



Village of Sheridan
PO Box 580
Sheridan, IL 60551

Village Resident
Sheridan, IL 60551



SHERIDAN

April/May 2024

INFO-LINE



Village President
Tom Wehner

Village Trustees
Pam Carlson

Wendy Greenrod

Judy Hinterlong

Darin Naggs

Jake Naggs

Marlene Woodward

Village Administrator
Cathy Grimwood

Village Meeting Dates

The regular monthly board meeting is held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Village Hall. All meetings are open to the public.

Residents are encouraged to attend and become involved and be informed.

VILLAGE
HALL HOURS
7:00—3:00 M-F

Visit our website @
www.sheridan-il.us
New village email:
villageclerk@sheridanil.gov

SHERIDAN'S

TOWNWIDE

GARAGE SALES



The garage sale ad will be published in The Times and The Record. There will be no charge to be added to the listing! Maps will be available at area businesses prior to the sale.

Give us a call to add your address!

815-496-2251

Sheridan Area Food Pantry

Located at:

Sheridan United Methodist Church
219 S Bushnell Street, Sheridan

Open 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of every month
from 8:30 to 9:30 am



April dates: April 9th & 23rd

May dates: May 14th & 28th

Ottawa Community Food Basket

Donates additional food supplies on the
4th Tuesday from 8:30 - 9:30 am with
lots of pre boxed items for you.

~April 23rd & May 28th

Contact Larry Ryg with any questions @ 815-326-0328

or Sharon Johnson @ 815-481-2676

MONTHLY COMMUNITY MEETINGS

**Sheridan Historical Society - 1st Tuesday
6:30PM @ Historical Building**

**Sheridan American Legion - 3rd Tuesday
7:00PM @ Legion**

**Mission Township - 2nd Wednesday
7:00PM @ Mission Township Building**

**Sheridan Sanitary District - 4th Wednesday
6:00PM @ Historical
Building.**

**Sheridan Village Board Meetings - 2nd
Monday 7:00PM @ Village Hall**

**Sheridan Fire District Trustee Meetings-
1st Thursday 7:00PM @ Fire Station**

**Sheridan Community Club Meetings-2nd
Wednesday 6:30PM @ Sheridan Fire
Department**

**Sheridan Zoning Board of Appeals @
Village Hall - Are always published in the
Legal Notices of The Times**



Village Permits Issued February/March 2024

- 800 W Pleasant St-reroof
 - 200 E 3rd St-fence
- 325 W Grant St-reroof/reside
- 544 N Robinson St-reroof

Resident Notices:

Chapter 6 under the Nuisance Per Se section

It shall be declared to be a nuisance to allow garbage, refuse or rubbish to accumulate or to be collected in any place zoned by the Village of Sheridan as being in a residential district unless it is placed within a garbage container subject to pickup by a waste hauler no less frequently than twice a month.

[The Village of Sheridan has scheduled our Spring Clean Up Day on May 10th](#)

Chapter 18-REMOVAL OF ABANDONED MOTOR VEHICLES

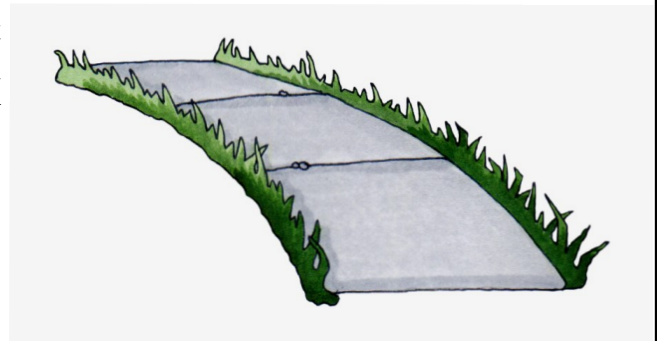
Village Ordinance states a “Junk Vehicle” is defined as a vehicle that is not in running condition, is not currently licensed or currently insured. Village Ordinance can be found on our web-site at www.sheridan-il.us under the Municipal Code of Sheridan.

It is not our desire to enforce this ordinance or cause fines and inconvenience to residents, however to keep Sheridan clean Zoning Enforcement will take place if necessary.

If you have any questions, please contact Chief Bergeron @ 815-496-2186

Chapter 9-Sidewalks

The Village of Sheridan is planning for this years sidewalk improvements! The Street and Alley Committee shall annually make a budget request for sidewalk improvement to the Finance Committee. During the month of April, the Village Board shall accept public comments of any landowner desiring financial assistance for repairs or replacement of sidewalk adjacent to their property. The Street and Alley Committee shall by April of each year present to the Village Board a resolution containing a sidewalk improvement plan. In selecting sidewalks to be placed on the sidewalk improvement plan, the Street and Alley Committee shall take into consideration the condition of any existing sidewalk, the need for a sidewalk, the expected traffic for the sidewalk, and whether an owner adjoining a sidewalk is willing to participate in a 60%/40% payment agreement where the owner agrees to pay 40% of the cost of sidewalk improvements with the City paying the remaining 60% costs of improvements. If a landowner fails to get a required sidewalk placed on the annual improvement plan, such landowner may repair or install a sidewalk in any street, alley or public ground adjacent to their property but only after approval of the plans and subject to conditions approved by the Street and Alley Committee. Conditions and standards for approval shall be similar to conditions and standards normally undertaken by the Street and Alley Committee for work performed as part of their annual plan for sidewalk improvements.



SHERIDAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM

We Are Expanding!

We are happy to announce that we are expanding the size of the Sheridan Historical Society Museum. The Village of Sheridan has given us additional room for our displays. They gave us part of the old fire department bays which has doubled our current space.

*A great big **thank you** to the Village Board for this very generous donation.*



Outside of New Addition

It's a Work in Progress.

Andy Laesch was the contractor and did the construction work. The two overhead doors were removed and framed in. A window and double doors were installed in this area. A wall was constructed across the bays. A heating and air conditioning unit was installed. A false ceiling was put up.

Once the construction was done, Wendy Greenrod and Jean McNelis painted all the walls. The next step is to get the cement floor refinished. Phil Vahl is going to put an epoxy finish on it.

Open House

Our hope is to have an Open House sometime in April or May. Lots of work to be done yet with moving and re-arranging displays. We will let everyone know once we finish moving into our new addition.

Museum Hours

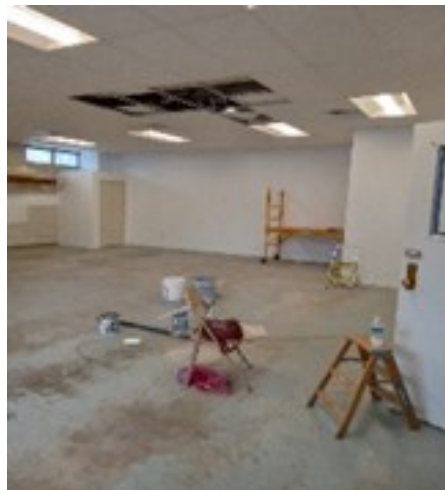
The museum will be open on Sundays from 1:00 p.m. - 3 p.m. starting in April. We are closed on all holiday weekends. We are in need of people to help man the museum. If you are interested, please contact Jean – 815.695.5609 or Sandy – 815.712.0279.

Upcoming Events

We are planning to have a couple of programs this year. We are looking for some suggestions. We will be open on the 4th of July prior to the parade.



Inside of Outside Wall



Back Wall



Entrance to Existing Building

Sheridan Historical Society Museum
2024 Calendar of Events

Our meetings will be held in the Sheridan Historical Society Building unless otherwise noted.
These meetings are open to the public. Everyone welcome.

Special Event Weekend
February 17-18 Museum open 10am – 4pm
LaSalle County Museums: Whole Nine Yards

Schedule is quarterly meetings....

Meeting scheduled for April 2nd, 2024, 6:30pm
Open on 2 Sundays in April
April 14^h and April 28^h – 1:00-3:00pm

Open 2 Sundays in May
Open May 5^h and May 19th - 1:00-3:00pm
Open House: TBD

Meeting June 4th, 2023, 6:30pm
Open 2 Sundays in June
Open June 2nd and June 9th - 1:00-3:00pm

July 4, 2024– **“OPEN HOUSE”**
Museum will be displaying “Sheridan History and Parade Photo’s
Museum will be open from 10:00am-2:00pm July 4th, closed during parade
Open July 7th and July 21st – 1:00-3:00pm

Meeting schedule: August 6th, 2024
Program: TBD
Open August 4th and August 18th - 1:00-3:00pm

September: No Meeting
Enjoy the Sandwich Fair
Display of Sandwich Fair items
Open September 15th and September 22nd 1:00-3:00pm

October 8th: 6:30pm Annual Meeting
“Family History Month- Genealogy Help Available upon request/appointment
Bring in your Family History and we will assist
Open October 13th and October 20th 1:00-3:00pm

No Open Meeting
November 11, 2024– Museum will be open during the day in honor of Veteran’s Day.
Bring in your Military Photo or American Legion Photo to be copied and returned.
The Museum will be displaying Military and American Legion items during the month of November.

Museum Building is open limited Sunday’s from 1:00pm – 3:00pm, except holidays April – October.
** Genealogy assistance available only by appointment. **
We will be open some Saturdays by chance or appointment.
All other times by appointment only.

Sheridan Historical Society Museum*185 N. Robinson Street*Sheridan, IL 60551
Visit us on Facebook: Sheridan Historical Society Museum Illinois
**Mask/face coverings are optional to Visit. **
Open by appointment other times



Robert Rowe Public Library

APRIL Events

- Chair Yoga-Tuesdays & Thursdays April 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25 & 30 @10AM
- UFO-Mondays, April 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 @ 10AM
- Movie Monday!-Monday, April 1st @ 3PM
- Jed Davis-State Representative-Wednesday, April 3rd 11-1PM
- Friends of the Library Meeting-Wednesday, April 3rd @ 6:30PM
- Anime-Friday, April 5th @ 3PM **NEW TIME!!**
- Cake & Crime -Wednesday, April 10th @ 12PM
- Gardening Club-Wednesday, April 10th @ 6PM
- Library Board Meeting-Thursday, April 11th @ 6:30PM
- Preschool Playgroup-Thursday, April 4, 11, 18, 25 @ 11AM
- Kids Mini Greenhouse Crafts-Wednesday, April 17th @ 3PM Ages 5-11
- BUNCO-Friday, April 19th @ 1PM
- All Ages Coconut Salt Scrub—Saturday, April 20th @ 11AM
- Crafters Guild-Friday, April 26th @ 3PM Ages 12-18 *New Time*
- R.E.A.L. Readers-Monday, April 22nd @ 12PM
- Rowe Readers-Tuesday, April 23rd @ 7PM
- M.A.S.S.-Wednesday, April 24th @ 1PM

MAY Events

Robert W Rowe Public Library is Celebrating 30 Years throughout the month of May!

- Anime Club-Friday, May 3rd @ 3PM
- Chair Yoga-Tuesdays & Thursdays, May 2, 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28 & 30th @ 10AM
- UFO-Mondays, May 6, 13 & 20th @ 10AM
- Movie Monday-May 6th @ 3:00PM, All Ages
- Preschool Playgroup-Thursdays, May 2 & 9 @ 11AM
- Preschool with Harding School-Thursday, May 16th at 1PM-Different Time
- Preschool Story Hour with LaSalle Agi in the Classroom-Thursday, May 23rd @ 11AM
- Cake & Crime-Wednesday, May 8th @ 12PM
- Gardening Club-Wednesday, May 8th @ 6PM
- Library Board Meeting-Thursday, May 9th @ 6:30PM
- BUNCO-Friday, May 17th @ 1PM
- R.E.A.L. Readers-Monday, May 20th @ 12PM
- Crafters Guild-Friday, May 24th @ 3PM Ages 12-18
- CLOSED-Monday, May 27th
- Rowe Readers-Tuesday, May 28th @ 7PM

****Events & Times are subject to change /
Library is ADA Accessible****





Sheridan Legion Fish Fry Fridays

Always great fish- fried or poached! Served in lower level, north entrance. (1-pc cod or catfish is just \$13.00 and includes fries, salad bar, and homemade hushpuppies)

Carry Outs Available

815-496-2380.

Serving 5:00 to 7:30 PM

\$13.00

Specials in April 2024

5 Apr – Baked Ham, Sweet Potatoes & Applesauce

12 Apr – Chicken Pot Pie

19 Apr – Pork Chop, Red Potatoes & California Blend w/Baked Applesauce

26 Apr – CLOSED for Vacation

Specials in May 2024

3 May – 2 Tacos w/Spanish Rice & Mexican Corn

10 May – Goulash & Corn Bread

17 May – Meat Loaf w/Mac & Cheese

24 May – Baked Chicken Lt or Dk, Stuffing & Corn

31 May – Open Faced Pork Sandwich, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy & Vegetable



LaVerne W. Anderson American Legion Post 0729

300 E Si Johnson Ave

PO Box 206

Sheridan, IL 60551

815-496-2380

We will again sponsor Poppy Day in Sheridan on Saturday 4 May 2024. Funds from this activity will support special projects for the veterans residing in the Illinois Veterans Home in LaSalle, Illinois. Please support this activity. Putting smiles on these residents is worthwhile.

The LaVerne W. Anderson Post 729 in Sheridan, Illinois, will host the Nina LeCuyer Memorial 5K Run. The recipient of profits for this event will be Dan Mason. Dan Mason is a US Air Force veteran who at age 40 had a major stroke and his rehabilitation is on-going. He graduated from Sheridan Grade School and Serena High School, so he has many ties to the area. The 5K run will take place on Memorial Day 27 May 2024. A free community breakfast will be offered at the Sheridan American Legion that morning. The breakfast will run from 8 AM to approximately 9:30 AM. Prizes will be awarded to many groups and genders. There will be a flag ceremony following breakfast where we acknowledge those local veterans who have given all to their country. We are hoping the community will support and participate in this event. Thank you.

Larry Ryg
Commander



SPONSORED BY SHERIDAN COMMUNITY CLUB
& SERENA BASEBALL LEAGUE

ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

SATURDAY MAY 18TH, 2024

EARLVILLE GOLF COURSE EARLVILLE, IL

- REGISTRATION STARTS AT 9AM
TEE OFF AT 10AM
- \$65 PER PERSON IN TEAMS OF 4
MONEY IS DUE AT REGISTRATION
- COST INCLUDES: 1 ROUND OF GOLF,
CART RENTAL, AND LUNCH -
BURGER WITH CHIPS & DRINK
- THERE WILL BE GAMES & RAFFLE
TICKETS TO PURCHASE FOR SOME
GREAT ITEMS
- FOR REGISTRATION CONTACT
DAYLE THIBAUT AT 815.325.7477



The Sheridan Fire District was awarded a \$350,000.00 Interest Free Loan through the OSFM Truck Revolving Loan Program in September. This loan will be for 20 years. The District applied for this loan in 2022. The District has awarded AEC Fire from Springfield Illinois on a new Ferrara Pumper at an approx. cost of \$480,000.00. The Pumper has been ordered. Delivery date of May 2026. The annual payment of \$17,000 for the loan will not start until the truck is delivered. Just a reminder to make sure all of you have changed your batteries in your carbon monoxide detectors and smoke detectors.

A new 5 year contract has been negotiated and signed by the Sheridan and Serena Fire District Board of Trustees in March. The contract starts January 1st, 2025 and ends December 31st, 2029. Serena pays the Sheridan Fire District per call that Sheridan responds to in their district.

The New Ambulance the District ordered is on schedule to be completed in April 2025 instead of February.

Congratulation to Eric Wormley, who was recently appointed as a Trustee for the Sheridan Fire District. Eric has a history in the fire service and will be a good asset to the current board of Debra Augsborg and Paul Brennan. Welcome aboard Eric.

The District has currently been applying for grants from several different agencies. A few of them OSFM Small Equipment grant-\$24,445.00 applied for. FEMA AFG for a new brush/Utility Truck \$300,000.00, LS County ARPA funds for \$31,700.00, NCICG for \$85,000.00. We have not received any of these grants yet. We will be filling out paperwork for additional payroll funds that will be available by the end of March. The Fire District will be receiving \$17,284.53 from the State ARPA to be used for payroll.

With the increase of costs on just about everything from utilities, supplies, payroll, insurance and equipment and vehicles, any funds the Fire District can apply for and receive, is a plus for everyone.

We currently are up to 15 members on the roster at Sheridan. We have had 3 new applicants in the last 2 months. We now have 6 Paramedics, 2 Intermediates and 7 Basics. We have a good crew still being able to cover the 12 hour On Duty shifts during the day and 12 hour shifts being On Call at night.

Just another reminder, PLEASE make sure your house numbers on posted on your house if you live in the Village limits. There are still quite a few that don't have them.

Any one that may be interested in joining the department, please go to sheridanfireprotection.org and fill the questionnaire out or contact Asst. Chief Kyle Cook at 815-496-2296, station non-emergency number.

Please follow the Sheridan Fire Department facebook page or website to keep up with the latest information we have.

SPRING CLEAN UP DAY

Will Be May 10th!!

It's time to clean out the attic and garage! The Village-Wide Clean Up Day has been scheduled for May 10th during the regular scheduled garbage pickup. You may place out for collection unlimited household garbage and large items including furniture.



We will also be offering our quarterly E-Waste pick-up. These items will also be picked up curbside-just keep separate from other items. (E-waste items would be anything with a motor, cord or battery powered.)

THERE WILL BE NO PICKUP FOR CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS

ALL ITEMS MUST BE PLACED BY THE CURBSIDE BY 6:00A.M.

Any questions you may have regarding items that will be accepted for pick-up may be answered by contacting Groot at (630)723-2800 or Sheridan Village Hall at (815)496-2251.

This service is for current Groot customers



Spring Plant Exchange

**Sunday, June 2, 2024
1-3PM**

**Centennial Park
Sheridan, IL**

**Bring a Plant- Take a plant!
Hope to see you there!**





United
Women
in Faith

Sheridan United Women in Faith's April Meeting is Thursday, the 18 at 12:30 with guest speaker a master gardener from Illinois Extension Service giving us information about gardening. All are welcome to join us!



Sheridan United Women in Faith's

annual spring rummage sale will be
Friday, May 3rd, from 8-5 &
Saturday, May 4th, from 8-12
at the Sheridan American Legion
300 E. Si Johnson Avenue.

Our rummage sale is by
"free will donations".

All donations received go for mission work.
If you can use the "rummage" and have no
money, you are our mission.

If you can give us a donation we will use it
for additional mission work.

God is good, always. Always, God is good.

This year our bake sale will continue in the
entryway of the legion until we sell out.

These delicious items will be priced.
Come and get yourself a special treat!

We have some talented "bakers"!

RUMMAGE SALE

BY UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

We will be setting up all day on Thursday, May 2nd.
If you have "rummage" donations to share with us,
please bring them Thursday, May 2nd, to the Sheridan
Legion Hall. Help will be available to unload your items.
We cannot accept computers, printers, or televisions.

If you have time to assist us in setting up on Thursday,
please feel free to come and help us arrange the items.

We have a lot of fun on set up day and enjoy
the fellowship with others.



Thursday, May 16th, Sheridan United Women in Faith meeting

Thursday, June 20th, Sheridan United Women in Faith meeting
will be our annual summer salad luncheon starting at 12 noon.

We welcome guests.

**Sheridan United Women in Faith,
219 S Bushnell Street, Sheridan
raising money for Mendota's crisis pregnancy center**



**CHANGE FOR LIFE
BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN
Mother's Day to Father's Day**

CHANGE FOR LIFE is the Annual Baby Bottle fundraiser for **Abigail Women's Center**, a crises pregnancy center that is a non-profit community service organization established in 1997, in Mendota. At the heart of our United Women in Faith national organization is the concern about women and children's ministries and so, supporting this fund raising campaign is something we can do to help women and children. If you would like to participate in **CHANGE FOR LIFE**, let us know. You can pick up a baby bottle at SUMC, fill it with your pocket change, and return it to SUMC by Father's Day. Abigail Women's Center is grateful for everyone who joins in the fund raiser.
Thank you!



If you prefer to just donate by check, we can deliver it when we return the baby bottles in June. Make your check payable to Abigail Women's Center

**Remember:
Mother's Day to Father's Day
save your change for the
Baby Bottle Campaign!**

**Every life
is precious!**

SHERIDAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

219 S Bushnell Street, Sheridan



Join us worship services Sundays at 9:30 AM
Children's Sunday School 9:30 - 10:30
Come as you are— all are welcome!
Coffee, juice, and snacks following
downstairs in fellowship hall
Join us for additional fellowship!

Sheridan Area Food Pantry

2nd & 4th Tuesdays of each month
Community Food Basket of Ottawa
joins SAFF on the 4th Tuesdays

The Jennings-Lyon Day Home spent some time focused on helping others so the children brought in food items for the community pantry.

Thank you JLDH kids and their families for the great collection of food items!!



Prayer Line, Wednesdays



8:15—8:30 A.M.

by phone conference

Dial: 1-605-313-5774

Enter passcode: 8395871#

Our prayers are powerful!

All are welcome to join us offering up a prayer request or jubilations of praise or simply be online and be inspired by just listening to our prayers and inspirations.

Thank you to all who have been faithfully bringing us plastic bags and ink jets and toners to recycle! You are truly amazing! Your support means so much to us and especially to the environment.

**THANK
YOU!**