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Dear Neighbors,  
My thoughts and prayers are with those in Florida, Georgia, and South Carolina as they weather Hurricane Matthew along with those affected in Haiti, Cuba and the Bahamas as they recover from the storm's devastating effects.



*Patten Cat Grand Opening. On a rainy*



September 21st, I was able to attend the Patten Cat Grand Opening celebration along with Trustees Howe and Knight and several members of Village staff.

The Grand Opening was the culmination of a tremendous amount of hard work by Village staff in getting Patten Cat

located in Wauconda and in making sure their transportation and operational needs are met. Patten Cat, located at 700 Patten Drive (at US 12 and Ivanhoe Road), sells and services heavy construction equipment in addition to having a massive parts inventory. They even have rental solutions for heavy equipment needs. Patten Cat has been in business in the Chicago metro area for 80 years and Wauconda marks the 6th location for the company. Please join me in welcoming Garrett Patten and his company to Wauconda. We're glad you're here!



*Police Commission.* At the Village Board meeting this past Tuesday, Ryan Anderson was appointed and took the oath of office for the Board of Police Commissioners for the Village. The Board of Police Commissioners is independent of the Police Department and is responsible for testing

candidates and developing hiring lists for patrol officers and for developing promotional lists for those existing patrol officers seeking promotion to sergeant. Mr. Anderson was appointed to serve the remainder of the term of Corey Daun who resigned due to work obligations. Mr. Anderson is a real estate professional and has a diverse professional background in the corporate world over the past 20 years. My thanks to Ryan for stepping forward to serve the community and to Corey Daun for your service.

### **Ask the Mayor**

#### **Question:**

Hurricane Matthew has devastated portions of Haiti, Cuba and the Bahamas and will likely cause serious hardship in the southeast portion of the United States. As a community, what can we do to help those in need from this storm? Should we donate water and supplies to ship to the affected areas?

#### **Answer:**

Wauconda is a generous community and we naturally want to help when members of our global community are in need. However, sometimes these efforts can have unintended consequences. Donations of supplies here will require logistical planning and efforts to get the donated items to those in need. This frequently takes the resources of the Red Cross and other relief organizations away from other duties and areas. We saw this in action during the Washington and Fairdale tornados a few years ago when massive amounts of donated items created logistical problems for transportation, storage and distribution.





Rather than donate supplies, consider donating the cash you would have spent on supplies to the Red Cross or the relief organization of your choice. Cash donations allow these organizations to get what they need to the areas in need in the most timely

and cost effective manner. In addition, don't underestimate the value of giving blood. Blood is always in short supply during major catastrophic events and donation events in these affected areas have been disrupted by the hurricane. For more information on donating blood or funds for disaster relief to the Red Cross, go to [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org).

### **Yard Waste, Brush and Leaf Removal**

Village of Wauconda residents that would like to participate in the Brush Pickup Program should have brush placed at the curb no later than 7:00 a.m. on Monday, October 17th.

The contractor will work all week picking up brush throughout the Village, however once they have completed the pickup on a street, they will not be able to come back. All brush should be stacked in the same direction, twigs and



branches should be no larger than 4" in diameter, and bundles should not be bagged or tied.

Brush left by a contractor (hired by HOA, etc. to do tree trimming) in a subdivision/area is not eligible for this service and will not be picked up.

Waste Management will begin leaf collection the week of October 17th, ending Friday, November 25th. Residents are asked to rake leaves to the curb by Monday morning, for pickup by Waste Management that week. Leaves should be raked within three feet of the curb and should not be placed in the gutter or street and should not cover storm sewers.



The final week for collecting yard waste will be Thanksgiving week (starting Monday, Nov. 21st).

**9th Annual Run For Your Life**



**HALLOWEEN THEME RACE!**  
Raffle Tickets 6 for \$5, or \$1 each for a chance  
to win **AWESOME RAFFLE ITEMS!**

# 9TH ANNUAL RUN FOR YOUR LIFE

5K RUN/WALK ♥ SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2016

**D118 PTO** MATTHEWS MIDDLE SCHOOL  
WAUCONDA MIDDLE SCHOOL

Sponsored by Matthews and Wauconda Middle Schools PTO. All fees support PTO sponsored activities, classroom equipment and field trip transportation. Encouraging a healthy lifestyle!

**LOCATION:**

Matthews Middle School  
3500 Darrell Road, Island Lake, IL 60042  
847.526.6210

**AFTER RACE CELEBRATION:**

Stay for breakfast and awards ceremony after the race.

**AWARDS AND AGE GROUPS:**

Trophies awarded to the top overall Male and Female and top District #118 Employee Male and Female. Engraved medals will be awarded to the top 2 place finishers in each age group: 10 & Younger; 11-12; 13-14; 15-19; 20-29; 30-39; 40-49; 50 & Over

**QUESTIONS:**

Contact Kim Miller at 847-639-8266 or mmspto2015@yahoo.com

**VOLUNTEER:**

Email: d118pto.R4YLvolunteer@gmail.com

**RACE DAY:**

Check in between 7:15-8:15am  
Race starts sharply at 8:30am!

**REGISTRATION:**

	RECEIVED BY 10/19:	DAY OF RACE:
Students:	\$15	\$20
Individual:	\$25	\$30

*Includes a t-shirt, goodie bag and raffle ticket for the first 200 participants.*

Registration form and payment can be returned to any District #118 school or mailed to:  
Matthews Middle School  
Attn: Run for Your Life  
3500 Darrell Road, Island Lake, IL 60042

Checks payable to: **Wauconda District #118 PTO**

Register Online at: [www.signmeup.com/116245](http://www.signmeup.com/116245)

To register online, [visit www.signmeup.com/116245](http://www.signmeup.com/116245).

Trick or Treat Main Street

# Trick or Treat

Main Street  
WAUCONDA



Sunday 🍭 October 30 🍭 2-6pm

## Featured Events

All located on Main Street (which will be closed)

- Hayrides ♦ Petting Zoo ♦ Games ♦ Bouncy House ♦ Crafts ♦ Food
- ♦ 2:00pm-5:00 Carved Pumpkin Judging
  - ♦ 3:30pm Pet Costume Contest
  - ♦ 5:15pm "Halloween Haunt Performance" by the Academy of Ballet
  - ♦ 5:30pm Announcement of Winners on Stage



▲ Free event ▲ Free Shuttle ▲ Free Fun ▲

sponsored by

Village of Wauconda, Wauconda Park District & Local Businesses

Stop in the shops & restaurants for Treats, Games and Specials!



Women's Club 2016 Calcutta

WAUCONDA WOMAN'S CLUB

*"French Garden"*

CALCUTTA GAME & LUNCHEON 2016

*Annual Fundraiser*



Date: Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016

Cash Bar: 11:00am Luncheon: 12:00pm Calcutta: 1:00pm

Place: Westridge Banquets, Rt. 176, Island Lake, IL

(Rt. 176 West, turn right at the 1<sup>st</sup> traffic light west of Darrell Road)

*Come join us for Many Great Prizes,*

*Cash Prizes (\$100, \$200, \$300)*

*Fun & Good Food!*

Menu: *Pork Tenderloin, Salmon or Vegetable Lasagna*

*salad, roasted potato, mixed vegetable, rolls, French Lemon Pie & coffee or tea*

Calcutta Tickets: \$20.00 Luncheon Tickets: \$25.00

RSVP by November 8<sup>th</sup>

Call Sally Lambert at 847-526-2322 for tickets

The next meeting is Tuesday, October 18th, 2016 at 7:00 PM at Village Hall, 101 N. Main Street.

Take care and God Bless,

Frank

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