

Vernon Township

Summer 2011



Vernon Township Memorial Day Services

Memorial Day, originally called Decoration Day, is a day of remembrance for those who have died in our nation's service. You are invited to a Memorial Day Ceremony to honor our Veterans on:

Monday May 30, 2011

9:00 a.m.

Vernon Cemetery
Corner of Route 45
and Milwaukee Ave.
(Behind Strip Mall)
Lincolnshire, IL 60069

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

POOL PASS 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

Vernon Township Food Pantry

The Vernon Township Food Pantry received many generous food and cash donations during this past holiday season. With the increasing demand of families needing help with food each month, the township greatly appreciates your support. At the present time we have over 200 families utilizing the pantry.

The Vernon Food Pantry is always in need of donations. Although we receive many donations during the holidays, it always seems as though the pantry gets low during the spring and summer months. Your support



William Peterson
Township Supervisor

during these months would be greatly appreciated. You can contact the township at (847) 634-4600 to see what products are most in need.

A Special Thank You

A special thank you to all the students of Stevenson High School that collected, sorted and boxed over 800 boxes of non-perishable food items at their annual Give A Thon. And to the Honor Society students who worked so hard delivering all the boxes to Vernon Township.

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

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Vernon Township Administrative Center

3050 Main Street
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

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

Town 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 for them.

Township Phone Numbers

Township Administrative Center . . . 634-4600

Assessor's Office 634-4602

Highway Department 634-4600

Senior Services. 634-1542

Dial-A-Ride 634-4600

Township Park & Recreation 634-1542

Township Fax 634-1569

Assessor Fax 634-0654

Northwestern Lake Forest CareCoach

The Northwestern Lake Forest Care Coach is available at the Vernon Township Administration Building, 3050 N. Main Street, Buffalo Grove IL 60089.

Services are provided by a registered nurse. They include:

- Cholesterol screenings
- Blood pressure screenings
- Diabetes screenings
- BMI screenings
- Tobacco cessation services
- Counseling with a registered nurse
- Referrals to a physician, if needed

The Care Coach is scheduled to visit the township one Monday a month from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

As of the printing of this newsletter the dates for the remainder of 2011 have not been established. Please call (847) 535-6709 or visit lfh.org for further information.

New Dental Discount Card

Lake County is pleased to announce that a new dental program, sponsored by the National Association of Counties; is now available to Lake County residents. The plan is not insurance, rather, it is a partnership with Careington International Corporation. Individuals or families may opt to pay a monthly or yearly fee. Cardholders then schedule an appointment with a participating dentist or specialist (includes orthodontia) and present this card to receive a discount at the time of service; this can be as much as 50% for dental work and 20% for orthodontic service. For more information or to sign up for a card call the Lake County Health Department at (847) 377-8600 or visit www.lakecountyil.gov/health and visit Dental Discount Card Program.

Meet Your Vernon Township Officials



*William Peterson
Supervisor*



*Bryant Schroeder
Highway
Commissioner*



*Gary Raupp
Assessor*



*Barbara Barnabee
Clerk*



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Trustee*

Clerks Corner

Vernon Township Annual Meeting

The 161st Vernon Township Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at the Vernon Township Administration Building, 3050 N. Main St., Buffalo Grove, IL 60089.

All Vernon Township residents are welcome to participate in the business transactions of the township.

Vernon Township Cemeteries

The Vernon Township Cemetery is located in Lincolnshire at the corner of Highway 45 and Milwaukee Ave. (behind strip mall). Grave sites and mausoleum spaces are available for purchase. The mausoleum contains 64 crypts, and 24 columbarium niches. Each individual crypt or niche can be personalized on the front at your discretion.

Vernon Township is selling the crypts for \$5,000 each and a niche for \$700. Grave sites are available at both the Vernon and Diamond Lake Cemeteries for \$800.00. If you are interested in purchasing a crypt, niche or grave site please call 847-634-4600 and ask for Barbara Barnabee.

A FRIENDLY REMINDER 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 the end of April. As of May 1st all remaining winter decorations will be removed and disposed.

2011- FISHING AND HUNTING LICENSE

The 2011 Hunting and Fishing Licenses are now available at the Vernon Township Administration Building. For further information on fees and regulations you may visit the Illinois Department of Natural Resources website at www.dnr.state.il.us.

Vernon Township's "BACKPACKER" Club

Please help the less fortunate children in Vernon Township start the new school year off by donating new school supplies. Nothing makes the first day of school better than beginning the year with new school supplies! Gender neutral backpacks are also appreciated. Use your own child's supply list as a guide or call the township for suggestions.

NEW THISYEAR- We would like to collect slightly used calculators for the high school students. These calculators can be expensive and this expense puts a strain on family budgets. If your children have graduated from high school and no longer need these calculators, please donate them to Vernon Township so they may be given to a less fortunate student.

Donated items should be delivered to the Vernon Township Administration Building 3050 N. Main St., Buffalo Grove before the 2nd week of July. If you have any questions or suggestions please feel free to call Kathie at (847) 634-4600.

Highway Department Briefs

Spring Clean Up Weekend

Spring Clean Up Weekend in unincorporated Vernon Township will take place on May 14th and 15th, with a rain date of May 21st and 22nd.

During this weekend dumpsters will be strategically located in the subdivisions of: Chevy Chase, Horatio Gardens, Krisview Acres, The Meadows, Pekara and Elm Road. A dumpster will also be located on Juneway at Frank Avenue.

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:

- Appliances of any kind
- Tires
- Paint, solvents, household hazardous materials or chemicals
- Yard waste (grass clippings, brush or tree limbs)

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

Electronics Event

Once again this year we will have an electronics event that coincides with spring clean up. The event will take place on May 27, 2011 at 3050 N Main St Buffalo Grove from 8:00a.m. to 3:00p.m.

Accepted items include:

Personal Computers, Monitors, Computer Drives, Keyboards, Modems, Mainframes, Scanners, Printers, PDA Organizers, Cellular Phones, Televisions, Stereos, MP3 Players, CD Players, DVD Players, VCR's, Cameras, Video Games, Fax Machines, Shredders, and Small Household Appliances

Culvert Maintenance

Keeping the culvert(s) in front of your residence free of debris is important for proper drainage. A periodic check of your culvert(s) and removal of any debris can reduce flooding during the rainy season. If you live in Unincorporated Vernon Township and have difficulty removing any debris or you find a plugged culvert, please contact the Vernon Township Highway Department.

Permits

Permits are required when you are doing work on the ditch, culvert, trees, bushes and driveways in the right of way. The right of way is approximately 20' from the edge of the road. Permits can be obtained from the Vernon Township Highway Commissioner.

Lake County Traffic Alerts

The Lake County Passage E-mail Notification program allows you to sign up for real-time traffic alerts for designated roadways throughout Lake County. It's easy and it's free.

All you have to do is go to www.lakecountypassage.com and click on E-mail Notifications.

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 known areas in unincorporated Vernon Township. For further information regarding this program or if you are having problems with mosquitoes near your home please call the Mosquito hotline at 1-800-942-2555. If you do not live in an unincorporated area, please contact the village you live in regarding their abatement program.

From the Desk of the Assessor

Property Tax Exemptions

Exemptions are also known as Property Tax Relief. There are a variety of exemptions you can receive on your tax bill. It is up to you as a taxpayer to make sure you are receiving the exemptions for which you are eligible.

Everyone should receive a **General Homestead Exemption** as long as the property is your primary residence. The General Homestead Exemption will take off 6,000 from your assessment before the tax rate is applied. Primary residence means you live at that property; it is the address that appears on your driver's license, and it is the address you are registered to vote from. If you are not receiving this exemption, please call our office so that it can be corrected. If you are receiving the Homestead Limited Exemption on more than one property, it is essential to call our office as well to get this corrected. Illinois law only allows the Homestead Exemption on your primary residence. Most states, if not all, have this same law.

Other exemptions you might qualify for are:

- Senior Exemption
- Senior Freeze Exemption (**Freeze forms are usually mailed out in March/April**)
- Home Improvement Exemption
- Disabled Veteran's Standard Homestead Exemption
- Disabled Veteran's Exemption
- Disabled Person's Homestead Exemption
- Returning Veteran's Exemption

Property Tax Rate

What is the property tax rate and how is it calculated? Property tax bills are determined by two specific things, your assessment and the Property Tax Rate. Your assessment is determined each year by the assessor based on the prior 3 years of sales, this is the law. Your Property Tax Rate is determined by the amount of money your municipalities need to operate for the year, also known as their budget. Most tax bills include multiple tax districts such as, County, Village, Library, Park District, High School, Grade School, College, Forest Preserve, Fire, Police, and Township. Even when assessments decline, all taxpayers still need to pay their portion of these district levies for the year. You may NOT see tax bills go down unless these taxing bodies decrease their spending. After the Lake County Treasurer receives all the budgets and has the final assessment totals, the tax rate is determined and applied to each tax bill. The tax rates will go up year to year if the budgets continue to go up year to year. Tax rates are determined right before the tax bills come out, usually sometime around April. Tax rates are calculated by this formula:

$$\frac{\text{District (Budget Levy)}}{\text{Total assessment of district} - \text{Exemptions}} = \text{Tax Rate}$$

More information on this and other topics can be found at the County's web site at <http://lakecountytill.gov/Assessor>. You can call our office at (847) 634-4602 with any questions. Our office hours are Monday-Friday 8:30-4:30 and on most Saturdays 9:00 until 12:00.

New Passport Forms

The U.S. Department of State will be issuing new application forms effective March 1, 2011. The following forms are being updated.

- Form DS-11- Application for new passport
- Form DS-82- Application for renewals
- Form DS-4085- Application for additional Visa Pages
- Form DS-5504- Application for Name Change, Data Correction, Limited Passport Replacement
- Form DS-3053- Statement of Parental Consent for minors under 16

These new application forms must be used after March 1, 2011; we can not accept old forms. If you have old forms please visit www.travel.state.gov to download the new form before applying for a passport. The township will also have the new forms available by March 1, 2011.

Why Use Water Efficient Landscaping?

Proper landscaping techniques not only create beautiful landscapes, but also benefit the environment and save water. In addition, attractive, water-efficient, low-maintenance landscapes can increase home values.

Water efficient landscaping offers many economic and environmental benefits including:

- Lower water bills from reduced water use.
- Conservation of natural resources and preservation of habitat for plants and wildlife such as fish and waterfowl.
- Decreased energy use (and air pollution associated with its generation) because less pumping and treatment of water is required.
- Reduced home or office heating and cooling costs through the careful placement of trees and plants.
- Reduced runoff of stormwater and irrigation water that carries topsoils, fertilizers, and pesticides into lakes, rivers, and streams.
- Fewer yard trimmings to be managed or land filled.
- Reduced landscaping labor and maintenance costs.
- Extended life for water resources infrastructure (e.g., reservoirs, treatment plants, groundwater aquifers), thus reduced taxpayer costs.

In Compliance with the Clean Water Act ,Vernon Township is working with Lake County Storm Water Management to promote a cleaner, healthier environment.

This information was taken from Water Efficient Landscaping: Preventing Pollution and Using Resources Wisely.

For more information regarding water efficiency visit: www.epa.gov/OWM/water-efficiency/index.htm.

SWALCO Asks County Residents to help Recycle and Reuse their Shoes!

Every year, millions of athletic shoes end up in landfills. SWALCO has an ongoing program to recycle worn out athletic shoes and turn them into a material that is used to create sports surfaces like basketball courts, tennis courts, running tracks, and playgrounds. Last year, more than 33,000 shoes were recycled and approximately 3,000 gently worn pairs of shoes were donated to a local shoe charity. To learn more about the program, or have your group sign up to participate in this fun and worthwhile program, please contact Merleeanne Rampale at mrampale@swalco.org or 847-336-9340 x 4. If you are an individual or family with a small number of used athletic shoes to donate, visit the SWALCO website for locations at www.swalco.org.

Marriott Lincolnshire Theatre

Another great season of musicals is on hand for seniors at the Lincolnshire Marriott Theatre. Several old favorites will be produced for the 2011 season plus one world premiere musical, "For The Boys". Plan to make a date for yourself and your friends to enjoy a Wednesday matinee performance. The matinee performances

begin at 1 pm and tickets are priced at \$30.00 each. Review the schedule and send your payment, by the date shown, to Sharon at the township office on 3050 N Main St., Buffalo Grove IL 60069. The tickets will be mailed to your home prior to the performance.

Show	Program Code	Show Date	Registration Deadline
"42nd Street"	42ND	May 11, 2011	April 4, 2011
"Shout!"	SHOU	July 13, 2011	June 6, 2011
"For the Boys	FTHB	September 14, 2011	August, 8, 2011
"White Christmas"	XMAS	November 16, 2011	October 17, 2011

Vernon Township's 2010 Sponsor-A-Family Program

Thank You - We could not have done it without you!

Vernon Township wishes to thank all the families, corporations, clubs, churches, synagogues, and organizations that participated in the 2010 Sponsor A Family programs.

Your tremendous outpouring of generosity helped over 160 less fortunate families receive Thanksgiving Dinner baskets and many wonderful Holiday gifts.

One of the recipients stated "without the help from the community, my family would not have had any gifts this year; there is so much love in the Vernon Township community. I just sat and cried while my children opened all their beautiful gifts, I just want to thank everyone for their help."

Shown below are just a few of the many donors that sponsored families this year.



(Left) Troop #40460 helped organize the annual Share the Harvest program for Thanksgiving, over 35 dinners were delivered.



(Right) Peter and his family have been sponsoring families for Thanksgiving and the Holidays for many years. Thank you for your continued support.



(Left) Charlie delivered two large baskets for Thanksgiving



(Right) Thanks to Allison and her family for all the wonderful Holiday gifts.



(Left) Tamarak Day Camp and Country School had to use a flatbed trailer to deliver all their gifts- Thanks to everyone for helping to make a wonderful Holiday to several families.



(Right) Thanks Hannah and Noah for delivering Holiday gifts to a less fortunate family in Vernon Township.

Recreation Programs

Prime Timers

We are looking for people 55 or older to join our fun loving group. We meet on Mondays; from 11:30 a.m. – 3 p.m. typically we share a pot luck lunch and head straight into an afternoon of card playing. Occasional in-house entertainment or field trips are offered. For more information, call Beth at (847) 634-1542



Bridge Class

Read the following course descriptions and choose the best class for you. All classes are instructed by Joy Eckerling, Silver Life Master and Member of the ACBL (American Contract Bridge League).

Beginning Bridge (Mornings) - is for the novice who is slightly familiar with the game.

Intermediate Bridge (Mornings) - is for the player who is familiar with basic concepts/conventions and wants to improve play of the hand, defense and review/learn more conventions.

Intermediate (Evenings) - A mini lesson reviewing commonly used conventions and learning MORE commonly used conventions coupled with supervised play.

Intermediate Bridge

(Tuesday Mornings)

Apr 5 - May 24 (7 weeks)

No Class 4/19

Time: 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Day: Tuesdays

Place: Prairie View Park

Fee: \$88 Non-Res: \$132

Min/Max: 8/13

Beginning Bridge

(Wednesday Mornings)

Apr 6 - May 25 (7 weeks)

No Class 4/20

Time: 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Day: Wednesdays

Place: Prairie View Park

Fee: \$88 Non-Res: \$132

Min/Max: 8/13

Intermediate Bridge

(Wednesday Evenings)

Apr 6 - May 25 (7 weeks)

No Class 4/20

Time: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Day: Wednesdays

Place: Prairie View Park

Fee: \$88 Non-Res: \$132

Min/Max: 8/13

Summer Supervised Play

Will run 8 weeks and begins Tue. June 7 and Wed. June 8, 2011 from 7:00 - 9:30 p.m. Registration begins Monday, May 15, 2011. Fee: \$99 Non-Res: \$148.50

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 25, 2011.

Date: Apr 28 - Apr 29
Time: 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Days: Thursday & Friday
Place: Prairie View Park
16652 Buffalo Grove Rd.
Prairie View, IL 60069
Fee: \$12 Non-AARP: \$14
Min: 15

Youth Programs

Magic Class

Age: 5 - 12

Children are guaranteed to have a great time as they learn fascinating tricks from a professional magician! Amaze family and friends with tricks that involve cards, ropes, coins, mind-reading, and more! While the tricks may appear difficult, you'll discover they are quick to learn and easy to perform. All materials are provided and each child receives a magic kit to take home. Children are grouped by age and always learn tricks that are age-appropriate. Additionally, you can sign up for this class again and again since brand new tricks are taught at each session! (Instructor: Magic Team of Gary Kantor)

May 4 (Wednesday)

Time: 5:00 - 5:55 p.m.

July 13 (Wednesday)

Time: 5:45 - 6:40 p.m.

Place: Prairie View Park

Fee: \$20 Non-Res: \$30

Min/Max: 5/40

Pee Wee Soccer

Age: 3-4

Kick in some excitement with this instructional program perfect for the first timer. With the use of smaller sized soccer balls, players will learn the basic skills of dribbling, passing, shooting, and goaltending. Instructors will work with participants on good sportsmanship, participation, and teamwork. Games will be played at the end of each class. The camp will be held outdoors. Participants should bring a water bottle.

Session 1:	June 13 - June 29
Session 2:	July 11 - July 27
Day:	Monday & Wednesday
Time:	2:30 – 3:15 p.m.
Place:	Admin. Playing Fields
Fee (per session):	\$45 Non-Res: \$67.50
Min/Max:	10/20

Lil Pint Baseball

Age: 4-6

Bases will be loaded with incredible excitement and fun-filled activities to get your child on deck with the game of baseball. In this non-competitive environment, children will have a ball learning how to hit off a tee, running bases, playing catch, as well as having opportunity to learn various field positions. Games will be played at the end of each class. Camp will be held outdoors. Participants should bring a water bottle and their own glove for familiarity.

Session 1:	June 13 - June 29
Session 2:	July 11 - July 27
Day:	Monday & Wednesday
Time:	3:30 – 4:15 p.m.
Place:	Admin. Playing Fields
Fee (per session):	\$45 Non-Res: \$67.50
Min/Max:	10/20

Summer Flag Football

Age: 6-9

Good old American classic! Enjoy the sport of football in a non-contact environment where junior sized footballs and flags are used as an aid for developing an understanding for teamwork and individual attitude. Players will learn the rules of the game as well as practice passing, catching, and kicking along with building strategies for both offense and defense. Games will be played at the end of each class. Camp will be held outdoors. Participants should bring a water bottle.

Session 1:	June 13 - June 29
Session 2:	July 11 - July 27
Day:	Monday & Wednesday
Time:	4:30 – 5:30 p.m.
Place:	Admin. Playing Fields
Fee (per session):	\$45 Non-Res: \$67.50
Min/Max:	10/20

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 below.)

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, 2011 to May 21, 2011 (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. Live out nannies and baby sitters must purchase an individual pass or purchase a daily pass.
- All passes are property of Vernon Township and can be suspended or revoked at any time.
- 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 – 2011

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

Recreation Phone: (847) 634-1542

1 Household Information

Passes available starting May 2, 2011. 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.**

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 30, 2011

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 2 – September 30, 2011

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	6-8 pm.; 12-6 pm

3 Payment

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: \$ Check # 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

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in registering yourself or your minor child/ward for participation in Vernon Township programs you will be waiving and releasing all claims for injuries you or your child/ward might sustain arising out of said programs.

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.

Signature of Participant or Parent/Guardian (if participant is under 18): _____ Date: _____

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: ()	Work Phone: ()
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
							\$
							\$
							\$
							\$
							\$

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**

Amount of Payment: \$ Check # Cash

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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VERNON TOWNSHIP RECREATIONAL PROGRAM WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in registering yourself or your minor child/ward for participation in Vernon Township programs you will be waiving and releasing all claims for injuries you or your child/ward might sustain arising out of said programs.

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.

Signature of Participant or Parent/Guardian (if participant is under 18):	Date:
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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.



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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

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Vernon Township's 3rd Annual Community Garage Sale

WHEN: Saturday June 18, 2011

TIME: 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. (Set-up starts at 7:00 a.m.)



Vernon Township will be hosting the 3rd annual community garage sale in the west parking lot of the Prairie View Train Station located on Main St. just north of Route 22 in Buffalo Grove. The township will be selling 2 spaces (16ft x 17ft) for \$25.00 with proceeds from the sale of spaces benefiting the Vernon Township Food Pantry.

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 20, 2011. You will need to bring your own supplies such as tables, chairs or something to hang clothes on. Clean up is also your responsibility after the sale is over. Again this year we hope to have one charitable organization present after the sale for items you may want to donate.

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