

# Arlington

## NEWS & VIEWS

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## Hey Neighbor!



### Hey Neighbor!

It's the most wonderful time of the year (even with the looming pandemic)!

For Arlington residents, the winter holidays bring out joy, anticipation, celebrating traditions, and love of family and friends. Arlington's proud history of celebrating the holiday season is reflected in many years of activities for neighbors. With all the struggles of this year, Arlington continues to offer ways to celebrate the holidays. Let's look at the holidays – Arlington style!

Arlington hosts the annual Display of Lights contest. Residents have the opportunity to decorate the outside of their houses and properties each December. This year, ten homes will be selected to participate in neighborhood voting for the Display of Lights.

To be considered for the 2023 Display of Lights, neighbors wishing to participate should have holiday lights turned on each evening of December 4th, 5th and 6th. Ten homes will be selected for voting.

On December 9th Arlington families may pick up a ballot from the clubhouse and vote

for their favorite light displays. Completed ballots must be returned to the clubhouse by December 10th. The winner will be announced on December 12th. Winners will receive a framed photograph of their decorated home. The grand winner receives a Golf Membership.

This is a fun activity for residents! Plan to pick up a ballot, turn on holiday music, and drive around the neighborhood while voting for your favorite light display.

The trolley ride is a yearly tradition for many Arlington families. The trolley ride began in 1993 as a horse and buggy carriage ride through Arlington. The mode of transportation quickly changed to a trolley in order to accommodate more people. Over the years, Arlington has hired gospel singers, carolers, and Girl Scout troops to sing at the clubhouse between rides. For a few years, there was even a magician to entertain riders between trolley rides. Neighbors have enjoyed cookies from New Haven Bakery since 1985. In more recent years, Ryan Delagrangue has served as resident commentator on trolley rides.

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## Arlington Board Member Election Procedures

- Arlington Board of Directors candidates must be residents in good standing (Association dues must be current and paid in full. The candidate cannot have an unsatisfied judgment against them).

- Candidates interested in running for Arlington Park Board of Directors positions must notify the clubhouse of their intent to run for office in writing.

The letter of notification must be postmarked no later than Dec. 31st.

- Ballots will consist of only candidates' names that meet the requirements of notifying the clubhouse in writing no later than Dec. 31st and are members in good standing of Arlington Park.

- Candidates wishing to have a short article in the "Arlington News and Views" introducing themselves to Arlington residents may submit a biography to the clubhouse before the 1st of January.

All candidates eligible for election and any submitted biography shall be published in "News and Views".

- Proxy Ballots will be available 30 days prior to the election at the clubhouse. Members may obtain a proxy ballot within that time at the clubhouse.

All completed proxy ballots must be received at the Arlington Park clubhouse by 1st class US Mail or by sealed envelope hand delivered to the Arlington Park clubhouse on or before the 3rd Tuesday in February in

order to be counted.

- Voting for positions on the Arlington Board of Directors starts at 7:00 a.m. and ends at 7:00 p.m. on the 3rd Tuesday in February.

Voting takes place at the Arlington Park Clubhouse. No votes will be accepted at the annual meeting.

- The qualifying ballots will be counted by the election committee on the 3rd Tuesday in February.

The committee will validate signatures and lot numbers as votes are tallied.

- The results will be announced by the election committee at the Arlington Park Annual Meeting, by signage at the entrances of the addition, and printed in the "News and Views".

## Thank You...

During this Special time of year the staff at Arlington Park would like to wish every member of Arlington Park Happy New Year!  
A special thank you goes out to those members who have participated in our programs, volunteered during social events, wrote an article for the newspaper, or assisted in keeping communications open.

The Board of Directors work diligently each year to provide services and maintain the beautiful amenities within our community. If you see them during the New Year, please offer our support and say thanks for a job well done.

Also, thank you to Tug and Judi Pierson for sponsoring over 20 years of The Great Pumpkin Give-Away. Pumpkins happily adorned front porches this fall in Arlington Park!

## 2023-2025 BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON

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 Tenure: 2025  
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 Tenure: 2026  
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 Tenure: 2025  
**FINANCE PLANNING OPERATIONS, LONG TERM, INVESTMENTS**

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 Tenure: 2026  
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 Tenure: 2024  
**NEW PROJECTS**

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 Tenure: 2026  
**COMMUNITY CONNECTION**

**DIRECTORS LISTED IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER**

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 Tenure: 2024  
**SECURITY**

Daniel Paine  
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 Tenure: 2025  
**COMMUNITY SPONSORED PROGRAMS**  
 Tennis, Soccer, Golf, Pool

Shaunnette Mildred  
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 Tenure: 2024  
**COMMUNITY CONNECTION SOCIAL PROMOTION**



# Arlington Park SECURITY ALERT

As the holiday season starts getting close, home burglaries seem to increase. It is hard to pinpoint any specific circumstance that would definitely trigger a burglary, but one factor seems to stand out. The burglar has to have a way of knowing you are not home at that time. It might be that he is parked nearby as you leave or he could be just driving by about the time you pull out of your driveway.

Do you watch for strangers as you leave your house? Do you leave lights on or the radio playing when you are away? Following these tips will not guarantee that your house will not be burglarized, but these actions will reduce your odds of becoming a victim of burglary. Not displaying newly purchased household goods by breaking down boxes and placing them in a black garbage bag will hide what you possess now.



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December 15	March 8, 2024
January 19, 2024	April 19, 2024
February 16, 2024	<b>SEE YOU THERE!</b>



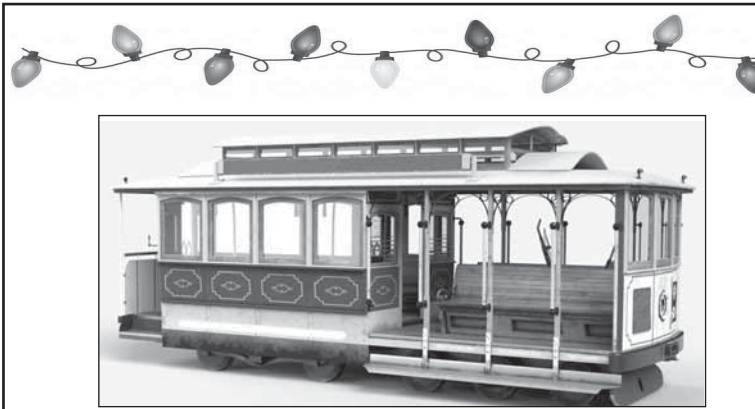
**Arlington Park Association, Inc.**  
**Balance Sheet**  
**October 31, 2023**

## ASSETS

Current Assets	
PETTY CASH FRONT DESK	\$ 250.00
CD- OLD NATIONAL BANK	262,276.38
CHECKING CHASE BANK	59,135.06
3 RIVERS CREDIT UNION	1,330.90
LAKE CITY FREEDOM ACCOUNT	1,646.72
LAKE CITY CD	262,297.86
STAR BANK CHECKING	18,627.96
SALES TAX	(1,989.31)
ACCT. RECEIVABLE-MEMBER DUES	33,093.28
	2,900.00
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>639,568.85</b>
Property and Equipment	
<b>Total Property and Equipment</b>	<b>658,201.39</b>
Other Assets	
<b>Total Other Assets</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 1,297,770.24</b>

## LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

Current Liabilities	
PRE-PAID GOLF MEMBERSHIPS	\$ 238.50
PREPAID ASSOC DUES	1,545.00
DEPOSITS-PAYABLE CLUBHOUSE	850.00
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b>2,633.50</b>
Long-Term Liabilities	
<b>Total Long-Term Liabilities</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>2,633.50</b>
Capital	
REP.-RESERVE TENNIS	19,192.46
REP.-RESERVE PLAYGROUNDS	(2,277.83)
REP.-RESERVE SWIMMING POOLS	(92,814.61)
REP.-RESERVE FACILITY & FURN.	(114,858.52)
REP.-RESERVE GROUNDS	(29,926.82)
REP.-RESERVE EQUIPMENT	(196,359.81)
REP.-RESERVE GOLF	168,344.52
CAPITAL COST-LONG TERM	994,836.26
CONTRIBUTED CAPITAL-DEV-LAND	80,095.00
RETAINED CAPITAL	329,010.70
Net Income	139,895.39
<b>Total Capital</b>	<b>1,295,136.74</b>
<b>Total Liabilities &amp; Capital</b>	<b>\$ 1,297,770.24</b>



## Holiday Lighting Contest Dec. 5-6-7

Ballots will be available on December 9th for each family to vote.  
 One per household.

This year we will have a trolley every 30 minutes.

Please call 486-1967 to schedule your time today! Your family can enjoy the colorful display of lights and help us select the grand prize winner of this year's Display of Lights. Ballots must be turned in by December 9th. The winner will be announced Monday, December 11th.

## Arlington Park 2023/2024

**Men's Senior  
Golf League  
Winter Coffee  
Schedule at the  
Clubhouse on the Hill**

**Thursdays  
from  
9-11 a.m.**



**Dates:**

Dec. 7, 14, 21, 28  
 January 4, 11, 18, 25  
 February 1, 8, 15, 22, 29  
 March 7, 14

# Santa Arrives at Arlington Park Dec. 9th



10 a.m. to noon. Cost: \$5.00 per child

This year we will have a visit with Santa.

Reservations are required to schedule a specific time to visit. Call 486-1967.

Each child will be able to visit with Santa and will receive a Santa gift.



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

**Please check your yardlights**

As fall approaches and the leaves begin to change colors many of you will be taking advantage of our trails. We ask you to please notify the clubhouse via phone or email if you notice any damaged or burned out greenway lights so we can repair them as soon as possible. Each light is individually numbered and that is the only information that we will need.

Also, we are asking that all residents replace their front yard lights in a timely manner when they burn out.

Thanks for your help! Call 486-1967 or Info@arlingtonpark.net.

As homeowners you may be purchasing internet and/or phone services with all of the NEW technology now being offered. This will require companies to dig in our neighborhood.

Because Arlington has an elaborate system of greenway lights running behind the homes, this poses a possible predicament. We are asking all residents who are planning to add new service or replace old service to give us a call at the clubhouse at 486-1967 or email us at: Info@arlingtonpark.net before you dig!

Arlington's electrician will locate all of our underground lines free of charge. All we ask is 72 hours notification before digging is to begin. Remember: Don't Dig Blind! and Thank you for your help to eliminate future damage.

Also, did you know that the Arlington Clubhouse stocks, at cost, replacement photo cells, lights, bulbs, sockets and panes of glass?

**Trash out of Sight**

The Board of Directors has asked members to keep their trash bins and one flow recycle bins out of sight, a community pride campaign. Please hold off putting out trash until after 5 p.m. on Sunday evenings and to store them inside the garage when possible. If you do not have storage space inside the garage, please find an area on the side of the home that is least visible to the neighbors. *Thank you!*

**Call Before You Dig**

*Call before digging when changing technologies.*

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Photo Cell: .....	\$7.50
Light Bulbs: .....	\$7.65
Sockets: .....	\$3.36
Panes of Glass: .....	\$1.05

**Dog-i-Pot Stations**

Remember to use the Dog-i-Pot Stations during the fall months. When leaving to go outside with your pet, stop by a DOGIPOT and tear off a litter bag so when animal your goes "poo poo" you can pick it up and dispose it in the DOGIPOT Pet Station/Container.

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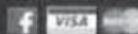
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## Arlington Park Association Board of Directors November 6, 2023 • Meeting

In Attendance: Executive Director Janie Baker, President Lynda Gevers, Vice President Bruce Westendorf, Treasurer Harlan Altena, Sarah Garman, Daniel Paine, Shaunnette Mildred and Ryan Delagrange. Other members in attendance were Joe Keane, Jim Owen, Crystal Owen, Jim Jacobs, Bonny Jacobs, and Karen Jacobs. Special guests: Gary Johnson, Golf Pro, Jim Held from Automatic Irrigation, Jim Pfister owner of Pfister Sprinkler Systems, and Zach Zimmerman Head of Arlington Park Security.

Members in attendance brought to the Board concerns to include trimming of trees along walkways, request to review code enforcement of easements on private property, and Board transparency.

The meeting was called to order by Bruce Westendorf, Vice-President at 6:28 p.m.

- Motion to approve October Board Minutes was made, seconded, and passed.

- Janie introduced Jim Held and Jim Pfister then turned the meeting over to Gary Johnson, golf pro, to provide additional information regarding the age and condition of the Arlington golf course. Proposal for transition from hydraulic to electronic irrigation was presented. A request for additional information was requested regarding warranty and installation. A motion was made to proceed via electronic vote once the additional information was received. The motion to proceed was seconded and carried.

- Zach Zimmerman, Head of Security was introduced and

provided questions and answers regarding neighborhood safety and standard operating procedures.

- Janie submitted a list of proposed social events scheduled for 2024. The Board made suggestions to include a night golf, Business show case for member interaction, and a scavenger hunt for adults and kids.

- Janie submitted updated Board information to include Ryan Delagrange.

- Harlan Altena gave the treasurers report. Approved as submitted.

- Motion to adjourn, seconded and passed at 8:56 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Janie Baker  
Executive Director

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# Neighborhood Leaf Pickup schedule listed

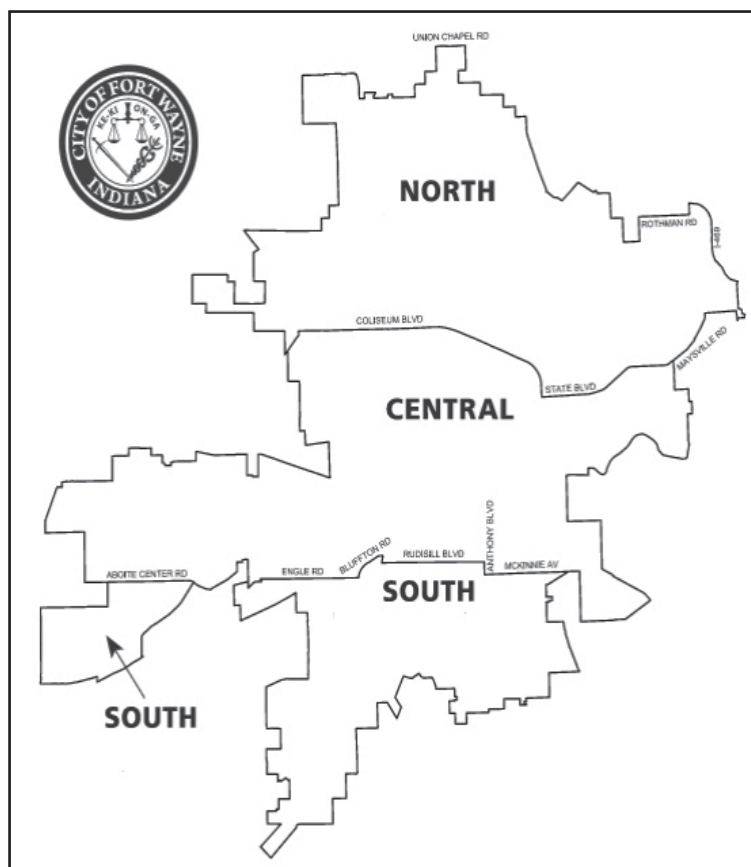
Leaves are beginning to change color and fall, so Fort Wayne Street Department crews are gearing up for leaf collection starting the morning of Oct. 29th.

Collections will occur two times in each of the city's more than 400 neighborhoods, with the last week of collection starting in December.

For curbside leaf pick-up residents should rake leaves to the curb or park strip in front of their home, but not into the street. Leaves should be in the park strip by 7 a.m. on Monday of the week the leaves are to be collected for your area. Other yard waste should not be mixed with the leaves.

Residents can access daily collection updates at [cityoffortwayne.org/leaves](http://cityoffortwayne.org/leaves). There they will find a neighborhood schedule updated daily, collection map and general leaf collection information. This daily update will soon and residents can call 427-2302 for daily updates.

You can also schedule a pick-up if you place your leaves in biodegradable bags by calling 311. The bags should be placed at the curb and will be collected within



two business days of the call.

Don't put leaves in your trash or recycling cart. This is against state law, and burning leaves is a violation of city

code and can result in a fine.

Don't place leaves in or over storm drains. Parents should remind children to not play in leaf piles near the street.

# City of Fort Wayne Emergency Snow Route Preparedness is Important

During our snow fall season there is a project we can all work on together. When snowfall is predicted, it would be helpful if all vehicles were parked in drive-ways, in the garage. . . . not on the street. Snow removal is difficult, the team removing snow is working late night hours usually through early morning, during white out conditions. Each year we have complaints that an area was missed, which can happen. After review we often find that someone had parked their vehicle on the street. When the vehicle is then moved it leaves a large amount of snow in front of/ or behind a vehicle, this causes a bottleneck in traffic, especially in the cul-de-sac's.

**The US Postmaster has requested all of us to clear snow**

**one (1) foot from the curb and to shovel out around the mailboxes.**

**If your neighbor is unable to remove snow due to disabilities or a heart condition. . . . a friendly helping hand is appreciated. ( Let me personally thank you in advance for your good deed)**

**As in the past if any of you are on call or in need of emergency assistance for health conditions, please contact the office so that you may be placed on the list of first alert snow removal.**

To qualify for first snow removal it requires that your health or work is of an emergency nature: Doctor, Nurse, Police, Fire worker. Or any member with special health needs. A list is compiled at the office and is submitted to the snow

removal team. As in past years the snow removal will begin with the accumulation of 3" of snow. When weather conditions allow sand and salt will be placed at intersections and the primary roads. Sand/ salt barrels will be placed at the entrance ways. These barrels are filled by the city for use by members during treacherous snow and ice conditions. If you believe your area has been missed during the normal snow removal, please allow enough time for the crew to process through all of the streets. With a team of three trucks it will take approximately 6-7 hours to make one pass completely through the streets in Arlington.

**PREPARE NOW FOR A GREAT WINTER SEASON!**

## Overall Schedule:

Schedule	1st Round	2nd Round
Central	Nov 6-Nov 9	Dec 4-Dec 8
South	Nov 13-Nov 18	Dec 11-Dec 15
North	Oct 30-Nov 3	Nov 27-Dec 1

## Tips to Keep in Mind

- Rake Leaves to the park strip by 7 a.m. on the first day of the week when crews will be in your area.
- Don't put leaves in your trash or recycling cart. This is against State of Indiana Law.
- Don't burn leaves. It's a violation of city Code and can result in a fine.
- Don't place leaves in the street.
- Don't place leaves in storm drains.
- To schedule a pickup place your leaves in brown paper biodegradable leaf bags. Set them at the curb and call 311. The leaf bags will be collected within (2) business days of your call to 311.
  - Weather conditions or the volume of leaves in a particular area may cause the planned schedule to change. The list of pickup locations will be updated daily by 3 p.m. you may also contact the Leaf Hotline: 427-2302 or the Citizens Services Center at 311 with questions or [cityoffortwayne.org/leaves](http://cityoffortwayne.org/leaves).
- There will be no leaf collection on the following holidays:
  - Veterans Day
  - Nov. 11th
  - Thanksgiving (Nov. 25-26).

## Plan Ahead for 2024 with an Arlington Outside Membership



Arlington Park Community is pleased to announce family pool memberships are available and on sale now! Each year many phone calls are received from neighboring additions inquiring about our wonderful facilities here at Arlington Park. This is your opportunity to contact your friends and tell them about this exclusive limited offer. The program remains the same for the 2024 Season. A recommendation from a member is required to be considered for our membership packages. The Board of Directors will consider all letters of recommendation on a monthly basis until all memberships are sold. What a great Christmas gift for the entire family! Don't delay, pass the word for a summer season of fun. If you have any questions regarding the process please contact the front office at 486-1967.

Pool Membership: \$685 per family.



## ARLINGTON CONTACTS

### EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Janie Baker .....486-1967

### ARCHITECTURAL CHAIRMAN

Kim Bowman....485-5336

### BOWLING

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Ladies League (every Thurs AM Janet

Nahrwold .....260-414-3135

### BRIDGE

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Vice-President

Tom Arnold.....260-740-3330

Brittany Village

President Carl Miller.....260-403-0347

Margie Stier.....260-461-2030

### GOLF

### GOLF PRO

Gary Johnson..... 485-2774

Women at Large

Judy Koehlinger.....466-5160

Committee Chairman

Larry McClellan.....615-2997

Men at Large

Jackie McGuire.....437-0696

Mens League.....450-5208

### Men's Senior League

John Wehner.....748-0648

Couples League.....485-2774

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### PICKLEBALL

Coach Matthew Brandenberger

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### SWIM TEAM

Brooke Blackman.....260-249-9398

### HELP PHONE NUMBERS

### ARLINGTON SECURITY

385-3562

### CITY POLICE

DEPARTMENT.....427-1222

DANGER TO LIFE.....911

SectionXIIIHOA@gmail.com

### POOL COMMITTEE CHAIR

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### TENNIS COMMITTEE CHAIR

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# 2023 DECEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2 • Private Ballroom Event: 12p-12a
3 • Resident Center Private Event: 12p-12a • Private Ballroom Event: 12p-8pm	4 • Board of Directors Meeting 6 p.m.	5	6	7 • Senior Coffee 9am-11am	8	9 • Santa 10a-Noon at Clubhouse
10 • Trolley • Resident Center Private Event: 12p-8pm	11	12	13	14 • Senior Coffee 9am-11am	15 • Euchre 7p-11p • Private Resident Center Event 12p-8p	16 • Private Ballroom Event: 12p-8pm • Private Resident Center Event 12p-12a
17 Resident Center Private Event: 12p-8p • Private Ballroom Event: 12p-12pm	18	19	20	21 • Senior Coffee 9am-11am	22	23
24 CLUBHOUSE HOURS FOR CHRISTMAS: 9A-5P • Private Resident Center Event 12p-5p	25 • CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS	26	27 • Quilter's Bee 10a-2p	28 • Senior Coffee 9am-11am	29 • Resident Center Private Event: 12p-12a	30 • Private Ballroom Event: 12p-12am
31 • Resident Center Private Event: 12p-8p						

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## Babysitting

Hi! My name is Mackenna Koepp. I am available to babysit. You can contact me through my email (mackoepp@icloud.com). I am a junior in high school and a licensed driver.

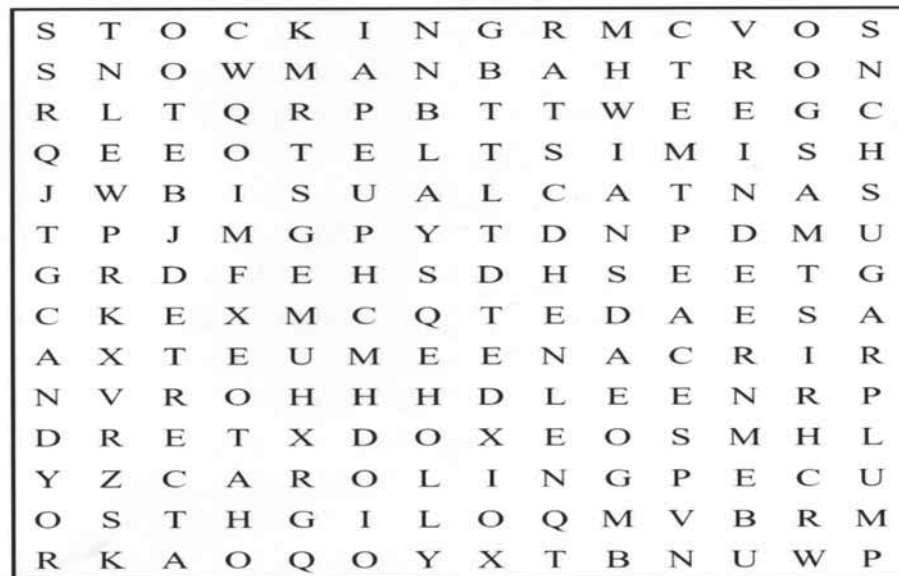
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## Christmas Word Search



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CHRISTMAS  
DECEMBER  
HOLLY  
LIGHTS  
MERRY

MISTLETOE  
NORTH  
PEACE  
POLE  
PRESENTS  
REINDEER  
SANTA CLAUS  
SLEIGH

SNOWMAN  
STAR  
STOCKING  
SUGARPLUM  
TREE  
WREATH



## Kid Jokes

What is a parent's favorite Christmas carol?  
*Silent Night!*

Why did the elf go to school?  
*to learn his Elf-abet!*

What did the Gingerbread Man put on his bed?  
*Silent Night!*

What kind of a ball doesn't bounce?  
*A snowball!*

What do you call people who are afraid of Santa Claus?  
*Claustrophobic!*

What is the difference between the Christmas alphabet and the ordinary alphabet?  
*The Christmas has noel!*



Why is it always cold on Christmas?  
*Because it's in Decem-berrrrrrr!*

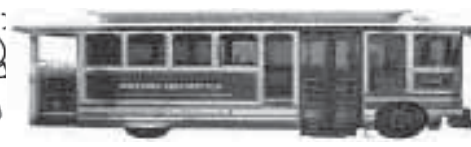
What is Santa's dog called?  
*Santa Paws! Knock Knock Who's there? Mary Mary Who? Mary Christmas!*

What do snowmen eat for breakfast?  
*Frosted Flakes!*

## Fall is the best time to landscape! Remember to call before you dig at 1-800-382-5544 or 811



Plan ahead. Don't go digging up trouble. Before you do any extensive digging or construction on your property or public lands. If you will be digging, along the back sidewalk, please contact Arlington office at 486-1967 to have the greenway lighting located. Community lighting is not included in the underground service and does require a call to the office.



## TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

Make plans now for our old-fashioned trolley ride and enjoy the beautiful color of the Seasonal lights in Arlington Park. At \$6 per person, a perfect way to start a family tradition with your children. Your family can enjoy the colorful display of lights and you can help us select the grand prize winner of this year's Display of Lights. Each tour will be 20 minutes in length. Seating is limited, so purchase your tickets now! Plan to meet at the clubhouse early to enjoy a steaming cup of cocoa.

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# Sledding...Sledding...Sledding

Sledding is at its best at Roanoke Curve or Rocket Park. This provides a wonderful opportunity for the family to join in old fashioned fun. Because of the limited packing and slippery conditions, we ask that you not drive, but walk to the sledding hill...just part of the fun!

# Cross-Country Skiing...

Cross country skiing will be permitted on the Arlington Park Golf Course under the following conditions:

1. There must be at least six

(6) inches of snow covering the entire course.

2. All skiers must remain on the designated trail marked out on the course.

3. If conditions are suitable for skiing, there will be a green flag posted at the start of the trail, located near the golf shop

# Snowmobiling...Not Permitted

## Indiana Snowmobile Laws

14-1-3.5-15 Operations Restrictions Sec. 15: A person shall not operate a snowmobile:

1. At a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper having due regard for conditions that exist.

2. While under the influence of an intoxicating liquor or unlawfully under the influence of a narcotic or other habit forming or dangerous depressant or stimulant drug.

3. During the hours from one-half (1/2) hour after sunset to one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise without displaying a lighted headlight and a lighted taillight.

4. In any nursery, planting area, or public lands posted or reasonably identified as an area of forest or plant reproduction and when growing stock may be damaged.

5. On the frozen surface of

public waters within one hundred (100) feet of a fishing shanty or shelter except at a speed of five (5) miles per hour or less.

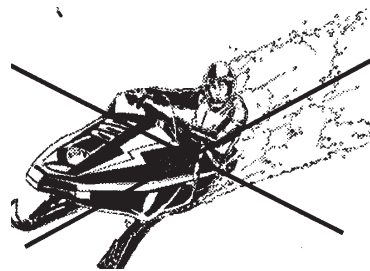
6. Unless equipped with a muffler in good working order and in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noise and annoying smoke.

7. Within one hundred (100) feet of a dwelling between 12 midnight and 6 a.m., except on his own property or property under his control or as an invited guest.

8. On any property without the consent of the landowner or tenant thereof.

9. While transporting thereon a bow unless unstrung, or a firearm unless unloaded and security encased or equipped with and made inoperative by a manufactured key locked trigger housing mechanism.

10. On or across a cemetery or



burial ground.

11. Within one hundred (100) feet of a slide, ski or skating area, except for the purpose of servicing the area.

12. On a railroad track or railroad right-of-way, except railroad personnel in performance of their duties.

13. On public property unless authorized to do so.

**Be Safe this winter.  
Watch for others!**

# Cross-Country Skiing Trail

• No skiing when snow is in melting condition.

• Skiing permitted when the following conditions exist:

a. 6" of snow.

b. Green Flag is posted off #9.

**PLEASE STAY OFF ALL GREENS.**

**MORE ABOUT CROSS COUNTRY SKIING.**

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# Headwaters Park Ice Skating Rink in Fort Wayne is now open

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Headwaters Park Ice Skating Rink is now open again in Downtown Fort Wayne! This season will remain open until February 26, 2024. Hours of operation are 3 p.m.-8 p.m., Monday through Thursday; 12 p.m.-9 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays and 12 p.m.-8 p.m. on Sundays.

The rink will be closed on Thanksgiving and Christmas Day. Hours are also subject to change. Tickets for ages 13 and under are \$4; adult tickets are \$6 and skate rentals are \$3. View all the details online.

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