



Spring-Summer 2020 COVID-19 Update

Vehicle Stickers

Village Hall remains closed to the public at this time but will reopen when proper precautions can be followed.

Vehicle Stickers for the 2020-2021 Season (which expire in June of next year) are on sale online and applications can be mailed or put (postage free) in the grey drop box in the Village Hall parking lot.

Seniors (Age 62+) that are applying for a free vehicle sticker for the first time should include a photocopy of the registration and driver's license with their application.

The original deadline for purchasing a 2020-2021 vehicle sticker was June 30th but for this year the deadline was extended *one month* until **July 31st**.

If you have any questions about purchasing a 2020-2021 vehicle sticker please contact Village Hall at (847) 678-2550 or email bbursiek@schillerparkil.us.

Water Billing

May water bills are due **May 31, 2020** however, no late penalties will be imposed while the Governor's Stay-at-Home Order remains in effect and the Village Hall remains closed to the public.

In the meantime you can pay your water bill: (1) online (using the online payments button on the Village website), (2) in the mail, (3) by placing an envelope containing your bill and payment in the grey drop box in the Village Hall parking lot, or (4) by credit card over the phone.

If you have questions or concerns about your water bill, please contact Village Hall at (847) 678-2550 for assistance.

Garage Sales

Garage Sales are allowed but you must obtain a Village permit, starting Friday, May 29th. No more than ten (10) people are allowed at one time and social distancing guidelines must be followed.

Recreation Center / Fitness Center

The Recreation Center and Fitness Center remain closed to the public at the present time. No specific date for re-opening the building and/or the fitness center has been determined. The Village will be closely following the updates to the Governor's Stay-at-Home Order and will determine, based on those updates, when it is safe to reopen.

Fitness Center and Gym Memberships are on pause for the duration of the shutdown and will be extended by an equal amount of time that the shutdown lasts.

Parks Update

The Village Parks remain open for most activities however, the playgrounds remain closed at this time. The "Schiller Bark Park" (Dog Park) reopens on Monday, June 1st with extra COVID-19 related precautions in place.

Anna Montana Water Park & Memorial Pool

The current plan is for the Water Park to remain closed for the 2020 summer season. The Village regrets that this difficult decision was necessary, but it is the best option available to the Village at this time.

Summer Day Camp

The Village is considering an abbreviated day camp for the second half of the summer assuming it can be done safely, and in accordance with the Governor's orders. Further details about this will be shared in the coming weeks.

Summer Events

- (1) The **4th of July Community Picnic** has been canceled for 2020.
- (2) The **National Night Out** event (sponsored by the Police Department) scheduled for August 4, 2020 has been canceled.
- (3) The summer Clock Tower Park concerts ("**Rockin in the Park**") and summer "**Movies in the Park**" at Stalica Park have both been canceled through the end of July 2020.
- (4) The "**Pierogi & Fun**" (Saturday, September 12th) event and the "**Classic Car Show & Family Fun Day**" (Sunday, September 13th) are both on hold pending a final determination later this summer about whether they can proceed safely.

The Village regrets that canceling summer events is necessary but safeguarding the health of our residents is our most important consideration during this difficult time

Construction Projects

The Village has undertaken a substantial number of infrastructure improvement projects this construction season. Updates on the progress of the projects already started can be found on the "Construction Updates" webpage on the Village website. Please use the address below to view this webpage:

www.villageofschillerpark.com/ConstructionUpdates

| <u>Current Projects</u> | <u>Upcoming Projects</u> |
|--|---------------------------------------|
| Grace Street Water Main Replacement | Ivanhoe Avenue Resurfacing |
| Scott Street Resurfacing | Seymour Avenue Resurfacing |
| Michigan-Forster Alleys Reconstruction | Judd Avenue Resurfacing |
| Prairie-Wagner Alleys Reconstruction | Montrose Boulevard Resurfacing |
| | Hirschberg Avenue & Court Resurfacing |
| | Agatite Court Resurfacing |
| | Bobby Lane Resurfacing |
| | Grace Street Resurfacing |

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