

NORTHBROOK

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2018



Administrative Hearing Process Begins in Northbrook

Beginning in November, the Village will offer Administrative Hearings (or local adjudication) as an alternative to the County Circuit Court for municipal code violations.

Cases heard at an Administrative Hearing will include non-moving traffic violations (i.e. parking and vehicle sticker tickets); local ordinance violations (i.e. shoplifting and cannabis cases); nuisance and code enforcement cases; fire, building, and health code infractions; unlicensed businesses; water, sewer, and stormwater issues; as well as underage curfew, tobacco, and alcohol violations. State law violations, including moving violations, will continue to be resolved at the Circuit Court level.

By holding local Administrative Hearings, the Village will expedite timelines, provide a convenient and local opportunity for defendants to be heard, and reduce costs for all parties.

The first Administrative Hearing will take place November 15 in the Board Room at Village Hall. Hearings will take place on a monthly basis.

For additional information on the Administrative Hearing process, visit www.northbrook.il.us/administrativehearings, email Administrative.Hearings@northbrook.il.us, or call 847-664-4022.

Veterans Day Ceremony

Remember our Veterans, as well as those currently serving, at this year's **100 Year Anniversary of the Armistice** Veterans Day Service.

Attend the Service on Sunday, November 11, 10:30am at Northbrook Jr. High Gymnasium, 1475 Maple Avenue

The American Legion Post #791 and the Veterans of Foreign Wars invite all to assemble in the Northbrook Jr. High gym for a service to honor those who served the armed forces: Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, and Coast Guard.

Come Out and Thank Our Veterans

Check out a display of WWI artifacts at American Legion Post 791 (1354 Shermer Road) on Saturday, Nov. 10, from 10am-2pm and Sunday, Nov. 11 from 12-4pm.

Veterans Day Breakfast Celebration

On Friday, November 9, the Northbrook Park District Senior Center will celebrate Veterans with breakfast and entertainment from 10-11:30am at the Leisure Center. Call 847-291-2995 to save your place.

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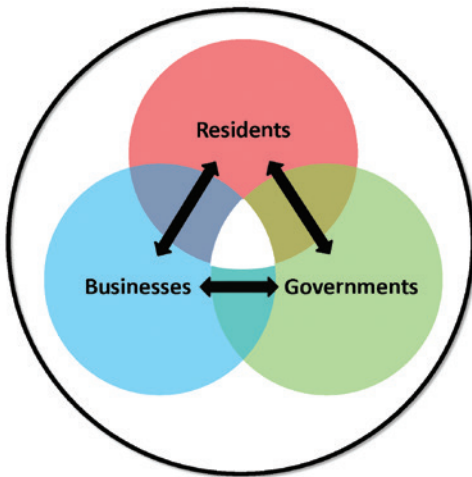
Northbrook Artist Studio Tours

Meet local artists on Sat., Nov. 3, from noon to 4pm. Start the tour at Village Green Center or visit www.northbrookarts.org for a map!

Spotlight on the Northbrook Economic Development Committee

The Northbrook Economic Development Committee (EDC) is celebrating 25 years of service.

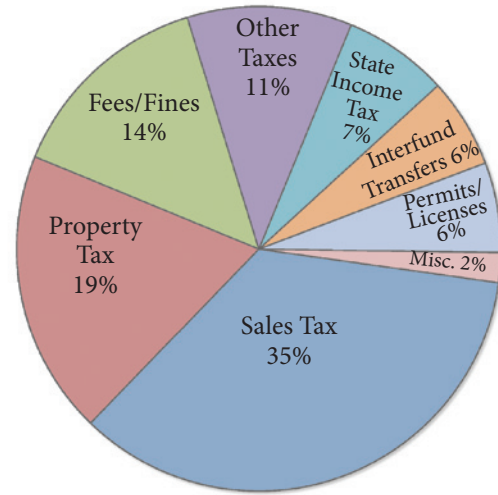
Formed in 1993, the EDC consists of representatives from the Village, School Districts, the Park District, and the Public Library, as well as the Northbrook Chamber of Commerce, local business representatives, and community members at large. The EDC is committed to establishing and sustaining relationships among Northbrook residents, Northbrook businesses, and Northbrook governmental entities. These partnerships are grounded in the reality that the economic vitality of the greater Northbrook community benefits residents, businesses, and governments. The interdependence of these groups is illustrated in the logo below.



Northbrook Economic Development Committee (EDC)
Sustainable Partnerships Built on Common Ground

The EDC provides a continuing forum for sharing information about economic development to improve decision-making processes. In addition, the EDC promotes appropriate economic development policy implementation to benefit the community as a whole. For example, the critical services provided by the Village are funded primarily by sales tax generated from local businesses. A total of 35% of the Village's corporate fund is derived from sales tax. The EDC supports the Village's LIVE-SHOP-DINE campaign. Please support our local businesses this holiday season!

Village Corporate Fund Revenue Sources



In future issues, the Newsletter will shine a spotlight on the importance of maintaining a strong and diverse tax base to the Village, School Districts, Park District, and the Public Library.

Northbrook Holiday Promotions

November kicks off the holiday season, and the Village is busy working with the Chamber to promote Northbrook as an outstanding shopping and dining destination. Our retail businesses and restaurants are given the spotlight in print, cable TV, and social media campaigns. The promotion includes the popular "Nicki the Northbrook Shopping Elf" Facebook Campaign (www.facebook.com/NorthbrookShoppingElf), all designed to increase retail sales for local businesses and support the Village through vital sales tax revenue. Since sales taxes make up one-third of the Village's budget, the "shop local" message of the campaign has a positive impact on all residents and businesses.

Northbrook retailers and hospitality businesses are invited to take advantage of this free marketing assistance. For more information, call 847-513-6006 or email, tensley@northbrookchamber.org

Holiday Commercial

An eye-catching television ad featured on Comcast channels and websites, invites viewers to discover luxury retailers and fine dining in Northbrook, which fits in with the tagline "Where Michigan Avenue meets the North Shore." Visit www.youtube.com and search for Shop Northbrook to view the commercial. Visit www.liveshopdinenorthbrook.com for a listing of Northbrook establishments.



Speaking of Finances

Village Treasurer's Report

The Annual Treasurer's Report for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2017, and ending April 30, 2018, is on file and available for inspection and/or copying during normal business hours in the Office of the Village Clerk at the Village Hall and at the Northbrook Public Library reference desk.

You can also find the report and much more related to Village finances by visiting www.northbrook.il.us/taxdollarsatwork



Notes from Village President Sandy Frum



With the holidays just around the corner, it's the perfect time to make plans with your friends and family to dine at one of our many wonderful restaurants in Northbrook. During this holiday season, think Northbrook for all your shopping needs. Spending your dollars locally helps support Northbrook businesses and the community, as 2 cents of every dollar spent directly benefits Northbrook.

You'll find more information about our revenue sources and the importance of economic development on the

preceding page. This year marks the 25th anniversary of the creation of the Economic Development Committee (EDC). I applaud them for their continuing efforts to promote the Village of Northbrook.

Speaking of economic development, the Village Board recently heard a preliminary zoning application for the re-development of Northbrook Court. A proposal to tear down Macy's Department Store and build apartments, restaurants, and additional retail space was presented to the Board for initial comment. It now goes to both the Plan Commission and the Architectural Control Commission for review before coming back to the Board for a final decision. More information on the proposed project will be in upcoming newsletters, but you can find details on the Village's website www.northbrook.il.us

Two other pieces of legislation that the Board acted on:

Cook County Sick Leave Ordinance

Last month, the Board repealed an ordinance which exempted Northbrook businesses from the Cook County Sick Leave Ordinance which mandates that employers in Cook County provide each employee with one hour of sick leave for every 40 hours worked, up to 40 hours of paid sick leave per year, for employees who have worked at least 80 hours within a 120-day period. Effective January 1, 2019, all Northbrook businesses must comply with the Cook County ordinance.

Bicycle Helmet Requirement

Northbrook's new helmet law requires children under the age of 16 to wear bike helmets when riding in public. Concerns about the number of severe and fatal head injuries to children was brought to the attention of the Village Board during the "Hear from the Audience" portion at one of our bimonthly meetings in October. The Trustees agreed that the Village would implement this potential life-safety measure. Please see page 6 for details.

Please join the community at these upcoming events:

Northbrook Artists Studio Tour

The Northbrook Arts Commission and the Northbrook Park District invite all to meet the artists in your neighborhood on Saturday, November 3, between noon and 4pm. Start your tour at the Village Green Center (1820 Walters Ave.) or follow the map at www.northbrookarts.org for a list of artist locations.

Veterans Day Services in Northbrook

All residents are encouraged to give thanks and honor those who served the United States and attend the Northbrook Veterans Day service on Sunday, November 11, as featured on the front page. It's also a great opportunity to meet some of our local Veterans and hear their stories first hand. I hope to see you there.

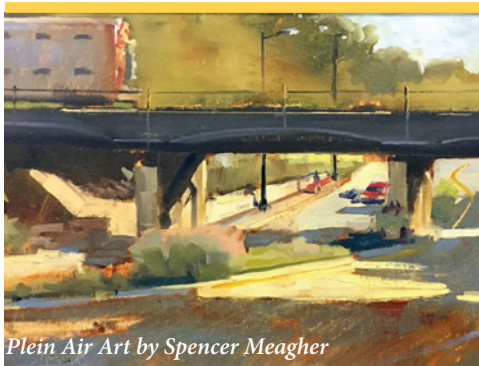
Northbrook Interfaith Community Service

On Wednesday, November 21, all are invited to celebrate their gratitude by attending the Interfaith Community Thanksgiving Service at Techny Towers. The service is sponsored by the Northbrook Clergy Association. See page 4 for details.

Comments, Concerns, Suggestions

I always welcome your comments, concerns and suggestions. Please call the Village Hall at 847-509-5301 or email me directly at sandy.frum@northbrook.il.us

I wish you and yours a very happy holiday season and a very safe and healthy New Year.



Plein Air Art by Spencer Meagher



Plein Air Art by Henryk Ptasiwicz



Plein Air Art by Nancie King Mertz

Toys for Tots Collection

Toys for Tots needs donations!



The Village is once again partnering with the Marine Toys for Tots Foundation, the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve's program, to bring toys to children who might otherwise go without a present to open on Christmas morning.

Please visit a collection center at the Police or Fire Department headquarters or Village Hall by Friday, December 14, with a new unwrapped toy. Your donation will be greatly appreciated.

Coat Off Your Back

Rotary Club of Northbrook's Coat Off Your Back campaign runs through Thursday, December 20.

New and gently used cold-weather clothing, including coats, scarves, gloves, hats, boots and other warm winter wear, may be dropped off at the Northbrook Library, Northbrook Village Hall, Sunset Foods or the NSYMCA. Items will be distributed to homeless individuals and families served by PADS of Lake County.

PADS: Providing Advocacy, Dignity & Shelter.

Help Stock Northfield Township Pantry

Donations of food or grocery store gift cards may be dropped off at the Northfield Township Food Pantry, 2550 Waukegan Road, Suite 100, Glenview.



For a list of the Pantry's most needed items and non-perishable food drop off locations within the community, visit www.twp.northfield.il.us

Northbrook Subsidized Taxi Program

The Village of Northbrook's Subsidized Taxicab Program was created to offer senior residents of incorporated Northbrook 55 years or older and permanently disabled Village of Northbrook residents an affordable transportation option in addition to what other agencies offer.

The program now utilizes an Electronic Swipe Card (ESC) to offset the cost of the metered fare. Each use of an ESC has a \$5 dollar value and each program participant

will be allowed up to 16 ride subsidies per month. ESCs are only accepted by American Taxi and 303 Taxi.

How to Apply for the Northbrook Subsidized Taxi Program

Applications for the program are available at Northbrook Village Hall (1225 Cedar Lane) or on the Village website at www.northbrook.il.us/Taxi

Proof of residency is required to participate in the program.

Once the application has been approved, the resident will receive an ESC and a brochure with further instructions on how to use the card.

For more information about the Northbrook Subsidized Taxi Program, visit www.northbrook.il.us/SeniorServices, or call 847-664-4038.

Please note: Paper Taxi Coupons will no longer be accepted after November 30, 2018.

Northbrook Interfaith Community Service

Thanksgiving is a time of celebrating joy and good cheer with family and friends

Celebrate and give thanks on Wednesday, November 21, at 7pm, at the Northbrook Clergy Association's Annual Interfaith Community Thanksgiving Service. This year the service will be held at the Techny Towers Retreat and Conference Center, 2001 Waukegan Road.

The evening's offering, as well as grocery store gift cards and canned goods that attendees bring, will benefit the Northfield Township Food Pantry and the ARK.

Plein Air Painting By Nyle Gordon



It's S'no Secret, Our Crews are Brr'rilliant!

When Winter Weather Heads Our Way, the Northbrook Public Works Department Will Be Ready!

The Village's snow removal operation begins with seven or more trucks spreading de-icing materials on main and secondary streets. As snow begins to accumulate, standby personnel are called in to plow the 539 lane miles of Village owned and maintained streets, municipal parking lots, and designated sidewalks.



Important Snow Plowing Fact...

After the snow stops, a complete plow-cycle can take at least 4-6 hours, depending on weather and traffic.

Help Our Public Works Crews: Keep Your Vehicles Off the Streets.

You can help Public Works crews clear our roadways as quickly as possible by keeping vehicles off the street during snow removal operations. The Village's number one concern is the safety of those using our streets.

Who Plows Your Street?

Northbrook Public Works

Neighborhood Streets
(*except private roads/streets*)
Cherry Lane
Grant Road - Lee Road
Pfingsten Road
(*between Tollway Spur Bridge & Highland*)
Shermer Road (*Dundee to Willow*)
Skokie Blvd. (*within Village limits*)
Techny Road (*Pfingsten to Founders*)
Voltz Road
Walters Ave. (*between Pfingsten & Lee*)
Western Avenue
To report emergency conditions on the above roads, call 847-272-4711.

Thank You for Your Patience!

Snow and ice control efforts give priority to higher traffic Village roadways, such as Walters Avenue, Cherry Lane, Pfingsten Road, Techny Road, and Shermer Road.

Arterial roads such as Lake-Cook, Dundee, Willow, Sanders, Landwehr, and Waukegan are plowed by either the Illinois Department of Transportation or the Cook County Highway Department.

Cook County Highway Department

Lake Cook Road
Landwehr Road (*south of Dundee*)
Sanders Road
Skokie Boulevard
(*south of 1101 Skokie Boulevard*)
Sunset Ridge Road (*south of Skokie*)
Techny Road (*Sanders to Pfingsten*)
Walters Ave.
(*between Pfingsten & Sanders*)

To report emergency conditions on County roads, call 708-448-8006.

Keep Plowed Snow out of Shoveled Driveways.

Residents can help keep their driveway clear by shoveling snow to the right side of their driveway (as viewed from the home, looking at the street). Please note: The Public Works Department does not clear private driveway entrances.

For details about snow and ice control visit www.northbrook.il.us/Snow

Move Your Vehicle After 2" of Snow.

When 2 or more inches of snow fall, it is illegal (by Village Ordinance) to park on Northbrook streets until plowing has been completed. If you park in the street, you may be ticketed and towed.

If your vehicle is disabled or if you would like to find out if the parking ban is in effect, please call the Police Department at 847-564-2060.

The Village will use its Northbrook Notify service to alert residents of extreme snow emergencies. Sign up for notifications at www.northbrook.il.us/NorthbrookNotify

The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT)

Dundee Road
Pfingsten Road
(*south of Highland and north of Tollway Spur*)
Waukegan Road
Willow Road

To report emergency conditions on State roads, call IDOT at 847-705-4612 or visit www.dot.state.il.us

The Illinois Tollway Information Hotline is 800-865-5394 (1-800-TOLL-FYI).

Celebrate Northbrook's 117th Birthday

The Board of Directors of the Northbrook Historical Society invites all to celebrate the incorporation of our Village at the 117th Birthday at an Open House on Sunday, November 18, from 2 to 4pm, at the Northbrook Historical Society, 1776 Walters Avenue.

As part of the celebration, a gallery of artwork from the Plein Air Painting Festival featuring Northbrook landscapes will be on display and available to purchase for a limited time. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the Northbrook Historical Society. All are invited to come and join the fun and good cheer with cake and refreshments. The History Museum and Historical Society's Artisans at the Inn Shop will be open during the celebration. www.northbrookhistory.org

Plein Air Painting By Karen Beauprie



100 Free Parking Spots Available for Commuters and Shoppers

The parking lot in the front of the building at 1657 Shermer Road, formerly known as the Grainger Building, is available for public use.

The lot's 100 spaces are open to commuters and those visiting local businesses. There will be no cost to park in the lot for the time being. Overnight parking and commercial truck parking will be prohibited. For any questions, please contact the Public Works Department at 847-272-4711.



Holiday Refuse Collection Schedule and Cart Storage Reminders

During the week of Thanksgiving, pick-up for Thursday customers will be Friday and Friday customers will be Saturday.

The last chance for yard waste collection (without the subscription service) will be on your pick-up day during the week of Thanksgiving. If you have the subscription services, your pick-up will take place every other week.

Christmas trees will be collected during the month of January on your regular pick-up date. One tree per residence will be collected at the curb. Trees should be free of all lights, garland, tinsel, and decorations.

Free Holiday Refuse Collection

Extra household refuse will be collected on your pick-up day free of charge during two one-week periods; the week of December 24 and the week of December 31.

Simple Recycling for Textile Recycling Begins in December

The free, year-round curbside textile collection begins the week of December 3. Simple Recycling will run the same holiday schedule as Advanced Disposal. Textiles collected by Simple Recycling are not tax deductible. Watch for the Simple Recycling mailers for more details.

A reminder regarding refuse and recycling cart storage:

Please ensure that your garbage receptacles are regularly stored behind the front face of your house or within the garage on non-pickup days. Carts should not be stored in the front of your property. Also, after collection, carts need to be returned to the storage location within twelve hours.

If you have any questions, please call Advanced Disposal at 847-272-4145.

Bicycle Helmets Required for Children 16 and Under

Last month the Village passed an ordinance requiring the use of bicycle helmets by children under the age of 16 when riding a bicycle in public areas of the Village. The purpose the bicycle helmet law is to reduce the number of severe and fatal head injuries to



children involved in bicycle crashes. Bicycle helmets, when used properly, reduce head injuries and fatalities. Studies show that helmets reduced overall head injuries by about 60 percent and reduced fatalities by about 73 percent.

Northbrook's new helmet law is a significant way to increase helmet use, but as with all laws, its effectiveness is related to implementation. The practical effect of bicycle helmet laws is to encourage parents to require their children to use helmets (and educate parents to serve as role models and wear a helmet despite the lack of a law requiring adults to wear helmets). Most local bicycle shops will help you correctly size and fit your helmets.

Did you know?

Most bicyclist deaths occur in urban areas and at non-intersection locations according to the National Highways Traffic Safety Administration. Visit www.cdc.gov/headsup/helmets/

Properly Fitted Helmets Offer the Best Protection

All bicyclists, regardless of age, can help protect themselves by wearing properly fitted bicycle helmets every time they ride. Bicycle helmets meeting the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) or the American Society For Testing And Materials (ASTM) or the Snell Memorial Foundation, Inc., should be worn at all times when riding a bicycle, being carried on a bicycle, or transported in a bicycle trailer, on a street, alley, highway, sidewalk, or public path within the Village of Northbrook.

Insist on your child wearing a bike helmet at all times. Remember the concrete in your driveway is as hard as the concrete on major roads! Lastly, be a good role model – wear your helmet too!

Village Happenings

Do you know any Northbrook residents currently serving in the military? Please call 847-664-4038, with their name, rank, and station. The information will be used to update the plaque at Freedom Park, under the flagpole between the Village Hall and Northbrook Library.

Join the conversation at the **Park District Current Events Discussion Group**. Connect with others to talk about the latest topics on Tuesdays at 1pm, at the Leisure Center, 3323 Walters Ave. It's free to join for Senior Center members. Call 847-291-2995 to come to a meeting and start making new friends today!

It's the Library's 26th season of Fine Arts Fall! Visit www.northbrook.info/fine-arts-fall-2018 for the full lineup of memorable live performances.

Chicago Master Singers opens its 40th anniversary season with a performance of Mendelssohn's *Elijah* at 7:30pm on Fri., Nov. 2, and 7pm on Sun., Nov. 4, at the Divine Word Chapel, 2001 Waukegan Rd. Purchase tickets at www.chicagomastersingers.org or by calling 1-877-825-5267, or at the door pending availability.

Stop in and find "one-of-a-kind" treasures made by local artists at the new **Artisans at the Inn Shop at the Northbrook Historical Society**, 1776 Walters Ave. A perfect place to find gifts for your holiday giving. Hours: Thurs.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 2-4pm. Call 847-498-3404.

37th Annual Holly Fair at Covenant Village of Northbrook, 2625 Techny Rd., on Sat., Nov. 3, from 9am-3pm. There will be woodcrafts, antiques, jewelry, holiday decorations, crafts, door prizes, baked goods, books, and more. Enjoy lunch at the Bistro from 11am to 2pm. Call 847-480-6380.

The Northbrook Symphony presents "Celebrate Victory" on Sun., Nov. 11, at 4pm at the GBN Sheely Center. On the 100th anniversary of the 1918 Armistice, the NSO presents Beethoven's titanic "Victory" Symphony along with the serene and radiant Symphony No. 5 of Vaughan Williams. For tickets and for more information, please call 847-272-0755 or visit www.northbrooksymphony.org

The 11th Annual Tow Trucks for Tots Toy Drive and Parade will be held on Sun., Nov. 11. New and unwrapped toy donations may be dropped off at 1870 Techny Ct., the Northbrook YMCA, or Grace Lutheran Church, 2245 Walters. Ave. For details, visit www.towtrucksfortots.com or call 847-272-2177.

The **Northbrook Park District Senior Center** at 3323 Walters Avenue offers a wide variety of programs for adults age 55 and over. For information, call 847-291-2988 or visit www.nbparcs.org

Obsessed with **The Life-Changing Magic of Tidying Up?** Reserve your seat at the Library for the KonMari 101 workshop Mon., Nov. 5, at 7pm.

Film Craft celebration continues throughout November at the Library beginning with a Film Lecture focusing on the works of British filmmakers Michael Powell and Emeric Pressburger on Tues., Nov. 6, at 7pm.

Do you or someone you know have Parkinson's? Visit the Library on Thurs., Nov. 8, at 7pm to learn about Parkinson's and discover the approaches that can help, from medications and exercises, and more.

Looking to unplug? Go on a Forest Therapy Walkabout in Somme Woods on Sat., Nov. 10, at 10am. A guide will lead this peaceful, meditative walk. Registration required. Cosponsored by the Friends of the Library. Call 847-272-6224 for details.

Bring the whole family to the Library for Y-Art, a morning of art activities, at 10am on Sat., Nov. 10 & Dec. 8. Presented by the NSYMCA Art Academy.

Northbrook Garden Club Tues., Nov. 13, 10 am. Learn how to keep your garden tools sharp and in good condition as Dan from Exact Blade demonstrates the proper maintenance of all tools at the Northbrook United Methodist Church (Corner of Western and Cherry). The public is always welcome!

Registration Open for Northbrook Softball. Registration for the NGSa's House League runs through March 1, 2019. The spring House League is specifically designed for girls 2nd-9th grade regardless of experience, ability, or residency. For questions visit www.northbrooksoftball.com

How to Avoid Spending Your Entire Life Savings in the Nursing Home on Wed., Nov. 14 at 11:15 am. Learn about Medicaid, asset protection and more. Call the NSYMCA to register, at 847-272-7250.

Illinois turns 200 years old on Dec. 3! Celebrate the Illinois Bicentennial by learning about the history of Native American tribes in Illinois on Mon., Nov. 12, at 7pm at the Library.

Learn about the tradition of the Challah bread at 7pm on Mon., Nov. 12 and Thurs., Nov. 29, at the Library. Make a loaf to bake at home! Registration required.

Join the Library for the **Illinois Bicentennial celebration** on Tues., Nov. 13, at 2pm. Hosted by William Pack, Illinois at 200 combines storytelling, trivia, and prizes!

The public is cordially invited to the **9th Northbrook Youth Film Festival** on Tues., Nov. 13, at 6pm in the Library. Watch the works of young filmmakers and stay afterward for a reception with refreshments!

Discover ways to **Navigate Hot Button Topics During the Holidays** on Thurs., Nov. 15, at 7pm in the Library. In partnership with RAIN (Racial Awareness in the Northshore). Reserve your spot.

The Village Church Tree Lighting Celebration, Sat., Nov. 24, 5pm. Welcome in the season with a tree lighting celebration with entertainment, treats, and activities. Please bring non-perishable food items to help stock the Northfield Township Food Pantry. For more information go to www.tvpchurch.org

The Oakton Ceramics Club is sponsoring Empty Bowls Benefit on Sat., Dec. 1, 10:30am-2pm, at Oakton Community College. For a \$15-\$20, enjoy lunch and select a hand-crafted bowl. Call 847-635-1699 for details.

Northbrook's New Tradition Chorus presents the holiday concert, **"Holiday Bells are Ringing"** on Sat. & Sun., Dec. 1-2, at 2:30pm at GBS Watson Auditorium. Call 800-746-9246 for tickets or visit www.newtradition.org

Help brighten the holidays for others. If you're interested in sponsoring a child or family or donating for the Youth Services' Holiday Gift Program please call 847-724-2620 or visit www.ysgm.org

On Mon., Dec. 3, at 7pm in the Library, learn about risks and warning signs of suicide, and how together, we can help prevent it. **Presented by the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention.**

Author and military historian Robert Mueller presents **Remembering Pearl Harbor** at the Library on Tues., Dec. 4, at 2pm. Registration required.

Free Memory Screenings on Thurs., Nov. 29, from 10:30 am to noon at the NSYMCA. Professional, confidential 10 minute appointments. While the results are not a diagnosis, scoring below normal can signal that someone should follow up with a clinician for a full evaluation. Call 847-272-7250.

Knitting and Crocheting Club at the Park District on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to noon. All skill levels are welcome. For information, call 847-291-2995,

Visit the Library on Mon., Dec. 31, at 11am in the Library for a **New Year's celebration**. We'll countdown to ... noon!

Shop for Thanksgiving dinnerware, Orrefors, Waterford crystal, hostess gifts, and more at **North Shore Senior Center's Shop**, 161 Northfield Rd., Northfield. Open Mon. - Fri., from 9am -3pm. Donations welcome; call 847-784-6035.

Enjoy Artwork by five Northbrook residents on display at the Northbrook Public Library through November. In December, select paintings from the Northbrook Plein Air Painting Festival will be on exhibition at the Library through early January.

Visit the Village Hall thru Jan. 4 and enjoy beautiful artwork in the Board Room Village Gallery presenting **Artwork Korea, featuring artwork from five Korean Artists**. The Village Gallery is open Mon. - Fri., from 8:30am to 4:30pm.

Northbrook Artists Studio Tour on Sat., Nov. 3, from noon to 4pm. Meet local artists while viewing their work. Visit www.northbrookarts.org for more information and tour map or start the tour at Village Green Center



Studio Tour Artist Linda Goldman

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For voter information.

Historian's Corner

presented by the Northbrook Historical Society

Our Shermerville Men Who Gave Their Lives

Seventeen years after the Village of Shermerville was incorporated in 1901, the country was fighting two enormous battles putting our citizens in jeopardy.

One battle was taking place on the home front, as the Spanish flu ravaged across the land. The other battle was taking place across the sea, as our men and boys fought in WWI. Both battles touched our small town when two young Shermerville men gave their lives while serving the country.

George W. Benjamin, for whom the American Legion Post 791 is named, was killed in action on January 24, 1918 at De Coetqueian, France.

Theodore C. Werhane died as a result of the flu while in camp in San Antonio, Texas.

On successive Sundays in November, two events commemorating the end of WWI and the 117th Birthday of our Village will take place. See the front page for details about the Veteran's Day ceremony on Sunday, November 11 and the weekend open house at the George W. Benjamin American Legion Hall.

See page 5 for additional information about our Village's 117th Birthday Open House and Museum Art Gallery opening on Sunday, November 18, at the Northbrook Historical Society.



Theodore C. Werhane



George W. Benjamin