



# July 2009 Newsletter

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The NAHC strives to be your source for what is happening in Naperville of importance to homeowners. Through our meetings, this newsletter, and our website, we provide actionable information and insights for your associations and residents. Also, we would like to invite everyone to follow the Confederation on Twitter. Just sign up to follow “Naperhomeowners” to get our tweets on meetings, website announcements, and other items of interest to Naperville homeowners.

We encourage you to share this newsletter, or the information in it, with your members. We write this every month for you – the homeowners of Naperville!

We welcome and appreciate your feedback. Send it to our Vice President and Newsletter Editor, Bob Fischer, at [rafischer1@aol.com](mailto:rafischer1@aol.com).

## **President’s Letter**

June marked the first meeting I led as President of the NAHC. Thanks to our presenters and guests, I was able to preside over what I hope was seen as a worthwhile use of a Saturday morning. During the course of our meeting we learned about happenings around town and where we, and our members, fit in the overall scheme of things.

As one of our regularly scheduled joint NAHC/City of Naperville meetings, six Council members provided their perspectives and input. We received first hand updates on the prior night’s storm damage while our members had the opportunity for one-on-one discussions with representatives of every City Department. Rick Hitchcock provided a fantastic overview of not only the roots of the Riverwalk, but also those projects planned as this living legacy to the community continues to evolve.

Of particular enjoyment was recognizing with pride distinguished members and alumni of the Confederation Board who went on to elected office and even greater service to the community.

Seven former and current Confederation Board members received certificates and a small token of appreciation –an official NAHC mug. Our honorees included an NAHC founder, former Mayor Peg Price. We also recognized Illinois State Representative Darlene Senger, a former Councilman and Confederation President. Rounding out City Council representation, current Councilman and former NAHC Director Paul Hinterlong was cited. Moving to the School Boards, Gerry Cassioppi, formerly of the District 203 Board, and Jeannette Clark, past president of not only 204, but also the Confederation were recognized. Finally, showing that not only “alumni” get elected as leaders, Park District President and NAHC Board Member Mike Reilly, and Naperville Township Supervisor and Confederation Associate Director Gary Vician were acknowledged. It was encouraging to hear all of the honorees in attendance, both past and present Board members, speak of the intrinsic value of the Confederation to the City and how essential the NAHC is to our community. This level of affirmation would seem to indicate we continue to be on the right track as we move forward, as neighbors helping neighbors, within the Confederation.

The Confederation won’t formally meet again until September, although your Board continues working on planning for future meetings and other NAHC business. Next month I’ll provide some additional information on possible changes in meeting dates and formats. In the meantime, stay current on the Confederation and what’s happening in the Naperville community at [www.napervillehomeowners.com](http://www.napervillehomeowners.com).

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## **Next Meeting Preview – Meeting Formats May Be Changing!**

The Confederation will not hold General Membership meetings during the months of July and August. Our next general membership meeting will be held in September.

During our June Joint meeting with City Council we spent quite a bit of time discussing how our meetings should be managed moving forward as we strive to be accessible to our members. Our mission continues to be to provide a forum for homeowner concerns and interests while providing informative and collaborative working sessions designed to foster an interchange of ideas, resources, and information between and among individual homeowners associations. We also plan on continuing to create an awareness of residents' needs by developing and maintaining relationships with all levels of government including national, state, city, counties, townships, and school and park districts. All of this is held together in the overall context of neighbors helping neighbors.



As part of our meeting planning discussions we touched on moving more meetings away from Saturday mornings to a weeknight, changing the frequency of our joint meetings with City Council, the appropriate start time for meetings, and potentially reducing scheduled meeting lengths from two hours to 90 minutes. The Board will review these suggestions as we prepare the schedule of meetings for the Fall and we should have more to report in the August and September newsletters.

We also discussed with Council how the Confederation can become more involved in gathering homeowner input on issues and also communicating the impacts of issues back to homeowners. One area of concern to all homeowners is the tax implications of City budget discussions and we will be working closely over the next few months with the City Manager's office on how to work this into our upcoming joint meetings.

If you have any suggestions on future meeting topics, or how our meetings can better serve Naperville homeowners, please email us at [nahc-naperhomeowners@wowway.com](mailto:nahc-naperhomeowners@wowway.com).

## **Zoning and Land Use Update**



*The following report from Zoning & Land Use Committee chair Thom Higgins includes development projects that were discussed at the June monthly meeting with City Staff and/or were determined by Plan Commission and Council:*

*In attendance: Thom Higgins and Bob Fischer for the NAHC, Greg Jones and Allison Laff for the City of Naperville*

### **New Proposals:**

**Zapista Restaurant:** Plans for a new restaurant in the Freedom Commons center will be discussed at a July Plan Commission meeting.

**Ellsworth Condo's:** A developer has submitted plans for a condo complex on Ellsworth from 4<sup>th</sup> to North. They are under review by staff.

**Omnia Performing Arts Center:** The Board of Directors of Omnia hosted a public meeting on June 23<sup>rd</sup>, in Council Chambers. Bev Frier, along with various experts, made a three hour presentation to a standing room only crowd.

Omnia proposes constructing a performing arts center with three theaters. A 2700 seat, a 950 seat and a 200 seat theater on what is currently the Metra commuter parking lot at Fifth and Washington. As part of the project they are proposing an expanded parking garage to be shared with commuters. The \$190-\$200 million project would be financed by a \$130 million TIF funded by the sale of 600-650

condo and town homes, and \$70 million in proceeds from land sales of land currently owned by Metra and the City.

Residents are invited to forward comments about the Omnia concept to Rory Fancier, Community Planner, at [Fancier@naperville.il.us](mailto:Fancier@naperville.il.us) until July 10, 2009. The Omnia proposal will be forwarded to City Council for discussion sometime this summer when the Fifth Avenue Study is discussed. It is important to note that the Omnia Board has not done the requisite planning and design work that is necessary to make a formal submission to the city, as is typically done. Therefore, Council will only be discussing the desirability of the concept, and whether there is enough support for Omnia to submit a more detailed submission for formal review.

For more information go to: <http://www.omniaarts.org/>

Three neighboring Homeowners Associations have issued a statement regarding Omnia that can be seen here: <http://wow.lowtechnet.com/echo/positions>

You can see a birds-eye view animation of the project here: <http://www.lowtechnet.com/omnia>

Newspaper articles:

<http://www.dailyherald.com/story/?id=302540>

[http://www.suburbanchicagonews.com/napervillesun/news/1636247,Skeptical-residents-question-Omia\\_na062309.article](http://www.suburbanchicagonews.com/napervillesun/news/1636247,Skeptical-residents-question-Omia_na062309.article)

### **Ongoing Proposals:**

**Turning Pointe:** There was a second public hearing in front of the Plan Commission on June 17th. Residents once again voiced a number of concerns including the 25' setback of the school from the rear property line, the overall size of the lot, and the school's impact on neighboring property values. Plan Commission members inquired about the hours of operation, after school activities, the number of potential curb cuts, and the status of whether this kind of school would necessitate a 20 mph school speed limit on Naper/Plainfield Rd. There was considerable discussion of a letter from the Mayors Advisory Committee on Disabilities, which outlined that committee's concerns about the group home component. They question the concept of having a group home, rather than having smaller, individualized homes spread throughout the community.

The plan calls for the school to be built first and the residences developed at a later date. It should be noted that Turning Pointe is looking for Preliminary Approval only. No vote was taken, and the Public Hearing was continued.

Information on Turning Pointe Foundation can be found at:

<http://www.turningpointeautismfoundation.org/>

### **Studies and Initiatives:**

**Fifth Avenue Study:** On Wednesday, June 17, 2009 the Plan Commission discussed the study, focusing largely on the proposed 50' height limitation and placement of commuter parking lots. No formal vote was taken, and it will be back on the agenda for further discussion at the July 15<sup>th</sup> meeting. In addition, the Transportation Advisory Board, at their July 11<sup>th</sup> meeting, will delve further into a proposed Bus Depot where the Parkview lot stands and the potential for a parking deck in the Burlington Lot.

For more information go to: <http://www.naperville.il.us/fifthavenue.aspx>

**Plank Rd. Study:** This Summer, Naperville will kick off the Plank Rd. Study to evaluate future land uses of specific parcels along Plank Rd. from Columbia to Naper Blvd. For more information go to: <http://www.naperville.il.us/plankroadstudy.aspx>

**DuPage County Workforce Housing Ordinance:** On June 16<sup>th</sup>, the DuPage County Board development committee voted 6 to 1 to reject the plan which would have allowed denser construction of lower cost residential units in unincorporated DuPage County.

A number of communities, including Naperville, had weighed in on the proposal, offering mostly criticisms. While the stated goal was to provide affordable housing for people such as nurses, police officers, firefighters, and teachers, the committee received numerous complaints from residents charging that this would create low income or Section 8 housing.

Naperville's concerns revolved around zoning and land use issues. City Manager Doug Krieger cited concerns, including potential stress on well and septic systems, the potential for undue burden on existing fire protection networks and the possibility that the city would not have adequate say in proposed higher-density development that might be inconsistent with its comprehensive plan.

Krieger suggested that the county consider workforce housing proposals under the parameters of planned unit development and that it establish minimum acreage requirements for the new neighborhoods.

"Placing a minimum size threshold on workforce housing development will help these units to develop in a cohesive manner that is compatible with the surrounding neighborhood character and land uses," he wrote. Source: Naperville Sun

The full board may have to vote on the proposal again to make its rejection official.

<http://www.dailyherald.com/story/?id=300988>

[http://www.suburbanchicagonews.com/napervillesun/news/1614331,A-little-more-time\\_na060909.article](http://www.suburbanchicagonews.com/napervillesun/news/1614331,A-little-more-time_na060909.article)

**Central Park Master Plan:** Naperville Park District Board voted to approve the plan, with some amendments, and forward their recommendations to City Council. The board recommended that restrooms be built within the first two years of the project, instead of the five to ten years that was proposed, and that some additional parking spaces be converted to green space.

[http://www.suburbanchicagonews.com/napervillesun/news/1619327,Park-board-elects-officers\\_na061209.article](http://www.suburbanchicagonews.com/napervillesun/news/1619327,Park-board-elects-officers_na061209.article)

**Downtown Plan Update:** The city will be hosting a Public Open House on July 23<sup>rd</sup>. to kick off the study and get public input. Land use and the possible expansion to the borders of the area will be part of the study.



## **Riverwalk Update**

During our June meeting, Riverwalk Commission Chairman Rick Hitchcock presented an overview of the projects on the horizon as the Riverwalk continues to evolve. If you missed Mr. Hitchcock's presentation, you can review the slides on the NAHC website at:

<http://www.napervillehomeowners.com/NAHC/NewsDoc/NewsDoc11198.pdf>.

In addition, the Riverwalk Commission is interested in your thoughts on the projects depicted (the numbers used are not a priority – permits and funding will dictate what gets done), and invites you to visit [www.Naperville.IL.US/Riverwalk.aspx](http://www.Naperville.IL.US/Riverwalk.aspx) to provide your comments on how you feel the Riverwalk should continue to be developed.

## **Confederation Stand on Furstenau Lawsuit**

As you may recall, at the Confederation's Annual Meeting in May the members in attendance voted, without dissent, to empower the Confederation Board to prepare a Public Statement for ratification by the full Confederation membership. This statement would call for:

1. Ending this costly litigation ASAP via mediation or other settlement
2. Providing necessary Transparency, with open files for public review
3. Permitting all to speak on this matter of importance to all Naperville homeowners
4. Opposing and rejecting efforts by any party to hide material facts from the public.

Since then, it appears that the lawsuit has been settled and the judge has ruled that the settlement will not include a "gag order" limiting public comment and discussion. During the June 20<sup>th</sup> Joint Council – Confederation bi-monthly meeting, Councilman Grant Wehrli mentioned that he had all of the publicly available exhibits and documentation (some items, including personnel records, were declared confidential) available in his office and these could be available for reading by anyone so inclined.

As it appears that the four points of the proposed stand have been addressed, a Public Statement on the items above may be redundant. The Confederation Board will continue to monitor the situation and there will be further discussion on the motion by the membership at the September meeting. In the meantime, the Confederation is pleased that what we asked for back in January, a settlement that would halt the further expenditure of taxpayer dollars with little tangible return to homeowners, seems to have come to pass.

## **City Briefs – News You Can Use from the City of Naperville**

In a continued effort to evaluate costs, revised rates for copies of **Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests** will go into effect on Monday, June 22, 2009. According to City Clerk Pam LaFeber, "We evaluated our current contracts regarding copier maintenance, as well as the cost of paper, and found we were able to reduce some of our copying fees. In addition, we are trying to anticipate the implementation on January 1, 2010, of legislation amending the Freedom of Information Act. Therefore, we have incorporated the provision in that legislation that provides for the first 50 pages to be copied at no charge."

The revised fees are as follows:

<b>Public Body</b>	<b>Document/Material</b>	<b>Fee</b>
Naperville Police Department	Photo CD	\$2.50
Naperville Police Department	Photo DVD	\$5.00
Naperville Police Department	VHS	\$3.50
Naperville Police Department	4x6 Photo	\$0.60
Naperville Police Department	Photo Proof Sheet	\$1.35
Naperville Police Department	Paper Copies (Color)	\$0.15 (after the first 50 pages)
NPD/City Clerk's Office	Paper Copies (B/W)	\$0.05 (after the first 50 pages)
City Clerk's Office	Plat	\$0.50
City Clerk's Office	Data CD	\$1.00
City Clerk's Office	DVD	\$1.00

Should electronic copies of an item be requested under FOIA, and are available to be transmitted electronically, there will be no charge for those records.

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Several new e-Newsletters have been added to the City of Naperville's e-News list. The e-Newsletters provide the latest information on the city's projects and initiatives via e-mail. Current e-News subscribers may add any of the following e-Newsletters to their account by visiting [www.naperville.il.us/enews.aspx](http://www.naperville.il.us/enews.aspx).

- **City Link** - Weekly reminders about city services, public meetings, development updates, upcoming special events and more.
- **Press Releases** - Stay up-to-date on the latest city news! The city notifies you whenever we post a new media release.
- **Commuter Connection** - Latest news on public transit for Naperville area commuters. E-mails are sent periodically to announce new developments and programs related to transit options.
- **Meeting Agendas** - Sign up to receive notification when agendas are available on the city's Web site for meetings of the City Council, Plan Commission, Sister Cities Commission, Transportation Advisory Board (TAB) and the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA), among others. For a full listing and more information, visit Boards and Commissions.
- **75th and Washington Construction Updates** - The latest news on the construction at the intersection of 75th Street and Washington Street. E-mails are sent periodically to provide construction updates and other news related to the project.
- **Central Park Master Plan** - The latest news on the Central Park Master Plan. E-mails are sent periodically to provide updates and other news related to the project.
- **Downtown Plan 2030 (NEW!)** - Get the latest news and stay involved as the city works to update the Downtown Plan through 2030.
- **Fifth Avenue Study** - The latest news on the Fifth Avenue Study. E-mails are sent periodically to provide updates and other news related to the project.
- **Historic Preservation** - E-mails are sent periodically to provide updates and other information related to historic preservation in Naperville.
- **Jefferson Avenue Bridge Replacement (NEW!)** - up to receive the latest information on the Jefferson Avenue Bridge Replacement Project.
- **Ogden Enhancements** - Latest news on the Ogden Avenue Corridor Enhancement Initiative. E-mails are sent periodically to provide updates and other news related to the project.
- **Plank Road Study (NEW!)** - Latest news on the Plank Road Study. E-mails are sent periodically to announce new developments and public involvement opportunities.
- **Proposed EJ&E Acquisition** - The latest news on the proposed acquisition of the EJ&E Railroad by Canadian National. E-mails are sent periodically to provide updates and other news related to the project.
- **Riverwalk (NEW!)** - The latest news on Naperville's Downtown Riverwalk. E-mails are sent periodically to provide updates and other news related to the "Crown Jewel of Naperville."
- **Road Closings/Construction Alerts** - Sign up to receive information on road closings related to construction projects, special events or unforeseen circumstances.
- **Route 59 Expansion (NEW!)** - Get the latest news on efforts to improve traffic congestion and safety along the Route 59 corridor.
- **Unincorporated Will County Drainage Improvements (NEW!)** - Sign up to receive the latest news about the unincorporated Will County drainage improvements project.

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Through Tuesday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, Naperville homeowners and contractors applying for **residential project permits** will have the opportunity to consult with City of Naperville plan reviewers outside of regular business hours. The extended service hours are in effect every Tuesday until 7:30 p.m.

During the extended service hours, a plan reviewer will be available to meet one-on-one with customers and accept permit applications for home improvement projects, including bathroom and kitchen remodels; basement projects; and patio, deck, pool and spa installations. Completed permits may also be picked up during these hours.

Plan reviewers will be available in the Transportation, Engineering and Development Business Group, located on the main floor of the Municipal Center, 400 S. Eagle Street. Plan reviewers will only be available in person; no phone calls will be accepted during these hours.



For more information on the City of Naperville's building permits, visit [www.naperville.il.us/buildingpermits.aspx](http://www.naperville.il.us/buildingpermits.aspx).

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In observance of the Fourth of July holiday, the **Household Hazardous Waste Facility** will be closed on Saturday, July 4. The facility will be open from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday, July 5.

The Household Hazardous Waste Facility's normal operating hours are Saturdays and Sundays from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The facility, which is open and available to all residents of Illinois, is located behind Fire Station No. 4, located at 1979 Brookdale Road. No materials may be dropped off at any other time than normal operating hours.

Accepted items include the following:

- Automotive fluids
- Batteries (including automotive and sump pump)
- Cleaning products
- Drain openers
- Fertilizers
- Flammables
- Herbicides
- Insecticides
- Fluorescent bulbs (CFLs)
- Mercury
- Mineral spirits, strippers and solvents
- Paints and stains (oil-based and alkyd only)
- Prescription medications
- Propane tanks (20 pounds or less)
- Thermostats
- Unknown hazardous substances



Items that are not accepted include ammunition, compressed gas (other than propane), explosives, latex paint, radioactive materials, sharps (needles or lancets), smoke detectors, tires, trash and non-hazardous materials and unopened, useable consumer products.

For more information on the Household Hazardous Waste Facility, call (630) 420-6095 or visit [www.naperville.il.us/hhw.aspx](http://www.naperville.il.us/hhw.aspx).

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The City of Naperville announced that it has successfully reactivated the **Wireless Fidelity ("Wi-Fi") network** that was launched as a pilot program in the downtown area in 2007. Residents and visitors

can use the network to obtain information about downtown shops and restaurants and other community-related activities.

The area covered by the Wi-Fi network reaches approximately from approximately from Benton Avenue on the north, Chicago Avenue on the south, Central Park on the east and Webster Street on the west. Along Jackson Avenue, coverage extends from Washington Street on the east to West Street on the west. This network is known as Napernet.



In 2007, the City of Naperville contracted with MetroFi to provide a free Wi-Fi network to the downtown area. The launch of the network was well received by users. However, MetroFi's management changed hands and the new company attempted to change the terms of the contract they negotiated with the city, resulting in a significant investment of taxpayer dollars. The city opted instead to investigate other

options. MetroFi, claiming that removal costs would be too great, abandoned the equipment that they had set up throughout the downtown area.

Instead of removing the equipment, the city teamed up with WOW Access (not affiliated with Wide Open West, one of the city's franchise cable partners) to again provide wireless Web connectivity to residents, businesspeople and other visitors to downtown Naperville. The network was unofficially reactivated in April of this year for a cost of \$7,000.

As with any wireless system, the network is open-access and users should take precautions for online security, including turning off file-sharing, establishing a firewall and using anti-virus software.

A municipal wireless network allows city mobile workers, such as building inspectors, to be more efficient, provides new evidence gathering tools for police and fire, supports traffic monitoring and management and delivers free Wi-Fi to the city's residents, local businesses and visitors.

For more information, including a pilot area map, visit [www.naperville.il.us/wifi.aspx](http://www.naperville.il.us/wifi.aspx).

## **Healing Field Flags**

The Naperville Exchange Club, in collaboration with the Naperville Park District, local veterans' organizations and other community groups, families and individuals, is hosting the Naperville Healing Field of Honor in November.

Help fill Rotary Hill with 2009 American flags during the week of November 8 to 14 as a way to say thank you to everyone who has ever served our country while also raising money and awareness for a growing array of unmet needs for veterans and their families. Orders for individual 3 by 5 American flags with eight-foot poles are being taken at \$30 each. In addition to individuals purchasing flags, homeowners associations may want to donate flags as well. One Association, Fontenaix, is requesting that interested association members who may not be able to afford the full \$30 cost each donate \$10 with the Association then aggregating the donations to buy flags.



Proceeds from flag sales will benefit a Fisher House, a new facility being built to provide lodging for family members of patients who are hospitalized at Hines Hospital. If interested in purchasing a flag, contact Anna Zimmerman at [annaz@wowway.com](mailto:annaz@wowway.com). For more information on the Healing Field project, visit [www.healingfield.org](http://www.healingfield.org).

# Beating Back Bed Bugs:

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 29, 2009**

**9:30 A.M. - NOON**

8:30 a.m. Registration and vendor open house

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Terry Student Center Conference Room  
26 E. Pearson, Chicago, IL 60611

Cost: \$125

Register online at [www.spcpweb.org/training](http://www.spcpweb.org/training)  
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## WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- The reemergence of bed bugs in the US: the economic and health impacts
- Bed bug biology
- Policies and practices to prevent or limit bed bug problems
- How to communicate effectively with tenants, guests, and staff about bed bugs
- Strategies for getting rid of bed bugs, including the appropriate use of pesticides and their alternatives
- How to hire a qualified pest control professional



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## Help Wanted

Heritage YMCA Safe 'n Sound Program is looking to hire dedicated staff for its before and after school program that runs throughout District 203 and 204 in Naperville. These are part-time positions that could offer you up to 34 hours per week and an option for benefits if you qualify. The pay rates vary based on

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experience and education, and could be anywhere from \$8.00 per hour up to \$10.50 per hour. You would also receive a free YMCA membership. If you love kids and are interested in making a career change, contact Samantha Keen at 630-640-9702 or via email at [skeen@heritageymca.org](mailto:skeen@heritageymca.org). Check out their other various job openings at [www.heritageymca.org](http://www.heritageymca.org)

## **What's In the Park District's Trash Bin?**

On Thursday, May 28, Naperville Park District staff conducted a waste audit with the assistance of SCARCE (School and Community Assistance for Recycling & Composting Education), a nonprofit educational group funded by DuPage County. The participants sorted through 397 pounds of trash generated in parks in the District's Central Division over Memorial Day weekend.

The waste was sorted into groups to identify recyclables, compost and trash and weighed again. The staff learned that 46% of the garbage actually belonged in a landfill, 26% should have been recycled or included liquids that could have watered plants or trees, and 28% consisted of reusable items that could have been donated.

The audit was used to quantify the amount and types of waste being generated in an effort to identify how current waste practices can be improved.

In approximately 1-2 years, the Park District plans to conduct another audit to evaluate the effectiveness of staff implemented changes. In the meantime – think twice before you toss something in the trash bin – is that the best place for it and the environment?



## **Naperville Park District Updates**



For additional details, visit [www.napervilleparks.org](http://www.napervilleparks.org) or call 630-848-5000

### **Concerts in Your Park**

Concerts in Your Park brings talented bands with varying music genres to parks and locations around Naperville for a free, family-friendly evening of music on Sunday evenings from 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Attendees are welcome to bring folding chairs and blankets and even food to enjoy. Cold Stone Creamery creations will be sold on site.

The remaining 2009 concert schedule is as follows:

- July 12 – Jonathan Devin & New Country (Country Western) – at Tall Grass Lakes Park, located at 3320 Rollingridge Road
- July 19 – The Associates (Motown) – at Walnut Ridge Park, located at 2304 Keim Drive
- July 26 – 215 West (Pop Variety) – at Bainbridge Greens Park, located at 1112 Bainbridge Drive

### **Millennium Carillon at Moser Tower and Visitor Center Located along the Riverwalk near Rotary Hill**

In addition to the 2009 Summer Recital Series taking place at the Millennium Carillon in Moser Tower on Tuesday evenings beginning at 7:00 p.m., several additional special events are planned for the enjoyment of concert-goers.

The Special Events schedule includes:

- Dancers from the Naperville Park District's Concert Dance Ensemble will be performing from 6:30-7:00 p.m. before the Tuesday night Summer Recital Series concerts on **July 14, August 4 and August 18**
- **July 4**, Carillon Duets will be performed by Tim Sleep and Sue Bergren prior to the fireworks
- **July 7**, The Chorus of DuPage, a nonprofit men's barbershop chorus with 50 members ranging in age from 20 to 90, will perform a variety of selections at 6:30 p.m.
- **July 18**, Carillon "Pops" Concert featuring stage and screen music will be performed by Tim Sleep at 7:00 p.m.
- **July 21**, Tim Sleep will perform a concert of calliope music. He will play an air-powered, Tangley circus calliope that was originally built for the travelling revival of the musical, *Showboat*. The calliope will be placed at the base of the tower on the performance plaza. The performance will take place at 6:30 p.m.
- **August 22**, Carillon "Pops" Concert featuring the music of Leroy Anderson will be performed by Tim Sleep at 7:00 p.m.
- **November 11**, Veteran's Day program at 11:00 a.m.

The 2009 Summer Concert Series schedule is as follows:

- July 7: Ray McLellan - Michigan State University
- July 14: Jeff Davis - University California- Berkley
- July 21: Jeremy Chesman – Missouri State University
- July 28: Dennis Curry – Carillonneur Kirk in the Hills Michigan
- August 4: Ana and Sara Elias – Portugal
- August 11: Carol Anne Taylor - Cathedral Guadalupe, Texas Carillonneur
- August 18: Jim Brown – Assistant City Carillonneur Naperville
- August 25: Julianne Vanden Wyngaard – Grand Valley State University Michigan

The Millennium Carillon in Moser Tower and Visitor Center is located along the Naperville Riverwalk near Rotary Hill. Friday tours are available from 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. through August 21. Saturday and Sunday tours are available through November 22 from 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Admission is \$3 for ages 5 and older; children ages 4 and under are admitted free. Anyone under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

### **Naperville Park District's Paddleboat Rides**

For a refreshing and unusual view of the Naperville Riverwalk, try a relaxing ride on one of the Riverwalk paddleboats. Four-passenger models are available for 20-minute and 40-minute rides. Paddleboat rentals are available on all non-school days through September. Paddleboats are located at 435 Aurora Ave. Children under 13 must be accompanied by an adult. A 20-minute ride is \$8/boat; a 40-minute ride is \$10/boat. In the event of inclement weather, poor conditions or low attendance, the manager may close the paddleboats. Beginning mid-August, the paddleboats will close earlier due to the earlier darkness.

### **Canoeing and Boating**

Looking for a place to launch your canoe? The Naperville Park District offers three location options: Pioneer Park, 1212 S. Washington Street; Weigand Riverfront Park, 2436 S. Washington Street; and Knoch Knolls Park, 336 Knoch Knolls Road. For park maps or find driving directions, please visit [www.napervilleparks.org](http://www.napervilleparks.org). Launches are open from sunrise until one hour past sunset every day.

### **Naperville Park District's Bocce Courts - Frontier Park, 3415 Book Rd**

Two regulation bocce courts are available at the east end of Frontier Park, 3415 Book Road. Courts are not lighted and are open for public play on a first come, first served basis.

### **Park District dance program announces auditions for annual story production**

Park District dance program auditions for its annual story production will be Saturday, July 18. They will be held at the Alfred Rubin Riverwalk Community Center, 305 W. Jackson Avenue, Room 123.

Dancers should dress for a dance class. Those interested in a speaking role should bring a brief monologue. Audition times are:

- 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. for children ages 4-7
- 12:15-1:15 p.m. for adults
- 2:30-3:30 p.m. for children ages 8-12
- 3:45-5:30 p.m. for youth ages 13-18.

This year's production is based on *The Sign of the Seahorse* by Graeme Base. The story will be told through dance and narration; performances will be held in late January 2010.

Additionally, an informational meeting about the production and auditions will be held on Saturday, July 11 from 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the Alfred Rubin Riverwalk Community Center, Room 123.

Participants chosen for the production will become familiar with all stages of a full-length production including character development, costuming and understanding a score of music. Rehearsals will begin in August. The production schedule will allow for breaks during the holiday season.

**Park District, Naper Settlement and Children's Museum join together to offer "staycation" pass  
*On-the-Go Pass and NEW On-the-Go PLUS Pass available***

Following last summer's successful introduction of the On-the-Go Pass by the Naperville Park District – an economical and convenient way for people to experience three, key Riverwalk attractions – the Park District is introducing a new PLUS version of the pass as a result of a partnership with DuPage Children's Museum (DCM) and Naper Settlement.

The On-the-Go PLUS Pass offers one-time admission to Centennial Beach and the Millennium Carillon in Moser Tower and a 20-minute paddleboat ride for up to four people in addition to admission to DuPage Children's Museum and Naper Settlement. The PLUS version sells for \$27 and has a value of \$37.50. Both versions of the passes come with a handy neck strap for portability and a brochure explaining the various attractions.

The original On-the-Go Pass, which debuted last July, also will be available for purchase. For \$15 (a \$21 value), pass holders can enjoy one-time admission to three, key Riverwalk attractions including: Centennial Beach and the Millennium Carillon in Moser Tower in addition to a 20-minute paddleboat ride for up to four people. Pass holders are asked to present their pass for validation at each of the attractions, where the pass will be punched to void each location as it is used.

The On-the-Go Pass and On-the-Go PLUS Pass can be purchased at the following locations:

- Naperville Park District's Administrative Building, 320 W. Jackson Avenue
- Naperville Park District's South Maintenance Facility, 3415 Book Road
- Centennial Beach, 500 W. Jackson Avenue
- Millennium Carillon, on the Riverwalk near Rotary Hill
- Paddleboat Quarry near the Riverwalk Eatery
- DuPage Children's Museum, 301 N. Washington Street
- Naper Settlement, 523 S. Webster Street\*

*\*On-the-Go PLUS Pass available only.*

Passes sold this year are valid for use through October 31, 2009. For more information on the On-the-Go Pass, the On-the-Go PLUS Pass and the various attractions offered, visit any of the following websites: [www.napervilleparks.org](http://www.napervilleparks.org), [www.dupagechildrensmuseum.org](http://www.dupagechildrensmuseum.org), and [www.napersettlement.org](http://www.napersettlement.org).

**Naperville Park District announces debut of Naperville Youth Soccer Premier League -  
*Registration for fall session of new, competitive program is in progress***

Naperville residents can register now for the Park District's new Naperville Youth Soccer Premier League. This league is designed for teams who are seeking a competitive environment without the time commitment of a travel league. The Premier League is for soccer players in grades 2-4, 5-6 and

7-8 and all games will be played in Naperville. Optional technical and tactical training will be provided weekly by a certified trainer. Registration is being offered to teams only; interested individuals will be placed on a list and provided to teams that are seeking additional players. Complete information on the NYS Premier League can be found in the 2009 Summer Program Guide.

**Come Celebrate with Us!** *Registration in progress*

Planning your next birthday event? Why not have it at the Naperville Park District? Choose from four exciting birthday themes that will thrill you and your guests: Dance (ages 4+) Gymnastics (ages 3-6); Pottery (ages 4+), and Wii Gaming (ages 6+). Your party includes a yummy ice cream cake from Cold Stone Creamery, too! Visit [www.napervilleparks.org](http://www.napervilleparks.org) and get your party started!

## **Proper Tree Care Can Benefit Your Property**

Trees are a very valuable part of your landscaping. Shade is an obvious benefit of large trees. A few large trees planted on the south and west sides of a house can reduce cooling costs up to 10% in the summer. In the Winter, deciduous trees drop their leaves to allow the sun to naturally warm your house. Large trees can also shade decks and patios, walks, and parking areas.

Are you treating your trees properly? Which picture below shows the correct way to mulch?



The picture on the left, while perhaps not meeting the aesthetics that some people feel are appropriate, is correct. Mulch should be no more than 3-4 inches high and never be mounded up against the trunk of the tree. The mulch should be 3-4 inches away from the trunk and be in a saucer shape. Proper mulching would extend out to the drip line of the tree. Volcano mulching stresses the tree and causes bark rot, which makes the tree very vulnerable to disease, and insect or rodent damage. Don't assume the landscapers know what they are doing – some of them are great at cutting lawns, but they just don't understand trees!

For more information on mulching go to:

City of Naperville

<http://www.naperville.il.us/mulching.aspx>

Morton Arboretum (see APPLYING MULCH)

<http://www.mortonarb.org/component/content/article/95-tree-and-plant-care/700-mulching-trees-and-shrubs.html>

University of Illinois Extension

<http://web.extension.uiuc.edu/champaign/homeowners/030621.html>



## **Library News & Programs**

**Mark your calendar for programs for all ages at the various branches of the Naperville Public Library. For more information go to <http://www.naperville-lib.org>**

On the July 4<sup>th</sup> Holiday, the library will be closed. Regular hours resume Sunday, July 5<sup>th</sup>. Additionally, Nichols, 95<sup>th</sup> Street, and Naper Boulevard libraries will be closed Friday, July 17 for in-service training. Normal hours of 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. will resume on Saturday, July 18.

Drive-up returns for all Library materials are available 24 hours a day at the Nichols Library, 200 W. Jefferson Ave.; the Naper Boulevard Library, 2035 S. Naper Blvd.; and the 95<sup>th</sup> Street Library, 3015 Cedar Glade Dr. Materials may be renewed at our website, [www.naperville-lib.org](http://www.naperville-lib.org) and click on "My Account" or you can check due dates by calling 961-0460.

### **Tuesdays**

#### **Evening on the Riverwalk**

Join us for our popular Riverwalk program – fun for the whole family! Bring a meal or a snack. Enjoy stories, songs, and a puppet show, presented by Children's Services staff from our three Libraries. In the event of bad weather, the program will be held in the Community Room of Nichols Library. Seating capacity in the Community Room is 180, so there will be two shows, one right after the other, to accommodate as many as possible. No registration required. Riverwalk Amphitheatre, 7 to 7:45 p.m.

### **Wednesdays**

#### **Picnic on the Riverwalk**

The Wednesday lunchtime program is a repeat of the Tuesday evening program. In the event of bad weather, the program will be held in the Community Room of Nichols Library. Seating capacity in the Community Room is 180, so there will be two shows, one right after the other. No registration required. Riverwalk Amphitheatre, 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

### **Thursday, July 2**

#### **Fourth of July Fun**

Fireworks, flags and fun! Cool off at the Library and celebrate the holiday with stories, crafts and songs. For children of all ages and their caregivers. No registration required. 95<sup>th</sup> Street Library, 3015 Cedar Glade Dr., Meeting Room A/B, 10:30 to 11:15 a.m.

### **Monday, July 6**

#### **D.I.Y. (Do It Yourself) Wild Jungle Animals!**

Explore the "wild" roaring, growling, hissing animals of the jungle through stories, songs, and animal trivia! A 3-D craft to make your very own unique jungle animal will top off this "wild" adventure. For children entering grades K - 3 without a caregiver. No registration required. Nichols Library, 200 W. Jefferson Ave., Community Room, 11 to 11:45 a.m.

### **Tuesday, July 7**

#### **Kaplan Practice Tests -- Are YOU ready for SAT??**

A practice test is crucial to ward off those Test Day jitters and can let you know how you'll score on the "real thing." Don't be surprised!! Come and experience first hand what Test Day will be like. Instructors from Kaplan will provide FREE proctored SAT practice tests and return scores with analyzed results. Sign up today! Make sure to bring #2 sharpened pencils, an approved calculator, and a healthy snack. Online registration is required and seating is limited. Please go to: [http://www.naperville-lib.org/Programs/Reg\\_info.htm](http://www.naperville-lib.org/Programs/Reg_info.htm) to register. Nichols Library Community Room, 1 to 5 PM.

#### **Get Your Game On!**

Join the Library in giving our Wii™ games a workout! Enjoy the Library's assortment of video games for Wii™. Vote for the game you would like to play. Choices include Guitar Hero, Dance Dance Revolution, MarioKart, SuperSmash Bros., Wii™ Sports, Rock Band 2, and Mario & Sonic at the

Olympics. Refreshments will be provided. A current Library card is required. Naperville Public Library cardholders will be given first preference, in accordance with our Priority Service Policy. Naper Boulevard Library, Program Room, 2035 S. Naper Blvd., 2 to 4 p.m.

### **Thursday, July 9**

#### **Let's Go on a Safari!**

Lions and Tigers and BOOKS, Oh, My!! Come to the Library and join us as we go on a Safari Adventure filled with stories, songs and a craft. What fun it will be as we *Read on the Wild Side!* Our Safari Adventure is for all ages with a caregiver. No registration required.

95<sup>th</sup> Street Library, 3015 Cedar Glade Dr., Meeting Room A/B, 1:30 to 2:15 p.m.

### **Friday, July 10**

#### **Get Your Game On!**

Join the Library in giving our Wii™ games a workout! Naperville Public Library cardholders will be given first preference, in accordance with our Priority Service Policy.

Nichols Library, Community Room, 200 W. Jefferson Ave., 2 to 4 p.m.

### **Monday, July 13**

#### **Get Ready, Get Set, Camp Out!**

Let's get our camping gear and get ready to have fun! Our games and crafts will help you get in touch with nature. Join us as we sing songs and tell stories around the campfire. Our camp-out is for all ages with a caregiver. No registration required. Nichols Library Community Room, 10:30 to 11:15 a.m.

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Naper Boulevard Library, 2035 S. Naper Blvd., Program Room, 11 to 11:45 a.m.

#### **Wii™ Want to See You!**

Come play some popular Wii™ games for kids at the Library. These gaming sessions will be geared for students entering grades 3 – 5, but all are welcome to play. No registration required.

95<sup>th</sup> Street Library, 3015 Cedar Glade Dr., Meeting Room A/B, 2 to 4 p.m.

### **Tuesday, July 14**

#### **Let's Go Graphic!**

You LOVE reading graphic novels and now is your chance to create one of your very own. Come and learn the importance of art in graphic novels and show your artistic abilities to create your own, personal graphic novel to take home. This program will include the opportunity to create a story as a group. For students entering grades 3-5. Online registration is required to attend this program. Register through the Library's website, [www.naperville-lib.org](http://www.naperville-lib.org), or at any of the service desks at the three Library buildings. - Naper Boulevard Library, 2035 S. Naper Blvd., Program Room, 1 to 1:45 p.m.

### **Wednesday, July 15**

#### **Get Your Game On!**

Join the Library in giving our Wii™ games a workout! Enjoy the Library's assortment of video games for Wii™. Vote for the game you would like to play. A current Library card is required. Naperville Public Library cardholders will be given first preference, in accordance with our Priority Service Policy.

95<sup>th</sup> Street Library, Meeting Room A/B, 3015 Cedar Glade Dr., 2 to 4 p.m.

### **Monday, July 20**

#### **Let's Go on a Safari!**

Lions and Tigers and BOOKS, Oh, My!! Come to the Library and join us as we go on a Safari Adventure filled with stories, songs and a craft. What fun it will be as we *Read on the Wild Side!* Our Safari Adventure is for all ages with a caregiver. No registration required.

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### **Wednesday, July 22**

#### **2 Teens and a Credit Card with Karen Chan, CFP®**

Credit cards offer very exciting freedom and open up "new worlds of shopping opportunity," but on "*The One Thousand Dollar Question*" (a scripted talk show starring program participants), you'll learn how things can take a turn for the worse for two best friends. You'll also learn about:

- Myths and truths about debit and credit
- Silver or gold? Interest and Fees? Know Your Options
- What's a credit report anyway?

Snacks will be served. This workshop is open to all interested teens. To register, please call Bobbie Rudnick, Business Librarian, at 1.630.961.4100, ext. 6328. This program is made possible by a grant from the FINRA Investor Education Foundation through Smart Investing @ your library®, a partnership with the American Library Association. 95<sup>th</sup> Street Library Meeting Room A/B, 7 to 8:30 PM

### **Thursday, July 23**

#### **Wii™ Want to See You!**

Come play some popular Wii™ games for kids at the Library. These gaming sessions will be geared for students entering grades 3 – 5, but all are welcome to play. No registration required.

Nichols Library, 200 W. Jefferson Ave., Community Room, 2 to 4 p.m.

### **Friday, July 24**

#### **Let's Go On A Safari!**

Lions and Tigers and BOOKS, Oh, My!! Come to the Library and join us as we go on a Safari Adventure filled with stories, songs and a craft. What fun it will be as we *Read on the Wild Side!* Our Safari Adventure is for all ages with a caregiver. No registration required.

Naper Boulevard Library, 2035 S. Naper Blvd., Program Room, 1 to 1:45 p.m.

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#### **"Wild Side" Drive-In Movie Night**

Teens entering grades 6 through 12 are invited to watch a great summer movie and enjoy some summertime, drive-in style snacks. The surprise is the movie! Will you sing along to *Grease* or *HSM3*? Will you be wowed by the action of '*The Spirit*'? Or will you cry your eyes out for '*Marley & Me*'? Come find out! Whatever it is, we're sure you'll enjoy it. No registration required.

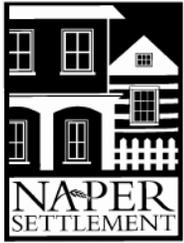
95<sup>th</sup> Street Library, Meeting Room A/B, 3015 Cedar Glade Dr., 6 to 9 p.m.

### **Friday, July 31**

#### **D.I.Y. (Do It Yourself) Wild Jungle Animals!**

Explore the "wild" roaring, growling, hissing animals of the jungle through stories, songs, and animal trivia! A 3-D craft to make your very own unique jungle animal will top off this "wild" adventure. For children entering grades K - 3 without a caregiver. No registration required.

95<sup>th</sup> Street Library, 3015 Cedar Glade Dr., Meeting Room A/B, 10:30 to 1:15 a.m.



A Historic Museum Village

## **Summertime Fun at Naper Settlement**

[www.napersettlement.museum](http://www.napersettlement.museum)

523 South Webster Street

Naperville, Illinois 60540

(630) 420-6010

(630) 305-5255-fax

### **Naper Settlement debuts Prairie Palooza™**

Climb aboard our Conestoga wagon and take a trip to Naper Settlement's Prairie Palooza™, a celebration of Midwestern fun with hands-on activities like Try-It Stations for butter making and candle dipping. See special presentations on animals and bees, play Games on the Green and grind a little corn on Tuesdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays through July 25 at the museum village. For a complete schedule of activities, visit [www.napersettlement.museum](http://www.napersettlement.museum).

- **Sunday, July 5:** Enjoy an old-fashioned cupcake walk and "Squirmin' Herman the Worm," the University of Illinois Extension Master Gardeners' presentation about worm farming. Enjoy a free ice cream sundae, too.
- **Tuesday, July 14:** See the fine art of soap making during a demonstration by Dragonfly Soap Works.
- **Sunday, July 19:** The Good Old Toys tractor club will display a variety of tractors and engines. Tom Kuhn will showcase his "Portable Agricultural Museum" and tractor club members will bring their 90-year-old-plus hit-and-miss engines. The club, which is celebrating its 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year, is composed of members who enjoy collecting and restoring the tractors that revolutionized farming in the 20<sup>th</sup> century. Enjoy a free ice cream sundae, too.
- **Fridays, July 24:** Rob Sula, field paleontologist with Paleo Presenters, will share stories about how archeologists piece together clues from archeological digs to solve mysteries.

These special presentations are included with admission, which is \$8 adults, \$7 seniors 62+ and \$5.50 youth 4-17. Children 3 and under are free. For a complete list of activities, call (630) 420-6010 or visit [www.napersettlement.museum](http://www.napersettlement.museum).

### **Sundays at the Settlement**

Enjoy a free ice cream sundae during Settlement Sundays July 5, July 19 and 26 and Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 at Naper Settlement. On Settlement Sundays, admission to the historic museum village includes free sundaes with do-it-yourself toppings and a variety of hands-on, family-friendly activities and presentations during the Settlement's open hours of 1 to 4 p.m. See high-flying Frisbee dogs on July 26 and Aug. 16. Admission is \$8 adults, \$7 seniors 62+ and \$5.50 youth 4-17. Children 3 and under are free. Settlement Sundays are sponsored in part by the *Daily Herald*.

### **Naperville Woman's Club Fine Art Fair**

One of the longest running art fairs in the state, the Naperville Woman's Club Art Fair features more than 80 artists in this juried show at Naper Settlement. Hours are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, July 11-12. Admission is free.

### **Naperville Summer Nights**

Three great events are held on consecutive Saturday nights as part of the Naperville Summer Nights entertainment series at Naper Settlement. Pack a picnic, bring the lawn chairs and enjoy a favorite family movie, "Ghostbusters," July 18. Carolina Liar, whose music has been featured on MTV, will perform July 25 on the outdoor concert stage. Enjoy Shakespeare's comedy, "The Taming of the Shrew," Aug. 1. Gates open at 5 p.m., limited food and drink vendors will be on site, no outside beverages are allowed. Tickets are \$5 per person for the movie night; \$15 per person and \$20 per

person at the door for the concert and play. A three-event ticket is available for \$30 per person. To purchase tickets on-line and for more information, visit [www.napervillesummernights.com](http://www.napervillesummernights.com).

### **The Dog Dayz of Summer heat up at Naper Settlement**

From hot dogs to Frisbee dogs, Naper Settlement will help you beat the heat with the “Dog Dayz of Summer” celebration to be held from July 26 through Aug. 30 at the museum village. Each week, on Tuesdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, enjoy themed activities for all ages, including entertainment, games, activities, stories and guest presentations.

**Sunday, July 26:** The Frisbee dogs of the Windy City K-9 Disc Club will be entertaining visitors with their high-flying fun. Enjoy a free ice cream sundae, too.

### **Put Your Events on the Confederation Calendar**

Every month the Confederation Calendar on [www.napervillehomeowners.com](http://www.napervillehomeowners.com) takes thousands of “hits” from people trying to find out what is happening in Naperville. The Calendar regularly includes:

- o Municipal Meetings
- o Confederation Meetings
- o Community Activities
- o Park & Library Events
- o And more



Whether it’s a subdivision-wide garage sale, a church or school fund raiser, or just a meeting you think more folks should know about, we’re here to help get the word out. If you would like to include your organization’s events on the calendar, send us an email at [nahc-naperhomeowners@wowway.com](mailto:nahc-naperhomeowners@wowway.com).

*The Confederation reserves the right to edit or reject any items submitted for the calendar. The Confederation neither endorses nor approves items or events included in the calendar and provides this information solely as a community service. As dates and specifics do change, calendar users are encouraged to verify information with the event organizer to ensure schedules remain as listed.*

***The NAHC Hopes You and Your Family***

***Have a Great Summer!!!!***

***Keep an eye on our website***

***[www.napervillehomeowners.com](http://www.napervillehomeowners.com)***

***For late-breaking news and information of importance to homeowners.***

***The next newsletter will be on or about August 1st***

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