

VILLAGE OF RICHMOND

SUMMER 2018

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Calendar of Events

- Saturday, May 12th 8:30am~St. Joseph Church Annual Pie & Flower sale
- Thursday, May 17th~Village Brush Pick Up
- Friday, May 25th~Leaf Vacuuming
- Monday, May 28th~Memorial Day Celebration @ Stevens Park 10:30am-12:00pm
- Wednesday, May 30th & Thursday, May 31st~AARP Driver Safety Nippersink Library/Call Library for more info 815-678-4014
- Saturday, June 9th 1-3pm~Senior Program (see back page) @ Memorial Hall
- Saturday, June 9th 10am-2pm~Nippersink Library Summer Reading Kick-Off Party
- Thursday, June 21st ~Village Brush Pick Up
- Saturday, July 14th 1-3pm ~Senior Program (see back page) @ Memorial Hall
- Saturday, July 14th 9am-12pm~Electronice Event @ Village Hall (see back for details)
- Thursday, July 19th~Village Brush Pick Up
- Monday August 6th 6-9pm~Richmond's Citizens' Police Academy 10 Week Program Begins (see back page for details)
- Saturday, August 11th~Richmond Night Out and Bicentennial Celebration-Watch for details on Village Website
- Saturday, August 11th 1-3pm~Senior Program (see back page) @ Memorial Hall



CHIEF CETRANGOLO'S REPORT

Spring is here and warm weather means more pedestrians

In the Richmond area we have been graced with quite a few glimpses of warmer weather, a nice reminder that summer is right around the corner.

With the warmer weather, comes more pedestrians on the roadway. Whether they are joggers, walkers, or children on their way to and from school, warmer weather means more people on sidewalks, crosswalks and alongside the roadway.

It should go without saying, but an accident involving a car and pedestrian does not usually end well for the pedestrian. Distracted driving is now considered nearly an epidemic in the United States. The popularity and use of smart phones only adds to the potential of dangerous or catastrophic injury for those on the roads.

With the addition of more businesses in our downtown area, it is imperative that we keep our pedestrians safe in our community. Please be mindful of our pedestrians and pay close attention to those in our crosswalks.

**Village President
Craig Kunz**

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- **Board Meetings** are held the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month @ 7:00pm at Village Hall.
- **Finance Committee Meetings** are held at 5:00pm Mondays preceding the 1st Board Meeting of the month at Village Hall.
- **Community Development Committee Meetings** are held at 5:30pm Tuesdays preceding the 2nd Board Meeting at Village Hall.
- **Check Village Website for details**

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Office Hours:

Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

Village Hall Closed

**Monday, May 28th
Memorial Day
&
Wednesday, July 4th**

The Village of Richmond will be implementing (3) Senior Programs to be held this summer at Memorial Hall located at 10308 Main St. They are as follows:

- Saturday, June 9, 2018 from 1 to 3 PM "Putting Jigsaw Puzzles Together"
- Saturday, July 14, 2018 from 1 to 3 PM "Coloring Together"
- Saturday, August 11, 2018 from 1 to 3 PM "Knitting & Crocheting Together"

The Village will provide the supplies for the June and July programs. At the August, program attendees can bring a project they are working on, are looking for assistance with a project or would be interested in teaching younger individuals basic knitting or crocheting. Limited supplies will be provided for this program.

Light refreshments will be provide and everything is FREE! Registration will be required through the Village Hall by calling (815) 678-4040. Programs are for Village of Richmond residents ONLY. If there is not enough interest in a particular program, it will be cancelled.

Transportation will be available through the Richmond Township Transportation Program. Please contact them to make arrangements for door-to-door service by calling (815) 678-0077.

Additionally, flyers and E-blast reminders will be forthcoming! Hope to See you there!

Richmond Citizens' Police Academy

Free 10 Week Program begins Monday, August 6th

Meets every Monday thru October 15th 6:00pm-9:00pm at Village Hall ~Ages 18-118!

******Space is limited so please register to attend******

******Applications can be found on our website or picked up at Village Hall******

Any questions, Please call Village office at 815-678-4040

Taking on a fresh look.....

Be on the lookout for an exciting new look to our Village Welcome Signs into the Village along Rt. 12 and Rt 173



2018 Recycling Drive

When: Saturday July 14th 9am-Noon

Where: Village Hall 5600 Hunter Dr.

Accepting any and all electronics, identified as anything that plugs in or runs by battery. TV's and monitors require a fee of .50 cents per pound, up to \$50 maximum per television or monitor. Any additional electronic items (hairdryer, stereo, dvd player) would be accepted without charge. Also accepting fluorescent and incandescent lightbulbs for a fee from .50 cents to \$1.00. All batteries are accepted for a fee, not to exceed .50 cents per pound. Automotive batteries are taken for no charge.

White goods such as stoves and refrigerators can be disposed by calling our local waste hauler.

Cash, check or credit card will be accepted for payment of fee based items. In exchange a receipt will be provided for tax deduction.

Call McHenry County Environmental Defenders at 815-338-0393 for further info.