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February 14, 2025

*Happy Valentine's Day*



## Village Hall Closed February 17

Village Hall will be closed Monday, February 17, 2025 in observance of Presidents' Day. Village Hall will resume normal business hours on Tuesday, February 18 at 8:00 a.m.

### **Garbage and Recycling Collection:**

Please note that garbage and recycling will be collected as scheduled the week of February 17, 2025. There will be no changes to garbage and recycling collection by Groot due to the Presidents' Day holiday.

## Ben Franklin Memorial February 23

On Sunday, February 23, 2024, at 9 a.m., the Palatine Fire Department will be hosting a brief ceremony to honor the service and sacrifice of Palatine volunteer firefighters John Wilson, Richard Freeman, and Warren Ahlgrim, who lost their lives fighting a fire at the Ben Franklin Store in 1973.

The ceremony will be held in downtown Palatine at the Firefighters Memorial (corner of N. Brockway and W. Slade Streets).



## Scoop the Poop

Dog and cat waste left on the ground is more than smelly and unsightly... it pollutes our water and poses health risks for pets and people. One pile of pet waste may not seem like a lot, but it adds up!

As a common courtesy, and as required by the Village Code, please pick up your pet's waste from any public property. Failure to comply with the Village's applicable animal control regulations could result in the issuance of a citation and fine to any violator.

# State of the Village 2025



**PALATINE**  
Area Chamber of Commerce

**Wednesday, February 26, 2025**

**8 am- 9 am**

**Palatine Village Hall**

**200 E Wood St, Council Chambers**

*All Chamber & Community Members invited to hear  
from Mayor Schwantz and Village Leadership*

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## League of Women Voters Host Candidate Forum

League of Women Voters of the Palatine, Barrington and Schaumburg areas is hosting a candidate forum for the District 15 School Board February 26 at 6:30 p.m.

In preparation for the April 1, 2025 consolidated election the League of Women Voters of the Palatine, Barrington and Schaumburg areas is hosting a candidate forum for the District 15 School Board. At this forum candidates will answer questions regarding their platforms.

The forum will be held at the Palatine Library, 700 N. Court, Palatine, IL on **Wednesday, February 26 at 6:30 p.m.** The forum will be recorded and can be found at [lwvpalatinearea.org](http://lwvpalatinearea.org).

*The LWVPA is a nonpartisan organization and does not support a particular candidate or party.*



## Durdy Nellies St. Patrick's Parade - March 15, 2025

**REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!!** The St. Patrick's Day festivities will take place in downtown Palatine on Saturday, March 15th!! Get your Irish on and enjoy a Traditional Irish Breakfast at Durdy Nellie's from 8:30-10:30 a.m. before the Durdy St. Pat's Parade kicks off at 11 a.m. – and then it's back to Nellie's for the annual "EPIC After Party" featuring Irish dancers, music, food and so much fun celebrating the holiday where everyone can be Irish for the day! **NEW THIS YEAR** – the community will be able to nominate a Durdy St. Pat's Queen, King and their court! Details coming soon – learn more **here**.



# Upcoming Community Events

## Palatine Winter Farmers' Market

Palatine Train Station  
Saturday, February 15, 9:00 a.m.

## St. Theresa's Come and See Series

St. Theresa School  
Tuesday, February 18, 6:30 p.m.

## Fiddler on the Roof

Cutting Hall  
Weekends, February 8 - 23

## School's Day Out

Salt Creek Park District  
Monday, February 17, 9:00 a.m.

## Puzzle Palooza

Twin Lakes  
Wednesday, February 19, 5:45 a.m.

## Parent's Night Out

Rose Park  
Friday, February 21, 6:00 p.m.

## Paint and Craft Night - Lucky Clover

Twin Lakes  
Friday, February 21, 6:30 p.m.

## Bingo

American Legion  
Saturday, February 22, 6:00 p.m.

## K of C Pancake Breakfast

St. Theresa's Lower Dolan Center  
Sunday, February 23, 8:00 a.m.

## Bunco Bash Fundraiser

Palatine Township Senior Center  
Thursday, February 27, 5:30 p.m.


## Once Upon a Mattress

Palatine High School  
February 27, 28 7:00 p.m.  
March 1, 1:30 & 7 p.m.

## Palatine Concert Band Winter Concert

Cutting Hall  
Sunday, March 2

*(click on the event name for more details )*



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847-358-7500



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