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January 30, 2026

Winter Brush Collection Begins February 2

The Public Works Department will begin its annual winter curbside brush collection this Monday, February 2, 2026. Loose brush must be set out at the curb by 7:00 AM on that day. Please follow these guidelines when preparing your branches:

- Brush must be 8 inches or less in diameter to accommodate the chipper.
- Firewood, tree stumps, and root balls will not be accepted because of the potential to damage the chipper.
- Branches should be as long as possible with cut ends facing the street, without impeding traffic or blocking the sidewalk.
- Clean Christmas trees (without lights or decorations) will be accepted.



Crews will make only one pass down each street. If brush amounts are excessive, it may take all week to finish the collection.

For more information, visit our [website](#) or call Public Works at (847) 705-5200.

Palatine St. Patrick's Parade March 14



Save the date to paint the town green and learn about exciting changes for Palatine's St. Patrick's celebrations! The parade now has a fresh new name, "Palatine St. Patrick's Parade", and its organizers are honored to be partnering with local favorites like JL's Pizza & Sports Bar, Tap House Grill, and TJ O'Brien's Bar & Grill, who have stepped up as presenting sponsors to keep this beloved community tradition thriving. Alongside parade founder, Durty Nellie's, and steadfast partner Vicarious Multimedia, the community will once again be able to celebrate the vibrant spirit that makes Palatine so special!

Mark your calendar for Saturday, March 14, when the parade steps off at 11 a.m. from the corner of Wood and Oak streets and makes its way west to Smith and Wood streets for an unforgettable celebration. And don't worry, the fun doesn't stop there – expect plenty of shenanigans and merriment both before and after the parade at presenting sponsor establishments.

Want to be in the parade? Businesses, nonprofits, houses of worship, youth sports organizations, and neighborhood groups are invited to [register](#) today! Looking for other ways to get involved? Nominate the parade Queen, King, and their Royal Court - or show your support by joining as a sponsor. Register your parade entry today, nominate the Royal Court, and view sponsorship opportunities at StPatsPalatine.com!

Grab your green, rally your family and friends – and help make this year's celebration of all things Irish – unforgettable!

Electronics Recycling

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING



Did you know that you can bring all of these acceptable electronics to SWANCC'S Glenview Transfer Station on Saturdays from 9am-11:30am if you are a **SWANCC resident**? And best of all it's FREE of charge! Once you are at the site, you can pop your trunk open and staff will unload the electronics for you, it's that simple! ID is required.

[Learn More](#)

Want to Learn CPR?



The Palatine Fire Department has spots open for their upcoming CPR class on February 11th. Whether you're looking to learn CPR for the first time or need to recertify, this is your chance!

Here are the details:

- Wednesday, February 11, 2026
- Location: Fire Station 84, 220 W. Illinois Ave, Wilson Meeting Room, Palatine
- Time: 6pm-8pm

Upcoming Community Events

Palatine Winter Farmers' Market

Palatine Train Station
Saturday, February 7, 9:00 a.m.

Preschool Salt Creek Park District

Rose Park Community Center
Open Registration February 2

Preschool Preview

Palatine Park District
Thursday, February 5, 5:30 p.m.

Dueling Pianos Fundraiser

benefitting Pal. Township Senior Center
Friday, February 6, 6:00 p.m.

Sweetheart Ball

Twin Lakes
Friday, February 6
Saturday, February 7

Candidate Forms Primary Election

Harper College Wojcik Center
Democratic Candidates, 2/7, 10:00 a.m.
Republican Candidates, 2/7, 1:00 p.m.

Paint & Craft Night - 3D Heart

Twin Lakes
Friday, February 13, 6:30 p.m.
Pre-registration required.

"Arthur & Friends Make a Musical"

Cutting Hall Performing Arts Center
Saturday, Feb. 14, 1:30 & 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 15, 1:30 & 5:00 p.m.

Illinois State House District 52 Candidate Form

Barrington Area Library
Saturday, February 14, 10:00 a.m.

A Sweetheart's Dance

Good News in the Neighborhood
Saturday, February 14, 4:00 p.m.

Bingo

American Legion
Saturday, February 14, 6:00 p.m.

School's Day Out

Salt Creek Park District
Monday, February 16
Tuesday, February 17
Pre-registration required.

Feb No School Basketball Camps

Palatine Park District
Monday, February 16
Tuesday, February 17

(click on the event name for more details)

Early Bird Pool Pass Sale

Purchase a Summer Pool Pass between
February 2-May 3 and save! Family
Aquatic Center, Birchwood Pool and Eagle
Pool open May 23, 2026!

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Deadline to Apply
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Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
847-358-7500



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