



# Forest Lake Newsletter

Forest Lake Community Association

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## **Venetian Night**

Once again Venetian Night was a glowing success. Many boats, large and small were decorated from bow to stern. People were in costume and music filled the air. Lawn chairs and coolers lined the waters' edge with people cheering the Venetians on. Plan to attend the next Venetian night at 7:00 on the Sunday of Labor Day weekend, 2008. Thank you, Brian Drommer for your effort in organizing this event.



## **Dues**

Your 2008 dues will be \$140, an increase of \$5. Your invoice will be in the mail soon. If you pay your dues before January 1, they will remain \$135.

## **Fertilizers**

We again ask you to refrain from using fertilizer with phosphorus. It causes weed and algae growth in the lake.

## **Open House – Saturday, October 6**

Any Association members interested in displaying their product or promoting their services please contact us for information and to sign up for our new directory. The open house will also be a great way to meet your neighbors and board members and see the recently renovated community center and share your ideas. There will be a raffle and door prizes, food and fun, but we still need your help. If you would like to make a donation for the raffle and door prizes, have decorations or want to volunteer to help us throw a great party, contact one of the committee members: Lisa Drommer 847-438-4989, Samantha Lasiewicz 847-550-1967, or Susan Albert 847-438-3982. All FLCA members are invited and encouraged to attend the open house October 6 from 2:00 to 5:00.

## **Community Center**

The Community Center is available for members to rent. If you are interested in renting it, call Tom Philippsen 540-8928 and he will explain the details.

## **Halloween Party**

This year the children's Halloween Party will be held on Saturday, October 28th. We will begin the festivities at 3:00 with a costume parade starting on the South Beach parking lot and parading to the Community Center where there will be treats for everyone wearing a costume. This event is for the children of FLCA members only. Come down and watch the parade. It is a joyous occasion for all.

## **Newsletter**

If you would like to see a special article in our newsletter, call Jim Petzold at 438-3567 or email it to him at: [mrpetzold2@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mrpetzold2@sbcglobal.net).

## **Christmas Breakfast With Santa**

Breakfast with Santa will be held on Saturday, December 8 at 9:00am this year. More details will be in the next newsletter.

## **Curbs**

Curbs have been installed by Ela Township Hwy Department to force rainwater away from many homes to prevent continual flooding of garages and basements. We would like to thank Bill Kruckenberg, Ela Twp. Road Commissioner and his crew for their efforts in putting this project together and their work in finishing it promptly. Ela Twp will be paving our roads over the next 3 years.

## **Website**

Don't forget to visit our website regularly: [flicaonline.org](http://flicaonline.org).

## **Dogs**

I received a letter from a resident who enjoys walking/jogging on the streets of Forest Lake. On several occasions, unleashed dogs have charged towards members of her family in an aggressive manner. The incidents have resulted in some fear of continuing to exercise on the streets where we call home. Please keep your pets leashed and on your property. People shouldn't have to be afraid to walk on our roads. My advice to her is to call the sheriff's office 847-549-5200 or 911 or Lake County Animal Control 847-949-9925. Don't wait for someone else to call, it may not happen. Remember, pets are not allowed in any of our parks except Luttrell at the North end of the lake.

## **Available Sitters**

In the last Newsletter we asked if anyone was interested in babysitting. The following people responded. We do not have any recommendations for any respondents; you must interview them to determine if they will meet your needs. I have shortened some of the responses.

Do you need to take a break from your kids and have free time for yourself? I am available. I have 2 years

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experience babysitting small children and infants. I have taken a babysitting course through the Red Cross. I will make sure your children have fun with me. My name is Holly Obenauf 1-847-540-6720 or 1-847-431-6720. Thank you

Hi, my name is Gretchen Tauberman and I live on Forest Drive. I am 14 years old and have been babysitting for 4 or 5 years with kids of all ages. I am available on weekends. I am a very organized and responsible person and I will always try my best to help out. 847-438-3014 Thanks!

Hello, I am Alison Padiak. I'm 16 and am interested in babysitting. I'm good with kids and also an experienced babysitter. I am able to prepare meals for children. 1-847-438-0821.

My name is Taylor Simpson. I am 14 years old and have been certified for babysitting through the Red Cross program. I have been babysitting since I was 12 years old. I can give references if needed. I live at 23710 Overhill. 847-438-2069

Hi, I'm Sammy Padiak and I'm 13 years old. I'm in 8<sup>th</sup> grade at LZ Middle School North. I am very good with kids and I can cook/prepare food. I have babysat before and in school, I learned First Aid and CPR on children and toddlers. 1-847-438-0821

Hello, My name is Aldona. I am a nanny with 14 years of child experience, ages 0-12, looking for part-time job (1 or 2 full days, Wed.,Fri) 847-454-6705. Thank you

**Play Group**

Want to meet other moms and their toddlers? Want to get out for a play date or host a play date? Join the new Forest Lake Playgroup. Laura Grossich is looking to connect with her neighbors who have children. If you are interested in joining a playgroup, contact her via e-mail: [gfamily95@comcast.net](mailto:gfamily95@comcast.net) or 847-726-8726. There is no fee, just fun. All moms and their children ages 1 to 4 years old are invited to join us.



**FLCA Meetings**

FLCA meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 in the Community Center.

**Board Members:**

Chair: Steve Norman (Dues)	540-8857	Insurance & Legal: Vicki O'Donnell	550-1619
Vice Chairman: Steve Gray (Gov't Liaison)	438-7813	Lake Committee: Mike Doody	438-6224
Treasurer: Maija Boriss, Landscape Beautification	438-3114	Activities: Laura Tegtmeier	438-3688
Secretary: Brian Drommer	438-4989	Parks Committee: Pat DeGeorge	726-8815
Community Center Rentals: Tom Philippsen	540-8928	Angie Schroedel	719-2688
Newsletter: Pat Lynn	438-0859		