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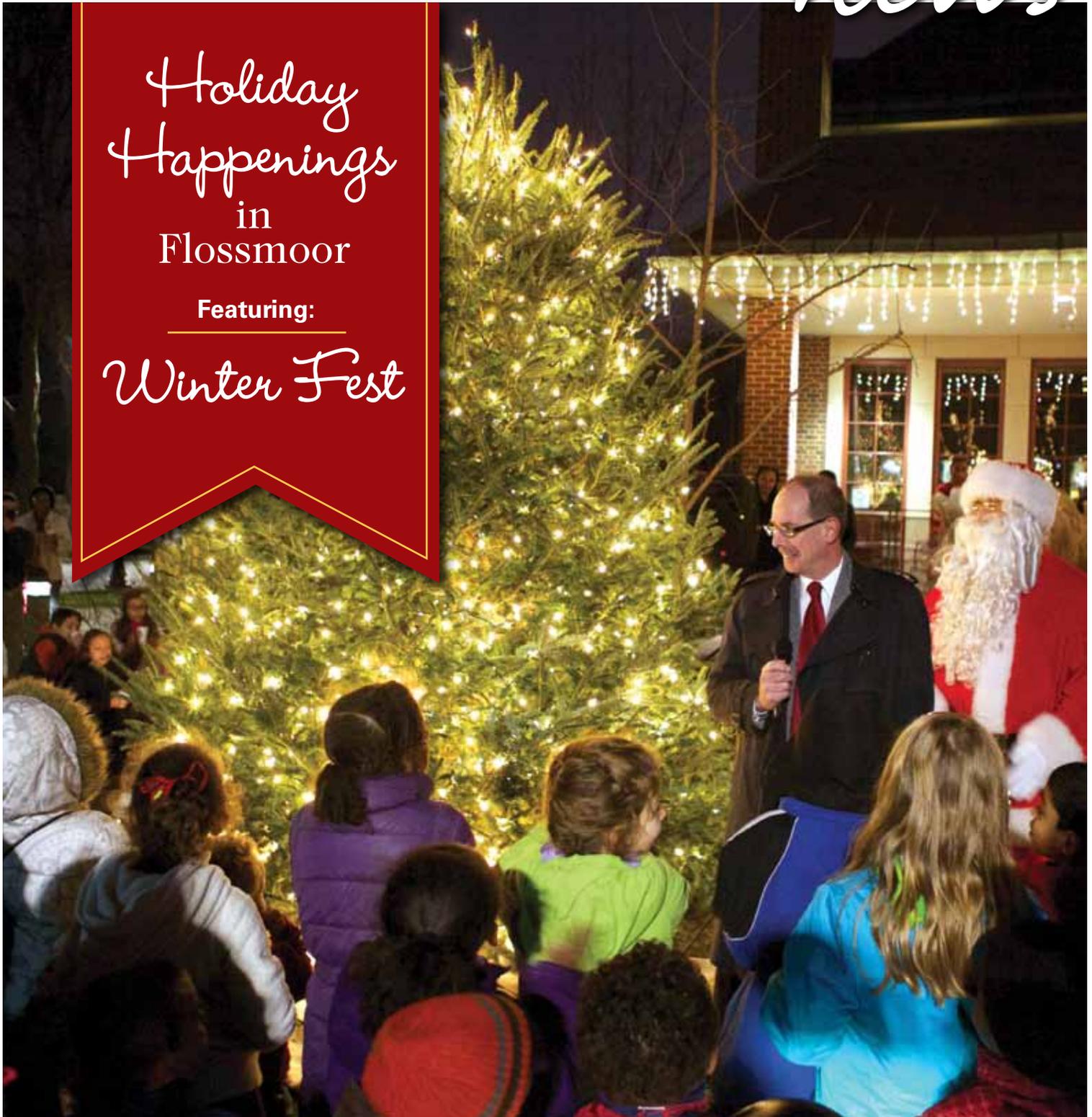
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Holiday Happenings in Flossmoor

Featuring:

Winter Fest



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Village Board Meeting
1st & 3rd Mondays of the month
at 7:30 p.m.

Plan Commission Meeting
3rd Thursday of
the month at 7:30 p.m.

Zoning Board of Appeals
4th Tuesday of the month
at 7:30 p.m.

Public Art Commission Meeting
2nd Tuesday of the month
at 7:00 p.m.

**Community Relations
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4th Tuesday of the
month at 7:00 p.m.

Green Committee Meeting
3rd Tuesday of the month
at 7:00 p.m.

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DATES to know

November 28 & 29

Village Hall Closed for Thanksgiving

December 7 Coldwell Banker Toy Drive

Drop begins at 10 a.m.



Winterfest

Festivities begin at 12 p.m.
Details on pg. 9

St. John's Cookie Walk

9 a.m. – 11 a.m.



December 13

Light up the Night
Infant Welfare Society Luminaria
celebration starting at 5 p.m.

December 24

Village Hall Closed at Noon

December 25

Village Hall Closed

December 31

Village Hall Closed at Noon

January 1

Village Hall Closed

January 4

Christmas Tree & Holiday Lights Recycling

9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Irons Oaks, Vollmer Road
Parking Lot
(You may drop off your undecorated
and unwrapped tree at Irons Oaks
anytime between December 26
and January 10)
See page 7 for alternate drop off dates

January 20

Village Hall Closed for Martin Luther
King Jr. Birthday

March 1 - April 15

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Residents Help Spark a Renaissance in Downtown Flossmoor Businesses by Patricia Houlihan

If you've been excited to see a number of new businesses open their doors recently in downtown Flossmoor, you might be able to thank a neighbor.

This renaissance, which has brought law offices, a salon, an art studio and additional places to get gourmet-quality food, has been generated by Flossmoor residents and people who love Flossmoor's iconic downtown real estate.

Among the first to open this year was **Express Yourself Beauty and Wellness Salon**, located at 1046 Sterling Avenue. Owner Monique Mansker, a village resident, said, "Flossmoor picked me." She is a stylist who had been seeking her own salon. She began working at Pampered Life and learned the owner planned to retire. When two potential buyers changed their minds, Mansker stepped forward. "This is what I want," she said. "I felt I was being led this way. Now I'm letting go and letting God bring the right people to me."

Next to open her door in June at 1050 Sterling Avenue was Anne Aboushousha, who relocated **Sweet Annie's Bakery** from around the corner on Central Drive. After five successful years, she said, "It was great but I had to grow." Taking over the double storefront vacated by the women's resale store, Her Closet, she invited her friend Drew Mohan to open a coffee bar

in the space. A Homewood resident with 30 years in the restaurant business, he was delighted to accept. "I'd always wanted to have a little café, a place where you could create a community," Mohan said.

With that in mind, he had collected bistro furniture over the years and within three weeks, Mohan designed the new space for **Sweet Annie's and Drew's Coffee**. "This has been a lot of fun," he admitted. Aboushousha is equally delighted with the result. "I'd always wanted a European patisserie type of place," she said. "And the Homewood-Flossmoor community is a wonderful place to have it."

Within a month they had a new neighbor, as **Angelo's Fresh Market** opened in July at 1044 Sterling Avenue. Owners Carla Bolin, Rachel Uylaki and Bryan Oedzes turned on Frank Sinatra, set the speaker outside, and began welcoming customers looking for Italian specialty foods and prime-grade meats. "I grew up in Chicago Heights, went to H-F High School, and always loved this downtown," Bolin said.

Bolin has had years of experience in the hospitality industry and marketing; Oedzes' family had been in the

meat processing business for 70 years. Looking to open a retail business, they considered Frankfort, Burr Ridge, and Dyer, Indiana. When Bolin spoke with Aboushousha, a friend of hers, and learned of the real estate changes in downtown Flossmoor, the choice became clear.

"We decided to keep it small and offer only the best of everything, from prime grade meats, which are the same ones Bryan's family sells to restaurants including Michael Jordan's, to really cool Italian specialties," Bolin said.

One month later, Linda and Dexter Johnson opened **Dessertitude** at 2550 Central Drive in August. "We live in Flossmoor and thought, why not help build up our own community?" Linda said. She has always loved baking and wanted to offer customers slices of her repertoire, including Southern desserts with unusual names, like Hummingbird Cake. Since she and her husband both work full-time, they decided to open **Dessertitude** at

night, from 6 to 10 pm on weeknights (as well as all day Saturday). "At first, people came in and said, 'We saw your lights on and decided to come by,' Dexter said. "Now, people come in and say, 'I heard about your food.'"

Also opening in August was the **Law Office of Patrick Spina and Dorothy Styx** at 2559 Flossmoor Road. "Dorothy's office was in Frankfort and mine was in Chicago Heights," Spina said. "This was centrally located between the two." A broker at

Coldwell Banker showed them the space, and they agreed it was ideal. "This little part of Flossmoor is incredible," Spina said. "Everyone here is friendly. There's a lot of foot traffic with the other businesses. Just about every client has remarked on how nice the space is. And if I have to go downtown, I just hop on the train."

The location also appealed to artist Karen Dal Santo, a Flossmoor resident who opened **Dal Santo Design** in September at 2616 Flossmoor Road. "As my kids grew up, I was always looking for art classes for them," she said. With her youngest a senior at H-F High School, she decided to open a studio and teach art herself. "I thought, why not provide what the village has needed for a long time?" The reception has been "wonderful," Dal Santo said. She currently teaches drawing—which she describes as "learning how to see things differently"—to several children and one adult. She plans to expand enrollment soon.

Remember to Shop Flossmoor this holiday season. Not only does a portion of the sales tax dollars return to our community for reinvestment, but you are more than likely supporting your neighbor.



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Here are some important tips to make this winter a breeze!

Snow Removal

Please be patient as the Public Works Department Clears Our Roadways! Remember, it takes a few hours after the snow has stopped to clear Flossmoor's roadways and can take even longer during heavy or extended snowfalls.

When driving, please give snowplows plenty of room. Large plows take longer to stop, have multiple blind spots and make frequent backing maneuvers. Keep in mind that the Village is not responsible for plowing all the roadways within the Village limits. If you have specific concerns about road conditions, please check the list on the bottom of this page.

Salting of streets in the Central Business District and along principal routes, key intersections, hills, and curves is conducted whenever icy or slippery conditions become hazardous. The Village tries to balance its priority of ensuring public safety with concern for the severe pollutant effects of salt on the environment.

Snowplowing begins when snow accumulated amounts to more than two (2") inches. Plowing continues as long as required to maintain passable roadways. Plowing priorities are as follows: Central Business District, principal arterial streets, collector streets and parking lots, local through streets, and cul-de-sacs and alleys.



Residents Encouraged to Pitch In!

Please take the time to shovel the public sidewalks for the benefit of students, mail carriers and other pedestrians. It's courteous and the right thing to do... and contrary to rumors, there is no liability per state law! Do not push snow into or across the street.

Parking Restrictions

After a snowfall of two or more inches, it is illegal to park on the streets until they have been completely cleared. Vehicles in violation are subject to ticketing and towing.

Clear the Snow Around Your Nearest Fire Hydrant!

In case of an emergency, seconds count! Please work with your neighbors to keep the fire hydrants on or near your property clear of snow for easy access.

Village Continues Record of Financial Reporting Excellence

The Village of Flossmoor has received the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for its comprehensive annual financial report. The certificate was awarded for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2012, and it's the 35th consecutive year that the Village has received this award.

The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting. This determination is made by an impartial panel to ensure that awardees prepare comprehensive

Help Keep Drainage Unobstructed

Storm water moves through the community by way of several drainage systems: creeks, streams, storm sewers, ditches and over land. Debris in any of these systems can obstruct rainwater and cause overflow onto roads and in yards which may result in flooding.

While the Village maintains several components of our storm sewer system, we still need your help! We ask that you be mindful of removing weeds, branches, leaves, or litter that could impede the flow of water through ditches, detention areas, and storm drains near your home. Not only is this maintenance important for the flow of storm water, but it also prevents stagnant water in which mosquitoes may breed. Your help especially during the fall season is very much appreciated.

Also, if you know of any unapproved changes in the drainage system, such as filling in or rerouting the creek, streams or ditches, or you are aware of a maintenance situation that needs our attention, please contact Inspectional Services at 957.4101 or Public Works at 957.4100.

Check your Furnace for Safety

During the winter, your furnace will turn on and off nearly 9,000 times. To keep your heating system running safely and efficiently, call a qualified contractor and schedule a "check up" for your furnace. You can also take these steps:

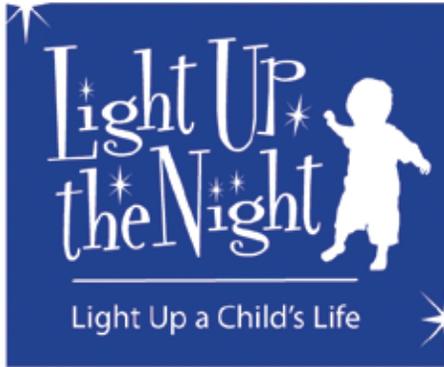
- **Check your flame.** Flames should be mostly blue and steady. A pale yellow or wavy flame could be a sign your furnace is not working properly.
- **Check your venting system.** Soft, rusted or broken vent piping can lead to carbon monoxide poisoning.
- Be sure your furnace or boiler is free of dust, rust and any other signs of corrosion.
- Check air filters regularly. Clean or replace them as needed.
- Make sure that furnace panels and grills are in place and that the fan compartment door is closed when the furnace is on. Leaving those doors open could cause carbon monoxide to build up in living areas.



HOLIDAY *news*

Light Up the Night

The Flossmoor Jrs. Chapter of the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago Auxiliary (IWS) is excited to announce the return of "Light up the Night," a luminaria celebration benefitting IWS. Help Flossmoor and Homewood glow with love the evening of December 13, 2013 starting at 5 p.m.



Luminaria itself means "little fires" and consists of simple brown paper bags containing sand and a lighted candle and are placed along driveways, walkways and curbsides.

Beginning the week of November 11, 2013, and throughout the holiday season, the Flossmoor Jrs. IWS Auxiliary will sell luminaria kits in various local retail locations around Flossmoor and Homewood. Kits will also be available for purchase through IWS Auxiliary members and at Flossmoor's WinterFest, making it a fast and convenient holiday preparation experience.

Luminaria kits are \$6.00 each (each kit contains five luminarias). The candles and bags are reusable, so in addition to "Light up the Night," the luminarias can also be incorporated into personal holiday displays.

The Infant Welfare Society of Chicago was created in 1911 by concerned volunteers in response to an alarming infant mortality rate at the turn of the last century, when one out of every ten children died before their first birthday. The tradition continues today, as Chicago's low-income, uninsured children and women are in need of assistance with integrated, preventive medical, dental, and mental health services.

In addition, the Auxiliary is also looking for corporate sponsors interested in "lighting up" local parks in Flossmoor and Homewood on December 13th. A \$100 sponsorship donation will ensure your business' name proudly displayed on all "Light up the Night" advertising. Please contact Auxiliary members Jamie Ford at 708-567-5483 or Lisa Kauffman at 312-259-7610 for more information.

Let's help continue this wonderful Homewood/Flossmoor tradition and "Light up the Night" for IWS.

Luminaria kits will be available for purchase at the following retail locations:

Flossmoor Locations

Jonathan Kane Salon & Spa
2635 Flossmoor Road

Marc Alan Day Spa
3319 Vollmer Road

Sweet Annie's Bakery
1080 Sterling Avenue

Homewood Locations

Art4Soul
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Nathalie's Interiors
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HOLIDAY *news*

HF Tree Recycling Tradition Continues

Irons Oaks proudly presents the 4th Annual Christmas Tree and Holiday Lights Recycling Program. The community drop off day is Saturday, January 4, 2014 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Irons Oaks Vollmer Road parking lot. Volunteers make it easy for you to drive in and assist in grabbing your tree from your vehicle and adding it to our pile. Alternatively, you may drop off your undecorated and unwrapped tree at Irons Oaks anytime between December 26 and January 10. For more information on this program please visit www.hfchristmastreerecycling.com. Our resident led initiative has collected an estimated of 1,500 trees. Together we are making a “**Tremendous**” difference!

Light Strand Doesn't Work? Recycle It!

Do you have holiday lights that have lost their former shimmer? Now through January 20 recycle your holiday lights. Recycling receptacles can be found in the Village Hall lobby, HF Racquet & Fitness Center, HF Ice Arena, Irwin Center, Irons Oaks or Wiley's Grill. There will also be receptacles at the Tree Recycling event on January 4.

Saint John's Cookie Walk

The Church of Saint John the Evangelist will host its 16th Annual Cookie Walk on December 7. The event will be held at the Church (2640 Park Drive) from 9-11 a.m. in the church's undercroft. The event is open to the public and raises money for local charities, such as PADS, South Suburban Family Shelter, Rich Township Food Pantry, and Respond Now. For more information, please contact St. John's Church at 708.708.4150.



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Flossmoor Woman Building Green

When Flossmoor resident Vicki Burke decided to build a new house, she started by doing her homework. “My goal was to build a comfortable home using the best technology I could afford and moving toward something greener,” she said.

Among the new products she found were Thermocore structural insulated panels. “It’s what the shell of the house is built with. I worked with architect Scott Gummerson on the design of the house, and we sent it to Thermocore. The company made the walls with all the windows and doors cut out and shipped the panels to us to be assembled on site, so there’s no waste. The result is a very tight house that’s well insulated,” she said. While the material is more expensive than the plywood traditionally used to frame a house, Burke said, “I’ll make my money back in energy savings.”

For Gummerson, the Flossmoor architect, working with such a product and method of construction was a first.

A visit to the Museum of Science and Industry’s “Smart Home” exhibit a couple of years ago had gotten Burke thinking about options. She incorporated some of them when she built a house in Michigan City, Ind., and has chosen others for this house in Flossmoor Park. “The idea is not just to be green, but to choose what fits in with my house and the way I live,” she said.

Among the features she opted for this time are kitchen countertops made using 75 percent post-consumer waste, and LED lighting, which she learned about at the museum. “I’m not crazy about fluorescent lighting, but LED technology has really improved,” she said. Burke’s energy-saving days date back to her childhood, when her parents installed a windmill on their farm in Niles, Michigan, that generated energy. “We were the talk of the town,” she said.

Electronics Recycling

Thank you to all the residents who came out October 19 to the HF Green Team Electronic Recycling event. Over the last three years, we have collected 100,000 lbs of old computers, televisions and other electronics. Perhaps you received a new television or computer for the holidays and now it’s time to dispose of your out dated equipment. State law requires consumers to recycle all electronics. Drop off your household electronics at Assistive Technology Exchange Network (ATEN) in Tinley Park or Habitat for Humanity ReStore in Chicago Heights. ATEN is a service provided by United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Chicago located at 7550 West 183rd Street in Tinley Park. For information regarding ATEN, call 708.444.8460. Habitat for Humanity is located at 180 West Joe Orr Road in Chicago Heights, 708.755.1840.



Zero Hero Spotlight: Joann Lindholm of Fresh Starts Restaurant



Fresh Starts began trying to make a smaller footprint 20 years ago. Around 1990, owner Joann Lindholm was the first restaurant owner in the area to start recycling wine bottles and the cardboard boxes from all the food that was delivered to them. “We now also recycle all paper, cans, bags and many plastics, so our trash has been drastically been reduced,” Lindholm said. “Even the corks from wine bottles go into a cork re-harvest drop box. The last load was donated to area schools for art projects.

“Since I have a friend who raises chickens, I give her all our vegetable and fruit scraps, which she turns into feed. In return, we get delicious free-range organic eggs.

“But it’s hard to ‘go green’ with carryout containers and please our customers, too. Most want them both leak-proof and microwavable, which isn’t possible. But we do use eco-friendly napkins, coffee, cups, containers for soups, sandwiches and desserts, and to-go bags. I’m looking for a suitable eco-friendly line of plates, soft drink cups, silverware and lids for soda and coffee.

“All restaurants can do this as well; it just costs a little more and takes some effort to get the job rolling. It’s also important to inform our customers, because once they know the reason behind our efforts, they are very pleased.

“It’s so important to make as little an imprint on our world as possible,” Lindholm concluded. “It helps us all. Let’s shoot for the goal of zero imprint!”

Western Wildlife Habitat

The Western Avenue School Garden was named an official Certified Wildlife Habitat in October by the National Wildlife Federation. The Western Avenue Green Team successfully created a garden space that improves habitat for birds, butterflies, frogs and other wildlife by providing essential elements needed by all wildlife: natural food sources, clean water, cover and places to raise young. The Western Avenue School Garden habitat features a perennial bed, which was planted four years ago to honor Terry DeBruin and Steve Sweeney’s many years of service to Flossmoor School District 161. It consists of a raised bed constructed with eco-friendly materials in which vegetables, herbs and flowers are grown each year.

Three years ago, Lisa Waishwell’s class added a bird bath, and students from Andrew Bauer’s fifth grade classroom donated handmade birdhouses. When Margaret Galvan retired in 2012, a “green” flower mosaic was added to commemorate all the kindergarten students she helped “grow” into strong students.

“Our school garden was transformed from an unused space to something beautiful, educational and important to nature,” said Carrie Malfeo, who chairs the Western Avenue Green Team. “Many students and parents of our school have lent a helping hand to make our school garden what it is today, and will continue to do so for years to come.”

David Mizejewski, naturalist with the National Wildlife Federation, applauded the school’s efforts. “Providing a home for wildlife in our communities, whether it’s at home, in schools, businesses or parks, is the demonstration of a healthy and active ecosystem,” he said. “There is no more rewarding way to stay connected to nature right outside your door.”

NWF’s Certified Wildlife Habitat program has been helping people take personal action on behalf of wildlife for more than 40 years. The program engages homeowners, businesses; schools, churches, parks and other institutions that want to make their communities wildlife friendly. Groups who create a Certified Wildlife Habitat receive a one-year subscription to the award-winning National Wildlife magazine, a personalized certificate and quarterly e-newsletters with tips for improving their habitat for wildlife.

Winter Fest

Celebrate the Holiday Season
December 7, 2013



**Downtown
Flossmoor**

Return of the Holiday Trolley and Gingerbread Tour!

Trolley runs
from 12:30 p.m.
til 4:30 p.m.



10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Toys for Tots Drop Off at Coldwell Banker

2:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Children's Story Time at the Flossmoor Public Library
Guest Reader: Mayor Paul Braun

2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Children's Holiday Party at the Flossmoor Public Library
Visit with Santa - Balloon Artists - Games - Crafts
Luminaria Sale to benefit Infant Welfare Society of Chicago

3:00 p.m.

Hot Chocolate – Provided by the H-F Lions Club

5:00 p.m.

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FESTIVAL *news*



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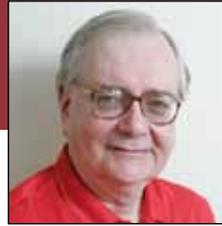


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