



### Naperville Public Library Closed On July 17th for In-Service Training

Nichols, 95th 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 95th Street Library, 3015 Cedar Glade Dr. Materials may be renewed at their 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.



### City Conducting Special Brush Collection

As a result of the inclement weather that swept through the Naperville area on Friday, June 19, the city will be conducting a special brush collection for storm damage. Residents who would like to participate in the special collection should call the Department of Public Works at (630) 420-6095 by Thursday, June 25.

The special collection will begin on Monday, June 29, and may take up to two weeks to complete. All residents who have requested the special collection should place their brush on the curb by 7 a.m. on Monday, June 29. This special collection has the same requirements as the regularly scheduled brush collection. These requirements are as follows:

- Branches must measure between 3 feet and 8 feet in length, and be no greater than 6 inches in diameter. (Shorter lengths may be bagged or bundled and placed out on garbage day with a yard waste sticker attached.)
- Stack branches neatly on the parkway with cut ends toward the street. Brush piles that are badly tangled will not be picked up. Please place branches with thorns in a separate pile.
- Place brush on the parkway in front of your home only. Branches along busy side streets or rear frontages will not be collected.
- Do not tie or bundle your brush piles.
- Willow whips, small twigs and vines must be placed in paper yard waste bags with a sticker affixed for collection on your garbage day.
- Brush containing nails, metal, stones, vines, willow whips, root balls, stumps or lumber will not be collected. If brush contains anything other than branches, it will not be collected.

City crews will continue throughout the week to collect broken branches and other brush from parkway trees that were damaged in the storms.

For more information, visit [www.naperville.il.us/brushcollection.aspx](http://www.naperville.il.us/brushcollection.aspx) or call the Department of Public Works at (630) 420-6095.



### HEALING FIELD FLAGS

The Naperville Exchange Club, in collaboration with the Naperville Park District, local veterans' organizations and other community groups, families and individuals, are 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. 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).



### Help Ensure Route 59 Expansion Funding Is Available

The Illinois Legislature recently passed a capital bill that includes the Route 59 Expansion Project. The bill has not yet been signed by governor Pat Quinn. Please contact Governor Quinn to encourage him to sign this bill which will benefit all Naperville citizens as it addresses the issue of congestion on this key area roadway.

[Click here](#) to contact the Governor to let him know how important Route 59 is to our area!!!



### City Bi-Monthly Homeowners Report Is Now Available

The City of Naperville Bi-Monthly report to homeowners associations is available by [clicking here](#).

This month's report includes a preview of our June 20th NAHC/City Council Joint Meeting in rooms B&C of the Municipal Center where we will hear a report on the future of the Riverwalk and engage council in a dialogue on relations between the NAHC, our member associations, and the City. There is also news on proposed and new property developments; information from the Fire and Police Departments, Updates from the Settlement, Library, and Park District; happenings around the city and more.

[Click Here](#) to download your copy now!!!!

Development maps referenced in the report can be accessed by [clicking here](#).



### City of Naperville and CMAP Invite the Public to Help Invent the Future

The City of Naperville and the Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning (CMAP) invite all interested parties to attend the GO TO 2040 Invent the Future Workshop on Wednesday, June 24. The workshop will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. in Meeting Rooms A, B and C of the Naperville Municipal Center, 400 S. Eagle St.

CMAP is leading the GO TO 2040 campaign to plan a prosperous future for the Chicago Metropolitan Region, which the agency estimates will add 2.8 million residents by 2040. To

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### Coming Soon...

Thursday, June 25

- [MUNICIPAL BAND SUMMER CONCERT SERIES](#)

Friday, June 26

- [Rollin' on the River](#)

Saturday, June 27

- [Classic Car Cruise Nights](#)
- [FARMER'S MARKET](#)
- [CAVALCADE OF BRASS](#)

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management region, which the agency completed with the 2010 referendum. To address this anticipated increase in population, the GO TO 2040 campaign will focus on critical topics, including land use, transportation, housing, jobs, natural resources, education and other quality-of-life issues in Cook, DuPage, Kane, Kendall, Lake, McHenry and Will Counties for the remainder of the century.

#### **Interactive Kiosk Now Available at the Municipal Center**

To make it easier for residents and stakeholder groups to "Invent the Future," the agency is placing interactive kiosks throughout the region. The kiosks feature a short presentation and ask participants to answer two questions related to the GO TO 2040 plan. The kiosk will then show them a planning scenario based on their selection. Participants can spend as little or as much time at the kiosk as it takes to run through the multimedia exercise. A GO TO 2040 interactive kiosk is now located in the main lobby of the Naperville Municipal Center, 400 S. Eagle St. The kiosk will be available at this location through Friday, June 26.

For more information about the GO TO 2040 campaign, visit [www.goto2040.org](http://www.goto2040.org). Sign up to receive the latest news about the City of Naperville's projects and initiatives via e-mail at [www.naperville.il.us/enews.aspx](http://www.naperville.il.us/enews.aspx).



#### **Registration is open for the Chase the Moon Midnight Bike Ride**

Registration is open for the Chase the Moon Midnight Bike Ride Presented by The Conservation Foundation! This 6th annual Chase the Moon event will take place on Saturday, July 25th into Sunday, July 26th and will kick off from Marmion Academy in Batavia.

Put your pedals to work for conservation as you travel at your own pace under a star-filled sky. Festivities will begin with a 10pm pre-party, and the bike ride will kick off at 12:01am. Nocturnal riders will have the opportunity to travel the typically limited access roads at Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, or Fermilab, and enjoy a healthy breakfast at the end of their nighttime journey. Chase the Moon is a ride, not a race, and the length of the route is determined by the will of your legs! Dedicated bicycle enthusiasts will be able to ride a 25-mile route, while more recreational riders can shorten the route if desired. The Chase the Moon Midnight Bike Ride is presented by and all proceeds benefit The Conservation Foundation.

Cost for the ride BEFORE JULY 1st is \$35/rider for members of The Conservation Foundation, \$40/rider for non-members, and \$20 kids 12 and under. All costs increase by \$5 after July 1st. Registrants will receive a t-shirt. For more information or to register online, go to [www.chasethemoon.com](http://www.chasethemoon.com). We have a 500 rider quota, so if we fill that before the ride, we will not be accepting walk-ins.

Sponsorship opportunities are also available. We need both cash and in-kind sponsors. Contact Chere Hayes at 630-428-4500 x17.



#### **Green Trails Ladies Bowling League**

Thursday morning women's bowling league is looking to attract new members. We are a non-sanctioned social league comprised of ladies of all abilities and generations. We bowl at Lisle Lanes on Rte 53 and will begin our new season on August 20. Our calendar corresponds to the District 203 calendar. Come join us and meet new friends. Interested contact Kate Buck at 630/416-3092.

### **FOLLOW NAPERHOMEOWNERS ON TWITTER!**

#### **The Naperville Area Homeowners Confederation:**

- Is a knowledge resource for homeowners, collecting and disseminating information on vital topics of interest to those living in our community. These include local issues, events, association governance, and property management and maintenance.
- Serves as an advocate for homeowners by providing meaningful input to community issues (traffic, environment, development, quality of life, etc.) through Public Position statements, advisory groups, and liaison committees.
- Engages speakers to address key issues facing member associations and Naperville residents.
- Brings government to the people through regular meetings.
- Hosts educational forums on referenda and candidates.

#### **The Confederation at Work**

*The Confederation received the Naperville League of Women Voters 2008 Rosemary Martin Democracy in Action Award for its ongoing commitment to involve Naperville residents in local government and create opportunities for education on public issues important to the quality of their lives.*

*"The Confederation receives information from the City and meets regularly with City Staff to review those issues pertinent to all homeowners. Many concerns are solved quickly with the positive communication between the City and homeowners. It's a very constructive and motivated group."*

A. George Pradel, Mayor

*"For the Naperville Park District, the Naperville Area Homeowners Confederation is an important partner in our success. The NAHC has become an increasingly vital conduit to communicate with residents about our programs and events, and their committed efforts in helping us to reach our constituents is invaluable."*

Ray McGury, Executive Director, Naperville Park District

*"Serving in an at-large capacity can be very time consuming to understand the needs of*

145,000 people and meet those needs. The salvation of being effective was listening to the (Naperville Area) Homeowners' Confederation, which was my constant source of information and fount of knowledge."

Former City Council Member Gary von Behren as reported in the Naperville Sun 10/1/2008

"The role NAHC plays in fostering meaningful communication between residents and decision-makers in government is crucial to our democratic process. It is a role you play well, and we commend you for that."

Michèle D. Johnson, Former President, ECHO Board of Directors

"Its our liaison to the City and it keeps us informed. We would not know about certain issues if it were not for the wealth of information disseminated to us by the Confederation."

Marie Muller, Former Delegate, Maplebrook II

### Join The NAHC!

If your association is not a member of the NAHC, joining is easy!

[Click Here](#) to download a membership application, complete it, and forward it on to the NAHC. NAHC Membership and Associate Membership is available to recognized Homeowners, Condominium, and Tenant Associations in the Naperville area. For more information on joining the NAHC, please see our [by-laws](#).

### Contact The Confederation At:

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