



Shore Report

News for Residents of the City of Shorewood

May 2019 Upcoming Meetings and Events

- 5/7 7 p.m.
Planning Comm Meeting
- 5/13 7 p.m.
City Council Meeting
- 5/14 7 p.m.
Park Commission Meeting
- 5/17-18 9 a.m.-12 p.m.
Tree sale pick up
- 5/18 9 a.m.-12 p.m.
Paper Shredding Event
- 5/18 8 a.m.-1 p.m.
Spring Clean Up
- 5/27 Memorial Day
City Hall/Public Works
Closed
- 5/28 7 p.m.
City Council Meeting

Please check for meeting updates on the city website, www.ci.shorewood.mn.us.

Sign up for eNews, Recycling and Park Updates, Facebook, Twitter, and more!

Save paper and postage and keep up-to-date on your favorite city services. Go to www.ci.shorewood.mn.us to sign up for eNews under "I Want To".

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Watering Ordinance in Effect

Lawn watering uses a significant portion of our water supply. It is important that residents and businesses follow the city's watering ordinance.

This allows Shorewood's water system not only an adequate opportunity to replenish the supply in the city's water storage tanks, but also ensures there is enough water for all uses.

The city's ordinance states that residents and businesses can water before 11:00 a.m. and after 4:30 p.m., May 1 - September 30. Residents should work with their sprinkler system provider to make sure watering times are scheduled to water within ordinance

hours. Remember to check the timer on your watering system after power outages so that you are not in violation of the restriction.



Fees for violating the water use restrictions are determined by the number of water restriction violations issued to the owner:

- First offense - \$50
- Each additional offense - \$25 increase (e.g. 2nd violation \$75, 3rd violation \$100, etc.)

No warnings are given for violation of watering restrictions.

EXEMPTIONS: Private wells are exempt from the ordinance; however, the city encourages homeowners to conserve their water resources during peak hours. Activities such as play toys, car washing, and hand watering are exempt if attended.

Submit spring and summer pictures

We are looking for photos that show off the splendor of living in Shorewood. Submit photos in the following five categories:

- People of Shorewood
- Pets and Wildlife
- Events and Activities
- Spring Wonder
- Summer Splendor

Winners in each category will have their photos framed and displayed at city hall and will each receive a framed print. Submissions will be accepted through September 27, 2019, at 4:30 p.m.

2019 Photo Contest Rules

- Entrants must live, work, or attend school in Shorewood.
- Photos must be taken in Shorewood between March 20 and September 22, 2019.
- Each photo entry must include photographer's name, address, phone number, email address, age (if under 18), intended category and title of the photo.
- Photo submissions with professional logos or

watermarks will not be considered.

- Photos must be submitted to cityhall@ci.shorewood.mn.us, or on a flash drive brought to city hall. Files must be in high resolution jpeg format. Include the exact location of photo being submitted.
- Participants must have permission from any



persons pictured in the photo to use that photo and permission of a parent in case of minors. Subject permissions must be obtained before submitting photos

- Once submitted, entrants grant reproduction rights (both print and digital)

to City of Shorewood.

- Each person may submit up to five photos.

For additional information, contact city hall at 952.960.7900. See the city website under Community: Photo Contest for ore information.

Mill Street trail study underway

Hennepin County is leading a study for an off-street multi-use trail alongside Mill Street from Holly Lane in Shorewood to Second Street in downtown Excelsior. The goal is to determine the feasibility of adding a trail along the corridor to make Mill Street safer and more comfortable for all.

Residents wanting to be considered for the advisory committee should email dan.patterson@hennepin.us. The advisory committee is expected to begin meeting in June. Comments about a trail on Mill Street can also be forwarded to Dan.

For more information, go to www.hennepin.us/millstreet, or contact city hall, 952.960.7900.

Spring Hydrant Flushing

Hydrant flushing takes place every spring citywide. Updates on area flushing are posted on the city Facebook and Twitter sites. If you see hydrants being flushed in your neighborhood, you might notice your water having a brown or yellow color. This is from iron deposits being released in the pipes. The iron is not harmful, but it can stain light colored clothing, so do not wash whites until you notice the water has cleared. If you do experience staining, iron-out products can be used to remove them.

To speed up the clearing of your water, run the cold water from a faucet on a lower level sink of your home. If the water is not clear within 36 hours, contact the City, 952.960.7900.



Recycling Weeks for May 2019

All recycling must be curbside no later than 7 a.m. on recycling day. Mainland residents recycle May 1, 15 and 30*; Island residents recycle May 2, 16 and May 31*.

Report misses: 952.960.7900

*Recycling is delayed one day due to Memorial Day.

Missed recycling pick-up? What to do

If your recycling cart is curbside by 7 a.m. on recycling day and is not picked up by 6 p.m., report the miss before noon the following day to city hall, 952.960.7900. This report may also be made during non-business hours by

leaving a message on the city voicemail. If reported before noon, the pick up will take place on that day. Reports made after 12 p.m. will be picked up the following business day. If you are aware that your entire street is missed,

please include that information in the message.

If you have questions about what to recycle, contact city hall, or check the city website under Environment: Recycling.

Here comes road construction

Island road project

The city continues work on the feasibility report for the island street reclamation project. As a part of plan development, when historical sites or locations are identified, even if they are not going to be disturbed as part of the project, state law requires that a survey be completed of the sites. The city is in the initial phase of that investigation and will continue to keep residents informed of developments through the email notification system. Please make sure you are signed up in the Constant Contact email system to receive island road updates. Register your email from the city website, www.ci.shorewood.mn.us/islands2019. If you have any questions, please contact City Engineer Alyson Fauske at 952-960-7900.

Relief from potholes

This past winter was particularly tough on city streets. As a result,

Sign up for road construction eNews alerts on the city website.

the city is considering options to reallocate some of the sealcoat funds to do an overlay project on some city streets. This is being done to improve the life of the road for three to five years, rather than having to patch and fill potholes on those roads. The estimated \$550,000 available is not enough to allow the overlay of all roads that need it, but staff is working on trying to stretch

the dollars as far as possible to improve rideability for particularly bad stretches of streets, or roads that are well-traveled. Once a plan is developed and approved by the City Council, the city will notify residents in those areas.

The city will continue to repair potholes, and residents are encouraged to use the SeeClickFix reporting tool on the website to report potholes on city roads. Access SeeClickFix from the app store on your phone, or from the city website under "I Want To: SeeClickFix". Major potholes are repaired as soon as crews can respond using a temporary cold patch. Potholes that are not as deep require a hot mix patch which cannot be used until the ground temperature is consistently over 50 degrees. If you do not have internet access, please contact the city at 952.960.7900 to log a pothole report.

Shorewood is bee safe

Shorewood is proud to be the first city in Minnesota and the third in the nation to pass a Bee Safe City resolution. Since that time many communities have followed.

As a Bee Safe City, Shorewood pledged to not use neonicotinoid pesticides on city properties, to purchase plants and trees that are neonicotinoid free, and to educate

our residents on bee and pollinator safety. The city website has best practices and tips for residents. Go to www.ci.shorewood.mn.us/beesafe.

An easy way to help is to participate in bee identification. Simply use your phone or a camera and snap pictures of bees in your yard or park. To submit photos, you will first need to create an account

at iNaturalist, www.inaturalist.org. After you have created an account, click on "Projects" at the top of the page and search for "Minnesota Bee Atlas" to submit bee photos. Do not worry if you do not know the species of bee, just fill in as much information as you can. Color pictures and multiple angles are helpful for identification.

Shorewood Community & Event Center

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www.southshore-center.org

Drivers Improvement Program

Saturday, May 4, first time
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 9, refresher
9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Designed for drivers 55+. Most insurance companies offer each person completing the class a 10% auto insurance discount. Register at 1.888.234.1294.

Phone Classes

Tuesday, May 7

10 a.m. – Noon

Android Beginners

1 – 3 p.m.

iPhone Beginners

Tuesday, May 21

10 a.m. – Noon

Android Advanced

1 – 3 p.m.

iPhone Advanced

Get everything out of your smart phone. Bring your device to class. Call the center to register.

Mahjong Classes

Wednesdays

May 14, 21 and 28; 1 p.m.

Enjoy this challenging tile game. Once you learn, join our weekly play! Call the center to sign up.

The Polish Eagle:

Stories from a Lifetime with Dick Jonckowski

Tuesday, May 14; 11 a.m.

Dick Jonckowski was named "The Polish Eagle" early in his career as a young broadcaster. He has just finished co-writing a book about his life with local sports author Jim Bruton. Dick is known to generations of Minnesotans as the Gophers public address announcer for men's basketball and baseball games. Call the center to register. \$3 for members/ \$5 for non-Members

Senior Massage Class

Monday, May 13; 1-2 p.m.; \$3

Members/ \$5 Non-Members

Learn the basics of Swedish Massage in a one-hour easy course. Who wouldn't like a back rub? How about giving one? Call the center to register.

Pickleball Instruction

Each Monday starting May 6, 10-11 a.m. at the Badger Tennis Courts, learn to play pickleball. All ages love this entertaining game. Bring your own racket or borrow one of ours. Call the center to register.

Chair Massage

Tues., May 21; Noon-1 p.m.

Tues., June 18; Noon-1 p.m.

Bring your aching back, tight shoulders or neck! Work out the knots and help restore circulation. Chair massages available for \$25 for a 15-minute massage. Make an appointment by calling the center.

Happy Feet

Monday, April 15; \$40

Appointments: 763.560.5136

Age: 55+

Clients who regularly receive nursing foot care express an increased sense of comfort and well-being. The health and appearance of the feet are restored so that the client may once again participate in improved daily living. Care includes foot soak, foot massage, care for corns, calluses or problem nails.

Busy Bee Quilters

Monday and Wednesday

9 a.m.-12 p.m.; Ages: All

Have a great time sharing personal quilt projects, helping each other, and making various service projects. For more information, call Linda, 952.475.1430.

Knitting

Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.; Ages: All

Open to all interested in the needle arts. All levels of expertise welcome.

Chair Fitness

Wednesdays, 10-10:30 a.m.; \$6

This class addresses the needs and challenges of those in need of the stabilizing safety of a chair during workouts. Light weights and stretching to music is incorporated into the workout.

Bridge

Thursdays, 1 p.m.; Ages: All

Love the game of bridge? Want to join a table? Call the center to save a spot.

Fitness Class

Mon., Wed., Fri., 8:30 a.m.

\$6 per class or purchase a discount package with monthly sign up at class; Ages: 55+

Designed for active adults, uses low impact exercises to get your heart pumping!

Woodcarving

Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m.; Ages: All

Have you thought of woodcarving as a hobby or already carve? Stop in and join this community of carvers. Learn how or carve and share your knowledge.

Beading

Tuesdays, 1 p.m.; Ages: All

No experience needed for this fun group. Instruction available.

Dementia Support Group

Fridays, May 3 and May 17

10 a.m.; Ages: All

If you are caring for a loved one with dementia, or someone close to you is suffering from dementia, meet with other concerned caregivers. Learn from each other ways to be a better caregiver and self care. Questions? Call Jane at 952.474.4673, or Joanne, 952.474.6022

Closed Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day.

Council Activities

Since the last council meeting the city council:

- Approved a joint powers agreement with City of Chanhassen for a watermain extension into a portion of Shorewood.
- Accepted quotes for the repair of a lift station.
- Received an annual legislative update from Senator David Osmeck.
- Accepted a professional services agreement for Glen Road, Amlee Lane, and Manitou Lane street reconstruction project scheduled for 2020.
- Recognized as a SolSmart Bronze City.

Minutes and agendas for city council meetings are available on the city website. You can register for email updates from the home page of the city website by signing up for the "General City News and Events" category.

Disease tree evaluation

Free disease tree evaluations for oak, elm and ash trees are available for residents beginning in June. Call the city at 952.960.7900 to set up an appointment with a certified arborist. No other tree types are evaluated with this free service. A list of licensed tree services is on the website under Environment: Yard and Tree Care.



Half price rentals

Fridays through August 30, community center room rental 8 a.m.-4 p.m. is half price. Simply mention that you would like to take advantage of the Friday promo and your regular rate will be cut in half. For a personalized tour of the center, call Director Twila Grout, 952.960.7902, or by email at director@southshore-center.org.



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Report Potholes

This is a particularly bad spring for potholes. They seem to grow overnight. Public Works crews are patching roads throughout the city. If you notice a particularly bad hole, report it using the SeeClickFix app, available for your phone or from the city website, or call city hall, 952.960.7900.

State and county roads should be reported to those jurisdictions. See "I Want To: Report" on the city website for links to those reporting sites.

Every season is busy for Public Works

Shorewood streets, parks, storm and sanitary sewers, bridges, trails and sidewalks, watermains, hydrants, and municipal water are the responsibility of the Public Works Department. The equipment used to maintain the entire infrastructure of the City is also under their care.

Photo left to right: Greg Fasching, Andy Eslinger, Scott Schroeder, Rob Hanson, Larry Brown, Chris Pounder, Brad Mason (missing in the photo Bruce Stark and Chris Heitz)



Adopt a Shorewood storm drain

Volunteer fifteen minutes, twice a month, for cleaner waterways and healthier communities. Storm drains flow directly to local lakes, rivers, and wetlands, acting as a conduit for trash and organic pollutants. Adopt a Drain asks

residents to adopt a storm drain in their neighborhood and keep it clear of leaves, trash, and other debris to reduce water pollution.

Get more information or adopt your drain at <https://adopt-a-drain.org>.



Adopt a garden

Shorewood utilizes volunteers to plant and maintain gardens in the parks. There is a need for an individual, family or organization to adopt the garden at the Cathcart

Park sign and the rain garden at Eddy Station in Freeman Park. To get more information, or to volunteer to adopt a garden, contact Twila Grout by email at

tgrout@ci.shorewood.mn.us, or call 952.960.7900. This does not require gardening skills, just a desire to get your hands dirty!

Scott Zerby, Mayor; Patrick Johnson, Jennifer Labadie; Debbie Siakel; Kristine Sundberg
City Administrator; Greg Lerud; Newsletter Editor: Julie Moore



Residential Spring Clean-Up and E-Waste Recycling

Materials may be brought to the

Shorewood Public Works, 24200 Smithtown Road

8 A.M.-1 P.M., Saturday, May 18

Photo ID with proof of residency required. Cash or Check Only.

Air Comp/Generator	\$10	Pressure Washer	\$10
Appliances, Dehumidifier	\$10	Printer Cartridges	FREE
Auto Batteries	FREE	Propane Tank	\$10
Air Conditioner	\$10	Rototillers	\$10
BBQ Grills	\$10	Scrap metal	
Bicycles	FREE	(no plastic parts, etc.)	FREE
Carpet 6' x 12"	\$10	Smoke Detectors	\$2
Cell phones	FREE	Snow Blower	\$10
Chain Saw GAS or ELECTRIC	\$10	Tires	\$5
Fluorescent Bulbs	FREE	Vacuum	\$10
Furniture: Couch \$20; Stuffed Chair \$15; other \$10-15		Water Softener	\$30
Leaf Blower	\$10	Weed Wackers	\$10
Mattress/Box Spring	\$15/ea piece		
Mosquito Magnets	\$10		
Mower: Push	\$10		
Rider	\$15		
Power Tools	\$10		

**No Household Hazardous Waste
or paint accepted at this event!**

Textile Recycling: Simple Recycling will collect usable and unusable textiles and small usable household items free of charge.

E-Waste Drop-Off

Household waste only; no business e-waste. For alternative drop off locations, see the city web site, www.ci.shorewood.mn.us, under Environment: Recycling.

Cameras \$2
Radios, CD Player, Stereo \$2
Cell phones FREE
Laptop computer/scanner \$5
Desktop Computer with monitor \$15
Keyboard, Mouse FREE
Tablets, PDA, cords, cables free
Modems \$2
FAX machine \$2
Printers (small) \$2
VCR/DVD/DVR \$2
Televisions or Console/projection \$20

General Rubbish other than what is listed:

Car Load..... \$35
Van Load \$45
Half Pick-up Truck Load \$55
Trailer 4'X 8'X 2' \$45
Full Pick-up Truck Load..... \$70

**Event closes during
dangerous weather.**

Free Secure Paper Shredding Event for 2019

9 a.m. - 12 p.m., City Hall parking lot, 5755 Country Club Road, Shorewood
see reverse side for details

Got Paper? We can help!

Secure Residential Paper Shredding

Saturday, May 18

FREE! 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

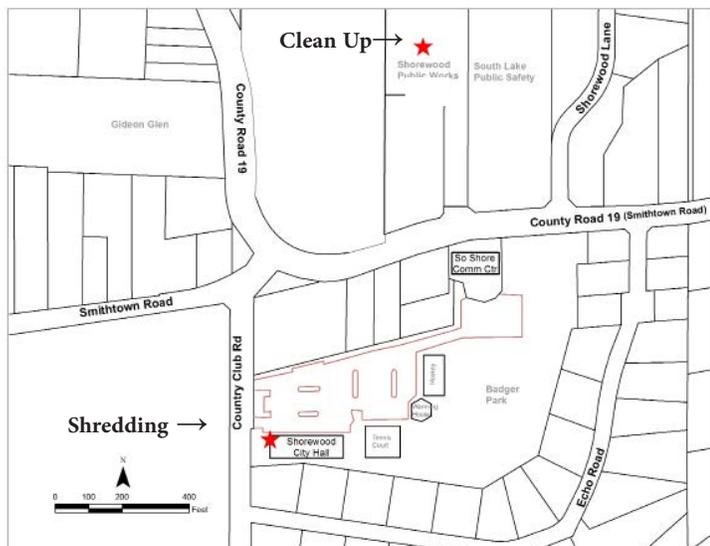
Shorewood City Hall, 5755 Country Club Road

Here's how it works:

- Gather up all of your old files, tax returns, bank statements and any other secure papers you may have (newspapers and non-secure papers should be put in your recycling cart and not brought for shredding).
- Bring the items in **paper bags** or boxes to the city hall parking lot (bags will be returned).
- Cones will be set up to direct you in one driveway.
- Stay in your vehicle-volunteers will remove your paper for the shred truck.

What to Shred (and what not to)

Although opinions differ on exactly what to shred, basically know that you should shred any documents containing signatures, account numbers, social security numbers, credit information, and any legal or medical information (including tax forms, checks, pay stubs, etc.). General mail, catalogs and flyers do not need to be shredded, and are better recycled curbside. When possible tear off the account information or name and address, recycle the remaining paper rather than shredding the entire piece. Contact cityhall@ci.shorewood.mn.us, 952.960.7900, with questions.



What you need to know

- Event will close during dangerous weather.
- You will drive your vehicle into our facility for the process where our staff and volunteers will unload it for you. Witnessed destruction can happen at that time, if so desired.
- Paper only. Please do not bring any 3 ring binders, plastics, trash or other non-paper items
- **NO PLASTIC BAGS!**
- All shredded paper is baled and shipped directly to the paper mill for recycling.
- We make every effort to meet the shredding needs of residents, but if both trucks fill the event will close prior to 12 p.m.

Summer in the Parks 2019



Freeman Park 6000 Eureka Road

Science Explorers Wizard School
Wednesday, June 19, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Entering Grades 1-5 in the fall – Maximum: 20

Join Science Explorers as they investigate a wizard's laboratory. Become an apprentice and learn the science behind the magic. Registration required.

Kite Making
Friday, June 21, 10 a.m. – Noon
Ages 7-11. Maximum: 12

Learn to make a 28" tall x 35" wide sled kite. You will also learn safety tips on flying kites. Registration required.

Science Explorers Spy Science
Wednesday, July 17, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Entering Grades 1-5 in the fall; Maximum: 20

Go undercover with Science Explorers and enter the world of espionage with fun experiments and activities. Registration required.

Zoomobile
Friday, August 9, 11 a.m.

The Minnesota Zoo brings animals to share at this popular event. No pets please.

Manor Park 20630 Manor Road

DIY Tic • Tac • Toe
Tuesday, June 25, 9:30 a.m.-Noon
\$5/participant; 8 and older

Get ready to rock! Make your own themed Tic Tac Toe game. This is a great class for kids who have lots of creativity! Registration required.

Llama Storytime with Excelsior Library
Wednesday, July 10, 10:30 a.m.

Is Your Mama a Llama? Let's find out at this fun storytime, complete with visiting llamas! No registration.

Star Wars or Unicorn Paint Event
Tuesday, July 16, 9:30-11:30 a.m.; \$10/participant
5 yrs and older; Minimum 10, Maximum 30

Join in the creative fun as we paint the Rainbow Unicorn or one of three Star Wars characters. Learn about color, design, perspective and technique. Registration required.

Truck Storytime with Excelsior Library
Wednesday, July 24, 10:30 a.m.

Who isn't fascinated by big trucks? Listen to truck stories and check out the big trucks in the park. No registration.

Bottle Cap Magnet Maze
Thursday, August 1, 9:30-11:30 a.m.; \$5 per participant
5 yrs and older – Minimum 10, Maximum 30

Let your imagination run wild! Create bottle cap bugs and make a maze that the bugs will follow via magnet power. Registration required.

Funky Fish Painting
Tuesday, August 6, 9:30-11:30 a.m.; \$10 per participant
5 yrs and older - Minimum 10, Maximum 30

Paint Funky Fish in your choice of patterns and colors. Registration required.

Register online:

www.ci.shorewood.mn.us/park_registration

#ShorewoodParks



Music in the Park

Shalo Lee Band

Thursday, July 25, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Freeman Park, 6000 Eureka Road

Invite friends and bring the family as we fill the park with blankets, lawn chairs and dancing! Enjoy the country-rock sound of Shalo Lee Band. There is nothing better than a free concert in the park, except when it's in Shorewood.



Safety Camp

Wednesday, August 14

8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Excelsior Fire District Station #1

Kids entering grades 3-5; \$20

Learn safety skills from professionals and have a great time doing it. Fee includes t-shirt, water bottle, bike helmet, lunch, and snacks. Register early. Limited space. *Sponsored by City of Shorewood, Excelsior Fire District and South Lake Police Department.*

Tennis at Badger

More information and register at www.carlsonstennis.com or contact Dan Carlson, 612-875-5507.

5735 Country Club Road

Free Tennis Play Day

Sunday, May 12

Ages 4-8 - 2 p.m.-3 p.m.

Ages 9-11- 3 p.m.-4 p.m.

Give tennis a try or if you already play, come out for fun and games! The event is free, fun, and promotes a sport of a lifetime. We will introduce some tennis basics and get the kids playing games. Wear athletic clothes and bring water. Rackets are available if needed.

Carlson Tennis Spring Junior Camp

Age 12 & under

May 13 – June 3

Monday/Wednesday 4-6 p.m.

Stars Tennis Program

June 17-20

July 22-25

Aug. 19-22

Little Stars (Ages 4-6)

1:15-2 p.m.

Rising Stars (Ages 7-8)

2-3 p.m.

Future Stars (Ages 9-11)

3-4 p.m.

Competitive Program

- High School Varsity & JV
- 2 Levels of Middle School
- Competitive Orange Ball & Red Ball

Times vary based on each camp.

Visit www.carlsonstennis.com for sign up.



Adult Programs

Back Into Tennis/Beginner Group Lessons

Mid April – June, Tuesdays 9:30-11 a.m.

Get back into the game of tennis or try it for the first time.

This is a weekly drill with no pressure.

Tuesday Advanced Drill

Mid April – September, Tuesdays 6:30-8 p.m.

This is for our advanced players, 3.5+level. Join us Tuesday evenings for a combination of drills, games, and play with a group of players.

Private Groups -- Bring friends or join one of our groups!

Save the date: Movie in the Park, Friday, September 6, 8 p.m.