



The City of Lanark, Illinois



Lanark Chamber of Commerce

Summer 2013 Newsletter

May 28, 2013

Garbage, Recycling & Yard Waste

As you are aware, the City has implemented a new tote system for garbage, recycling and yard waste. You should have received guidelines in the Prairie Advocate News explaining the program. If you did not, please stop in the new City Hall at 111-A S. Broad St. to pick up a copy.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Yard waste is no longer being picked up for free in containers marked with an "X". You can, however, subscribe to the yard waste tote program. For \$52.50 per year, you will receive a yard waste tote that will be picked up weekly by Moring Disposal. You can pay for your subscription at City Hall.

Branches, brush and sticks can be piled near the curb (but not in the street) on Sunday night only (plus after a severe storm) to be picked up by the city crew on Monday morning.

DO NOT pile or blow other yard waste, such as grass or weeds, on or near the street. This will wash into the storm sewers and clog them up. This causes street and nearby yard flooding. A police officer will give you one warning. After the warning you have three options: 1) stop leaving yard waste at the curb; 2) subscribe to the yard waste tote program; or 3) receive a fine if the problem persists.

BULK PICK UP

The date for the bulk pick up is set for Saturday, June 15. Watch for instructions in the Prairie Advocate.

RECYCLING DATES FOR 2013:

West of Broad St:

Jun 22, 26
Jul 10, 24
Aug 7, 21
Sep 5 (Thurs), 18
Oct 2, 16, 30
Nov 13, 27
Dec 11, 26 (Thurs)

East of Broad St:

Jun 6, 19
Jul 3, 17, 31
Aug 14, 28
Sep 11, 25
Oct 9, 23
Nov 6, 20
Dec 4, 18

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Important Phone Numbers

City Hall
(815)493-2431
Office Hours: Monday & Thursday 9am-5pm
(closed 12:30-1:30)
Council Meetings: First & third Tuesday of the month

Fire/Police Emergency
911

Police Non-Emergency
(815)493-6931

Fire Non-Emergency
(815)493-2341

Maintenance
(815)493-6832

Find more info on the web at www.lanarkil.com



Did You Know...?



Ordinances:

Leash law - Dogs must be under competent supervision, and firmly secured and restrained on a leash or confined within an enclosed pen.

Swimming Pools - Swimming pools or other man-made bodies of water thirty one inches (31") or more must be enclosed by a fence.

Grass - Grass must be cut so it does not exceed six inches (6").

Building permits: If you intend to add a permanent structure to your property, you may be required to obtain a building permit or variances from the City BEFORE construction is started. You should check with the Zoning Officer, Matt Magill at 493-6931 to see if either is needed. Note

that if a building permit is required, it may need variances approved by the Zoning Board of Appeals and the City Council so please allow adequate time before you start. This may take up to one month. If work has already started before permit is obtained, the fees are double.

Now Hiring: The City of Lanark is hiring a Maintenance Manager Trainee. Applications/resumes can be dropped at City Hall.

Upcoming Events

FARMERS MARKET - Every Tuesday, 3pm-6pm in the Lanark City Park. June 11 - Oct 22

2013 OLD SETTLERS DAYS
June 27-30

The carnival rides will be back bigger and better than last year.

Don't miss this fun-filled weekend of entertainment, food and family fun for all ages.

Thursday - rides begin, Open Mic Night in the Park.

Friday - Raging Road Rally, craft fair begins, food vendors open, live music with The Funnies.

Saturday - Parade, ATV & garden tractor pull, kids pedal tractor pull, "Taste of Lanark", live music with Serendipity and 2 guys 1 cup.



Sunday - Church under the tent, pork chop dinner, car show, tractor pull, tractor show, water fights.

See full details at
LANARKIL.COM/OSD

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