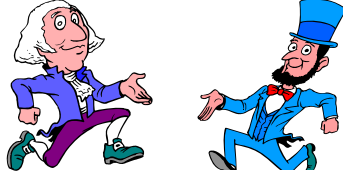


THE VILLAGE MEMO

February 2014

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MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR – Craig M. Flanagan, Jr.

Thanks to DPW Superintendent Tom Conklin and the DPW staff for their hard work and dedication during this extremely active winter season.

I am proud to announce that the Hillburn Housing Development Fund Corporation (HHDFC) has released its first round of reimbursement checks to Village homeowners to offset the cost of sewer hook-ups. I would like to thank the Committee members who volunteer their time so that I could re-establish this Committee which helps to assist homeowners with repairs to their homes.

I would like to welcome Adam Gordon, our new Building and Fire Inspector. I believe he will be a fine addition to our dedicated staff.

As always, my door is always open. If you have any suggestions, questions or comments, feel free to contact me at Village Hall.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH – PRESIDENTS' DAY

Village Office will be closed. There will be garbage collection. Recyclables and Bulk Pick-Up will be collected on Tuesday, February 18th.

2014 VILLAGE ELECTION – Tuesday, March 18th –12noon to 9:00PM–Hillburn Municipal Building

Offices to be filled: Office of Trustee - 2 Year Term
Office of Village Justice - 4 Year Term

NOTICE: The Village of Hillburn no longer holds a Voter Registration Day. To register, Voter Registration Forms (available at the Village Office) are to be submitted to the RC Board of Elections.

ANNUAL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING – Monday, April 7, 2014

The Annual Organizational Meeting will be held in the Community Room, 37 5th Street, commencing at 7:00PM. Annual appointments will be made and the Mayor will present his annual Mayoral Address.

VILLAGE BUDGET

The 2014-2015 Tentative Village Budget is under preparation. A Public Hearing will be held in April. Notice of date and time will be published and posted. Interested residents should attend this meeting.

HILLBURN COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM – David K. Farrison, Chair

The Scholarship Committee has begun planning for our 13th annual Hillburn Community Scholarship Award. Details of this year's award will be mailed to you soon. Reminder, applicants must be current Hillburn Village residents, and who are graduating High School Seniors. To be considered, all applicants must submit a complete application by the deadline stated. Applications will soon be available at the Suffern High School Guidance Office and Village Hall. Donations are being accepted, and can be made payable to the Hillburn Community Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 705, Hillburn NY. 10931. Please refer any questions to David Farrison at dfarriso@optonline.net or 357-7262.

HILLBURN LADIES AUXILIARY – Judy Starr, President

The Ladies Auxiliary meets the 1st Thursday of each month at 7:00PM in the Fire House. If interested in becoming a member, please call Judy for application at 667-4403.

Upcoming Events:

March 8th - Winter Carnival @ Torne Valley – We are sponsoring a booth for kids: fire hats, balloons, coloring books, raffles. Bring your children and grandchildren!

Coming Soon: Chili Cook-Off (Watch for flyer)

May 10th - Plant & Bake Sale

May 17th - 4th Annual Street Fair

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HILLBURN FIRE DEPARTMENT – Edward Kelly, Jr. Chief

With spring around the corner check your smoke and co detectors and replace the batteries at day light savings time. Anyone wishing to join the Hillburn Volunteer Fire Department can stop by the firehouse on a Wednesday night for an application.

HILLBURN SENIOR CITIZENS ORGANIZATION - Judy Starr, President

Anyone 55 or older residing in the Town of Ramapo can join. Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month at 7:00PM in the Community Room. (February – One Meeting: 2/10/14)

-2014 Dues are now due. Please come to our next meeting or send to our Asst. Treasurer, Pat VanDunk.

Upcoming Trips - April 16 “Blue Man Group” Show and Dinner

May 3 West Point Dress Parade – Buffet Lunch/Tour

June 9-11 Trip to Grand Canyon of Pennsylvania

For detailed information regarding times and costs, please contact Valerie Mariano at (845) 357-4227 or Pat VanDunk at (845) 357-3464.

HILLBURN YOUTH CENTER – Angela Flanagan & Michelle Noel

368-3679

The Youth Center would like to thank Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Conklin and the USMC Toys for Tots, for donating toys for our Christmas party which was a great success.

Come out and experience the benefits of yoga every Tuesday at 7pm at the Youth Center. Class is given by certified instructor Charlene O'Blenis. Please bring a mat or a towel and a friend!

-Any High School Senior, looking for community service hours, please contact the Youth Center.

-We are polling parents to see if there is a need for a before school care program for the 2014-2015 school year. If you are interested, please call or email the Youth Center at Hillburn Recreation@gmail.com with your name, child's name and a phone number we can contact you at. Hopefully, we can get a better response this year so we can begin this new program.

Upcoming Events:

-Open gym for boys and girls ages 9-15 February 27th from 7-9pm at the Youth Center.

- All are welcomed to join us for Breakfast with the Easter Bunny at the Youth Center Saturday, April 5th from 9-Noon. Pre- Sale tickets Adults \$5, Children \$3(up to age 12) seniors \$4 Purchase your ticket at the youth center Mon-Fri between 3pm-6pm. (Flyer enclosed)

-Annual Easter Egg Hunt at Fountain Pond Park Saturday, April 12th at 12pm. Rain date April 19th.

Summer Camp 2014-July 7th –August 8th This is a five week program for children who have completed kindergarten through eighth grade. Registration fee: \$325 per child and there is a \$30 discount for siblings. Registration will be held at the Youth Center **ONE DAY ONLY** on Saturday May 17th from 10-12. **Fee and immunization records are due at the time of registration.** Any registration forms received after **June 2, 2014** will incur a **late fee of \$25.**

Swim Program 2014 - July 7th –August 8th Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 12noon -5pm. Fee: \$55 per participant includes transportation to and from Spook Rock Pool.

New this year! In order to accommodate working parents we are excited to offer an optional 2 week program. You may choose to send your child for \$100 per week. You may choose to send your child for one week or both weeks! Program includes daily activities and swim at Spook Rock Pool 3 days a week. Pre-registration is required. Minimum of 20 participants are required. Please let us know if you are interested at registration. For more information please contact the Youth Center 368-3679.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

-Overnight Parking Restriction between 12:00midnight and 6:00AM remains in effect through April 15th.

-To ensure proper/timely emergency response, street numbers are to be conspicuously displayed as follows: Residential buildings: no less than 3” in height; Nonresidential buildings: no less than 4” in height.

-Residents are responsible to keep sidewalks adjacent to their respective homes clear of snow and ice. Snow is not to be shoveled into the roadway.

-Consumers are responsible for protection of water meters and are liable for any incurred cost(s).

-For tenants to receive the Village Memo, landlords must supply the names/addresses to the Village Office.

-Residents, please report any street light outages to the Village Office.

2014 BULK TRASH PICK-UP SCHEDULE

3rd Monday of each month. (Exception: February – Pick-up will be Tuesday, 2/18/14)

–Please do not place trash at curbside any earlier than the weekend before the scheduled pick-up date. Once the DPW has collected bulk trash from your street, you CANNOT place any additional bulk trash at curbside. Construction debris will NOT be collected and is not to be placed at curbside.
