



The Village Club Newsletter

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Message From the President:

Dear Members:

It is hard to believe that another school year is upon us already and that another Summer is over. The silver lining is that another season at the Village Club of Western Springs is here and it is time to renew friendships and welcome new members.

The Board of directors would like to welcome you to the official start of the Clubs 102nd year in existence. I am extremely excited about what the club has in store for our members this year and carrying on the traditions of the past. I think Bill Frewert said it best back in 1980 and still holds true 31 years later.

"Good friends and good neighbors is what the Village Club is all about. Our theme is to mutually support the Village Club and each other on a basis of friendship, neighborliness, sociability and conviviality. It's as simple as that! A delightful recipe that has been working for seventy years."

-- W. Frewert, Club President, 1980

Jim

Social:

We have several great events planned throughout the 2011-2012 season. Several of the events are long standing Member favorites like our Oktoberfest, Halloween, Breakfast with Santa, Vegas Night, TGIF's and the Derby Party. You will also see some old favorites return like our Village Club Euchre League. Keep in mind we are always looking for more people to help plan and run these events. It is one of the best ways to help the Club and to meet other members.

Our next event is our very popular annual Oktoberfest hosted by members Joe and Bernadette Hudetz! It will be held on Saturday September 24th. We will have food, drinks and live music!. It is truly a great time and a fun way to connect with friends after a summer away from the club.

Please see the calendar of events on the next page for specific dates and be sure to mark your calendars now.

Calendar of Events:

8/27/10 – Back to School Party

09/24/11 –Oktoberfest

10/7/11 – TGIF

****New Date****

10/28/11 – Halloween Party

11/4/11 – TGIF

11/25/11 – Turkey Tourney

12/10/11 – Breakfast w/ Santa

1/13/12 – Adult TGIF

1/28/11 – Casino Night

2/3/12 – TGIF

2/24/12 – Men’s Smoker

3/10/12 – St. Patty’s Day Party

3/11/12 – TGIF

4/9/12 – Breakfast w/ Bunny

4/21/12 – Ladies Night

5/5/12 – Derby Party

5/28/12 – Memorial Day Party

Questions, Comments,

Suggestions, or to Volunteer;

Have an Idea for a New Event?

Interested in Joining our Board?

Call or email

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or

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Membership:

Membership is the lifeblood of the club. Without great Members like you the Village Club would cease to exist. Membership dues have been mailed and we need and want all of our Members to return to the club. Keep in mind that your Membership dues go directly to the club to pay taxes, utilities, maintain the club and continue to create events that are fun for both children and adults.

We also need our membership to grow and to introduce the club to new families and friends. We ask the help of every member to spread the word about the club and to help bring on new members.

Just a reminder to turn in your membership dues. We have lots of great parties coming up. Don't forget benefits of membership include rental privileges and discounted entry to parties. Ever thought about upgrading to the premium membership? Premium Membership (\$565) covers your annual dues PLUS pre-pays all of the regular season parties (Back to School, Oktoberfest, Halloween, Vegas Night, Ladies Train Crawl, St. Patrick's Day, Derby Party, and Memorial Day). If you attend just 3 of these parties you will have already paid for the cost of this upgrade. Any party after that is simply a bonus!

In addition, we would like to extend a special welcome to the Village Club's newest members:

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| Andrew & Brooke Ariens | Mike & Bridget McDermott |
| Brian & Mary Campbell | Jon & Laura Reepmeyer |
| Chris & Chrissie Cox | Lee & Dan Rosenberg |
| Mike & Kelly Coyne | Brian & Leslie Spears |
| Steven Dudash | Matt & Kate Sperry |
| Daniel & Colleen Heidkamp | Greg & Suzanne Wolter |
| Mark and Cheryl Margason | |

Rentals:

The Village Club Calendar continues to fill up quickly, but we still have select dates available. The Club is the perfect venue for meetings, birthday parties, reunions, dinner parties, or any other event you can dream up.

The Holiday Season is right around the corner and prime dates are filling up fast, so reserve your dates now before they're all booked up!

I would like to give a special thanks to our Rental Coordinators, Beth and Paul Tegtmeier, for all of the time and tireless effort they devote to Rentals and the Club each and every month. The Board and our Membership appreciates all that you do!!!

Contact us at Rentals@thevillageclub.com for details or to book your dates.