

WMEU-CA Channel 48 Programming

For the Quarter: October 01 – December 31, 2008

REGULAR SHOWS

Monday – Friday

“Shepherd’s Chapel”, 5 – 6AM, 6 – 7AM

“Green Screen Adventures”, 7:30 – 8AM (children’s show that is explained in the FCC #398)

“Saved By The Bell”, 9 – 9:30AM (children’s show that is explained in the FCC #398)

“Shepherd’s Chapel”, Monday – Thursday & Sunday, 3 – 4AM, 4 – 5AM

NOW.CHICAGO is a public affairs television program designed to address, discuss and disseminate information about concerns and issues that are relevant to Chicago and its communities with a distinct focus on highlighting the unique history and character of Chicago's historic neighborhoods. NOW.Chicago runs: **Friday’s**, 8:30 – 9AM; **Saturday’s**, 7:30 – 8AM; and, **Sunday’s**, 6:30 – 7AM.

10/03, 10/04 and 10/05

“Humboldt Park” - Chicago community area Humboldt Park faces gentrification initiatives while residents work towards preserving cultural significance. Jose Lopez of the Puerto Rican Cultural Center, Eluid Medina of the Near Northwest Neighborhood Network and Youth Action Team Coordinator, Michael Reyes talk with host George Blaise about what they are doing to uphold the historical roots of their neighborhood.

10/10, 10/11 and 10/12

“Englewood” - Poised as the one of the leading neighborhoods for lead poisoning among residents, Englewood is struggling to secure proper funding to restore the livelihood of this south side neighborhood. Jean Carter-Hill of “Imagine Englewood If...” and Tajudeena Jones of “Totally Positive Productions” talk with host George Blaise about their efforts to engage the youth of the community in hopes of deterring violence and idleness in the neighborhood.

10/17, 10/18 and 10/19

“Wicker Park” - As one of the leading art communities of Chicago, Wicker Park is undergoing retention efforts to maintain its artistic image. Elaine Coorens of the Wicker Park Committee, Laura Weathered of the Near Northwest Council and Allison Stites talk about the neighborhood’s history, current status and future.

10/24, 10/25 and 10/26

“Pilsen” - Known as one of Chicago’s largest Hispanic populations Pilsen residents have a variety of topics to discuss in this episode of Now.Chicago. Alejandro Morales of the Resurrection Project talks about the rich history of the neighborhood. Jack Ailey of the Pilsen Environmental Rights and Reform Organization talks about pollution issues that residents endure. Cesareo Moreno gives us a glimpse into the National Museum of Mexican Art.

10/31, 11/01 and 11/02

“Pullman” - Pullman, the world’s firsts planned industrial town. Host George Blaise talks with Michael Shymanski of the Historic Pullman Foundation about the town’s history. Mike McGraw, owner of DigIt Pullman talks about his experience as a Pullman car porter and resident.

11-7, 11-8, and 11-9

“Beverly” - Guest Matt Walsh of the Beverly Area Planning Association talks with host George Blaise about Beverly, one of Chicago’s most integrated neighborhoods. Also, Judith Blackburn, Mike Nix and Laura Kleinhenz of the Beverly Arts Center talks about the eclectic nature of their venue.

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NOW.CHICAGO (continued)

11-14, 11-15, 11-16

“Hyde Park” - Ruth Knack of the Hyde Park Historical society gives us a history lesson on Hyde Park, one of Chicago’s most diverse and thriving neighborhoods. Executive Director of the Hyde Park Art Center, Chuck Thurow, talks about how art relates to the community. Also, featured in episode are the Hyde Park Neighborhood Club, the Renaissance Society, WHPK Radio, and the Museum of Science and Industry.

11-21, 11-22, 11-23

(Pullman is a rerun of the show that aired 10-31, 11-01, 11-02.)

11-28, 11-29, 11-30

(Humboldt Park is a rerun of the show that aired 10-03, 10-04, 10-05.)

12-5, 12-6, 12-7

(Uptown is a rerun of the show that aired 9-26, 9-27, 9-28)

12-12, 12-13, 12-14

Rita McGovern, Executive Director of the Edison Park Chamber of Commerce talks about the business community of the Edison Park neighborhood. Melissa Panizzi, President of the Edison Park Community Council talks in depth about community zoning efforts. The owner of the Mecca Super Club, a restaurant in Edison Park tell us why the Mecca is a great place to eat and why the neighborhood is a great place to be. Finally, Super-Senior citizen, Jim Delmedico, talks about the philanthropy work he does around the community.

12-19, 12-20, 12-21

Stan Lihosit, President of the Archer Heights Civic Association talks about the history of the community and changes that have taken place in Archer Heights over many years. Bob Dolgan, of the Greater Chicago Food Depository talks in depth about the hunger fighting efforts made everyday by the GCFD located in the Archer Heights neighborhood.

12-26, 12-27, 12-28

(Hyde Park is a rerun of the show that aired 11-14, 11-15, 11-16)

ALSO, on Saturday:

“Saved by the Bell”, 7:30 – 8PM (children’s show, which is explained on FCC #398)

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR, 30 second public service announcements for upcoming events in Chicago and the suburbs.

CRIME, THE LAW & LAW ENFORCEMENT

BUSINESS & EMPLOYMENT

10/01, 10:13AM, 11:13AM, 2:20PM, 4:15PM, 11:28PM, 11:31PM; 10/02, 11:28PM; 10/03, 9:43AM, 12:01PM, 2:49PM, 11:32PM; 10/04, 4:23PM, 3:23AM;

Bring your resumes and dress sharp because “Jobs For Youth” will be holding its’ “Holiday Job Fair” for seasonal work and other positions on October 8th, 11AM – 2PM. So come and make a great impression!

10/27, 11:50AM, 6:37PM, 11:27PM, 2:32AM; 10/28, 10:01AM, 1:27PM, 11:19PM; 10/29, 9:13PM; 10/30, 12:20PM;

Job Seekers, check out the Douglas Center’s Work Program. They’re located at 3445 W. Howard Avenue in Skokie, and their phone number is 847-674-1921. This year give yourself one leg up in training for contractual work within the Chicagoland area.

11/04, 12:15AM; 11/05, 3:04PM, 1:27AM; 11/06, 4:58PM, 12:57AM; 11/07, 12:48AM; 11/08, 12:13AM; 11/09, 10:14PM;

The “Illinois Diversity Job Expo” will be held on November 12th, 11AM – 3PM at Navy Pier and it’s FREE! Come in business attire and apply for entry- to senior-level positions.

11/17, 1:27PM, 11:31PM, 2:58AM; 11/18, 11:15AM, 2:14PM, 9:31PM; 11/19, 10:41AM, 4:47PM, 11:58PM; 11/20, 3:46PM, 9:33PM, 11:42PM; 11/21, 10:41AM, 2:04PM, 4:01PM, 3:45AM; 11/22, 4:12AM, 11:34AM, 6:34PM, 8:56PM; 11/23, 1:58AM;

Women are you tired of the dead-end jobs? Take part in free pre-apprenticeship training and prepare yourself for opportunities in high paying skilled careers in construction. Call Chicago Women in Trades at 312-942-1444.

11/24, 1:17PM, 4:19PM, 11:57PM; 11/25, 1:17PM, 5:01PM, 10:04PM; 11/27, 12:57PM, 6:12PM, 11:56PM, 12:48AM; 11/28, 1:15PM, 4:42PM, 11:32PM, 2:31AM; 11/29, 1:19AM; 11/30, 10:35PM;

Whether your company employs two people or 102, IEN (Illinois Entrepreneurial Network) can help you connect to experts, networks, tools and other opportunities that can transform your business into an appealing investment. Call 1-800-785-6055 to get more information.

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BUSINESS & EMPLOYMENT, continued

12/8 – 1:44AM, 2:47AM; 12/9 – 1:04PM, 5:01PM; 12/10 – 10:50AM, 4:47PM; 12/14 – 2:46AM

Whether your company employs two people or 102, I.E.N. can help you connect to experts, networks, and tools that can transform your business into an appealing investment.

12/29 – 1:58AM, 2:41AM; 12/30 – 12:33AM, 3:20PM, 6:24PM, 8:45PM, 9:01PM, 2:28AM; 12/31 – 12:09PM, 6:38PM, 7:21PM

You can dress for success. Bottomless Closet helps women in need with work wardrobes. Start with two interview geared outfits and go from there.

GOVERNMENT & LEADERSHIP

10/01, 10:49AM, 12:27PM, 3:46PM, 6:25PM, 12:16AM; 10/02, 12:13AM; 10/03, 11:13AM, 1:25PM, 6:22PM, 12:35AM; 10/04, 4:29AM, 5:13PM;

Everyone deserves a little treat now and then... and candy heaven is right around the corner with 24 dessert destinations at the "Third Annual Andersonville Dessert Crawl". On October 12th beginning at 1PM indulge and all the proceeds go to Andersonville's Development Corporation (nonprofit community development organization) that keeps this Swedish neighborhood a model of: physical excellence & character, social & cultural diversity, environmentally responsible, and has economic sustainability.

10/06, 10:31AM, 3:25PM, 11:32PM; 10/07, 11:31AM, 1:33PM, 3:58PM, 10:12PM; 10/08, 9:56AM, 10:57AM, 2:23PM, 6:26PM, 11:57PM; 10/09, 10:14AM, 11:50AM, 1:32PM, 3:45PM, 11:15PM; 10/10, 11:07AM, 2:11PM, 6:08PM, 10:17PM, 11:19PM; 10/11, 8:33PM, 11:40PM; 10/12, 6:43PM;

The "Lights for Learning" Program is a great way to raise money for your school, learn about energy conservation, and help people save 75% less energy! It's a bright idea so give them a call at 312-814-7179!

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Just in case you forgot about the many services of "311"... abandoned cars, under piling fallen leaves, can be reported to the City of Chicago.

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Have you ever thought about what it takes to be the next President? "VOTE4ME" puts you in the shoes of a fast-paced campaign, working your way from a presidential hopeful to Commander in Chief.

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GOVERNMENT & LEADERSHIP, continued

If you missed the deadline to register to vote, the Chicago Board of Elections wants to give you one last chance. If you follow a couple of easy steps you can still cast your Ballot. You need to:

- Bring two valid forms of ID with you; and,
- Go cast your vote at the Election Board Headquarters, located at 69 W. Washington Street, Suite 600.

Please keep in mind that if you still would like to vote, you can only vote at the headquarters, and no where else. The voting "grace period" is now through Tuesday, October 21st. Take some time out of your day and go vote.

10/27, 11:50AM, 6:37PM, 11:27PM, 2:32AM; 10/28, 10:01AM, 1:27PM, 11:19PM; 10/29, 9:13PM; 10/30, 12:20PM;

When you cast your ballot this November, don't forget about the Judges. Go online at www.VoteForJudges.org and learn how Judges make tons of decisions that affect you.

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"The Competitive Communities Initiative" wants to help your community grow. Let them help you building yours, set goals and priorities and take some action. Call them at 1-800-785-6055 or get them online at: www.IllinoisBiz/biz.

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To honor Veterans' Day on November 11th, beginning at 11AM, the Harold Washington Library Center is hosting "Winds and Words of War Exhibit" commemorating the brave men and women who have served our country with their lives, courage and strength.

11/04, 12:15AM; 11/05, 3:04PM, 1:27AM; 11/06, 4:58PM, 12:57AM; 11/07, 12:48AM; 11/08, 12:13AM; 11/09, 10:14PM;

The Mayor's Office For People With Disabilities is assisting with home modifications for more accessible living environments. Call 312-744-7050 to find out where you can pick up an application. The application deadline is December 15th.

11/10, 2:10AM; 11/11, 9:44AM, 4:12PM, 10:14PM, 11:43PM, 1:27AM; 11/12, 9:44AM, 10:13PM, 2:13AM; 11/13, 10:27AM, 12:43PM, 9:47PM, 11:46PM, 2:42AM; 11/14, 10:57AM, 2:39PM, 6:10PM, 12:49AM; 11/15, 8:43AM, 11:58PM, 12:41AM; 11/16, 8:43AM;

Join the only advocacy organization in the City that concentrates on local recycling and waste issues and that the Chicago Recycling Coalition. You can help move Chicago from the "City That Wastes" to the "City That Conserves".

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The Center for Economic Progress needs volunteers to prepare taxes for low-income families. Free training is available so experience is not required.

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LOCAL SERVICES, RELIGION, UTILITIES

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Grab a healthy snack from this year's "Last Outdoors Market! October 29th is almost here so make like an ear of corn and shuck on over to a market near you.

10/13, 10:51AM, 1:26PM, 12:28AM; 10/14, 11:31AM, 1:48PM, 9:20PM, 12:48AM; 10/15, 11:40AM, 1:27PM, 9:01PM, 11:28PM; 10/16, 1:57PM, 4:33PM, 11:45PM, 2:58AM; 10/17, 10:27AM, 4:58PM, 2:41AM; 10/18, 11:04PM; 10/19, 7:57PM;

Did you know stuff like food; personal care items, gift cards and school supplies can help someone in a big way? Make a difference in someone's life by donating to the Irving Park Food Pantry.

10/13, 12:52PM, 3:47PM, 9:02PM, 1:58AM; 10/14, 12:51PM, 4:34PM, 2:10AM; 10/15, 12:01PM, 3:13PM, 10:04PM; 10/16, 10:31AM, 1:13PM, 6:12PM; 10/17, 11:08AM, 1:33PM, 6:58PM, 11:46PM, 3:49AM; 10/18, 1:05AM; 10/19, 10:15PM;

"REST Shelter & Social Services" is in need of volunteers, so help out in the office, or in the shelter, or be a meal provider, or simply lend an ear. Please call 773-784-0909 to find out when the next Orientation Meeting will be held and then GO VOLUNTEER!

10/20, 2:26AM; 10/21, 1:58AM; 10/23, 11:40AM, 10:16PM; 10/24, 4:20AM, 12:15PM, 2:48PM, 5:31PM, 11:44PM; 10/25, 4:29AM; 10/26, 12:26AM;

The Fire Museum of greater Chicago moved and they need your help! Can you lend some time and expert knowledge in building repair? Go ahead, call 773-276-2679 and be a pal!

10/27, 9:57AM, 12:25PM, 4:57PM, 10:58PM, 1:19AM; 10/28, 8:59AM, 12:27PM, 3:58PM, 10:28PM, 1:57AM; 10/29, 2:58PM, 2:40AM; 10:30, 10:01AM, 11:56PM;

Cats & especially kittens can be difficult, but don't get annoyed as The Tree House Animal Foundation's got your back. Behavior Counselors want to help you with any issue or question and the service is free so give them a call at 773-784-5488, ext. 300.

11/04, 12:15AM; 11/05, 3:04PM, 1:27AM; 11/06, 4:58PM, 12:57AM; 11/07, 12:48AM; 11/08, 12:13AM; 11/09, 10:14PM;

Winter is on its way and "Frosty's Closet" is offering free children's winter wear to families in need. On November 15th, 4 – 7PM come in and find warm hats, coats, gloves and boots... Frosty's Closet has it all.

11/11, 1:58PM, 6:23PM, 10:58PM, 2:27AM; 11/12, 12:56PM, 9:20PM, 11:17PM, 2:42AM; 11/13, 10:38AM, 10:27PM; 11/14, 12:53PM, 3:31PM, 1:26AM; 11/15, 9:44AM, 6:32PM; 11/16, 11:55AM, 5:29PM, 11:24PM;

Volunteer at the best Hostel in the USA. Join "H.I."- Chicago in getting to know travelers from around the country and the world. Call 312-360-0300 to find out more.

12/1 – 11:31AM, 11:15PM, 4:01PM, 10:34PM, 11:32PM, 12:27PM; 12/2 – 9:21AM, 10:13AM, 11:17AM, 1:47PM, 2:57PM, 4:39PM, 6:16PM, 11:16PM, 12:57AM, 2:16AM; 12/3 – 10:27AM, 12:33PM, 2:01PM, 3:30PM, 6:09PM, 9:57PM, 11:44PM, 12:27AM, 1:18AM; 12/4 – 9:57AM, 10:14AM, 10:49AM, 1:14PM, 2:43PM, 5:42PM, 6:48PM, 9:45PM, 11:57PM, 2:28AM; 12/5 – 9:58AM, 10:16AM, 10:47AM, 11:17AM, 1:57PM, 2:44PM, 4:13PM, 6:32PM, 10:58PM, 12:43AM, 1:26AM

From October thru December, the Chicago Dept. of Public Health will be sponsoring influenza immunization clinics for those Chicago residents who would like to receive a flu shot.

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Homebound elderly program volunteers are needed to help deliver gifts to low income seniors from November 16th thru December 20th. Everyone is welcome to join.

12/8 – 1:44AM, 2:47AM; 12/9 – 1:04PM, 5:01PM; 12/10 – 10:50AM, 4:47PM; 12/14 – 2:46AM

Join the only advocacy organization in the city that concentrates on local recycling. You can help move Chicago from the “City that Wastes” to the “City that Conserves”.

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Now’s your chance to tell us about an upcoming community event! For consideration, please email us details, location, date, time, and contact information, to communitycalendars@wciu.com.

12/15 – 9:28AM, 11:23AM, 2:41PM, 9:54PM; 12/16 – 12:33PM, 4:57PM; 12/17 – 10:31AM, 11:24AM, 10:11PM; 12/18 – 11:18AM, 11:50AM, 1:33PM, 3:57PM, 4:34PM; 12/19 – 8:56AM

Here is your chance to tell us about an upcoming community event! Please call (312) 660-8381 and tell us your event in details, date, time, location and contact information.

12/25 – 11:42AM, 1:45PM, 4:58PM, 9:43PM, 2:42AM

Your vehicle’s title and registration information is at your fingertips with Cyber Driver Illinois. Go online to www.cyberdriveillinois.com.

Environmental questions can be answered with the EPA’s Quick Answer Directory. Find everything from help lines to emissions test locations. Go online or call for your copy.

12/29 – 1:58AM, 2:41AM; 12/30 – 12:33AM, 3:20PM, 6:24PM, 8:45PM, 9:01PM, 2:28AM; 12/31 – 12:09PM, 6:38PM, 7:21PM

The Glen Ellyn Wheaton Chorale is auditioning male voices on January 6th. Rehearsals are every Tuesday evening. Call for an audition time.

Send an event or opportunity our way. Email us – details, location, date, time and contact information to communitycalendars@wciu.com.

EDUCATION

11/04, 11:07PM; 11/05, 12:47PM, 10:28PM, 12:34AM; 11/06, 12:44PM, 12:15AM, 2:11AM; 11/07, 12:11AM; 11/08, 10:23PM; 11/09, 7:04PM;

Here’s a fall educational field trip that can’t be beat. “Adventures in Creative Writing” is a free workshop designed with the student’s literacy and writing goals in mind. This workshop is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Open Books Office, 10AM until Noon.

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EDUCATION continued

Cabrini Connections is a tutoring, mentoring, and enrichment program for students and it depends on the generosity of people like you!

Morton College has a free literacy program offering one-to-one and small group tutoring. Dial (708) 656-8000 x383. Reading and language skills are a call away.

HOUSING & THE HOMELESS

HEALTH, THE ELDERLY & POVERTY

10/01, 10:49AM, 12:27PM, 3:46PM, 6:25PM, 12:16AM; 10/02, 12:13AM; 10/03, 11:13AM, 1:25PM, 6:22PM, 12:35AM; 10/04, 4:29AM, 5:13PM;

On October 11th, from 10AM until 2PM, join the Access Community Health Network for a free Women's Health Festival and Benefit. You'll be able to get all types of exams, workshops, referrals for free mammograms, and more. Call 773-257-5901 for more information.

10/13, 10:51AM, 1:26PM, 12:28AM; 10/14, 11:31AM, 1:48PM, 9:20PM, 12:48AM; 10/15, 11:40AM, 1:27PM, 9:01PM, 11:28PM; 10/16, 1:57PM, 4:33PM, 11:45PM, 2:58AM; 10/17, 10:27AM, 4:58PM, 2:41AM; 10/18, 11:04PM; 10/19, 7:57PM;

The Illinois Breast & Cervical Cancer Program offers free Mammograms, exams and tests for uninsured women over the age of 35. Remember, routine checkups are the key to good health. For more information call 1-888-522-1282.

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This fall put your family first and get them immunized. From Englewood to Uptown, the Chicago department of Health offers free Immunization Clinics. Call 312-747-9884 or go online at www.CityofChicago.org for a Clinic near you.

10/20, 2:26AM; 10/21, 1:58AM; 10/23, 11:40AM, 10:16PM; 10/24, 4:20AM, 12:15PM, 2:48PM, 5:31PM, 11:44PM; 10/25, 4:29AM; 10/26, 12:26AM;

Chicago's Senior Centers have a variety of social, educational and recreational activities just for you. Call 312-744-4016 to learn more.

10/27, 9:57AM, 12:25PM, 4:57PM, 10:58PM, 1:19AM; 10/28, 8:59AM, 12:27PM, 3:58PM, 10:28PM, 1:57AM; 10/29, 2:58PM, 2:40AM; 10/30, 10:01AM, 11:56PM;

The College of DuPage's Health Services Department is sponsoring a Blood Drive on Wednesday, November 5th at the College's Glenn Ellyn campus.

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HEALTH, THE ELDERLY & POVERTY, continued

10/27, 11:50AM, 6:37PM, 11:27PM, 2:32AM; 10/28, 10:01AM, 1:27PM, 11:19PM; 10/29, 9:13PM; 10/30, 12:20PM;

Cold weather means it's time to think about your health. On November 7th, 10AM – 2PM the Winfield Moody Health Center is having a Health Fair. Get a free health screening and learn about diabetes. Call 312-337-1073 for more information.

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The Gift of Hope (Organ and Tissue Donor Network) has coordinated donations that have saved many lives. If you know someone in need, let them know that there is support at 1-888-307-DON8.

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Mental health is a vital component of our overall health and well-being. Help is available through the warm line – a new opportunity in Illinois for persons with mental health challenges and their families to receive support by phone.

12/25 – 11:42AM, 1:45PM, 4:58PM, 9:43PM, 2:42AM

Start the New Year right. Freedom from Smoking offers a step-by-step plan to quit smoking for life. To find a clinic near you call the Illinois Tobacco Quit-Line.

12/29 – 1:58AM, 2:41AM; 12/30 – 12:33AM, 3:20PM, 6:24PM, 8:45PM, 9:01PM, 2:28AM; 12/31 – 12:09PM, 6:38PM, 7:21PM

It's time to shed the holiday pounds. Park Ridge's Nutritionist will help you discover the secret of weight control through mindful eating. And it's free!

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"Heating Up" is an artistic concern for environmental challenges and it's also recognition that the source of the problem is also the solution. "Heating Up" will be at the Evanston Art Center October 5th through November 9th. The Opening Reception will be October 5th from 1 – 4PM.

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On October 18th, 10AM – 2PM The Chicago Photography Center is offering a free workshop and photo shoot in the Lurie Garden. Everyone 15 and older are welcome. Pre-registration is required so call 312-742-5519.

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On October 25th, 11AM – 1PM, take a walk in the fall leaves at the Hyde Park Mural Walk. Have a fun weekend sharing in the riches of the Hyde Park residents' artistic heritage.

10/20, 2:26AM; 10/21, 1:58AM; 10/23, 11:40AM, 10:16PM; 10/24, 4:20AM, 12:15PM, 2:48PM, 5:31PM, 11:44PM; 10/25, 4:29AM; 10/26, 12:26AM;

Happy Halloween Chicago! Enjoy this year's costume contest (5:30PM) and parade on Halloween starting at 7PM, Belmont & Halsted Streets, and you can even bring the family pet. Proceeds go to a new community park so feel good and have fun!

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A special Halloween night awaits you with the classic Lon Chaney silent film, Phantom of the Opera", accompanied by a live piano score. The movie starts at 8:30PM in the Wilmette Theater. Call 847-251-7424 for ticket price.

Andrew High School is having its annual Fall Craft Show November 1st & 2nd, 9AM – 4PM both days. Over 250 crafters are working to benefit the Andrew High School Music Program. You can too.

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Deck the halls with holiday singers November 14th through January 4th! The sparkle of more than fifty Christmas Trees are at this year's "Christmas Around The World" and "Holiday of Lights".

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Fight hunger with the Woodridge Community Pantry. Serve as a volunteer or you can always make a food or financial donation.

The American Parkinson's Disease Association needs your expertise, skills, and commitment, choose from a wide range of volunteerships that suit you.

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Holiday music brings warm, Yuletide cheer so what could be more perfect than a taste of Vivaldi's magnificent "Mag-ni-fi-cot? Come find out this Sunday, November 23rd at 4PM. Call 708-383-4742.

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The Chicago Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony is in its' 95th year and will be held November 28th in Daley Plaza starting at 4:30PM. Featured will be the Chicago Children's Choir, Santa Claus, and of course, a 90' tall Christmas Tree. Don't miss it!

The stage play, "A Few Good Men" by Aaron Sorkin will be performed November 21st – 30th by The Hidden Talent Theatre Company at Cutting Hall in Palatine. For ticket information, call the Cutting Hall at 847-202-5222.

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Chicago Winters are the best when you're skating on ice. Check out the Chicago Park District online to find a rink location near you, or call 312-742-PLAY.

11/24 - 1:17PM, 4:19PM, 11:57PM; 11/25 - 1:17PM, 5:01PM, 10:04PM; 11/27 - 12:57PM, 6:12PM, 11:56PM, 12:48AM; 11/28 - 1:15PM, 4:42PM, 11:32PM, 2:31AM; 11/29 - 1:19AM; 11/30 - 10:35PM;

On December 6th, 11AM – 3PM, get inspired by snowy scenes from the Art Institute's collection and decorate your own festive greeting. Learn to create a pop-up card. This is a drop-in program, so drop on in!

From the 16th century carols to contemporary Christmas songs, this year's concert is in light of bringing a bit of jolly old England – figgy pudding and all to the suburbs of Chicago. This is hosted by the Glen Ellyn-Wheaton Chorale and will be held on December 5th at 8PM; and, December 6th at 3PM.

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Holiday cookie decorating and hot cocoa are waiting for you at the Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum. Come to decorate and plan to enjoy delicious holiday treats. Call 773-755-5100 for more information.

The 63rd Street Holiday Parade is a grand time to be had so don't miss it on December 6th 1:30 – 3:30PM. And, if you'd like to participate they're always looking for new floats and entries, so call 773-436-1000 for more information.

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Prevent Blindness America would like to remind everyone that December is safe toys and gifts month. Before the gift wrapping, check out preventblindness.org.

You can find unique items for your holiday sweetie at the “Made in Rogers Park” holiday arts & craft bazaar. Support local crafters and get a once in a life-time gift or two.

The Christ-Kindle-Market is loved by all and has become a Chicago institution. Stop by and enjoy German food, drinks, diverse holiday entertainment and a place to enjoy the city during the winter season.

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Mayor Daley’s holiday sports fest is here to thrill your family with fitness classes, interactive zones, and even a chance to see the Harlem, Globetrotters! Don’t miss out.

12/25 – 11:42AM, 1:45PM, 4:58PM, 9:43PM, 2:42AM

The kids can ring in the New Year with a toast of sparkling juice, food and entertainment at the Chicago Gaelic Park’s Family New Year’s Eve Party!

The Field Museum is retiring the painted birds, pottery and natural disaster exhibits as of January 4th and the 11th. It’s your last chance so mark your calendars.

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YOUTH, FAMILY RELATIONS & RELATIONSHIPS

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Reach out to children in our community. Become a surrogate big sibling! This is a great way to positively impact our kids this Fall! Call Horizons for Youth at 312-627-9031 for more information.

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Go “wild” at the 24th Annual Fall Gala with a Safari Theme to benefit “Kids Fight Cancer” on October 18th at the Stephens Convention Center in Rosemont.

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BOO!!!! It's time again for little ghosts and goblins to head down to the “Franken Plaza” for pumpkin decorating, spooky storytelling, scary movie nights and performances to thrill! Go to their website to check on days and times as they vary: www.CityOfChicago.org

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Mentors encourage better grades, increased self-confidence and personal skills among youth. Contact the East Village Youth Program at 312-275-0440 and give a young person a fighting chance.

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Adult professionals are needed to mentor youth who attend the North Lawndale and Austin YMCA. If you can make a one-year commitment to a child in need, then reach out and let the YMCA know at 312-932-1200.

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“Bookmania” – The Annual celebration of books is here!!! Bring the family, from now until December 15th to the Harold Washington Library Center so they can meet authors, illustrators, storybook characters and enjoy performers, dance, magic, music and of course lots and lots of books. Call 312-747-4050 for more information.

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Muppets, music and magic is a celebration to the legendary Jim Henson now through December 4th at the Gene Siskel Film Center. Marvel at the scope of Henson's work and indulge in those happy Muppet show days.

Lawrence Hall Youth Services has “at-risk” youth in their best interest. Join them in helping youth find the self-worth, knowledge and skills needed to lead independent and productive lives.

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This holiday season give the gift of time. Become a SOS volunteer and play a vital role in the development of SOS children. For more information call the office at 312-372-8200.

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12/25 – 11:42AM, 1:45PM, 4:58PM, 9:43PM, 2:42AM

Families for Hands and Voices help with deaf and hard-of-hearing children without a bias towards communication modes or methods. Call or go online for advocacy and resources.

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Childserv helps adults who are raising their grandchildren through the Grand Family Homes Project. Call and speak with a grandparent advocate.

RACE & CULTURAL DIVERSITIES/RELATIONS

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On October 11th starting at 8AM in Lincoln Park, Grove #13 there will be a Run For Congo Women. Running for the Congolese women gives the survivors of war, rights awareness, direct aid, job skills, training and emotional support so they too can overcome.