



# DEAF LINE

APRIL 2015



## Deaf Social/Support Group

**Tuesday, April 21, 2015  
11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

At Schaumburg Township - Activity Center  
One Illinois Blvd., Hoffman Estates, IL 60169

- \* Important Information
- \* Announcements
- \* Bingo & Fun Games
- \* Trivia

Please bring food for lunch according to last name:  
 A - F: Cold Dish (green salad, pasta, potato salad, etc.)  
 G - L: Hot Dish  
 M - R: Desserts/Fruits  
 S - Z: Appetizers

Please let Sarita know what you will bring to avoid duplication. RSVP by April 15th: 224-520-9763 VP or sphadke@schaumburgtownship.org Email.



## Schaumburg Township Deaf/Senior Services

### ZUMBA GOLD CLASSES

Zumba Instructor  
*Sabrina Patino*  
(Fluent in ASL)

Wednesdays  
April 8th  
April 15th  
April 22nd  
April 29th

At: Schaumburg Township,  
One Illinois Blvd., Hoffman Estates, IL.

TIME:  
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

GOOD NEWS!  
After Zumba, stay for FREE  
Chair Yoga Lessons  
(30 minutes: 5:30 to 6 p.m.)

COST (Cash only):

- ♦ \$15 if signed up for 4 classes (Zumba)
- OR
- ♦ \$5 per class

For RSVP or more information, contact:

- Sarita: 224-520-9763 VP
- Caryn: 847-884-0030 ext. 2018

## UPCOMING PRESENTATIONS AROUND CHICAGOLAND

- ◆ Tuesday, April 21st - Illinois Deaf & Hard of Hearing Commission (IDHHC) and AIM Center for Independent Living will have an important presentation, “**Are You Ready if Disaster Strikes?**” given by American Red Cross at AIM office, 3130 Finley Road, Suite 500, Downers Grove, IL., 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Learn how to prepare for any emergency and also how to create your emergency plan and kit. Materials and resources will be provided. RSVP is required by April 14th: 630-984-4251 VP. Sign language interpreters will be provided but any other accommodations must be requested by April 7th.
- ◆ Thursday, April 23rd - The Victim Assistance Program from the Chicago Hearing Society (CHS) invites you to The Victim Rights Awareness Night at Chicago Hearing Society, 4th floor Conference room, 2001 N. Clybourn Avenue, Chicago. There will be a presentation by Court Sign Language Interpreters, June Prusak, Ann Wohlmuth and Coleen Hogan. The theme is “**Finding Your Way In The Court System With A Sign Language Interpreter**”. Free admission. Voice and CDI interpreters will be provided. No childcare available. Free parking behind 2032 N. Clybourn building and Clybourn Street. Light supper will be served at 4 p.m., followed by the presentation from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Please RSVP to Michele Cunningham by April 22nd: mcunningham@anixter.org Email or 773-904-0104 VP.
- ◆ Sunday, April 26th - Is the day of celebrating **Mother Father Deaf Day (MFDD)** in which Children of Deaf Adults (CODA) honor their Deaf parents and recognize the gifts of culture and language they receive from them. The Illinois CODA invites you to a special presentation, “ASL Fight Club: Round 1” by Jim Van Manen, on that day, 1 to 4 p.m., at Schaumburg Township District Library, Rasmussen North room (2nd floor), 130 S. Roselle Road, Schaumburg, IL. Jim Van Manen is an associate professor from Columbia College Chicago’s ASL-English Interpretation Department and will talk about his new book, “The Fingerspelling Code” and his ASL research. His presentation demonstrates a variety of hidden processes that regularly occur in ASL. Regardless of level of skill, those who attend will leave with a toolkit ready to win at becoming fluent in the hardest aspects of receptive and expressive ASL. After the presentation, there will be a Question/Answer session and refreshments. For more information, contact Shirley Galvin: codainillinois@yahoo.com Email.

### GREAT APPRECIATION

The “Emergency Preparedness - Are You Ready?” Presentation on March 18th was a huge success and the audience appreciated the information provided by the American Red Cross.

Schaumburg Township Deaf Services would like to thank the following presenter/agencies for this informative and successful workshop:

- ◆ Presenter, Mr. Indonic Metz
- ◆ American Red Cross
- ◆ Illinois Deaf & Hard of Hearing Commission (IDHHC)
- ◆ Illinois Department of Public Health

If you would like the power point presentation, please email Sarita Phadke to request one: [spfadke@schaumburgtownship.org](mailto:spfadke@schaumburgtownship.org)

### NAD VISITS CHICAGO

The National Association of the Deaf (NAD) will have their Board Meetings in Chicago area. It is encouraged that you attend the meetings and events as well. Below is a list of meetings/events:

- ◆ Thursday, April 16th - Board meeting will be held at Chicago Hearing Society, 2001 N. Clybourn Ave, Chicago, 2 to 6 p.m.
- ◆ Friday, April 17th - Board Meeting will be held at Swoboda Deaf Center, 7050 W. Belmont Avenue, Chicago, 2 to 5 p.m.
- ◆ Friday, April 17th - Fundraising Event at Swoboda Deaf Center, Chicago, 6 to 8:30 p.m. (see page 5 for details)
- ◆ Friday, April 17th - Duppies Night at D’Agostino’s, 3131 N. Thatcher Avenue, River Grove, IL, 9 to 11:30 p.m.
- ◆ Saturday, April 18th - Board Meeting at Swoboda Deaf Center, Chicago, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- ◆ Saturday, April 18th - NAD Town Hall will be held at MOPD Field Office, 2102 W. Ogden Avenue, Chicago, 6:30 to 9 p.m.

**For more information or any questions, contact [lizzie.sorkin@nad.org](mailto:lizzie.sorkin@nad.org) Email.**



# NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK APRIL 12 - 18, 2015

Schaumburg Township wants to recognize the following Deaf Volunteers who have given generously of their time during 2014 to serve the needs of the community by assembling Deaf Line newsletters, and helping out with the picnic, holiday parties, and meetings.



Phyllis Ackermann  
Gaetano Adamo  
Carmen Aguilar  
Mary Ball  
Don & Marie Balsitis  
Jenny Bratanch  
Jane & Joseph Delulio

Ruth Haynie  
Annette Langston  
Betty Jo Lucero  
Anil Phadke  
Eileen Rozborski  
Charlyne St. Leger  
Diane Wilson

We are lucky to have these wonderful volunteers who stepped up to make a difference in our communities. Thank you once again!

## PICTURES FROM DEAF SOCIAL/SUPPORT GROUP AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PRESENTATION





## CINCO DE MAYO CELEBRATION

Illinois Deaf Latino Association (IDLA) invites you and family to their fun event - **Cinco De Mayo**. There will be Mexican food,

games, folk dance, trivia, arts and crafts, traditional costumes, piñata, raffles and much more.

This event will be held:

- ◆ Sunday, May 3, 2015
- ◆ 1 to 5 p.m.
- ◆ Location TBA

The cost is \$5 per person (13 years and up); \$2 per child (5 - 12 years); free for children under 4.

Please RSVP by April 27th:

\* Maria Hernandez: mabelmih@hotmail.com Email

\* Miguel Herrera: 224-220-1139 VP



## ABILITY TO TEXT TO VILLAGE OF SCHAUMBURG

The Village of Schaumburg now allows the public to text any request for service (pot holes, broken street light, damaged

trees etc.) or to get general information from a mobile device to initiate a Customer Service Request (CSR) - giving the public another way to connect with the Village. Use this number: **847-306-9862** to text. Once information is texted, participants will get a confirmation text and a tracking number. Users are not required to provide their names; however additional information such as location, nature of the problems, etc may be required in order for the Village to take the next appropriate steps. Do not use this number for any emergency. For all emergencies, you should dial 911. For more information, email Peter Schaak: pschaak@ci.schaumburg.il.us

## ISD SUMMER CAMPS

The Illinois School for the Deaf (ISD) will offer a variety of summer camp activities for children who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing: Creative Arts Camp, Sports Camp, and Science, Technology, Art & Math Camp and Basketball Camps. These camps will be held at the ISD campus, 125 Webster Avenue in Jacksonville, IL.



- ◆ **Creative Arts Camp** (grades 3 to 6) on June 14 - 19, 2015
- ◆ **Sports Camp** (grades 5 to 8) on June 14 - 19, 2015
- ◆ **Science, Technology, Art and Math Camp** (grades 7 to 10) on June 14 - 19, 2015
- ◆ **Basketball Camps for Girls** (grades 5 to 12) on June 7 - 13, 2015



In addition, ISD will host **Camp ISD** for parents of Illinois children who are Deaf & Hard of Hearing on June 17 - 19, 2015. There will be plenty of family activities, workshops/funshops, and much more.

For more information on camp fees, requirements, deadlines and registration, visit [www.illinoisdeaf.org](http://www.illinoisdeaf.org) and then click outreach and events.



## MCLD CONTACT INFORMATION

If you need a specific lawyer and don't know where to get one, you can contact the Midwest Center on Laws and the Deaf (MCLD) to get a list of lawyers. The contact information is 800-894-3653 Voice or [contactmcld@gmail.com](mailto:contactmcld@gmail.com). Visit the website for more information: [www.mclld.org](http://www.mclld.org)



## SAVE THE DATE

Schaumburg Township is proud to be an organizational sponsor for the Abilities Expo, coming to the Renaissance Schaumburg Convention Center (1551 Thoreau Drive N. in Schaumburg) on June 12 - 14, 2015. The Expo will bring the disability marketplace to see new products and state-of-the-art technology. There will be informational, educational, and interactive events, exhibits, and sessions. Admission is free and show hours are Friday 11am-5 pm, Saturday 11am- 5pm and Sunday 11am – 4pm. For the latest updates on special events, the conference program, and exhibitors, visit [www.abilitiesexpo.com](http://www.abilitiesexpo.com)



## FUN EVENTS AROUND CHICAGOLAND

- ◆ The **79th Annual Great Lakes Deaf Bowling Association (GLDBA) & 68th Annual Great Lakes Deaf Women Bowling Association (GLDWBA) Tournaments** will be held on April 9 - 12, 2015, at Stardust Bowl, 37 Lorraine Avenue, Addison, IL. The headquarter place is at Marriott Hotel in Schaumburg. The cost is \$50 per person at the door; \$20 for seniors (55+); \$10 for children between 13-18; free for children 12 & under. It includes admission to three-day access to bowling alley, magic show and program book. For more information, email: [gldba2015@gmail.com](mailto:gldba2015@gmail.com) or check [www.wsadeaf.com](http://www.wsadeaf.com)
- ◆ **City of Chicago Duppies** meet on Friday, April 10, 2015, 7 p.m. to 2 a.m., at Hard Water Bar & Grill, 7545 N. Clark, Chicago, IL.
- ◆ Deaf European American Association of Chicago (DEAAC) will host their **Social Night - "Spring Fever"** on Saturday, April 11, 2015, 5 to 11 p.m., at Swoboda Deaf Center, 7050 W. Belmont Avenue, Chicago. There will be socialization and "Switch" card games. The admission cost is \$3 per member; \$5 per non-member. For information, contact Demir: 773-295-6351 VP or [dbekiri7daeap@yahoo.com](mailto:dbekiri7daeap@yahoo.com) Email.
- ◆ McHenry County Deaf Club (MCDC) will host the **Easter Dinner/Social Night** on Saturday, April 11, 2015, 4 to 11 p.m., at Real Time Sports Bar, 1120 W. Devon, Elk Grove Village, IL. There will be buffet dinner, games, cash and door prizes, Easter costume prizes and much more. The cost is \$35 per person. If interested, send a check or money order (payable to MCDC) to MCDC, P. O. Box 14, Round Lake Beach, IL 60073. Deadline: April 3rd.
- ◆ Swoboda Deaf Center & Chicago Chapter of Illinois Association of the Deaf will host the **National Association of the Deaf (NAD) Fundraiser Dinner** on Friday, April 17, 2015, 6.p.m., at Swoboda Deaf Center, 7050 W. Belmont Avenue, Chicago. Dinner menu will be chicken, beef, pasta, dessert and coffee/tea/water. Vegetarian meal is available upon request. The cost per person (all-you-can-eat) is \$30; \$35 at the door. If interested, send a check by April 9th to Swoboda Deaf Center Attn: Sheila O'Donnell, 7050 W. Belmont Avenue, Chicago, IL 60634. Be sure to include your name, and indicate if a vegetarian meal is preferred. You can also pay via PayPal (by April 14th) to [swobodadeafcenter@gmail.com](mailto:swobodadeafcenter@gmail.com). For more information, email: [sdc.edglennon@gmail.com](mailto:sdc.edglennon@gmail.com) or [lorikrakora@gmail.com](mailto:lorikrakora@gmail.com)
- ◆ Deaf Quest will sponsor a **Deaf Art Workshop** on Saturday, April 18, 2015, 2 to 5 p.m., at ASL Studio, 3711 N. Ravenswood Avenue, Suite 143, Chicago, IL. This workshop will help you explore your own creativity with Chicago's Deaf Artist, Julie Stromme. The cost is \$30 per person. Because of limited number of seats, please reserve yours with payment by April 16th. For information, email [arts@deafquest.com](mailto:arts@deafquest.com)
- ◆ The Harper College Deaf & Hard of Hearing Program hosts its **11th Annual Co-Ed Volleyball Tournament for High School & College Teams** on April 25, 2015, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. It will be held at Harper College, Building M (Gym) in Palatine. There will be concessions serving food, snacks and beverages. The admission cost for fans is: \$5 (adults); \$3 (students with ID); Free for children 12 and under, but must be accompanied by an adult. For more information, contact Debby Sampson: 224-836-5051 VP or [dsampson@harpercollege.edu](mailto:dsampson@harpercollege.edu) Email. Check [www.harperevents.com](http://www.harperevents.com).
- ◆ Chicago Catholic Ephpheta (CCE) and International Catholic Deaf Association (ICDA) will host their fundraising event - **United We Stand With You** on Sunday, April 26, 2015, 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., at St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center, 8025 W. Addison, Chicago, IL. There will be homemade food/desserts, gift baskets, signing songs and raffle tickets (vacation certificate). Donation: \$10 per adult; \$5 per child (5-17 years); free for child under 4. All proceeds benefit ICDA Deaf Youth Program. Deadline to pay is April 19th. For more information about tickets, contact Stella Kim-Hill: [mianne74@hotmail.com](mailto:mianne74@hotmail.com) Email.



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## IAD BIENNIAL CONFERENCE

It is not too late to register for the **48th IAD (Illinois Association of the Deaf) Biennial**

**Conference** on June 25 - 27, 2015, at Stoney Creek Hotel & Conference Center in Moline, IL. There will be plenty of activities such as workshops, general meeting, bylaws forum, banquet, Deaf youth program, family program, entertainment, exhibit booths and much more.

For more information on registration rates or to view/print the flyers, visit [www.iadeaf.org](http://www.iadeaf.org)



## CDS LUNCHEON

The Chicagoland Deaf Seniors (CDS)'s 5th Annual Family Style Luncheon will be held on Sunday, May 3, 2015, at

Atlantis Banquets, 1273 E. Rand Road, Arlington Heights, IL. The cash bar is at 11 a.m., followed by lunch at noon. The cost is \$25 per person. If interested in attending, mail the check or money order (payable to Chicagoland Deaf Seniors) to CDS, 407 W. Clarendon Street, Prospect Heights, IL 60070. Deadline is April 25th. No refunds! For more information, contact Ellen Cooke: 847-637-5156 VP or [ecqqke@aol.com](mailto:ecqqke@aol.com) Email.



## COMMUNITY SHOW

The ASL Department of Columbia College Chicago presents the Community Show - "Little Shop of Horrors"

performed by Crom Saunder on Saturday, May 9, 2015, 2 p.m., at Columbia College, Stage 2, 2nd floor, 618 S. Michigan Avenue, Chicago, IL. This show will be performed simultaneously in American Sign Language and Spoken English. The cost is \$15 per person and free for students with ID.



## **A Friendly reminder:**

Last day to file for Income Tax is on April 15, 2015.



## COMMUNITY PAINT-A-THON PROGRAM

The 28th annual Community Paint-A-Thon will be held on Saturday, September 12, 2015. The Paint-A-Thon program provides the painting of exterior single-family homes at no cost to those who meet the criteria. To qualify, homeowners must own and occupy the home and have limited financial resources, and are 60 years of age, or a veteran, or have a permanent disability that hinders them from doing the work themselves. Applications are now available at Schaumburg Township or you can call Catholic Charities at 847-253-5500. Applications are due June 15th. Homes that have peeling, fading or worn paint, should consider applying. Once a home is determined eligible, the assigned volunteer teams will scrape, prime, and then paint the house.



## CUBS GAME OUTINGS

West Suburban Association of the Deaf (WSAD) will have three outings to the Chicago Cubs Games.

- ◆ July 11th - Chicago Cubs against Chicago White Sox, at 3 p.m.
- ◆ August 1st - Chicago Cubs against Milwaukee Brewers in Milwaukee, WI at 6 p.m.
- ◆ September 19th - Chicago Cubs against St. Louis Cardinals. Time TBA.

Tickets are limited - first come first serve. Check [www.wsadeaf.com](http://www.wsadeaf.com) to get details of the costs.

## DEAAC'S EVENT

Deaf European American Association of Chicago (DEAAC) will host its event: Dinner and \$500 flight giveaway on Saturday, May 9, 2015, 5 p.m., at Swoboda Deaf Center, 7050 W. Belmont Avenue, Chicago. The cost before May 3rd is \$25 (member); \$30 (non-member). The cost at the door is \$30 (member); \$35 (non-member). If interested, mail a check (payable to DEAAC) to DEAAC, 3032 N. New England, Chicago, IL 60634. No refunds!

Note: To be eligible to win the \$500 flight giveaway, members must be in good standing for 3 or more years. For more information, contact Demir: 773-295-6351 VP/[deaac2003@yahoo.com](mailto:deaac2003@yahoo.com) Email or Calbert: 224-217-9648 VP. Check [www.deaac.org](http://www.deaac.org)

## TOWNSHIP INFORMATION

([www.schaumburgtownship.org](http://www.schaumburgtownship.org))



### Important Notice

- ◆ **Annual Town Meeting** will be held on Tuesday, April 14, 2015, 6:45 p.m., at Schaumburg Township, Activity Center, One Illinois Blvd., Hoffman Estates, IL. Come and meet your local Township officials and learn how the Township government works for you. The board members will provide an informative overview of the “State of Schaumburg Township” and will be available to meet with Township residents.
- ◆ **2nd Annual Community Rummage Sale** will be held on Saturday, May 30, 2015, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., at Schaumburg Township. Reserve your space beginning April 1st for township residents and May 1st for all others. There is a \$25 cash/check refundable deposit for a 9' x 17' space, and \$50 for 18' x 17' space. Tables will be made available for a \$5 non-refundable charge.
- ◆ **Community Health Nurse** - Community Health Nurse, Josie Gould, provides health and wellness services to Schaumburg Township residents on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays & Fridays by appointment if necessary. Some services include blood pressure screenings, medication management, and support groups. For more information on services and upcoming health meetings, please call 847-285-4552 or email [jgould@nch.org](mailto:jgould@nch.org).
- ◆ **Employment Support Center** - Can assist you with your job search. The center is open on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Career counseling is available by appointment: 847-285-4553 or [RPPE.Careering@gmail.com](mailto:RPPE.Careering@gmail.com) Email.
- ◆ Mark your calendar for our **Disability Picnic**: Saturday, August 15, 2015

## “Swing into Spring”

### SENIOR EXPO 2015

Friday, April 24, 2015 • 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.  
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For more information, call the **Maine Township MaineStreamers** at 847-297-2510 or visit the Senior Expo section of the township's website: [www.maintownship.com/seniorexpo](http://www.maintownship.com/seniorexpo)

## BEYOND THE BOOKS SILENT WEEKEND 2015

The Department of ASL-English Interpretation at Columbia College will host their “Beyond the Books Silent Weekend 2-15” on April 24 - 26, 2015, at Camp Manitoqua & Retreat Center, 8122 W. Sauk Trail, Frankfort, IL. It is for Deaf Studies and ASL Interpreting students and gives them to go “Beyond the Books” to experience Deaf Culture, learn ASL and be immersed in a fun learning environment away from classroom. Also, it gives students the opportunity to enhance their ASL receptive and expressive skills, challenges them to be “silent” and have an ASL adventure.

Visit [www.beyondthebookssilentweekend.weebly.com](http://www.beyondthebookssilentweekend.weebly.com) for more information about the weekend, registration fees, schedule, etc.

## WSAD'S NEW WEBSITE

West Suburban Association of the Deaf (WSAD) has a new website with a new look. Check out [www.wsadeaf.com](http://www.wsadeaf.com) and remove [www.wsadeaf.org](http://www.wsadeaf.org) from your computer.





Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 * Interpreted Show	 ** Open Captioned	SCH TWP refers to Schaumburg Township	<b>1</b> Zumba Gold Class at SCH TWP; 4:30 to 5:30pm	<b>2</b> All Angels gathering at Episcopal Church of Our Savior in Elmhurst, IL; 10am to 3pm	<b>3</b> Good Friday DHH Chat Coffee at Starbucks, 198 W. Roosevelt Road, Villa Park; 6 to 9pm	<b>4</b> Happy Passover! ** "Furious 7" movie at AMC Randhurst 12, 200 Randhurst Village Dr, Mt. Prospect; Ticket - \$6.42
<b>5</b> Happy Easter!	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Consolidated Primary Election	<b>8</b> Zumba & Yoga Class at SCH TWP; 4:30 to 6pm; also on April 15th, 22nd & 29th; RSVP: 224-520-9763	<b>9</b> GLDBA Tournaments on April 9-12, 2015 Rockford Senior Citizens at CSH, Rockford; 9am-3pm	<b>10</b> Deaf Chat Coffee at Starbucks in Streets of Woodfield, 601 N. Martingale Rd, Schaumburg; 7-11pm	<b>11</b> DEAAC Social Night at Swoboda Deaf Center, Chicago; 5 to 11 p.m. (www.deaac.org)
<b>12</b> National Volunteer Week (April 12 - 18, 2015)	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Annual Town Meeting at SCH TWP, Hoffman Estates; 6:45 p.m.	<b>15</b> Last day to file for Income Tax!	<b>16</b> Holocaust Remembrance Day! * "Les Misérables" at Paramount Theatre, Aurora, 7pm; 630-896-6666	<b>17</b> NAD Fundraiser Dinner at Swoboda Deaf Center, 7050 W. Belmont, Chicago, 6pm	<b>18</b> NAD Town Hall at MOPD Field Office, 2102 W. Ogden Avenue, Chicago; 6:30 to 9pm
<b>19</b> ALDA Chicago's 27th Birthday Celebration/ Party at Cooper's Corner in Winfield; 1 to 4pm	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> Deaf Social/ Support Group - "Spring Fever" at SCH TWP, Hoffman Estates; 11:30am 224-520-9763	<b>22</b> Earth Day! SCH TWP Board Meeting at SCH TWP, Hoffman Estates, IL; 7pm	<b>23</b> St. Francis Deaf Seniors at Swoboda Deaf Center, 7050 W. Belmont, Chicago; 9am to 4pm	<b>24</b> Deaf Chat Coffee at Starbucks, 1441 S. Randall Road, Geneva, IL; 7 to 10 p.m.	<b>25</b> Harper Deaf Volleyball Tournaments at Harper College, Palatine; 9am to 5pm (www.harper-events.com)
<b>26</b> Mother Father Deaf Day event at Schaumburg Library, Rasmussen North room, Schaumburg; 1 to 4 p.m.	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>		



## RECYCLING EVENT

The Village of Schaumburg, School District 54 and Schaumburg Township District Library will host a recycling event on Saturday, April 18, 2015, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the School District 54 parking lot, 524 E. Schaumburg Road, Schaumburg. This will allow residents to drop off electronics, books, computers, televisions, small household appliances, batteries, CFL bulbs, cell phones, fax machines, clothing, shoes, batteries, bicycles and more for recycling, as well as paper for shredding (limit to 2 boxes per resident). The event is free!

Please visit [www.villageofschaumburg.com](http://www.villageofschaumburg.com) for a list of other accepted items or for more information. You can also call 847-923-6644 Voice.

**NOTE:** Paint, gas, paint thinner, and other hazardous waste will NOT be accepted.



## ITAC PROGRAM

Our ITAC Selection Center is available for Amplified phone, CapTel phone, and TTY viewing or testing. ITAC's program distributes FREE phones and TTYs to any Illinois resident with a certified hearing loss, and local residential phone service. There are 4 different amplified phones from which to choose. Also available is the CapTel (captioned phone) loan program. For more information, please call 847-884-0030 ext. 2025 V, 847-884-1560 TTY or 224-520-9763 VP. Visit [www.itactty.org](http://www.itactty.org) for more information.

## SHIP PROGRAM

The Senior Health Insurance Program (SHIP) offers free individual counseling services at local sites throughout Illinois. There are trained volunteers who can assist with various Medicare issues. There are several SHIP counselors at Schaumburg Township who can assist you in any way. Sarita Phadke is one of the SHIP counselors. For an appointment, call 847-884-0030 V, 224-520-9763 VP or 847-884-1560 TTY.

**SHIP is not affiliated with any insurance company. SHIP counselors do not sell or solicit any type of insurance.**



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**Website:** [www.schaumburgtownship.org](http://www.schaumburgtownship.org)

## Disabled Services

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## Township Officials

**Mary Wroblewski**—Supervisor

**Diane Dunham**—Trustee

**W. Robert Vinnedge**—Trustee

**Jeffrey S. Mytych**—Trustee

**Nimish Jani**—Trustee

**Timothy M. Heneghan**—Clerk

**John R. Lawson, C.I.A.O.**—Assessor

**Scott M. Kegarise**—Highway Commissioner

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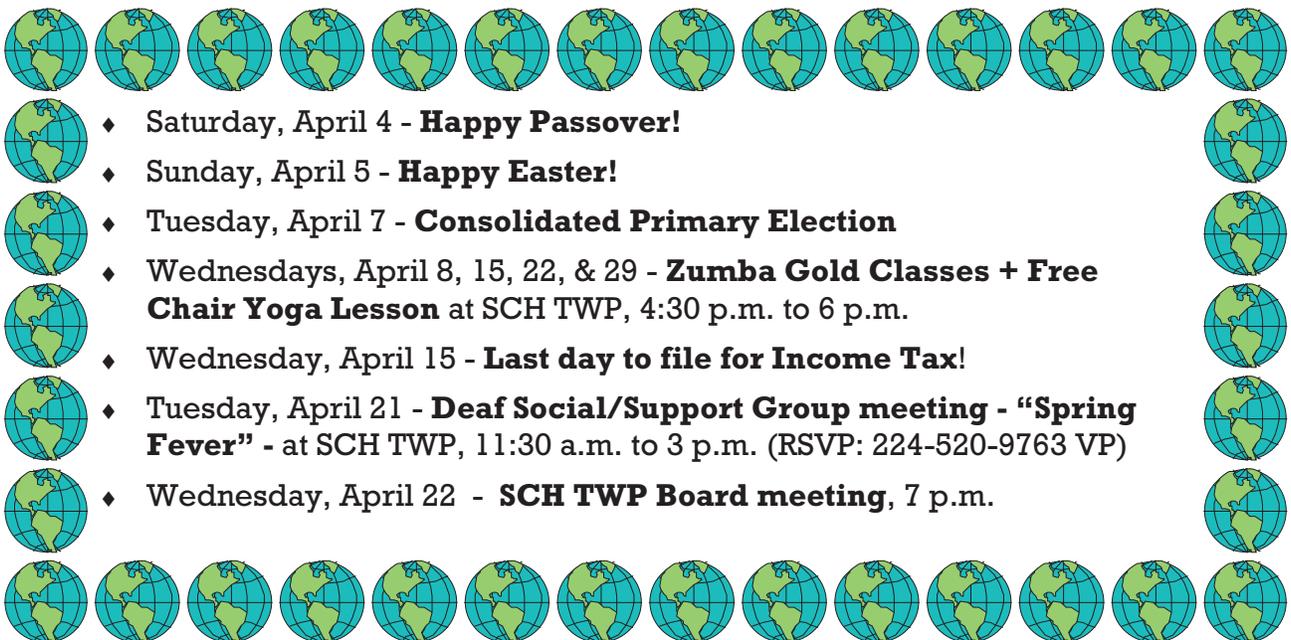
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DATES TO REMEMBER  
**APRIL 2015**



- ◆ Saturday, April 4 - **Happy Passover!**
- ◆ Sunday, April 5 - **Happy Easter!**
- ◆ Tuesday, April 7 - **Consolidated Primary Election**
- ◆ Wednesdays, April 8, 15, 22, & 29 - **Zumba Gold Classes + Free Chair Yoga Lesson** at SCH TWP, 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- ◆ Wednesday, April 15 - **Last day to file for Income Tax!**
- ◆ Tuesday, April 21 - **Deaf Social/Support Group meeting - "Spring Fever"** - at SCH TWP, 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. (RSVP: 224-520-9763 VP)
- ◆ Wednesday, April 22 - **SCH TWP Board meeting**, 7 p.m.

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