

Village of Maywood Community News August 2021



From the Desk of the Mayor Nathaniel George Booker

The month of July 2021 was an eventful one. We kicked off our monthly Community Public Safety meetings which will be held every 4th Monday of the month and we launched Let's Talk Maywood – Breakfast/Evening with the Mayor. The breakfast and evening community meetings will rotate by month to allow for various times to meet every 3rd Thursday of the month. During the month of June, we also launched TeenZone (ages 13-19) at the Lightford Recreation Center. This provides Friday fun, 4p – 8p for our youth to be engaged in fun activities and mentorship.

As we prepare to return to school, public safety and community unity is at the forefront for August. Inside you will find many community activities to enjoy. As we continue to Move Maywood Forward Together, I am happy to see Unity in the Community.

Stay tuned for updates coming in September 2021 as we prepare for the upcoming community event, **State** of Maywood – 1st 100 Days in Office.



Mayor Nathaniel George Booker







Thank you to the more than 30 businesses who came to the Village of Maywood Job Fair. We look forward to increasing workforce opportunities.



Community Summer Nights in the Park

Join Us for our next Community Summer Nights at Standard Park on 5th and Lexington Thursday, August 26, 2021, 5:30p - 7:30p











FREE EVENT



America's Night Out Against Crime!

AUGUST 3, 2021 5:00 pm. - 8:00 p.m.

WHERE: Veterans Park Gazebo, located behind Maywood Police station on Oak Street and 5th Ave.





NATIONAL NIGHT
OUT IS OPEN TO
VILLAGE OF
MAYWOOD
RESIDENTS

Meet your Maywood Police Officers - Village Officials

Mobile Museum of Tolerance - Loyola COVID-19 Vaccine Unit
Maywood Fne Arts Performance - U.S. National Guard

Visit local organizations with helpful resources for your entire family!

Community Public Safety Meeting with Acting Chief Willis

Join us at our monthly Community
Public Safety Meeting every 4th
Monday at 7pm
Lightford Recreation Center (LRC)
809 Madison St.







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RESOURCE FAIR WITH DOZENS OF VENDORS

Saturday, Aug. 7, 2021 10 a.m.-Noon

Triton College 2000 Fifth Ave., River Grove, IL







Happy Birthday Quinton "Danka" Beasley and Congratulations on a successful DBL Celebration Day













Congratulations to Trustee Aaron Peppers on the successful launch of JADSPEP Football Camp Featuring Sergio Brown









SUNDAY AUG 8TH

at the

BROOKFIELD ZOO PAVILIONS

Registration Time:

11 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Event Time:

12 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Sponsors:













First 500 People FREE Entry

(Enter at South Gate)

FREE Parking

(South Gate near Discovery Center)

FREE Lunch

FREE School Supplies and Backpack

17 & Under must be accompanied by an adult

"A good education opens doors"

www.SenatorLightford.com





Lightford Recreation Center (LRC) 809 Madison St.



Business Lunch & Learn Series Illinois Department of Economic Opportunity Office of Minority Economic Empowerment

Join Us for the next Business Lunch & Learn on Thursday, August 19, 2021, at 1pm (LRC)



BACK TO SCHOOL PICNIC PICNIC

Save the Date!

Come join in the fun at School District 89's 7th Annual Back-to-School event!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 2021 11:00am - 1:00pm

¡Marque su Calendario!

¡Venga y acompáñanos en la diversión del 7° evento Anual de Regreso a la Escuela del Distrito Escolar 89!

SÁBADO, 21 DE AGOSTO DEL 2021 11:00am - 1:00pm

Van Buren Family Education Center 1204 Van Buren Street Maywood, Illinois 60153

FAMILY HEALTH DAY



PRESENTED BY COMMISSIONER BRANDON JOHNSON

Join us for this fun event to promote healthy living. Enjoy a day outside in nature and connect with many Cook County community health partners and providers.

AUGUST 27, 2021 | 10 AM - 2 PM BROOKFIELD ZOO - SWAN PAVILION

Call today to reserve your FREE Tickets!





FOOD GAMES MUSIC ZUMBA
HEALTH SCREENINGS
AND MORE!



Limited transportation will be provided for Seniors
Food and beverage included**
Call to reserve your ticket today!
FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL (312) 603-4566



Maywood Festival Friends of the Festival Sponsorship Information Brochure

a Unity in the Community Experience

Maywood Festival was born out of an idea to create some fun activities to do in Maywood Park. The festival began as a simple community picnic with residents and a few activities. Since then, the festival has grown to three full days of over 20 vendors, a wide variety of entertainment and a host of activities for the entire family.

Currently, Maywood Festival has become the largest community event in the Village of Maywood. The average attendance consists of over 5000 patrons per day. The festival has something for everyone! Attendees are certain to enjoy a wide variety of food; kids will have access to a fun zone, get face paintings, and gaming. Music lovers will be delighted with two stages packed with music, live entertainment and much more.

Friday, September 10 - Sunday, September 12, 2021 September 10th - 3:00pm to 10:00pm September 11th - 11:00am to 10:00pm September 12th - 12:00pm to 8:00pm Festival

Maywood Park located at 5^{th} - Avenue & Oak Street Maywood, IL 60153

"We are excited to bring back the Maywood Fest to our community. We look forward to your sponsorship and partnership as we Move Maywood Forward Together"



Welcome to Maywood Fest 2021 Entertainment Potential & More

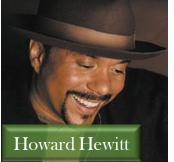














Why Should You Become a "Friend of the Festival"

The festival began as a simple community picnic with residents and a few activities, since then, the festival has grown to three full days of over 30 vendors and a wide variety of entertainment and all sorts of activities for the whole family.

Today it has become the largest community events in the Village of Maywood with the average attendance of over 5000 patrons per day. Our festival has something for everyone!! Attendees will enjoy a wide variety of food; kids can bounce on inflatables, get face paintings, and gaming. Music lovers will be delighted with two stages packed with music, live entertainment and much more.

The coming together of people with a common interest binds communities, strengthens friendships, and exposes people to new ideas and directions. Events help communities grow and thrive. The Village of Maywood and the Maywood Park District see community events as being vital in weaving the fabric that is our community. But local government can't do it alone – we need partners who can help present these events to the community – in lots of ways. "Friend of the Festival"









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For additional information regarding sponsorship and in-kind opportunities, please contact the Events Team:



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Have you taken your COVID 19 vaccination? Walk-Ins are available at the locations below and insurance nor ID are required. Should you need transportation assistance, please call Mayor Nathaniel George Booker at 708.288.9115 or email him at nbooker@maywood-il.org

Forest Park (former Hobo) 7600 W. Roosevelt Rd., Forest Park, IL

Triton Community College 2000 S 5th Ave, River Grove, IL



Getting vaccinated will protect yourself and those around you and will help keep your community healthy.



The vaccine will not give you COVID-19. The COVID-19 vaccine cannot create an infection and you will not be contagious.



The vaccine works with your immune system so you can better fight the virus if you are exposed.



Most of the available vaccines require two doses. The first dose primes your immune system to respond to the virus, the second dose makes the effects of the vaccine last longer. By having more than one dose, the vaccine will allow your body to have a more effective response to the virus.

Visit vaccine.cookcountyil.gov

Maywood at a Glance

Village Hall

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Nathaniel George Booker VILLAGE PRESIDENT

Gwaine Dianne Williams **Village Clerk**

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