



Forest Lake Newsletter

Forest Lake Community Association
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December Meeting

Our December meeting will be held on December 13th at 7:30pm . All meetings are held at our Community Center on the 2nd Tuesday of every month.

Halloween Parade

Thank you to all the Forest Lakers that participated in our Annual Halloween Parade! We had a great crowd and lucked out with the weather! It was fun for all to see the kids parade through the neighborhood in their costumes. We hope everyone had a good time. A big thank you to Chuck Wendt, a member of the Lake Zurich Volunteer Retired Firefighters and a longtime Forest Lake resident, for leading the parade! And many, many thanks to the wonderful crew that helped make it happen: Sue Lalowski, Lynne Goodman, Katie Muller, Greg Dwiel, Roy Muller, Paul Goodman, Buzz Harkness, Scott Borre and Steve Norman!



Wear Bright Colors at Night for Safety

Boy, is our neighborhood dark at night—there's not a lot of street lighting. While walking at night, stay alert of your surroundings. If you are driving, please drive within the speed limit and be alert!

Thin Ice

With winter approaching, please be cautious when going onto the ice. For the ice to be safe, it should be at least 6" thick. The thickness can be checked by drilling a hole in the ice with a portable drill. Please be aware that some areas may be thinner than others. Snowmobilers who are members, or are accompanied by members, may ride on the lake

when the ice is at least 8" thick. Hours for snowmobiling are 8 am to 10 pm.

Zoning Violations

If you notice uncut grass, garbage in yard, building without a permit or other neighborhood nuisances please be neighborly and try to resolve with your neighbor as a first step. Sometimes it can be resolved very quickly and you might make a new friend in the process. Let's keep Forest Lake friendly! If an issue remains unresolved, contact Lake County at 847-377-2600. You have the option of being an anonymous caller.

Facebook

If you are a dues paid member and have not already joined Facebook, take a few minutes to do so. It's as easy as 1, 2, 3! Here's how!

1. Go to www.facebook.com and join.
2. Then copy/paste or type: Forest Lake Community Neighbors-60047 into the search bar on the top right side of the page.
3. Click the link that says: Join this group.

FLCA E-mail

If you aren't on Facebook and still want neighborhood news, join our email list by sending an email to communications@flcaonline.org and put "Forest Lake Community Email List" in the subject line. This will enable you to keep abreast of current events and breaking news in Forest Lake.

Annual Dues

It is that time of year, annual dues notices will soon be in the mail. Yearly dues for 2017 will be at \$180.00, which includes one car sticker. Additional stickers are \$1.00 and boat stickers are \$25, boat launch keys are \$5 each. While we realize these economic times are tough for many, the dues are our only source of income and are used for upkeep of the lake, beaches, parks and community center. It also helps fund the great events around the neighborhood for the kids: the aforementioned Halloween Parade, Breakfast with Santa, and the Easter Egg Hunt. Most condominium dues are \$150 a month or higher. If you do not receive an invoice in the mail, contact Greg Dwiel at chair@flcaonline.org. A copy of our 2017 budget will be posted on the website once it is approved.



Breakfast with Santa

Our annual Breakfast with Santa will be held on December 10th @ 9:00 a.m. at the Community Center. This popular event will be open to children of dues paying members. Reservations are required and will be accepted by Greg Dwiel @ chair@flcaonline.org or call 847-420-8802. Reservations will be limited to the first 100 persons as that is the maximum allowable persons that can be in the Community Center. We will be serving Santa's Buffet--a popular combination of Doughnuts, eggs, potatoes, bacon and sausage. Cost is \$5.00 per CHILD. Santa hopes to see you family there.

Volunteers Welcome!

If you would like to help with decorating for Breakfast with Santa, please come to the Community Center on Friday night, December 9th, at 7:00p.m. There may be adult beverages involved! Contact Greg Dwiel at chair@flcaonline.org.

Our Website

FLCAonline.org is available for everyone to see what is happening around town. You will find meeting minutes, budgets, event information, pictures, old documents, and the rules for renting the community center.

Community Center Rental

Our Community Center is available to rent for a minimal charge for dues paying members. If you need more space for a gathering, contact Steve Norman: 847-540-8857. The Community Center is located at 23489 N. East Rd. (the southeast corner of Forest Lake). You will find the rules to rent the center on our website: flcaonline.org. It has plenty of room, is handicap accessible, has a full wet bar with lots of refrigerator space, oven, stove and coat room! Check it out 2nd Tuesday of any month at 7:30 or make appointment.

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