



Village of Sheridan
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Sheridan, IL 60551

Village Resident
Sheridan, IL 60551

It takes a lot
of courage
to push through
hard times.

Never give up.

Good things
are coming
your way.

SHERIDAN INFO-LINE

June/July 2020



Village President
Shelly Figgins

Village Trustees
Peggy Arneson

Judy Hinterlong

Jay Waldvogel

Jamie Skalic

Maggie Strothman

Jeff Wilhelm

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**
8:00—4:00 M-F

Visit our website @
www.sheridan-il.us

Dear Sheridan Residents,

On March 21, 2020 at 5:00PM, Illinois Governor Pritzker issued Executive Order 2020-10, A Stay at Home Order, and to be in place through April 7, 2020 due to COVID-19, an infectious disease caused by a virus. On April 23, 2020 Governor Pritzker extended the Stay at Home Order until May 29, 2020. On May 5, 2020 Governor Pritzker introduced, Restore Illinois, a five phased plan to reopen Illinois and then on May 19, 2020 announced that Illinois was “on track” to enter Phase 3 of the five phased plan.

This is wonderful news! This means that on May 29, 2020 our currently closed businesses will be reopening! Finally! Of course, they will be required to follow certain safety guidelines specific to their industry. The Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) has provided those guidelines for each industry which can be found at

www2.illinois.gov/dceo/pages/restoreILP3.aspx

Businesses can also contact DCEO for direct support Monday through Friday at 1-800-252-2923 or email ceo.support@illinois.gov.

While following the guidelines, this will be a challenging time for our business owners and their employees. Let's show them all the support we can! Buy gift cards for loved ones (Father's Day is just around the corner), dine outside on a sunny day, enjoy a cocktail in one of our establishment beer gardens! Everyone in Sheridan benefits from supporting OUR businesses...

Stay safe and a great summer!

Sincerely,

Shelly Figgins,
Village President

GROOT

RECYCLE DATES



JUNE 12, 26

JULY 10, 24

AUGUST 7, 21

SHERIDAN AMERICAN LEGION POST **729**



Rent the
American Legion
for your next gathering by calling
815-496-2380



~Wednesday Night BINGO~

~Friday Night Fish Fry~

Legion Meetings-3rd Tuesday of Every Month

Memorials and Donations are greatly
appreciated!!

**PLEASE CHECK WITH US ON AVAILABILITY OF
CARRY OUT SERVICE**

Village Permits Issued **April/May 2020**

- 300 W Sheridan Ave-shed renewal
 - 330 N Powers St-reroof
- 125 E Third St-patio replacement
 - 615 W Church St-fence
- 630 W Church St-driveway replacement

OTTAWA FOOD BASKET
JUNE 23RD &
JULY 28TH FROM
8:30-9:30AM

**PLEASE REMAIN IN YOUR CAR-WE
WILL BRING ITEMS TO YOU.**

MONTHLY COMMUNITY MEETINGS

**PLEASE CONTACT INDIVIDUAL ENTITIES ON
MEETING SCHEDULES DURING THIS TIME**

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

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

**THE SHERIDAN AREA FOOD PANTRY
BASED OUT OF THE SHERIDAN
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OPEN
ON THE 2ND AND 4TH TUESDAY OF
EVERY MONTH FROM
8:30AM-9:30AM**

**PLEASE CALL FOR UPDATED INFO IF
YOU ARE IN NEED**

**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL
LARRY RYG @ 815-496-9450**



The Village Townwide Garage Sales have been rescheduled for Saturday August 8th, 2020 from 8-4PM.



**If you are interested in having your home added to our map directing people to your sale please contact Cathy @ Village Hall
815-496-2251**

The Garage Sale Ad will be published in The Times, The Shopper and The Record. We are asking that anyone having a sale contribute \$3.00 to help cover advertising costs. Maps will be available before the sale at area businesses.

Current Guidelines are No Groups larger than 10 and 6 foot Social Distancing Guidelines will apply

WE HOPE THINGS KEEP IMPROVING AND WE WON'T HAVE TO RESCHEDULE AGAIN!!!

CLEAN UP DAY WILL BE AUGUST 14TH!!

The Village Wide Clean-Up has been scheduled for Friday August 14th, during regular garbage pick-up schedule. You may place out for collection unlimited household garbage and large items including furniture and appliances.

We will also be offering our quarterly E-Waste pick-up at this time. 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 (815)496-9000 or Sheridan Village Hall at (815)496-2251.

THIS SERVICE IS FOR GROOT CUSTOMERS ONLY!!





Sheridan United Methodist Church

"The Church With The Praying Hands"



Please join us for our Sunday services by logging on to our Facebook page Sundays @ 9:30AM. For our live church services until we are able to have our congregation come together in the church once again. We will keep you posted on our events with the Sheridan United Methodist Church.



Sheridan United Methodist Church

Religious Organization



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Send Message



****WORSHIP BEGINS AT 9:30AM ON SUNDAY MORNINGS****

SHERIDAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

**We will be open by
appointment only if you need assistance. You may also
reach out to us on Facebook.
Everyone stay safe and healthy.**



**Sheridan
Historical Society
Museum Illinois**

History Museum



Liked



Message



Sheridan Village Hall has installed a new drop box outside the office for sewer payments or any correspondence after hours for your convenience. We will empty this each work day. We hope this helps with communications with the village board and staff!



 **ILLINOIS
COUNT ME IN
2020**

**Have you completed your 2020 Census?
A complete count is important to help shape
our future. You can complete the Census by
phone, mail or online.**





Sheridan United Methodist Women

We are missing our monthly 3rd Thursday gatherings!

We are also saddened that our annual June salad potluck open to many friends and other UMWs has to be cancelled this year.

But we are glad that our social distancing and masks are keeping us all safer.



A big thank you to those who have made masks to help keep the essential workers and friends safe by making masks.



**RUMMAGE
SALE**

BY SHERIDAN METHODIST WOMEN

We are cautiously optimistic that we can hold our fall rummage sale on September 24, 25, & 26.

Help us support the Baby Bottle Campaign!

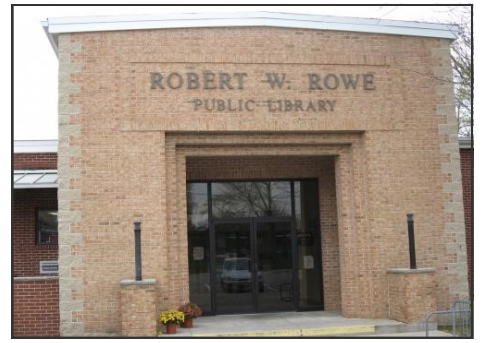
Mother's Day to Father's Day—we usually support the Baby Bottle campaign for Abigail Women's Center but with social distancing dispensing the baby bottles were not possible. Abigail's is a pregnancy resource center that provides for women in crisis pregnancies and assist women in choosing life for their babies. They do pre and post abortion counseling, pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, various types of classes ministering to these women with love and compassion. They also have a Baby Boutique where mothers can shop their last month of pregnancy and come back after delivery to get baby equipment and other supplies.



If you'd like to join us in supporting this great women's resource center in Mendota, send your donation to:
SUMW, PO Box 147, Sheridan, 60551
In the memo put Abigail Women's Clinic. We will send all the donations to Abigail's as part of the Baby Bottle Campaign.

Thank you in advance for your support in this ministry serving women and children!

Robert W. Rowe Public Library



Some information on assistance with your library needs during these times.
We are all in this together and we will come out stronger for it.

Robert Rowe Library will open June 1st with limited service, specific hours, available to Robert Rowe Library patrons.

The hours will be:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 11:00am to 3:00pm
Tuesday and Thursday from 3:00 to 6:00pm
Saturday from 9:00am to 12:00pm

Requests for books can be made:

- from the library catalog by logging into the library website at rwrlibrary.org (Please search Robert Rowe Public Library only)
- by calling the library at 815-496-2031
- by emailing pdsmith@rwrlibrary.org



Requests will be limited to 5 items in the Robert Rowe Library collection per person. When your request is processed you will be called and have 2 days to pick up your order that will be placed in a bag inside the front door of the library.



The Rusty Halo's

Social Distancing Garden Show

Saturday June 13th 12 PM – 5 PM • Sunday June 14th 8AM – 4 PM
3277 E. 18th Rd, Ottawa, IL

Our vendors include:

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| Jim's Woodcrafts & More - Jim Conway | Subline Intent - Kathy Kimes |
| Rose berry Farm Primitives - Jim & Heidi Green | Telling a Story with a Paintbrush - Laurie Ragan |
| Mary's Vintage Finds - Mary Angell | Laurilea's Unique Junk Boutique |
| Rock n Road Relics - Brian & Brittany Ralph | - Mary's Handmades - Mary Clair |
| Rays Sports Collectibles | Stan's Ornamental Iron - Stan Thorson |
| | Friends of the Robert Rowe Library |

Call 815-228-8828 or visit us on facebook/rustyhalo

The Rusty Halo is a unique shopping experience owned by Diana Krug. Stroll and shop through our little town and visit our new little shops.

Jennings-Lyon, a learning center

An outreach ministry of Sheridan United Methodist Church

435 N. Robinson, Sheridan ~ Facebook: Jennings-Lyon Day Home

With Gov. Pritzker's May 22 announcement, we are optimistic JLDH will be ready to open June 3. We must submit plans for meeting Restore Illinois Phase 3 and have them approved by our licensing agent. As soon as we are given permission to officially re-open, it will be posted on our Facebook page. Stay tuned! Staff is excited about seeing the JLDH kids soon!



Register now for Fall Preschool

**Monday - Fridays
8:15—11:00 A.M.**

**You pick: 1 day a week
or up to 5 days a week**

Ages: 2 - 5 years

**Jennings-Lyon Board
Meeting Tuesday,
June 9 at 6 PM**

**Register now for
Preschool with
extended hours, or
Summer Fun Days
Ages 2 - 12 years**

Phone: 815 496 2782 During our temporary closing days, please leave a message. Someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

For a faster response email us at JLDHkids@yahoo.com

Or message us on Facebook: Jennings-Lyon Day Home



**Look what's
been happening
at JLDH!**



**JLDH
(normally)
open:
Mon — Fri
6 am — 6 pm**

Hello All,

Just an FYI on a few things that have been going on at the Parks in Sheridan. In a proactive response to the recent COVID-19 Pandemic, and the soon to be opening of the State of Illinois to Phase 3, there have been 5 hand sanitizer stations put in Centennial Park. 2 are located at the steps of the Gazebo, 1 at the entrance to the Pavilion and 2 at each side of the playground. Also a hand sanitizer station has been placed at the entrance to the Veterans Memorial. Hand sanitizer liquid is in each of the 6 dispensers. There are also current CDC posters emphasizing the recommendations for hand washing, 6 foot distancing and wearing of masks in areas where 6 foot social distancing can not be maintained.

We also have a disinfectant spray for the playground surfaces to assure cleanliness and safety. It is of importance to get the park in the best shape for visitors during the soon to be summer months. As the State eases restrictions on movement and distancing, we will assess and adjust accordingly.

Also, the Community Club Train will be stained and new mulch has been added to the playground. A BIG Thank You to the Maintenance Crew, James and Tom. They each were instrumental to getting things done in the Parks. I want to wish all a safe a healthy summer. These are difficult and challenging times for all and your help and patience getting through this is of great appreciation.

Jay Waldvogel, Village Board, Parks Committee Chairman



Friendly reminders from Village Streets and Sewer Committee:

“FLUSHABLE” WIPES ARE NOT SO FLUSHABLE....



Did you know that baby wipes may specify they are flushable, but they should not be put in our wastewater system? This also includes adult wipes, cleaning wipes (Clorox, Lysol), medical wipes, etc.

In fact, the only paper product that should be “flushed” is toilet paper. It is the only paper designed to break down as it travels through the wastewater treatment process.



Chapter 11 of The Village of Sheridan Municipal Code

It is unlawful for anyone to permit any weeds or grass to grow to a height exceeding eight inches anywhere in the Village: any such weeds or grass exceeding such height are hereby declared to be a nuisance.



During the grass mowing/leaf raking season, please take special care to not allow grass clippings or leaves to be blown/raked onto our village streets. This creates a hazard to all vehicles, especially motorcycles which can lose traction on grass and leaves very easily.

This is also a violation of Chapter 415 ILCS 105 Litter Control Act which prohibits the depositing of all litter, including lawn waste upon any public or private property.

Lets all enjoy a safe summer!



Due to increased complaints of health concerns and difficulty breathing, the Village Board has directed the Board of Health to meet regarding leaf/grass burning in town. Their recommendation is to ban all leaf/grass burning within the village with alternate options for removal to mulch them, compost them or our current garbage hauler takes 2 bags per week with the regular garbage service. Additional stickers can be purchased through Village Hall for \$1.00 each for bag removal. This was presented to the Village Board at the May 11th meeting. The Village of Sheridan Board of Trustees is in discussion on whether or not to BAN all LEAF and GRASS burning within the Village of Sheridan. Twigs and wood burning would still be permitted if the ban went into effect. Mayor Figgins will be revisiting this issue at our next Village Board meeting in June. We ask for any resident comments or concerns to address at that meeting to which the board will vote on this issue. There is a drop box currently outside the Village Hall to place any input by residents.

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BAN BURNING

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ALLOW LEAF BURNING

Additional Comments: _____

PLEASE RETURN TO VILLAGE HALL BY JUNE 8, 2020. THANK YOU!