



HAMPTON VIEW

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A MESSAGE FROM THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT

Halloween greetings citizens. Hopefully we will get a nice Fall season this year. Trick or treat will be on Halloween from 5 p.m.—8p.m. Work on the monument restoration has started and should be done this month. Hampton School will be hosting their annual Fall festival on October 13. The Village has been awarded a sum of money to install a digital sign along Route 84 thanks to the help of our state Representative, Greg Johnson. This is just the start of the process, so it will be some time before it's up and running, but it will be a great thing for the Village. We are hosting our second annual Veterans Day lunch on November 10, so if you are not on the list from last year please call and get signed up. Enjoy the Halloween season, certainly one of the best nights of the year to be in Hampton.

Christopher Bornhoeft
Village President
Hampton, IL

HAMPTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

The Hampton Historical Society annual meeting will be held on Saturday, October 14th at 10:00 a.m. at the Hampton Methodist Church. A light brunch will be served, including egg casserole, French toast casserole, rolls, donuts and fruit. The public is invited to attend *with an RSVP*. Living Lands and Waters' Bison Bridge Project will offer a presentation with information on this unique idea for the use of the I-80 bridge after the new bridge is constructed. To reserve your seat at the annual meeting, please call or text (309) 278-2094 and leave a voicemail if there is no answer.

HAMPTON VETERAN'S DAY LUNCHEON

The second annual Hampton Veteran's Day luncheon will be held on Friday, November 10th at the Hampton Grace United Methodist Church, 400 2nd Avenue. All Hampton veterans are invited to attend. If you were not included on the list of veterans at last year's luncheon, please contract the Village Clerk to be added.

TRICK OR TREAT SCHEDULE

Trick or Treat will be held on Tuesday, October 31st from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. As always, our Fire and Police Departments will be out and about ensuring your safety. This year, our Public Works department will be joining in on the fun! Please be safe and enjoy the festivities

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Hours:
Mon.— Fri.
8:00 a.m. - 5:00
p.m.

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**CLOSED ALL
ILLINOIS
STATE
HOLIDAYS.**

CALENDAR OF REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS

All Board meetings will be held at Village Hall unless otherwise noted.

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Board Meeting
Monday, Nov.
13th, 6:30 p.m.

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Monday, Nov.
27th, 6:30 p.m.

HAMPTON YOUTH COMMITTEE'S ANNUAL BOO BASH

HAMPTON YOUTH COMMITTEE INVITES YOU TO A

HALLOWEEN BOO BASH

KINDERGARTEN-5TH GRADE
YOUNGER SIBLINGS INVITED!

FRIDAY | **27** | OCTOBER
6-8 PM

HAMPTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GYM
\$5 PER CHILD

PARENTS- CANNED GOOD
COSTUMES ENCOURAGED!

GAMES!
FOOD!

CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A PARENT OR GUARDIAN FOR THE DURATION OF THE EVENT.

FALL YARD WASTE PICKUP

Fall yard waste pickup is planned to continue through the month of October. The pickup schedule may be extended, depending on how many leaves remain on the trees at the end of the month. Watch the Village website and Facebook pages for further info.

ROADWAYS IN THE VILLAGE

Please be aware that not all roadways that lie within the Village limits are Village owned or maintained roadways. Route 84 is a State road and Babcock Hill (4th Street) and Hubbard Road are County roads. The Village can request that the State or County make repairs, add signs, etc., but the Village has no control over whether the State or County actually take action on our request.

CHECK THE ZONING REGULATIONS AND RESTRICTIONS BEFORE COMMENCING A PROJECT OR PURCHASING A PROPERTY

Residents have a duty to verify the Zoning restrictions and requirements for their property before beginning a home improvement project. Potential buyers should also check the current zoning on a property prior to purchase. For more information, contact the Building Inspector.

**WANT TO SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY IN A NEW WAY?
JOIN THE VILLAGE OF HAMPTON ZONING BOARD**

The Zoning Board hears requests for zoning variance and provides a recommendation to the Village Board. Zoning Board members are not paid, and the frequency of meetings will vary based solely on when and how many requests for variance are received by the Village Clerk. For more information or to volunteer to serve, please contact the Village Clerk.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINES AND DISTRIBUTION DATES

All content for the newsletter must be submitted on or before the 1st day of the month prior to the month you wish to have your information published. The newsletters will be published on the Village website and available in hard copy at the Clerk's Office on or after the 15th of each month. For example, to have an article published in the November newsletter, you must submit your content by October 1st. The November newsletter will be available online and at the Clerk's Office on or soon after October 15th.