

# Beach Bulletin

**Village of Round Lake Beach**

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## Trick or Treat hours

Sunday  
October 30  
1:00-5:00 pm

## Round Lake Beach 75th Anniversary 2012

Check out all the year-long events the Anniversary Committee is planning. Visit the Village website for details.

**"Chili"  
Autumn Night**  
outdoor event  
for adults  
**September 24**  
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## Round Lake Area September 11th Memorial Ceremony



Sunday, September 11 at 5:00 pm  
Cultural & Civic Center (outside or inside depending on weather)

Join us in remembering those who lost their lives and honoring those who serve. This memorial event will include a Bell Ringing Ceremony by the Fire Department, 21-Gun Salute, Color Guard, acknowledgments along with patriotic music. Speakers to include Mayor Hill, Mayor Dietz, Mayor Lumpkins, Mayor McCue along with Senator Suzi Schmidt and Representative Sandy Cole.

***Let's show strong community support for the 10-year anniversary of 9/11.***

## Employment Expo

September 8 9:30 am-2:30 pm

Helpful workshops, resume reviews and 25 businesses looking for good employees. Visit the Village website for details and businesses that are attending or contact (847) 740-6026 x-209 or [jobfair@rlbeach.org](mailto:jobfair@rlbeach.org).

## Code Red Emergency Notification System

The recent serious storms and power outages make it more important than ever for residents to stay informed during emergencies. To receive Code Red emergency notifications, go to the Village website at [www.villageofroundlakebeach.org](http://www.villageofroundlakebeach.org) and click on the link on the home page. It is easy to sign up to receive email or phone messages from the village. If you do not have a computer, please contact the Village and we will assist you in signing up.

## Circus is Coming to Town!

Monday, September 12 Festival Grounds behind the Center  
4:30 & 7:30 pm shows

The children's tickets are free and adult tickets are a lower cost if you purchase them by 5:00 pm on September 9 at the Cultural & Civic Center. Don't miss this exciting family event.



## Greater Round Lake Fire Department Open House

October 15, Noon - 4:00 pm

Round Lake Fire Station #1, 409 W. Nippersink Rd. Enjoy station tours, fire safety demonstrations, Children's Smokehouse, emergency planning, car seat checks, 911 simulator and vehicle demonstrations!

## From the Mayor

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### Shop locally for all your needs

**N**eed to get your car an IEPA emissions test? The closest state test facility is now in Waukegan. But wait! You can make an appointment at Meineke in Round Lake Beach and get your test done right here! And if it doesn't pass they can help you with that too!

Need a pedicure, haircut, fitness center, tax

preparation, banking, home improvement, insurance, doctor, dentist, prescription, oil change, tires, gasoline, sports equipment, real estate agent, etc? All those and more are available right here in Round Lake Beach. Along with our delicious restaurants, grocery stores and general merchandisers, you can

get it all in Round Lake Beach. Support our local retailers. It provides jobs to our residents, tax dollars to the government agencies and saves you in travel time and gas.



Richard H. Hill  
Mayor

### Environmental Tour and Lecture on the Lake

What causes algae in Round Lake? Is that water plant a "weed" or a benefit to our lake? How can I help improve our lake?

The Lake County Health Department – Environmental Services team in partnership with the Round Lake Management Commission will be conducting a free environmental tour and lecture on Round Lake on September 24 at 9:00 am (rain date September 25).

Bring your own boat or ride with us. Refreshments will be served on the water, compliments of the RLMC.

Meet at the Beach Front Park boat launch at the northwest corner of Round Lake, just off North Lake Shore Drive. Questions? Please call Tim Pasternak at (847) 644-3976.

## From the Round Lake Beach Police Department

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### Two Officers Commended for 20 years of Service

**T**wo officers - Lt. Michael Scott and Officer Sandra Molitor - have served the residents of Round Lake Beach for 20 years.

Lieutenant Michael Scott completed 20 years of service on July 3, 2011.



Lt. Scott has served as a Patrolman, Detective, Sergeant and Lieutenant. Lt. Scott was credited for leading the Department to its initial accreditation as the supervisor of Support Services and is currently assigned to Investigations.

Officer Sandra Molitor completed 20 years of service on July 5, 2011.



Officer Molitor has served as a Patrolman, Detective, Evidence Technician, Traffic Enforcement Officer, DARE Officer, and School Resource Officer. Officer Molitor was commended for her dedication to duty and community commitment.

Congratulations to both officers for their dedicated, professional efforts in service to the residents of Round Lake Beach for over 20 years!

### Shop with a Cop

Shop with a Cop will be held on December 5 beginning at 4:00 pm. Watch for more details on the Village website.

Donations are being accepted. Please send your check to Officer Greg Vanco at the Round Lake Beach Police Department.

### School Zone Safety

School has begun. Watch for buses and children throughout the community.

Don't forget, it is illegal to talk on a cell phone in a school zone. Please be aware and drive safely.

### The Staff

Village Administrator  
David Kilbane

Police Chief  
Gary Bitler

Finance Director  
Brian Gosnell

Public Works Director  
Keith Neitzke

Economic Dev. Director  
Jon Wildenberg

# From the Department of Public Works

## No leaf or brush burning

Autumn is upon us once again. Please remember that the Village of Round Lake Beach has an ordinance banning burning.

You may dispose of leaves and other yard waste in brown paper yard waste bags or in 32-gallon cans marked yard waste with yard waste stickers on them. Residents may put up to six bags or six 32-gallon cans out per week. If you already subscribe to the yard waste program, you do not need a yard waste sticker. Maximum weight per bag or can is less than 50 pounds; branches must be bundled and tied with string or twine and have a yard waste sticker on them. Individual branches and limbs may be no thicker than 2 inches in diameter. No dirt, sod, or rock can be included with the yard waste. The season for yard waste pickup will end on December 15.

From October 17 - November 25 you will be able to purchase leaf pickup only stickers for \$1.10 each. They can be purchased at the same location as your regular yard waste stickers.

Please do not put yard waste into plastic bags; they will not be picked up. The cost for the yard waste stickers is \$2.40 each. You may purchase yard waste stickers at Ace Hardware, 659 Railroad Ave, Round Lake; Jewel Food Store, 900 East Rollins Road, Round Lake Beach; and at the Round Lake Beach Village Hall, 1937 Municipal Way. If you have any questions for Waste Management, please call 800-796-9696 or go to [www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com).

## Electronics recycling

The Village of Round Lake Beach, in conjunction with SWALCO, will be providing an opportunity to dispose of and recycle old and unused residential electronic equipment. Collections will be held from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm on October 20 and December 15. The drop off site is at the Round Lake Beach Public Works facility, 911 Lotus Drive. Information regarding these collections is available on the SWALCO web site at: [www.swalco.org](http://www.swalco.org).

**After January 2012, no electronics waste can be disposed of in the landfill. Please use these recycling events to dispose of residential electronics.**

## Road repairs this fall

All road repair projects will include road widening, storm sewer, ditch and culvert repairs. The roadways to be improved will be those affected by the water main work from this past summer. The limits are north of Long Lake Drive, east of Fairfield Road, south of Oakwood Drive, and west of Lotus Drive.

## Lend a hand to keep the Village beautiful

The Public Works Department makes every effort to keep our Village clean, but sometimes they need assistance from residents. If you notice your storm sewer covered with debris, take a few minutes and clear it. This action will help prevent flooding in and around your property when it rains.

## Annual Chili Supper

Monday, October 24, 5:00-7:30 pm

Held at the Cultural & Civic Center. Entertainment by area schools, raffles, great chili and hot dogs!

## Village Meeting Schedule

Second and fourth Mondays of the month  
7:00 pm - Council Meetings

First Monday of the month  
6:00 pm - Public Safety Committee  
6:30 pm - Public Works Committee

Third Monday of the month  
6:00 pm - Finance Committee  
6:30 pm - Economic Development Committee

Check out the Village website for agendas and minutes.

## Phone numbers

Police, fire emergency	911
Village Hall	(847) 546-2351
Police non-emergency	(847) 270-9111
Police Records	(847) 546-2127
Public Works	(847) 546-8752
J.U.L.I.E. (before you dig)	811
Waste Management	(800) 796-9696
SWALCO	<a href="http://www.swalco.org">www.swalco.org</a>
Email	<a href="mailto:inquiries@rlbeach.org">inquiries@rlbeach.org</a>

# From the Cultural & Civic Center

2007 Civic Center Way, Round Lake Beach [www.rlbciviccenter.org](http://www.rlbciviccenter.org)

Contact the Center for details and registration information at (847) 201-9032 or [rlbeachcenter@rlbeach.org](mailto:rlbeachcenter@rlbeach.org).

## Events at the Center

### Free Community

#### African Hand Drum Workshops

Fridays 6:30 – 8:00 pm

September 9, October 7, November 11

All ages enjoy these free events led by Helen Bond.

Open for experienced and those who have never touched a drum! Bring your own drum or there will be drums and hand instruments available for use.

### Student Artist Sale

Mark your calendar for this unique holiday shopping opportunity. Student Artist Sale @ the Center on Saturday, November 19 from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm.

### “Chili” Autumn Night

#### September 24 6:00-9:00 pm

Join your neighbors for this outdoor event for adults presented by the Center Foundation. Enjoy a Beer Tasting, Chili Cook-Off, DJ music, food, beverages and more! Help raise funds to support free community programming at the Center.

### Annual Cemetery Walk

Sunday, October 9, 2:00 pm

Meet at the Center and then we'll take a bus to East Fox Lake Cemetery where “Round Lake Beach residents from the past” will be presenting historical information of Round Lake Beach and the area. Fun program for all ages. Registration is requested for this free event.

## Art Workshops in the Center

Contact the Center for beginner, intermediate and advanced levels. Treat yourself and give it a try!

- Water Color Painting Workshops
- Wednesday Oil Painting Workshops
- Saturday Acrylic Painting Workshops
- \$5 One Stroke Wednesday Workshops
- Stained Glass Workshops
- Beaders Bootcamp!

## Planning an Event?

Contact or tour the Cultural & Civic Center. It is perfect for events of all sizes!

## RLA Park District Plays in the Center

### Felons, Flappers & Foul Play Murder Mystery & Dinner

September 16, 6:30 pm

### Cinderella

October 16, 2:00 pm

## Events in the Center

### Hiptastic Belly Dancing Fest

September 10 & 11

### Lake County Mothers of Twins Resale

October 1,  
8:00 am – noon

### Northern Lake County Quilters Guild Quilt Show

October 23 & 24

### Lake County Genealogy Expo & Workshops

November 5

### Benkadi African Drum Event

November 5

### Round Lake School Young Artist Exhibition

November 15

## Planning your Holiday Schedule?

Visit the Center's website for all of the holiday events we are offering for families and adults.



## Village Officials



Mayor  
Richard H. Hill



Clerk  
Margie Cleveland

## Trustees



Jerry Mattingly  
(senior trustee)



Larry Mount



Sue Butler



Judy Armstrong



Sylvia Valadez



Tom Smith

## Artist in the Center

Justin Mueller will be the September/October Artist in the Center. Stop by to view his large oils and portraits on display.