity to discard important documents in a secure manner. This program is for residents only and NOT commercial businesses. This event will be held in the Village Hall parking lot.

Order a Rain Barrel

Residents can now purchase rain barrels through The Conservation Foundation. Rain barrels capture stormwater from your roof that would otherwise be lost as runoff. They are great for gardening, save water and help reduce the strain on the storm sewer system. For more information, please visit theconservationfoundation.org/page.php?PageID=52.

ARE YOU A PROUD PROPERTY OWNER?

The Village of Bartlett's Pride in Ownership Program recognizes outstanding property maintenance of single family homes, multifamily homes and commercial properties. Winners are recognized at a Village Board meeting, and the winning properties are displayed on the Village website. If you would like to nominate yourself or a neighbor, please complete and submit this nomination form. Although it's not required for nomination, please feel free to include a photograph or briefly write why your nominated property puts a proud smile on your face.

Name:
Phone:
Address of Nominated Property:

Please return this form to Paula Schumacher, Village of Bartlett, 228 S. Main Street, Bartlett, IL 60103, by August 1, 2016



Summer brings warm temperatures and the potential for severe weather. Residents are reminded to take the possibility of severe weather seriously and prepare ahead of time. Here are some tips for weathering any storm.

KNOW SEVERE WEATHER TERMINOLOGY

•Tornado or Severe Thunderstorm Watch: Conditions are right for a serious storm or tornado to develop. Watch for danger signs and be ready to

seek shelter quickly. Stay tuned to the radio or TV for National Weather Service bulletins.

- •Severe Thunderstorm Warning: Severe weather has been reported by spotters or indicated by radar. Warnings indicate imminent danger to life and property to those in the storm's path.
- •Tornado Warning: A tornado has been sighted or indicated by radar. Warning sirens will be sounded and you should find shelter immediately. BEFORE A STORM
- •Purchase a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Weather Radio with a battery backup and tone-alert feature. It automatically alerts you when a watch or warning is issued. The National Weather Service uses county names in its advisories, so know the county where you live and work.
- •Check the weather forecast before going outdoors and postpone plans if storms are imminent.
- •Keep a list of emergency phone numbers. Teach

Warning Sirens

Bartlett is equipped with several warning sirens to notify you of a weather emergency. Sirens are tested at 10 a.m. on the first Tuesday of each month. Other than testing, the signals are sounded only if a tornado warning is issued. If you hear the siren, take cover immediately; turn on a radio or TV for more information. As a Storm Ready Community, Bartlett reminds residents that the weather sirens will NEVER be used to signal that conditions are safe. It is up to you to decide when it is safe to leave places of shelter.

children how and when to call 911.

- •Choose a friend or relative who lives out of the area that separated family members can call to report their whereabouts and condition.
- •Keep important documents and records in a safe deposit box or other secure location.
- •Maintain a disaster supply kit.

DURING A STORM

- •Close all windows and doors. Draw shades or blinds to reduce the risk from flying glass.
- •Avoid using the telephone or other electrical appliances until the storm passes.
- •Turn off air conditioners. If lightning strikes, a power surge could damage the compressor.
- •Delay taking baths/showers until after the storm.
- •If outdoors, seek shelter immediately. If you can hear thunder, you are probably close enough to the storm to be struck by lightning.
- •If you are in a boat, try to reach shore quickly.
- •If you are driving, pull safely to the shoulder away from trees and power lines. Lightning can flash from trees or power poles into a vehicle through the radio antenna. Normally, in the open, a vehicle is a safe shelter from lightning.
- •Avoid touching metal parts of the vehicle when lightning is nearby.
- •If you find yourself where there is no immediate shelter, find a low spot away from trees and power poles and squat low to the ground. Make yourself the smallest target possible.

AFTER A STORM

- •Check for injured persons and render first aid. CPR will revive most lightning strike victims. Do not move anyone who is severely injured unless absolutely necessary. Wait for emergency assistance to arrive.
- •Photograph or videotape damage to property.
- •Do not make unnecessary telephone calls.
- •If driving, be alert for hazards on the roadway.
- •Check on neighbors or relatives who may require special assistance.



Bartlett Festival of the Arts June 25 & 26 in Bartlett Park

The 14th annual Bartlett Arts Festival produced by Arts in Bartlett will be held on June 25 and June 26, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Bartlett Park.

Artists cover a wide range of 2-D and 3-D media, including paintings, photography, glass, jewelry, wood and more. The festival also includes nonstop entertainment, including dancers from India and Mexico and the popular guitar duo Patchouli & Terra Guitarra from noon to 1 p.m. on Sunday.

Festival goers will also find children's art activities, food vendors, and a wine/beer tent. New this year is an author's tent, where more than 10 authors will sell and sign their books.

To see the full schedule of events and up-to-theminute details, go to www.artsinbartlett.org.

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At the end of each school year, the Village takes time at a Board meeting to recognize and thank **local U-46 teachers and administrators** who are retiring.

During the course of their careers, these men and women have contributed their time and talent to expand the minds and enrich the spirit of many young Bartlett residents and our community is better because of them.

This year lets offer our thanks and congratulations to the following educators and administrators:

Dale Schabert
David Nickoley
Lucille Niemeier
Jesse Rangel
John Chase
Patricia Rosiejka
Susan Seyller
Roy Velazquez

Marla Rommel
Patricia Polachek
Paula Peterson
Nancy Gore
Susan McCracken,
Carol Romaniszak
Luz Segreti
Donna Donahue.

Did You Know?

...that Illinois Route 390 (previously the Elgin-O'Hare Expressway) soon will become the first, all-electronic roadway on the Illinois tollway system.

Beginning July 5, cashless tolling will go into effect from Lake Street to I-290, the western segment of the \$3.4 billion Elgin-O'Hare Western Access Project, which includes 17 miles of new roads and 15 new or improved interchanges. The eastern portion of the project is scheduled to open by the end of 2017.

Get an I-Pass in person at local Jewel-Osco stores, including stores in Carol Stream, Streamwood, Glendale Heights and Schaumburg; by phone, 1-800-UC-IPASS (1-800-824-7277); by mail or online, www.illinoistollway.com.



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Fourth of July Festival, June 30 - July 4

The Bartlett Fourth of July Committee invites you to celebrate at Apple Orchard Park.

Thursday, June 30

Special Needs Carnival Time (priv	vate)
Carnival	
Food & Beer Tent	
Smokin' Gunz	Bandstand
AMERICAN ENGLISH	Bandstand
	Carnival Food & Beer Tent <i>Ѕмокі</i> м' <i>Gunz</i>

Friday, July 1

5:30 - 11 p.m.	Carnival	The state of the s
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5:30 - 7:50 p.m. 🛬	NEVERLY BROTHERS	Bandstand
8:30 - 11 p.m.	WEDDING BANNED	Bandstand
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Saturday, July 2

noon - 11 p.m.	Carnival	* 1
noon - 11 p.m.	Food & Beer Tent	
1 - 2 p.m.	JEN PANFIL	Bandstand
2:30 - 4 p.m.	TERATA	Bandstand
4:30 - 6 p.m.	Unchained	Bandstand
6:30 - 8 p.m.	BAD MEDICINE	Bandstand
8:30 - 11 p.m.	AND BEYOND	Bandstand

Sunday, July 3

1 p.m.	Bartlett Lions Club Fourth of July Parade	Downtown
1 - 2:30 p.m.	4TH POINT	Bandstand
3 - 5 p.m.	CROSSFIRE	Bandstand
3 - 11 p.m.	Carnival	
3 - 11 p.m.	Food & Beer Tent	
5:30 - 8 p.m.	RICK LINDY & WILD ONES	Bandstand
8:30 - 11 p.m.	HI INFIDELITY	Bandstand

Monday, July 4

Noon - 11 p.m.	Carnival	
Noon - 11 p.m.	Food & Beer Tent	
1 - 3 p.m.	Children's Entertainment	
1 p.m.	Tractor Pull for all ages	Aquatic Ctr
1:30 - 4 p.m.	Los Treboles Negros	in Food Tent
4 p.m.	Turtle Race	Aquatic Ctr
4 - 6 p.m.	JOHNNY RUSSLER & BEACH BUMS	Bandstand
6:30 - 9:30 p.m.	MODERN DAY ROMEOS	Bandstand
8:30 p.m.	Chicagoland Skydiving Center	
9:30 p.m.	Fireworks Extravaganza *	(music simulcast on FM 98.1)

*The Festival Closes at 9:30 p.m. <u>BEFORE the fireworks.</u>
This schedule is subject to changes.
Visit www.bartlett4thofjulyfest.com for schedule updates or visit Bartlett 4th of July Fireworks on Facebook.

Happy 125 Bartlett!

Celebrating the first 125 years...

Celebrate the Village of Bartlett's 125 years of incorporation by visiting the Bartlett History Museum exhibit, "Bartlett: 125 Years, Objects, Stories." The 125 objects from the museum's collection that are on exhibit tell the stories of Bartlett businesses, schools, sports teams, civic organizations, religious facilities and more.

What does this object, #84 in the exhibit, have to do with the Bartlett Police Department? Visit the museum, located in Village Hall, to find out. Hours are Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m to 4:30 p.m. and Saturday, 9 a.m. to noon. Admission is always free. Discover yesterday's Bartlett.



...and well beyond!

Donations continue to pour into the Bartlett History Museum, and the goal of 125 new objects and images significant to Bartlett's history by the end of 2016 already has been exceeded! The museum continues to thank everyone who has donated items to the collection and welcomes more.

"Collecting our Culture: Curated by Our Community," is the second new exhibit at the Bartlett History Museum, displaying these donated treasures for everyone to see. The exhibit also focuses on the role and work of museum staff in preserving these donations for future generations.

Did you know that "Crusaders of Lornia," a trading card game that combines an adventurous fantasy realm of dragons, warlocks and goblins was created and is produced in Bartlett by Eternal Relic Games Inc? Thanks to owner and creator Michael Loda, the museum now has game cards, booster packs, a comic book and poster from the game in the museum's collection.

Passport to Adventure



The "Passport to Adventure" program is underway and is the perfect summer activity for the whole family. This free program is geared toward children age 4 and older. It encourages families to discover, learn and have fun by visiting museums, nature centers and more in DuPage and Kane Counties.

The only thing children need to get started is a free "passport," which is available at the Bartlett History Museum in Village Hall, 228 S. Main Street; Bartlett Depot Museum, 100 W. Railroad Avenue; Bartlett Nature Center, 2054 W. Stearns Road; Arts in Bartlett Center for the Arts, 215 S. Main Street; and at the Bartlett Public Library, 800 S. Bartlett Road.

The "passport" lists all the participating sites and provides information about location, hours of operation and admission fees, if any.

It's Summer at the Depot

From June 1 to August 31, the Bartlett Depot Museum, 100 W. Railroad Avenue, is switching to summer hours. It will be open on Tuesday and Thursday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Experience Bartlett history through the railroad which established the Village. The current exhibit, "Signals, Symbols and Semaphores, Talking without Speaking," focuses on railroad communications through hands-on experiences. Also, "Metranology" tests how well you know Metra's history? Take a fun quiz and find out!

Each month on First Saturdays at the Depot, families can join museum staff for a free kids craft from 9 a.m. to noon. Registration is not necessary but supplies are limited.

On 6/4 - Dad's Day gift On 7/2 - closed for the holiday



"A good example has twice the value of good advice."
~Author Unknown

Character Counts! in Bartlett

June 2016

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4 Craft at Depot 9 am to noon
				ZBA 7 pm		
5	6 Brush Pickup - Area A	7	8	9	10	11
		Village Bd 7pm		Plan Comm 7 pm	Fravinia @library, 5 pm	
12	13 Brush Pickup - Area B	14	15 Garden Club 7pm @Poplar Creek Library	16	17	18 Depot Museum open 9am-noon
		Clean Up	Week, June 13 to	o 18 See Pg 4 f	or details	
	EDC 7 pm					Home Brewing 1pm @Com Ctr
19 Father's Day	20 Brush Pickup - Area A	Art Reception @ Village Hall Gallery, 6 pm Village Bd 7pm	22	23	24	25 Canoe Races 9:30am Aquatic Ctr Festival of Arts @ Bartlett Park 10am - 5pm
Festival of Arts @ Bartlett Park 10am - 5pm	27 Brush Pickup - Area B	28	29	30		



"It is a grand mistake to think of being great without goodness and I pronounce it as certain that there was never a truly great man that was not at the same time truly virtuous." ~Benjamin Franklin, American founding father, inventor and statesman

Character Counts! in Bartlett

July 2016

MON	TUES	WED	THURS		FRI	SAT
						s closed for holida 7/2 to Monday 7/4
4 INDEPENDENCE DAY	5 Brush Pickup - Area A	6		7	8	9 Singles Dance 8pm @James Pate Philip Pk
	Village Bd 7pm		ZBA 7 pm			
11 Brush Pickup - Area B	12	13		14	15	16 Depot Museum open 9am-noon
Hist Soc 7pm @Library EDC 7 pm					Fravinia @library, 6:30 pm	Family Glow Run & Dance 9pm @Bartlett Nature Ctr
18 Brush Pickup - Area A Center	19 Art Reception @ Village Hall Gallery, 6 pm Village Bd 7pm	20 Biggest Olympic Celebration, 11am @Jensen Pavilion	·	21	22 Hawaiian Flick & Float, 7:30pm @Aquatic Ctr	23
25 Brush Pickup - Area B Arts in Bartlett	26	27		28	NNO Skate Bash, 6-10 pm; NNO Tailgate, 6-8 pm; NNO Pool Party, 8-10 pm	30 NNO Blood Drive/Food Drive/Drug Dropoff @Village Hall, 8am-noon
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VILLAGE OF BARTLETT 2015 Annual Water-Quality Report

By law the Village of Bartlett must provide information to its residents regarding water quality. This is an annual report on the quality of water delivered in 2015 by the Village of Bartlett. The data is from 2015 unless otherwise noted. This report meets the federal Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) requirements for "Consumer Confidence Reports" and contains information on the source of Bartlett's water, its constituents and the health risks associated with any contaminants. Safe water is vital to the community, and the Village tests and monitors its water quality on a continual basis. Please read this report carefully. If you have questions or would like information about the next opportunity for public participation in decisions about Bartlett's drinking water, call the number listed at the end of this report, on page 14.

The Village of Bartlett's drinking water meets or surpasses all federal and state drinking water standards.

OVERVIEW

In 2015 the Village water system pumped 1,163,221,000 gallons to its consumers. Village treatment processes include chlorination for disinfection, fluoridation for dental care, filtration for iron removal and filtration for radium removal. Bartlett's water is tested continuously by certified laboratories to ensure it meets drinking water standards set by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.

WATER SOURCE

The Village of Bartlett has two sources of water that are blended together in its distribution system. One source is the seven drilled wells located throughout town. The second source is water purchased from the City of Elgin. Elgin blends well water with water drawn from the Fox River, which is treated at its plant and pumped to Bartlett as a "finished" water.

The Illinois EPA has completed Source-Water Assessment for both Bartlett and Elgin water sources. They have determined that Bartlett's source water is not susceptible to contamination. Since Elgin uses a surface water source, the Illinois EPA considers it susceptible to potential pollution problems. Therefore Elgin uses the mandatory treatment processes of coagulation, sedimentation, filtration and disinfection. Detailed copies of these assessments are available by calling Water Supervisor Tom Ruzicka, Village of Bartlett Public Works, 630-837-0811.

AN EXPLANATION OF THE WATER-QUALITY DATA TABLE

The tables show the results of Bartlett's and Elgin's water-quality analyses. The data presented in this report is from the most recent testing done in accordance with regulations. Every regulated contaminant that the Village detects in the water, even in the most minute traces, is listed here. The table contains the name of each substance, the highest level allowed by regulation (MCL), the ideal goals for public health, the amount detected, the usual sources of such contamination, footnotes explaining Bartlett's findings and a key to units of measurement.

The definitions of MCL and MCLG are important.

Maximum Contaminant Level or MCL: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible, using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or MCLG: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Action Level or AL: The concentration of contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirement that a water system must follow

Treatment Technique or TT: A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

KEY TO TABLE

NTU = Nephelometric Turbidity Units mrem/year = millirems per year (a measure of radiation absorbed by the body) pCi/L = picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity) ppm = parts per million or milligrams per liter (mg/l) ppb = parts per billion or micrograms per liter (ug/l)

Bartlett Water

SUBSTANCE	DATE TESTED	UNIT	MCL	MCLG	HIGHEST DETECTED LEVEL	RANGE OF DETECTED LEVELS	MAJOR SOURCES	VIOLATION
MICROBIAL SUBSTANC	CES							
Total Coliform Bacteria	2015	#pos/mo	5%	0	1.9%	0.0-1.9%	Naturally present in the environment	NO
INORGANIC SUBSTANC	CES							
Lead	2014	ppb	AL=15	0	14.8	3>AL	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits	NO
Copper	2014	ppm	AL=1.3	1.3	0.173	0>AL	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives	NO
Fluoride	2015	ppm	4	4	1.68	1.36-1.68	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer & aluminum factories	NO
Sodium	2015	ppm	n/a	n/a	43.8	43.8-43.8	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits; used as a water softener	NO
Manganese	2015	ppb	150	150	46.3	0 - 46.3	Erosion of natural deposits	NO
Barium	2015	ppm	2	2	0.372	0.0638-0.372	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits	NO
Nitrate-Nitrite	2015	ppm	10	10	0.499	0-0.499	Runoff from fertilizer; leaching from septic tanks; erosion of natural deposits	NO
SYNTHETIC ORGANIC	CONTAI	IINANTS						
Di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate	e 2014	ppb	6	0	1.0	0-1.91	Discharge from rubber & chemical factories	NO
RADIOACTIVE SUBSTA	NCES							
Radium 226, 228	2015	pCi/L	5	0	1.0	1.08-1.5	Erosion of natural deposits	NO
Gross alpha	2015	pCi/L	15	0	7.0	1.2-6.7	Erosion of natural deposits	NO
DISINFECTION BY-PRO	DUCTS							
TTHMs (Total Trihalomethanes)	2015	ppb	*80	0	64.0	27.6-83.2	By-product of drinking water chlorination	NO
Total Haloacetic Acids	2015	ppb	*60	0	35.0	8.53-48.7	By-product of drinking water chlorination	NO
Chlorine	2015	ppm	4 f Flarin	4	2.0	1-2	Added for disinfection	NO
Additional Table Footno	otes. See	o morrou	τ ⊑igin	uata ta	abie			

	Unregulated Contaminants									
SUBSTANCE (units)	YEAR SAMPLED	AMOUNT DETECTED (average)	RANGE OF DETECTIONS (lowest - highest)	TYPICAL SOURCE						
1,4-Dioxane	2014	0.15	0.08-0.19	Cyclic aliphatic ether; used as a solvent or solvent stabilizer in manufacture & processing of paper, cotton, textile products, automotive coolant, cosmetics, & shampoos, cleaning agent, surface coating & adhesive agent						
Chromium	2014	0.55	0.4-0.8	Naturally-occurring element; used in making steel & other alloys; used for chrome plating, dyes & pigments, leather tanning and wood preservation						
Molybdenum	2014	1.77	1.3-1.9	Naturally-occurring element found in ores & present in plants, animals & bacteria; commonly used form molybdenum trioxide used as a chemical reagent						
Strontium	2014	471.6	104.8-1555.9	Naturally-occurring element; historically, commercial use of strontium has been in the faceplate glass of cathode-ray tube televisions to block x-ray emissions						
Vanadium	2014	0.3	0.2-0.4	Naturally-occurring elemental metal; used as vanadium pentoxide which is a chemical intermediate & a catalyst						

Elgin Water

SUBSTANCE	DATE TESTED	UNIT	MCL	MCLG	HIGHEST DETECTED LEVEL	RANGE OF DETECTED LEVELS	MAJOR SOURCES	VIOLATION
MICROBIAL SUBSTA	NCES							
Turbidity (%, 0.3NTU)	2015	NTU	TT	n/a	100%	100%	Soil Runoff	NO
Turbidity (NTU)	2015	NTU	1NTU	n/a	0.27	n/a	Soil Runoff	NO
Total Coliform Bacteria	2015	#pos/mo	5%	0	0.9%	0-0.9%	Naturally present in the environment	NO
INORGANIC SUBSTA	NCES							
Barium	2015	ppm	2	2	0.0166	0.0166- 0.0166	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits	NO
Copper	2013	ppm	AL=1.3	1.3	0.156	0>AL	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives	NO
Fluoride	2015	ppm	4	4	1.0	1.0-1.0	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories	NO
Arsenic	2015	ppb	10	0	1	1.29-1.29	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; runoff from glass and electronics production wastes.	NO
Nitrate-Nitrite	2015	ppm	10	10	1.0	0.056-1.12	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits	NO
Lead	2013	ppb	AL=15	0	14.5	7>AL	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits	NO
Sodium	2015	ppm	n/a	n/a	76	76-76	Erosion of naturally occurring deposits; Used as a water softener	NO
DISINFECTION BY-PF	RODUCT	S						
TTHMs (Total Trihalomethanes)	2015	ppb	*80	n/a	65.0	14.05-94.5	By-product of drinking water chlorination	NO
Total Haloacetic Acids	2015	ppb	*60	n/a	37.0	2.92-65.2	By-product of drinking water chlorination	NO
Chloramines	2015	ppm	4	4	2.80	2.0-3.0	Water additive used to control microbes	NO
RADIOACTIVE SUBS	TANCES	3						
Radium 226, 228	2014	pCi/L	5	0	0.77	0-0.77	Erosion of natural deposits	NO
Gross Alpha	2014	pCi/L	15	0	0.77	0-0.77	Erosion of natural deposits	NO

Water-Quality Table Footnotes

Turbidity: Turbidity is a measure of the cloudiness of the water. It is a good indicator of water quality and the

effectiveness of the filtration system and disinfectants.

Iron: Iron is not federally regulated. The state has set an MCL of 1000 ppb. Excessive iron levels may cause

staining of laundry and plumbing fixtures, but is not a health hazard.

Sodium: There is no state or federal MCL for sodium. Monitoring is required to provide information to consumers and

health officials that are concerned about sodium intake due to dietary precautions. If the level is greater than

20 ppm and you are on a sodium restricted diet, you should consult a physician.

Some substances are not required to be sampled annually.

In most cases the highest detected level is an average, and in some cases it is rounded up.

*MCL Statement: The maximum contaminant level (MCL) for TTHM and HAA5 is 80 ppm and 60 ppm respectively and is currently only applicable to surface water supplies that serve 10,000 or more people. These MCLs became effective 01/01/2004 for supplies and surface supplies serving less than 10,000 people. Until 01/01/2004, surface water supplies serving less than 10,000 people, any size water supply that purchases from a surface water source, and groundwater supplies serving more than 10,000 were under a state imposed TTHM MCL of 100 ppm. Some people who drink water containing trihalomethanes in excess of the MCL over many years experience problems with their livers, kidneys or central nervous systems and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

ADDITIONAL HEALTH INFORMATION

To ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the USEPA prescribes limits on the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water. Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably expect to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Sources of drinking water (both tap and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and radioactive material and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or human activity. Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- (A) Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.
- (B) Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- (C) Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources, such as agriculture, stormwater runoff, and residential uses.
- (D) Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organics, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.
- (E) Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the USEPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health. Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than is the general population. Immuno-compromised persons, such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice from their health care providers about drinking water. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

CONCERNING LEAD TESTING

Infants and young children are typically more vulnerable to lead in drinking water than the general population. It is possible that lead levels at your home may be higher than at other homes in the community as a result of materials used in your home's plumbing. If you are concerned about elevated lead levels in your home's water, you may wish to have your water tested and flush your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using tap water. Additional information is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

OTHER MONITORING

In addition to the testing Bartlett is required to perform, the Village water system voluntarily tests for many additional substances and microscopic organisms to make certain its water is safe and of high quality. If you are interested in a more detailed report or have any additional questions, please contact Water Supervisor Tom Ruzicka, Village of Bartlett Public Works. 630-837-0811.

BARTLETT BRIEFS

SUMMER READING BEGINS

Time to soak up some sunshine and break out the books because **Bartlett Public Library's** Summer Reading Club is back, 6/6 through 7/30! Celebrate the Olympics with "Read for the Win." Fill out your reading log for prizes. More information at 630-837-3348.

FRIDAYS! FAMILIES! FUN!

The Bartlett Park
District and Friends of the
Library are partnering for this
summer's FREE Fravinia concert series on the north lawn of
Bartlett Public Library. Pack
up the family and a picnic dinner and come out for music and
entertainment. No registration
necessary; picnic baskets, blankets and lawn chairs welcome.

On 6/10 see Cruisin' Classics at 6:30 p.m., with a classic car show beforehand at 5 p.m. On 7/15 Prairie Thunder performs in a show for all ages; on 8/12 see SODA...from John Mellencamp to Cee Lo Green, this band can play it all. *Rain location: library meeting room.

SAVE THE DATE FOR THESE PARK DISTRICT EVENTS

June 18, 1 - 2 p.m.

Home Brewing 101 (21 & older)

@Community Center

June 26, 9:30 - 11 a.m.

Race Around the River using inflatable canoes @Aquatic Ctr

July 9, 8 - 10 p.m.

Star Crossed Meeting - singles can dance the night away @James 'Pate' Philip State Park picnic shelter

July 16, 9 p.m.

Family Night Glow Run & Dance Party @Bartlett Nature Center July 20, 11 a.m. - noon Bartlett's Biggest Olympic Celebration @Jim Jensen Pavilion in Apple Orchard Park July 22, 7:30 p.m.

Surf's Up! Go Hawaiian Flick and Float @Aquatic Ctr

August 5, 8 - 10 p.m. Karaoke Dance Night @Aquatic Ctr

August 6, 9 - 11 a.m.
Kids Fishing Derby @Beaver
Pond. For more information
about Park District events, visit
www.bartlettparks.org.

CRAZY CAT PEOPLE PARTY

Love cats? Purrfect!
Come hangout with fellow kitty enthusiasts at **Bartlett Public Library** from 1:30 to 4 p.m. on
Saturday, 6/25. Play a feline trivia game and make cute cat crafts.
The best part? There will be kitties! The PACT Humane Society is bringing some adoptable feline friends. Children and teens welcome with an adult guardian.

WOMAN'S SCHOLARSHIP

The **Bartlett Woman's Club (BWC)** is offering its reentry scholarship for a Bartlett woman, 21 years or older, who

wants to further her education and reenter the business or education field. Awarded based on need and career goals. To apply, email *ruth147@aol.com* or send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Bartlett Woman's Club c/o Ruth Beckner, 147 Taylor Ave., Bartlett, IL 60103. Application deadline is July 1. For details, call Ruth, 630-837-8125.

HOMECOMING & WORSHIP

Immanuel United
Church of Christ is celebrating its 125-year anniversary. All past ministers, members, confirmands, friends and the Bartlett community are invited for a reunion, worship service, a reception and display of historic artifacts. The Homecoming Service is 9:30 a.m. on Sunday, 7/24, at 415 W. North Avenue.

GOLF VOLUNTEERS

Bartlett Woman's Club needs drivers and score keepers, age 18 and older, for the Special Olympics golf event at Bartlett Hills on Monday, 8/1. To volunteer, email ruth147@aol.com or call 630-837-8125.

CRAFTERS & VENDORS

Bartlett High School is looking for artisans, crafters and vendors for its Art & Craft Show on 10/29. For more information and applications, contact *bhsart-craftshow2016@gmail.com*.

Please submit information for the August/September Bartletter to: Gabrielle Infusino, Village Hall, 228 S. Main St., Bartlett, IL 60103 or ginfusino@vbartlett.org by Friday, June 24.



EXPRESS YOURSELF

To e-mail a question or comment to any one of the Village departments, please visit our website and click on "Contact Us" on the homepage. You may also contact the Village by regular mail at: Village of Bartlett,

228 S. Main Street, Bartlett, IL 60103



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Bartlett is hosting another village-wide garage sale, Thursday, 8/18 through Saturday, 8/20, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day. A map for the event, including the addresses of all participating households, will be available at Village Hall and on the Village website. The Village will also publicize the garage sale in the newspaper and the next issue of the Bartletter.

Residents who would like to participate and have their address listed on the map can fill out the village-wide garage sale application at Village Hall or on the Village's website, www.village.bartlett.il.us. Applications must be submitted no later than Friday, 7/15.

Anyone who submits an application after 7/15 is welcome to join the event, however their address will not be included on the map or in advertising.

Bartlett Phone Directory

Police Service Number

Folice Service Multiper	911
Administrative Number	630-837-0846
TDD Service for Hearing Impaired	
Emergency/Non-emergency	911
Fire Emergency Number	911
Non-Emergency	630-837-3701
Bartlett Village Hall	630-837-0800
Bartlett Public Works	630-837-0811
Bartlett Hills Golf Course	630-837-2741
Bartlett Public Library	630-837-2855
Bartlett Park District	630-540-4800
Bartlett Aquatic Center	630-372-7665
Bartlett Post Office	800-275-8777
Bartlett Chamber of Commerce	630-830-0324
School District U-46	847-888-5000
Hanover Township	
Assessor's Office	630-837-0301
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Assessor's Office	630-231-8900