

Vernon Township

Summer 2016



Vernon Township Memorial Day Services

You are invited to a Memorial Day Ceremony to honor our Veterans on:

Monday May 30, 2016
9:00 a.m.
Vernon Cemetery
Corner of Route 45
and Milwaukee Ave.
(Behind Strip Mall)
Lincolnshire, IL 60069

Come join the Vernon Township community in remembering those who have died in our nation's service.

For further information please call the Township at (847) 634-4600.

2016 POOL INFORMATION

Season Pass and Daily Admission rates will remain at the 2001 prices! Check out page 9 for more information.

From the Supervisor's Desk

Once again it is time to put together a financial plan (budget) for Vernon Township. All expenditures are reviewed and evaluated which enables us to hold the line on numerous items as well as being able to cut costs in certain instances. This procedure has made it possible to have one of the lowest township tax rates in Lake County.

In addition, we work with many villages, school districts and the county to stretch our tax dollars by sharing equipment, coordinating aid and eliminate duplicate services. One example of this cooperation include multiple government agencies purchasing shared equipment. These large expenditures are split among various agencies to reduce the cost to each unit of government, in turn these agencies have access to specialized equipment which may not otherwise be affordable. Another example is neighboring townships, local villages and school districts jointly performing in kind services and completing projects. This was evident in 2015 when the Village of Lincolnshire and the Vernon Township Highway Department entered into an intergovernmental agreement to alleviate drainage issues and resurface Indian Creek Road. Another effort of cooperation is the practice of "road swaps". When a road is partially owned by the township and a village, "road swaps" occur so both municipalities are not maintaining the same road. Finally, in disaster situations many townships and villages work together to provide aid to the impacted areas. This was evident most recently during the tornado event of 2015 in the Village of Grayslake. The Vernon Township Highway Department assisted with debris removal and other tasks to make the roadways and neighborhoods safe again. Vernon Township is proud to help our neighbors and know they will be at our side if our residents are ever in need of similar aid.

For more information about township services go to our web page at vernontownship.com or stop by our office.



William Peterson
Township Supervisor

Please see page 3 for important passport information!

The Vernon Township Newsletter is published periodically by Vernon Township as a public information service for Township residents. Free copies are available at the Township Administrative Center.

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Business Hours

Monday through Friday

Administrative Center . . 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Assessor 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Assessor 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon, Saturday

Township Board Meetings

Monthly board meetings are held the second Saturday of each month. For more information, call (847) 634-4600. The Annual Town Meeting is held on the second Tuesday in April at 7:00 p.m.

Notice

In compliance with the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA), Vernon Township requests that persons with disabilities who require certain accommodations in order to attend and/or participate in these meetings, or have questions about the accessibility of the meetings or facilities, to please contact the ADA coordinator at 634-4600, 48 hours prior to the meeting to assure that reasonable accommodations will be made.

Township Phone Numbers

Township Administrative Center . . 634-4600
Assessor's Office 634-4602
Highway Department 634-4600
Dial-A-Ride 634-4600
Township Parks & Recreation . . . 634-1542
Township Fax 634-1569
Assessor Fax 634-0654

Vernon Township's 166th Annual Town Meeting

The 166th Vernon Township Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the Vernon Township Administration Building, 3050 N. Main St., Buffalo Grove, IL 60089.

Free Shredding Event at Vernon Township

When: Monday, April 11, 2016
Where: Vernon Township Administration Building
3050 N. Main St.
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089
Time: 12:00 p.m. until 2:30 p.m.

Shredding services will be provided by Opportunity Secure Data Destruction. All materials are used in recycling efforts. One way to prevent identity theft is to shred your personal documents. Listed below are some documents to consider:

- Cancelled or unused checks
- Old insurance policies
- Old bills
- Old medical records
- Invoices

PLEASE NO MAGAZINES, NEWSPAPERS OR MANILA FOLDERS

In order to accommodate as many residents as possible we are limiting each resident to three medium size boxes. This is an on site shredding event, however if the truck fills up, there will be locked containers on site where you will be able safely put your documents. If you have any questions please feel free to call the Township at (847) 634-4600.

Meet Your Vernon Township Officials



*William Peterson
Supervisor*



*Bryant Schroeder
Highway
Commissioner*



*Gary Raupp
Assessor*



*Barbara Barnabee
Clerk*



*Krystyna Luby
Trustee*



*Robert Kelly
Trustee*



*Kyle Steininger
Trustee*



*Michael Theisen
Trustee*

Clerk's Corner

Vernon Township Cemeteries

The Vernon Township Cemetery is located in Lincolnshire at the corner of Old Half Day Road and Milwaukee Avenue. Grave sites and mausoleum spaces are available for purchase. The mausoleum contains 64 crypts, and 24 columbarium niches. Two additional columbarium units were recently added to the cemetery. Each individual crypt or niche may be personalized.

The Diamond Lake Cemetery is located on Route 60 (east of Route 45) in Mundelein. Only grave sites are available at this cemetery.

Prices for both cemeteries are as follows:

- Grave Sites \$900.00
- Crypts \$5,000.00
- Niches \$800.00

If you are interested in purchasing a crypt, niche or grave site please call the Township Clerk, Barbara Barnabee at (847) 634-4600.

Cemetery Clean Up

Each spring during the months of March and April, Vernon Township cleans up the cemetery grounds and prepares for the summer months. If you wish to save your winter decorations at either Vernon or Diamond Lake Cemeteries please remove them by April 1st. After April 1st all remaining winter decorations will be removed and disposed.

2016 - Fishing and Hunting License

For your convenience, Vernon Township sells the Department of Natural Resources licenses and stamps, including fishing and hunting license. We are not authorized to sell fire arms licenses.

For further information on the stamps and licenses and their costs, visit the Illinois Department of Natural Resources website at www.dnr.state.il.us.

Passport Acceptance

Vernon Township accepts passport applications Monday-Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. No appointment is necessary; however peak times are during lunch hours. Payment for the passport must be made by personal check or money order. **Vernon Township does not accept credit cards.** The township will accept cash/check for the agent fee.

Prior to arriving at the township it would be very beneficial for you to check the Department of State's website at www.travel.state.gov. The web site allows you to download appropriate applications, informs you of the documentation you will need to process an application, and estimates current processing times. Please note that if you fill out the application by hand, **use black ink only**. Forms completed in other color ink will have to be re-written. In addition, applications have to be **printed on two separate sheets of paper not double sided on one piece of paper**.

Passport Renewals

Due to the high volume of passport applications, beginning May 1, 2016, Vernon Township will no longer accept adult renewal applications. To renew an adult passport, visit www.travel.state.gov and download form DS-82 along with the instructions. You can renew by mail if all of the following statements are true.

Your Most Recent U.S. Passport:

- Is undamaged and can be submitted with your application;
- Was issued when you were age 16 or older;
- Was issued within the last 15 years (not expired more than 5 years) and;
- Was issued in your current name or you can legally document your name change with a certified copy of your marriage certificate or government-issued document evidencing your legal name change.

Mail the renewal application yourself, we are no longer able to accept renewals.

First time applicants age 16 and over and all minors age 15 and under must apply in person for a first time passport using form DS-11. Minors and young adults with a currently expired or expiring 5 year passport must also apply in person using the DS-11 form.

If you have any further questions please call the township at (847) 634-4600.

Highway Department Briefs

Spring Clean Up Weekend

Spring Clean Up Weekend in unincorporated Vernon Township will take place on May 7th and 8th, with a rain date of May 14th and 15th. If you do not live in an unincorporated area, please call your local village to inquire about such programs in your area.

Dumpsters will be located in the unincorporated areas of: Horatio Gardens, Krisview Acres, The Meadows, Pekara, Elm Road, Woodbine Circle and Juneway.

When discarding items into the dumpsters, please take the time to do so in such a way that will allow for the maximum use of the space provided. Please refrain from filling the dumpsters over the top.

Unfortunately there are some items that cannot be disposed of into the dumpsters, and they are:

- Electronics / Appliances
- Tires
- Paint, solvents, household chemicals or hazardous materials
- Yard waste (grass clippings, brush or tree limbs)
- Construction debris

To find out how or where to dispose of these items please visit www.swalco.org.

Save the Rain For A Sunny Day

A rain barrel connected to your downspout is a great way to keep storm water out of the system and to cut down on your water bill. Because you are collecting right off the roof, it has few contaminants and is perfect for watering the garden. Diverting water from your downspout into a rainwater catchment system has several advantages:

- Reduces the volume of water flowing to the sewer treatment facility
- Backup source of water during times of drought or between rain showers
- Helps to keep our creeks and beaches clean
- Saves money lowering your water bill; naturally softened water is great for delicate houseplants, auto cleaning and window washing
- Reduces the need for additional tax dollars earmarked for sewer expansion
- Chlorine free water helps maintain a healthy biotic community in the soil

The Solid Waste Agency of Lake County and the Lake County Forest Preserve sponsor a rain barrel and compost bin sale. The sale will take place on the weekend of May 7th, 2016 at Independence Grove Forest Preserve, Libertyville.

Household Chemical Waste Disposal

There are 2 ways to properly dispose of household chemical waste, the first being through one of the traveling waste collection sites and the second by making an appointment at the Gurnee Facility, 1311 N. Estes, Gurnee. To make an appointment, go to www.swalco.org or call (847) 336-9340.

Clarke Mosquito Abatement

As the weather gets warmer the emergence of mosquitoes begins. To help eliminate this continued threat, Vernon Township has again contracted with Clarke Mosquito Control to treat unincorporated Vernon Township. For further information regarding this program or if you are having problems with mosquitoes near your home please call the Mosquito hot line at (800) 942-2555. If you do not live in an unincorporated area, please contact the village you live in regarding their abatement program.

Private Pool Rentals Available

Looking for a location for your next birthday, family or team party? The outdoor pool and water slide located at Peterson Park is available for rental on the weekends from June 4th until August 14th. These are private rentals which means the pool is closed to the public during your event. Parties can be held in the morning from 9:45 to 11:45 a.m. or in the evenings from 6:15 - 8:15 p.m. In addition to the pool, a picnic shelter is also available for weekend rentals. Included with the shelter rental is large open sports area, perfect for outdoor activities. Dates are filling up. If you are interested, please contact the Vernon Township Parks and Recreation Department at (847) 634-1542 for rates and available dates.

From the Desk of the Assessor

Tax Bill

Homeowners requiring a copy of their 2014 tax bills for income tax purposes may obtain them from the Lake County's Treasurer's website at: <http://lakecountyil.gov/TREASURER>. You will need your PIN, also known as a property index number; however, if you do not have it your address will work as well.

The 2015 tax bills will be mailed out in May 2016. Payments are due in two equal installments, one in early June the second payable in September. The County Clerk's Office calculates preliminary tax rates based on the levy passed by each district, and the property values from the township assessors, as adjusted by the Board of Review and the state multiplier issued by the Illinois Department of Revenue.

Deed Information

When you originally purchased your property an unrecorded copy of your deed was given to you or your attorney at the time of closing. Once it is officially recorded at the county level, they then send out the certified copy within the next few weeks. We sometimes hear from homeowners that they think because they still have a mortgage on their home that they don't have their deed. This is not true; the mortgage company will place a lien on your property until the mortgage is paid off. Once the mortgage is paid off the mortgage company prepares a release deed clearing you from the lien. You can request another copy of your original deed yourself if you can't find it. The Lake County Recorder of Deed's office will send out another copy for a minimal cost. Do not be fooled by a random letter sent from a third party stating that they can get you your deed for a pretty steep price. To request a copy of your deed contact the Lake County Recorder of Deeds at (847) 377-2575.

Exemptions

Senior Citizens Homestead Exemption

If you are the owner of a residential property and are 65 years or older, you qualify for a Senior Homestead Exemption. The Senior Homestead Exemption lowers your equalized assessed value by \$5,000. We do not know when homeowners turn 65, it is essential for you to come into our office to get this exemption started. You will need to bring in your drivers license as proof of age. If your property is in a trust we will need you to bring in your trust as well.

Homestead Limited Exemption

Also known as General Homestead Exemption, this exemption lowers your equalized assessed value of your property by \$6,000. This exemption is given to all properties as long as it's your primary residence and you are not receiving a Homestead Exemption at any other property. Rental properties do NOT qualify for a Homestead Limited Exemption. It is the responsibility of each taxpayer to confirm that the Homestead Limited Exemption has been applied to their tax bill.

ALL exemptions, Homestead, Senior Freeze, Home Improvement, Senior, Veteran, Disability and Returning Veteran show up on right side of your tax bill as deductions in the taxable assessed value. If you think you may qualify for one of these exemptions and are not receiving it please give the Assessor's office a call to inquire about it at 847-634-4602

Latex Paint Disposal

Latex paint is the type of paint that can be cleaned off a paint brush or roller by using soap and water. Oil-based paint is the type of paint that you need mineral spirits or turpentine to clean the brushes. Oil-based paint and spray paint need to go to a household chemical waste collection (Check the swalco.org for area chemical waste collection sites). Waste disposal companies can accept latex paint for disposal, as long as it meets certain requirements.

Here are a few suggestions to help you dispose of latex paint. 1) If you have a partial can you may remove the lid and let the paint dry out so it may be put in the refuse collection. Use kitty litter, oil dry or shredded paper to help it dry out. 2) Donate the paint to a neighbor, school, local theatre or charitable group. 3) Host a paint swap with friends and neighbors. 4) Use leftover paint as primer for another area. See the swalco.org web site for additional information.

Holiday Happenings

Vernon Township would like to take this opportunity to thank all that participated in the Vernon Township Holiday programs. With the support from the community the programs at Vernon Township are always successful. This past year over 120 families were sponsored for Thanksgiving baskets and holiday gifts. Pictured below are some of this year's sponsors.



Cameron really enjoyed helping his Mom deliver their Thanksgiving Basket. He could not believe all the baskets in one room! Thanks!



Brynn and Steve enjoyed donating a Thanksgiving basket to a township family that was in need. Thank you for your support.



Vernon Township wishes to thank Buffalo Grove Boy Scout Troop #100 for their generous Thanksgiving Basket.



Caryn, a resident of Buffalo Grove, donated many beautiful gifts to the Vernon Township Sponsor-A-Family program. Thank you Caryn for your support.



Charity Chix of Lake County donated 5 Thanksgiving Baskets. This is the first year that they signed up to sponsor the township's program and had a great time making all the baskets. Vernon Township wishes to thank all the Charity Chixs for their support and hope to see them back next year.



Employees of Sedgebrook Retirement Community sponsored a family for the holidays. They all enjoyed buying, wrapping and delivering the gifts. Vernon Township wishes to thank everyone for their support.



David filled 2 huge bags with gifts for the family he sponsored for Christmas. Thank you David, we are sure your sponsored family enjoyed all the presents.



Lil was so happy to help her Mom deliver the gifts for the family they sponsored for the Holidays. Thank you Lil for helping Vernon Township.



Every year during the holiday season, Marc and Renee from the Stationary Studio in Buffalo Grove donate a very generous check to the Vernon Township Food Pantry. In this photo the Township Supervisor, William Peterson, accepts the donation and thanks them for their continued support.

Food Pantry

The Vernon Township food pantry receives many generous donations from our caring community. At this time we want to thank all that have graciously donated to the food pantry in the past year. Pictured are two Vernon Township's residents that helped support our mission. For further information on the Vernon Township Food Pantry, please call Nancy at (847) 634-4600



Vernon Township thanks all that supported the Vernon Township Food Pantry during this holiday season. Pictured is Tony from Lincolnshire. Tony and her friends collected food during their New Year's Eve party.

Vernon Township's "BackPacker" Club

Vernon Township will again be collecting backpacks filled with school supplies for grade school children. Last year over 150 students started the school year with new backpacks and supplies. Having all new supplies helped make these students happy, prepared and ready to learn.

If you wish to donate to the "BackPacker" Club, please call Nancy at (847) 634-4600 for more details. Vernon Township will need the grade specific backpacks filled with the appropriate supplies by the week of July 25th.

Disability Parking Placards

Disability Parking Placards are available at the township offices. As a local municipality, Vernon Township can issue a Temporary Disability Parking Placard for up to 90 days. Parking placards for 91 days up to 6 months are issued at your local Secretary of State office. Permanent Disability Placard are issued in Springfield. Please visit the Secretary of State's Parking Program for Persons with Disabilities brochure (available to read at www.cyberdriveillinois.com) for an application and more information.

50/50 Taxi Coupons

Vernon Township has a taxi program for Seniors and Disabled persons in Vernon Township. Our 50/50 Taxi program offers coupons that are purchased for \$1.50 with a coupon value of \$3. Coupons are sold in \$15 increments and limited to \$75 per household, per month and are used ONLY with American Taxi Company. The coupons may be used for transportation within the Chicagoland area with the exception of transportation to and from any airports.

For additional information regarding this program please call Beth at (847) 634-1542.

AARP Driver Safety Program

The AARP Driver Safety Program is an eight hour program designed to help you understand the effects of aging on your driving and learn driving strategies that take into account the changes we experience as we age. Completion of this program may entitle you to receive discounts on your auto insurance. Attendance on both days is required to receive a certificate that may reduce your auto premiums. **Checks should be made payable to AARP.** Registration must be received by April 15, 2016 or May 27, 2016.

Session 1: April 21 - April 22
Session 1 Time: Noon - 4 p.m.
Session 2: June 2 - June 3
Session 2 Time: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Days: Thursday & Friday
Place: Peterson Park
Fee: \$15 Non-AARP: \$20
Min: 15

Recreation Programs

Prime Timers (55 and older)

Prime Timers is a friendly group gathering every Monday from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Prime Timers meet at the Township's Community Service Building at 2900 North Main Street in Buffalo Grove. Typical gatherings consist of a card game called Hand and Foot a variation of Canasta. If you have never played, the group would love to teach you! We are also always ready to learn and play your favorite games. For special events please see our schedule below and fill out the program registration form for all selected programs. A program registration form is located in the back of this issue. Please call (847) 634-1542 with any further questions.

| Event | Date | Register by | Cost | Max Participants |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|----------------|--|--------------------------|
| Movie and Lunch | April 4, 2016 | March 21, 2016 | Admission by participant / Bus \$5 | 13 for Bus |
| Lunch and Patterson Glassworks | May 2, 2016 | April 4, 2016 | Lunch by participant / Glassworks \$35 / Bus \$5 | 13 - Bus 20 - Program |
| Cantigny Gardens Tour | June 6, 2016 | May 2, 2016 | Admission Free / Bus \$5 | 13 - Bus |
| Arlington Park Value & Senior Day | July 7, 2016 | June 6, 2016 | Admission \$4 / Lunch & program by participant / Bus \$5 | 13 - Bus |

Practical Street Self-Defense

An on-going, low impact class designed for those new to self-defense, providing returning students with the opportunity to review and perfect their skills and learn more advanced techniques. The course will teach students simple and effective self-defense techniques against the most common unarmed attacks, including defenses against knife, club and gun attacks, and instruction on defending with a stick or cane. Students with physical limitations will receive individual instruction on alternative self-defense options. The instructor is a practicing attorney with over 15 years experience in Kenpo Karate, Krav Maga and Kali, and will address the legal ramifications of using self-defense. (Students need to be at least 18 years old to participate)

Dates: Apr 6 - April 27
Time: 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Days: Wednesdays
Place: Peterson Park
 16652 Buffalo Grove Rd.
 Prairie View, IL 60069
Fee: \$20 Non-Res: \$30
Min/Max: 4/20

Self Defense Legal Seminar

Peter Honigmann, a local practicing attorney and martial arts instructor, will be teaching this seminar on the law of self-defense. During this one (1) hour class you will learn the basic principles which support a valid claim of self-defense. The class will be provided with several real life scenarios/situations where claims of self-defense were made, and the outcomes of those cases will be discussed. The class is a must for those who carry weapons or practice martial arts, so that you understand what level of force is justified in a given situation, and to learn how to explain to the police that your actions were legally justifiable.

Date: May 11, 2016
Time: 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Days: Wednesday
Place: Peterson Park
Fee: Donation to the Vernon Township Food Pantry
Min/Max: 10/20

Self-Defense for Teens

A Seminar focused on teaching teens to identify and avoid potentially dangerous situations, suggestions on how to de-escalate a situation before it becomes violent, and when there are no other options, how to use the least amount of force necessary to escape a confrontation. Students will learn simple, effective, and easy to remember defenses to common unarmed attacks, as well as against a club or knife attack. The instructor, a practicing attorney with over 15 years of experience in Kenpo Karate, Krav Maga, and the Filipino Martial Arts, will address the legal ramifications of using self-defense. (For ages 13 to 18)

Date: May 21, 2016
Time: 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Days: Saturday
Place: Peterson Park
 16652 Buffalo Grove Rd.
 Prairie View, IL 60069
Fee: \$5 Non-Res: \$7.50
Min/Max: 4/20

Soccer / T-Ball Combo

Age: 3-5

This class is a perfect for your child who is full of energy and parents who are looking of an introduction to t-ball and soccer. Socialization, teamwork, following directions, key motor skills and having fun will be the focus in this non-competitive environment. For the two weeks of class we will focus on soccer and the second two weeks we will work on t-ball skills. The last class of each sport will be a fun game. A fun game will be played at the end of each class. The camp will be held outside. Please bring a water bottle.

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|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Session 1: | June 14 - July 12 |
| Session 2: | July 26 - Aug 23 |
| Day: | Tuesday |
| Time: | 5:00 – 5:50 p.m. |
| Place: | Admin. Playing Fields |
| Fee (per session): | \$40 Non-Res: \$60 |
| Min/Max: | 8/20 |

Flag Football

Age: 5-7

Tackle the fun with this instructional, non-contact class. Using mini-sized footballs along with the introduction of flags, players will learn the skills to get them started in football. Along with the core skills of passing and catching, players will learn the rules, positions on the field, as well strategies for both offense and defense. Games will be played at the end of each class. The camp will be held outside. Please bring a water bottle.

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| Min/Max: | 8/20 |

SNAG Beginning Golf

Age: 5-8

Looking to introduce your child to the game of golf? In this beginner's class, child will use special SNAG equipment that is much easier to handle and allows The SNAG Ball to launch an average of 50 yards. Children will learn the basics of the complete swing, putting, and chipping in a safe and stress-free atmosphere. So come on out and enjoy a fun-n-easy game of golf!

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| Time: | 6:00 – 6:50 p.m. |
| Place: | Admin. Playing Fields |
| Fee | \$40 Non-Res: \$60 |
| Min/Max: | 8/20 |

For Cancellations due to inclement weather, please go to the SportsRUs web site at www.sportsrusil.com

Vernon Township Aquatic Center

Pool Pass Information

Any person wishing to enjoy the Vernon Township Aquatic Center must have a valid season pass or purchase a daily pass at the pool registration desk. To be eligible for resident rates, you must provide proof of your Vernon Township residency with a valid driver's license or by a current real estate tax bill. Only those immediate family members and care givers living at your residence will be eligible for family rates. (See guidelines.)

All season pass holders are required to have a photo identification card, issued by Vernon Township. If you cannot present this card to the pool attendant at the time of check-in, you will be charged the daily user rate.

Through the season, pool pass photos are taken at the Vernon Township Administrative Center, Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. For your convenience, additional pool pass photo hours are as follows:

May 3, 2016 to May 21, 2016 (Tentative)
Tuesdays and Thursdays - 8:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturdays 9:00 a.m. - Noon.

Individuals must be present for their pass photo. We will not take a picture of a photo brought in by another person. Vernon Township will NOT give credit towards the purchase of a pool pass for any daily fees paid.

Please use registration form on Page 10.

Pass Guidelines

- Admission to the pool requires payment of a daily admission fee or a pool pass, regardless of age.
- A pool pass must be presented upon check-in at the pool. If you can not present the card at the time of check-in, you will be charged the daily user rate. No other form of identification will be accepted for admission into the pool.
- Pool passes are NOT transferable and not refundable.
- Only immediate family members living in your residence are eligible for family rates. Nannies and live-in baby sitters can be included, but must provide proof of residency at your address. (Drivers license or State of Illinois ID ONLY.) Live out nannies and baby sitters must purchase an individual pass or purchase a daily pass.
- Passes used fraudulently or false information on the registration form may result in all passes being revoked with no refund.
- A responsible adult over the age of 16 must accompany children ages 8 and below.
- Replacement passes are \$5.00

The above is only a partial list of pool guidelines. Vernon Township has the authority to enforce additional guidelines.

Pool Pass Registration Form – 2016

Vernon Township
3050 N. Main Street
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

Recreation Phone: (847) 634-1542

1 Household Information

Passes available starting May 2, 2016. List all household member who will receive pool pass. **All members listed on this form must live at the same residence. PROOF OF RESIDENCY IS REQUIRED - VALID DRIVERS LICENSE OR STATE ISSUED ID ONLY.**

| Primary - First and Last Name | Sex | Birthdate | Address and City | Phone | |
|----------------------------------|-----|-----------|---------------------|-------|-----------|
| 1) | | | | | |
| Additional - First and Last Name | Sex | Birthdate | First and Last Name | Sex | Birthdate |
| 2) | | | 6) | | |
| 3) | | | 7) | | |
| 4) | | | 8) | | |
| 5) | | | 9) | | |

2 Fees

Pool Pass Fees: May 2 – September 5, 2016

| Type | Early Rate (on or before May 21) | Regular Rate (on or after May 22) |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Individual | \$90 | \$100 |
| 2 Person Family | \$125 | \$135 |
| 3 Person Family | \$135 | \$145 |
| 4 Person Family | \$145 | \$155 |
| 5 Person Family | \$155 | \$165 |
| 6 Person Family | \$165 | \$175 |
| 7 Person Family | \$175 | \$185 |
| 8 Person Family | \$185 | \$195 |

Non-resident pool pass fees are an additional 50%.

Daily Pool Fees: May 21 – September 5, 2016

| Weekday | Adult – \$5 Child – \$4 | NR Adult – \$6 NR Child – \$5 |
|---------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Weekend | Adult – \$6 Child – \$4 | NR Adult – \$7 NR Child – \$5 |

Pool Dates and Hours

| May 21 - 22 | Weekend | 12-6 pm |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| May 28 - June 12 | Mon. - Fri.; Sat., Sun., Holiday | 12-5 pm, 6-8 pm; 12-6 pm |
| June 13 - July 29 | Mon. - Fri.; Sat., Sun., Holiday | 1-8 pm; 12-6 pm |
| July 30 - Aug. 14 | Mon. - Fri.; Sat., Sun., Holiday | 12-5 pm, 6-8 pm; 12-6 pm |
| Aug. 15 - Sept. 5 | Mon. - Fri.; Sat., Sun., Holiday | 5 pm to Dusk.; 12-6 pm |

3 Payment

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|---|----------------------------------|---|
| Forms of payment include cash or checks payable to: Vernon Township Park Fund | | There is a \$30 surcharge on all N.S.F. checks. |
| Amount of Payment: \$ | <input type="checkbox"/> Check # | <input type="checkbox"/> Cash |
| By signing below you understand and acknowledge the "General Pool Rules" and "Pass Guidelines" available from Vernon Township. | | |
| Signature of Participant or Parent/Guardian (if participant is under 18): | | Date: |

4 Waiver

VERNON TOWNSHIP RECREATIONAL PROGRAM WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS

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I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participate in the above program(s) and I agree to assume the full risk of any such injuries, damages, or loss regardless of the severity which I or my child/ward may sustain as a result of participating in any activities connected to or associated with any such program(s). I waive and relinquish all claims I or my child/ward may have against the Township and its officers, agents, servants, and employees from any and all claims as a result of participating in any of the above program(s). I hereby fully release and discharge the Township and its officers, agents, servants, and employees from any and all claims from injuries, damages, or loss which I or my child/ward may have or which may accrue to me or my child/ward on account of my participation or the participation of my child/ward in any of the above program(s). I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless and defend the Township and its officers, agents, servants, and employees from any and all claims resulting from injuries, damages, and losses sustained by me or by my child/ward and arising out, connected with, or in any way associated with the activities of any of the program(s).

I have read and fully understand the above programs details and waiver and release Vernon Township of all claims.

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| Signature of Participant or Parent/Guardian (if participant is under 18): | Date: |
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Program Registration Form

Vernon Township
3050 N. Main Street
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089
Recreation Phone: (847) 634-1542

1 Family Information

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Family Last Name: | Address: | |
| City, State: | Zip Code: | |
| Home Phone: () | Cell Phone: () | Email Address: |
| Alternate Contact and Phone Number: | | |
| Name of Father and Work Number: | | |
| Name of Mother and Work Number: | | |

2 Registration

| First and Last Name | Sex | Birth Date | Age | Program Name | Date of Program and Session | Time of Program | Fee |
|---------------------|-----|------------|-----|--------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----|
| | | | | | | | \$ |
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Please describe any special accommodations needed for the enjoyment of this program:

Under the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need any accommodations to participate in this activity, please check this box

3 Payment

Forms of payment include cash or checks payable to: Vernon Township Park Fund

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| Amount of Payment: \$ | <input type="checkbox"/> Check # | <input type="checkbox"/> Cash |
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Mail or drop off registration and payment to:
Vernon Township, 3050 N. Main St., Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

There is a \$30 surcharge on all N.S.F. checks.

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NOTE:

Participants will only be notified of class changes or cancellations.
Please fill out this form completely. Incomplete or inaccurate information will delay your registration.



Vernon Township

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Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

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60069

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Policy of Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicapped Status
The Vernon Township Government does not discriminate on the basis of handicapped status in the admission or access to, or treatment of employment in, its programs or activities. Kathie Deyerler, of 3050 Main Street, Buffalo Grove, Illinois has been designated to coordinate compliance with federal nondiscrimination requirements.

Public Safety Phone Numbers (Emergency 9-1-1 / police / fire / paramedic (All phones, including cellular))

Non-emergency / Police

Lake County Sheriff's Police 847-549-5200
Buffalo Grove Police Department 847-459-2560
Lincolnshire Police Department 847-883-9900
Riverwoods Police Department 847-945-1130
Vernon Hills Police Department 847-362-4449

Non-Emergency / Fire

Buffalo Grove Fire Department 847-537-0995
Countryside Fire Protection District 847-367-5511
Long Grove Fire Protection District 847-634-3143
Lincolnshire / Riverwoods Fire Protection . . 847-634-2512

For Road Conditions

IDOT 800-452-4368
Tollways 800-865-5394

Other Numbers

Illinois Poison Center . . . **800-222-1222**
Commonwealth Edison . . . 800-334-7661
NICOR 888-642-6748
Peoples Energy 847-336-7400

Back By Popular Demand

Vernon Township's 8th Annual Community Garage Sale

WHEN: Saturday, June 18, 2016 (Rain or Shine)
TIME: 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. (Set-up starts at 7:00 a.m.)



Vernon Township will be hosting the 8th Annual Community Garage Sale in the west parking lot of the Prairie View Train Station. **(This year's event is scheduled for early summer rather than the fall.)** The township will be selling 2 spaces (16 ft x 17 ft) for \$25.00. The proceeds from the sale of spaces benefit the Vernon Township Food Pantry. Crafters are welcome to participate.

Applications are available at the Vernon Township Administration Building or on line at www.vernontownship.com. **Spaces are available on a first come first serve basis. Spaces may be reserved in person at the township office or, if mailing the application, spaces will be assigned by the township.** Everyone is invited to participate, however space is limited so reserve your spaces early. Deadline for reserving a space is May 27th. You will need to bring your own supplies such as tables, chairs, clothes racks and shade screens. Clean up is the responsibility of the space holder at the end of the sale.

For further information please call Vernon Township at (847) 634-4600.