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Message from Mayor Kevin M. Fitzgerald

Dear Friends,

2022 has been another very active year for the Village, and the pace of activity looks like it will continue into the new year. Many major projects that have impacted the Village entered their final stages during 2022 and many new projects are underway. Below are a few highlights from the year that is ending and a look at some exciting projects that will be completed in the coming year.

Third Track Project

A few weeks ago, there was a good amount of fanfare over the “completion” of the Third Track Project. The MTA/LIRR received criticism that their pronouncement was premature. Nonetheless, we understand what they meant—the project was complete in the sense that the “third track” was put into use, and we are grateful that this long project is coming to an end.

However, there are many project “elements” throughout the project corridor, including in Floral Park, that are still far from finished. The Village has been actively engaging 3TC and the MTA/LIRR to complete the unfinished aspects of the Third Track Project in the Village.

One unfinished aspect of the Third Track Project that is of particular concern to the Village is the restoration of the area around Tunnel Street. The Village disagrees with the MTA/LIRR’s proposal to install a permanent vehicular access gate at Tunnel Street.

The Village has proposed various alternatives to a vehicle gate at this location and has proposed modifications to the MTA/LIRR’s plans to make it as safe as possible if a vehicle gate were to be installed. The MTA/LIRR has accepted certain of the Village’s proposed modifications, but not all. The Village believes more can be done to make it as safe as possible. At our December 6th Village Board meeting, the Senior Director of External Affairs for the MTA/LIRR graciously came to explain why the MTA/LIRR believes the installation of a permanent vehicle gate at Tunnel Street is necessary and why the MTA/LIRR believes certain of the Village’s requested mitigation measures cannot be implemented.

At that meeting County Legislator John Giuffre explained that Nassau County would examine the Village’s alternative proposal that a vehicle access point for the MTA/LIRR be installed on Stewart Street (instead of on Tunnel Street) at the entrance for the County recharge basin.

The Village believes a vehicle access gate at that location would be much safer than a vehicle access gate at Tunnel Street. The Village hopes to find a reasonable solution which balances the MTA/LIRR’s need to have access to their equipment and facilities and the Village’s need to keep Tunnel Street safe for pedestrians and children on bikes on their way to the Recreation Center.

During this period, it is helpful if you continue to express your concerns about the Third Track Project to 3TC and the MTA/LIRR. We have found the following contact information is the most effective way to contact 3TC and the MTA/LIRR about the Third Track Project:

MTA-LIRR at: <https://contact.mta.info/s/customer-feedback> or by phone: 718-217-5477 (this is an automated response but you can ask for “more options” and then ask for “comments and concerns” to speak to a person.)

3TC maintains a 24/7 Community Hotline at 516-203-4955 (you get a live person) or you can send 3TC an email at CommunityOutreach@LIRRExpansion.com.

Belmont

The arena is now a year old and with the help of our elected officials, various agencies and our own employees, we have been able to minimize some major impacts. Through the diligent efforts of the neighbors and a positive working relationship with the Oak View Group’s Director of External Affairs and the Arena’s Vice President of Security, we have been able to “nip in the bud” several concerns before they have become significant quality of life issues. We will continue to remain vigilant on all aspects to minimize, to the greatest extent possible, any negative impacts on Floral Park.

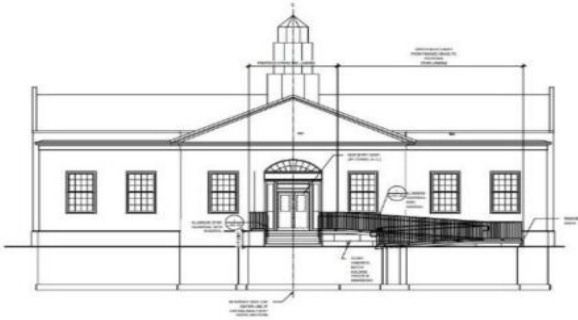
Additionally, we have been speaking with the Superintendent of Operations and Capital Projects of the New York Racing Association (NYRA) with regards to the installation of a mini berm and the relocation of the fencing in the arena parking lot that borders the residences from Mayfair to Crocus Avenues. Additionally, a new row of arborvitaes is to be installed once the fencing is relocated to visually screen the residences from the arena parking lot and also to help decrease some of the noise coming from the arena parking lot. NYRA’s Superintendent of Operations has assured us that the installation of the mini-berm and relocation of the fence will be done as soon as NYRA completes restoring the tracks from where the new tunnels were done in time for the Spring 2023 meets.

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Mayor's Message (Continued)

Library Entrance Ramp

Our Library, voted the "Best" in Nassau County this past Summer, is getting a new front entrance ramp and steps that will meet universal design and access standards. This work will continue through the Winter and will be completed this Spring. Of course, the Library will remain open to the public throughout this construction. The entrance during construction is located in the rear of the building on the Tulip Avenue side.



Multi-Purpose Rink

Improvements are also happening at the Recreation Center. Our Multi-Purpose Rink was originally constructed in 1997. It was immediately popular and well utilized for roller hockey, basketball and, most recently, pickleball. Thankfully, due to diligent maintenance efforts by our Recreation and DPW Department staff, the Multi-Purpose Rink lasted many years beyond its expected life and is now in need of a complete reconstruction. That work is happening now and we expect it to be completed by the end of Spring.



IMA for Walkway Across Sump by the Post Office

Some good ideas take a while to come to fruition. Back in 2002, Mayor Ann Corbett proposed a walkway across the Nassau County recharge basin property next to the Post Office on Tulip Avenue. The purpose of this walkway was to make the Creedmoor Spur parking lot more easily accessible to residents and business patrons on Tulip Avenue and to the west of Tulip Avenue. It would also be more convenient for LIRR parking at the Floral Park LIRR station. Through the efforts of Nassau County Legislature Presiding Officer Richard Nicoletto and with the help of County Legislator John Giuffre, the County has recently approved an Inter-Municipal Agreement (IMA) with the Village whereby the County will allow and provide funding for the Village's construction of this walkway.

Covert Avenue and Centennial Hall Construction Updates

Both of the major building projects in the Village -- the Centennial Hall and Covert Avenue residential apartment developments -- are proceeding after several public hearings before the Village's Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) and the Architectural Review Board (ARB). Earlier this year, both projects received the approvals they required from the ZBA to move forward, although in the case of the Centennial Hall development proposal, the ZBA eliminated three of the smaller units from the project.

The projects then moved on for ARB approvals. The Covert Avenue redevelopment has received ARB approval and Centennial Hall redevelopment still has updated drawings to submit to continue on with the ARB process. The developers must then submit detailed construction drawings to the Building Department for review. Our Building Superintendent, Renee Marcus, is working with these developers to move these projects along as quickly as possible.



New Recycling Collection Schedule Changes

As we do each year, we include in the December Village Items the Sanitation and Recycling Calendar for the coming year. Please note that for 2023 there will be some significant changes to the recycling collection schedule. These changes reflect major changes in the recycling materials market, the rising cost of equipment associated with recycling and dramatically increased dumping fees. These changes also respond to changes in habits. As a result of the growing prevalence of on-line shopping, the amount of cardboard recycling material placed for pick up has increased dramatically.

Under this new recycling collection schedule, the Village will collect a single category of recyclable material with each pick up. That is, cardboard and paper recyclables will be picked up one day and, on a different day, metal and glass will be collected. By making these changes, the Village will be able to save on the need for very expensive recycling trucks which are needed to collect commingled recycling waste. This will also result in reduced dumping fees. There are also changes as to how e-waste will be collected.

As you will note in the attached sanitation/recycling calendars, there are no changes in your regular garbage collection schedule. But please review to see the changes in the recycling pickups. There is more information about these changes inside (page 13) and if you have questions, you can call our Department of Public Works at 516 326-6320.

Downtown Revitalization Initiative

Recently, the Village submitted a grant application for the New York State Downtown Revitalization Initiative (DRI) to improve the Village business districts. The grant, if approved, would be for \$10 million to improve the downtowns to provide a beautified Business District with a vision to enhance unity among the separate areas, attract new commerce and provide a centralized hub for quality dining, shopping, leisure arts and culture. Reports have been given at the Civic Association meetings throughout the year and the Village will continue to apply and keep on trying until we win!

The 4VS show that I filmed with Deputy Mayor Lynn Pombonyo and Superintendent of Buildings Renee Marcus is very informative and takes you through the steps that the Village has taken to date. Thank you to all of the residents, businesses, Deputy Mayor Pombonyo and Building Superintendent Renee Marcus for all of their hard work on this. This program can be viewed on your Four Village Studio Channel or online at www.4vs.org under the “watch now” tab.

Road Program

For the last several years the Village has been pursuing a road program to improve the conditions of the roads in the Village. This past year we finished the total reconstruction of Spooner Street, the Spooner Street Parking Lot and Marshall Avenue between Covert Avenue and Orchid Street. In the Spring, total reconstruction of Hinsdale and Clayton Avenues are planned.

In other locations the Village did a repaving (as opposed to a more extensive total reconstruction) of less severely damaged roads. For example, Tunnel Street, Main Street and a portion of South Tyson Avenue were repaved. This repaving of Tunnel Street, Main Street, and parts of South Tyson Avenue is to be paid for by 3TC as a result of the wear and tear on these roads as part of the Third Track Project. The balance of South Tyson Avenue was repaved and that will be paid through New York State CHIPS Funds.

Also, in the past the Village reached an agreement with National Grid to share the cost of repaving streets where National Grid has been trenching the streets as part of their work. National Grid is required to patch the areas they have trenched, but National Grid is not required to repave the entire width of these streets. The Village and National Grid shared the cost of repaving the entire width of the streets on which National Grid worked (for example: Orchid Street, Hill Street, Fern Street, Marshall Avenue from Orchid Street to Revere Drive West, Revere Drive West from Tulip Avenue to Marshall Avenue, Revere Drive East, Revere Court). We are currently discussing this again with National Grid and believe we will have a similar agreement for the several blocks on which National Grid has done extensive work over the last several weeks (such as: Carnation Avenue from Raff Avenue to Birch, Cypress Avenue from Raff Avenue to Floral Parkway, Birch Street from Carnation Avenue to Willow Street, Willow Street from Floral Parkway to the dead end of Willow Street, Floral Parkway from Cypress Avenue to Oak Street, Harvard Street from Magnolia Avenue to Tulip Avenue, Nassau Street from Magnolia Avenue to Tulip Avenue, Lexington Street from Magnolia Avenue to Tulip Avenue).

New Pumper Truck for Reliance Fire House

To enable our volunteer Fire Department to effectively and safely serve our residents, we must periodically invest in equipment. This is necessary not only to be certain it will effectively operate in an emergency but also to be sure that the equipment meets all current safety requirements. The Village will be replacing the current 25+ year old pumper truck housed at the Reliance Firehouse

updating the safety equipment associated with the truck. I want to thank our Fire Chiefs and the Reliance Truck Committee for all of their efforts in selecting an appropriate truck for the Village's needs. I also want to thank Assemblywoman Solages for securing a New York State Grant for the Village that will partially offset the cost for this pumper truck and related equipment.

I would remind everyone that updating equipment and the training of our fire and rescue personnel are very important and are keys to maintaining reasonable rates on each homeowner and business owner's property insurance. Once again, on behalf of all of us, thank you to the many volunteers who provide us with the safety and security we have all come to cherish.

Tree Program

Another asset of the Village that requires significant attention and, every so often, removal and replacement, are our Village trees. The Village is very proud of our trees and our “Tree City USA” designation. In order to maintain our “Tree City” designation, each year the Village has to apply to the National Arbor Day Foundation and provide significant data to show that the Village meets their requirements and that the Village takes our tree management and replacement seriously. Included in the data in this year's submission to the Arbor Day Foundation are the following facts from the past year: (i) the Village had to remove 33 trees for various reasons; (ii) we planted 125 new trees throughout the Village (and that does not include anything at Centennial Gardens); and (iii) the Village pruned 650 trees. As stated, our trees are a great asset and the Village is committed to responsibly preserving and maintaining them.

E-Village Items

Over the last two and-a-half years it has been getting more difficult to obtain information about local news and events. To try to address this, this past Summer the Village began sending out the *E-Village Items*, by email only. The *E-Village Items* is emailed usually every other Friday (the Friday after each Village Board Meeting). It covers the topics mentioned in the Mayor and Board of Trustees' Board Reports as well as updates on certain other events and projects taking place in the Village. It also contains links to upcoming hearings and meetings, such as Zoning Board of Appeals and Architectural Review Board.

The *E-Village Items* is sent out to all on the Village's email notification list, which now contains more than 4,000 email addresses. If you are not on the Village email notification list, you can register at <https://fpvillage.org/notifications/>. If you are on the Village email notification list (if you are receiving email notifications about Third Track updates, etc., you are on the Village's email notification list) but are not receiving the *E-Village Items*, contact the Village at comments@fpvillage.org and we will try to determine why you are not receiving it.

As always, if you have any questions or suggestions there are many outlets in which these can be brought forth. You can attend the monthly Civic Association meetings at which at least one Village Trustee is in attendance and provides updates. Or you can participate in the bi-weekly Village Board meetings, whether it be in person or via Zoom. Also, as always, you can call the Mayor's hotline (516 326-6300) or send a question or comment to comments@fpvillage.org.

On behalf of the entire Village Board and our entire Village Staff we wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas, a wonderful Holiday season and a Happy and Healthy New Year!

Kevin M. Fitzgerald, Mayor

Federal, State, County and Town Elected Officials

Floral Park is an incorporated village, and we are lucky to have our own Mayor and Village Board to address our local concerns and issues. However, many issues that impact Floral Park involve, or are controlled by, other layers of government.

Below is a list of the Federal, State, County and Town elected officials who represent Floral Park. This January there will be a few new representatives at the State and Federal levels. If you have a question as to whom to contact about a particular issue, feel free to call the Village at 516-326-6300 and we will do our best to direct you as to who is the appropriate representative to contact. And if it is an issue that impacts not just you but also impacts your neighbors in Floral Park, let the Village know so we can advocate on their behalf as well.

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U. S. Senator
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Melville, NY 11747
www.schumer.senate.gov
631-753-0978

Honorable Kirsten Gillibrand
U. S. Senator
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Melville, NY 11747
www.gillibrand.senate.gov
631-249-2825

*Honorable Anthony D'Esposito
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Garden City, NY 11530
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***Honorable Jack Martins**
NYS Senator - District 7

***Honorable Patricia Canzoneri**
-Fitzpatrick
NYS Senator - District 9

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Honorable Thomas Muscarella
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Contact Information for the MTA-LIRR and 3TC

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Meeting Schedules for Village Boards January to December 2023

***Board of Trustees Meetings**

Village Hall Courtroom 8:00 pm

Tuesday, January 3
Tuesday, January 17
Tuesday, February 7
Tuesday, February 21 (Tax Grievance Night)
Tuesday, March 7
Wednesday, March 22
Monday, April 3 (Re-organization Meeting)
Tuesday, April 4
Wednesday, April 12 (Budget Hearing)
Tuesday, April 18
Tuesday, May 2
Tuesday, May 16
Tuesday, June 6
Tuesday, June 20
Tuesday, July 18 (Tentative)
Tuesday, August 15 (Tentative)
Tuesday, September 5
Tuesday, September 19
Tuesday, October 3
Tuesday, October 17
Wednesday, November 8
Tuesday, November 21
Tuesday, December 5
Tuesday, December 19

***Board of Zoning Appeals**

Village Hall Courtroom 8:00 pm

Wednesday, January 11
Wednesday, February 8
Wednesday, March 8
Thursday, April 13
Wednesday, May 10
Wednesday, June 14
Wednesday, September 13
Wednesday, October 11
Wednesday, November 8
Wednesday, December 13

***Architectural & Site Plan Review Board (ARB)**

Recreation Center/Firefighters' Hall 8:00 pm

Wednesday, January 25
Wednesday, February 22
Wednesday, March 22
Wednesday, April 26
Wednesday, May 24
Wednesday, June 28
Wednesday, July 26
Wednesday, August 23
Wednesday, September 27
Wednesday, October 25
Wednesday, November 29
Wednesday, December 20

***Library Board**

Library Building 7:30 pm

Wednesday, January 11
Wednesday, February 8
Wednesday, March 8
Wednesday, April 12
Wednesday, May 10
Wednesday, June 14
Wednesday, July 12
Wednesday, September 13
Wednesday, October 11
Wednesday, November 8
Wednesday, December 13

*Meeting schedule is subject to change. Please check village website for updates - www.fpvillage.org.



VILLAGE ITEMS AVAILABLE BY E-MAIL

In our continuing efforts to reduce costs, Village Items is available by e-mail. Many of your neighbors already received this Village Items by e-mail. To register for important notifications from the Village and receive electronic versions of Village Items, you may click on the following link to be directed to the sign up page on the Village's website, fpvillage.org/notifications to register your email. If you are signed up and are not receiving the Village Items, please email comments@fpvillage.org.

FLORAL PARK
DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC WORKS



CHANGES TO THE 2023 RECYCLING SCHEDULE

RECYCLABLES PICKUP

Monday: District 1-A: Paper and Cardboard Only

Tuesday: District 2-B: Paper and Cardboard Only

Wednesday: Village Wide Commingle: Plastics, Water Bottles, Laundry Containers, Glass Bottles, Jars and Tin

Thursday: District 1-B: Paper and Cardboard Only

Friday: District 2-A: Paper and Cardboard Only

PLEASE NOTE:

- Newspapers must be tied.
- Cardboard must be flattened and tied.
- Rinse food and product from plastic, tin and glass bottles and place in blue box.
- Acceptable: Shoe boxes, corrugated cartons, telephone books, magazines, soft and hard cover books. No pizza boxes.

E-WASTE

Pick up will now be on a **daily call-in basis.**

MUST call DPW 24 hours in advance at 516-326-6320 to schedule a pick up.

FREON

Pick up will now be on a **daily call-in basis.**

MUST call DPW 24 hours in advance at 516-326-6320 to schedule a pick up.

(Air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, water coolers, dehumidifiers)

QUESTIONS?

PLEASE CALL DPW AT 516-326-6320
MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:30 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M.

FLORAL PARK RECREATION SESSION II - WINTER/SPRING 2023

REGISTRATION:

At the Recreation/Pool Complex

DATES AND TIMES:

Tues 1/17 7:00pm—9:00pm

Wed 1/18 & Thurs 1/19 11am-6pm

Senior Registration for SENIOR CLASSES ONLY

Tues 1/17 9:30am-1:30pm

Wed 1/18 & Thurs 1/19 11am-6pm

Fees are noted by each class.

2022/2023 VFP Resident Leisure Pass or 2022 Resident Pool Pass is required for registration. Applications are available at the Recreation/Pool Building, Park's Shelter House or Village web site www.fpvillage.org.

For more information call 326-6336.

Classes are subject to change or cancellation.

Program fees are non-refundable.

INTERVAL FITNESS TRAINING

Fee: \$70

(Outdoor in the Park)

First Class April 12

Wednesday 6:45pm & Friday 9:15am

Build a strong core! Interval training with bursts of activity alternated with intervals of lighter activity.

ADULT YOGA

Fee: \$60

Tues: 7:45pm - 8:45pm

First Class Jan 31

Thurs: 4:15pm - 5:15pm

First Class Feb 2

Sat: 9:00am- 10:00am

First Class Feb 11

Learn to slow down and breathe deep while working on balance, flexibility, strength and relaxation.

ZUMBA

Fee: \$60

Saturday: 11:00am - 12:00am

First Class March 4

Let the beats of Latin music get your heart pumping.

Combines cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility, and enhanced energy every time you leave class.

YOUTH PROGRAMS - \$60

Kids Jazz/Hip Hop

First Class Jan 28

Saturday: 10:00am—11:00am

Ages: 7-12

Saturday Dance Party! Will learn jazz/hip hop dances to music kids love!

TINY TOTS GYMNASTICS

First Class Jan 28

Saturday: 12:15pm - 1:00pm

Ages: 5-7

Saturday: 1:15pm - 2:00pm

Ages: 4-5

Saturday: 2:15pm - 3:00pm

Ages: 3-4

Introduction to the art of gymnastics. Including stretching, low impact tumbling, and beginner gymnastic techniques.

GARDENING FOR KIDS

First Class March 18

Saturday: 9:00am

Ages: 3-10

Held at Centennial Gardens (Rain Location: Pool Building). Children explore gardening, walks and crafts.

YOUTH TENNIS

Mondays: 4:00pm—5:00pm Grades 1-3 **Begins April 10**

Tuesdays: 4:00pm—5:00pm Grades 4-8 **Begins April 11**

Saturdays: 10:15am—11:00am Grades 7-12 **Begins 4/15**

ADULT & SENIOR PROGRAMS

AEROBICS

First Class Jan 23

Days: Monday, Wednesday & Friday

Fee: \$100

8:30am - 9:30am or 9:45am - 10:45am

Nights: Monday & Wednesday

Fee: \$75

7:00pm - 8:00pm

17 week step aerobic/floor program to maintain good physical condition and instill the discipline of exercise.

CARDIO KICKBOXING/TONING First Class Feb 27

Monday & Wednesday: 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Fee: \$70

Intense exercises, weights, stability ball, and stretching.

SENIOR AGILITY & STRENGTHENING

Fee: \$35

Monday & Friday

First Class Feb 27

Monday: 12:30 pm - 1:30pm

Friday: 11:00am - 11:45am

Includes a variety of indoor walking styles, as well as breathing and stretching techniques. Improves balance.

SILVER SNEAKERS EXERCISE

Fee: \$35

Tues & Thurs: 9:15am-10:00am

First Class Feb 28

12 week exercise program without leaving your seats. A benefit for beginner or experienced exercisers. Increases flexibility and muscle tone.

SILVER SNEAKERS/GENTLE MOVEMENT

Fee: \$35

Tues & Thurs: 10:15am - 11:00am

First Class Feb 28

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Tues & Thur: 11:15am - 12:00pm

A 12 week program including low impact and toning exercises designed specifically for older adults to improve your range of motion, balance and joint mobility.

FALL TENNIS LESSONS

Tues & Thurs: 11:00am

First Class April 11 / Fee: \$65

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Saturday:

First Class April 15 / Fee: \$60

8:00am Intermediate; 8:45am Advanced Beginner;

9:30am Beginner: Proper mechanics, use of racket, strategies and all the basics.

PICKELBALL

First Class April 14

Friday 11:00am

Fee: \$60

Learn the basics of the game including scoring, serving and proper mechanics.



Incorporated Village of Floral Park

2022/2023

RESIDENT LEISURE PASS APPLICATION

(For Residents who are not current VFP Pool Members.)

Name: _____
First / Last Date of Birth

Name: _____
First / Last Date of Birth

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Children's Names	Date of Birth	Age	School as of September 2022
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST:

- Show one photo ID for each adult applicant (18 years and over) at current address.
 - Provide a Current Utility Bill (within the last month) at applicants current address.
 - Provide a Birth Certificate or Baptismal Certificate Per Child
- A photo will be taken for each pass processed at the Recreation/Pool Building.

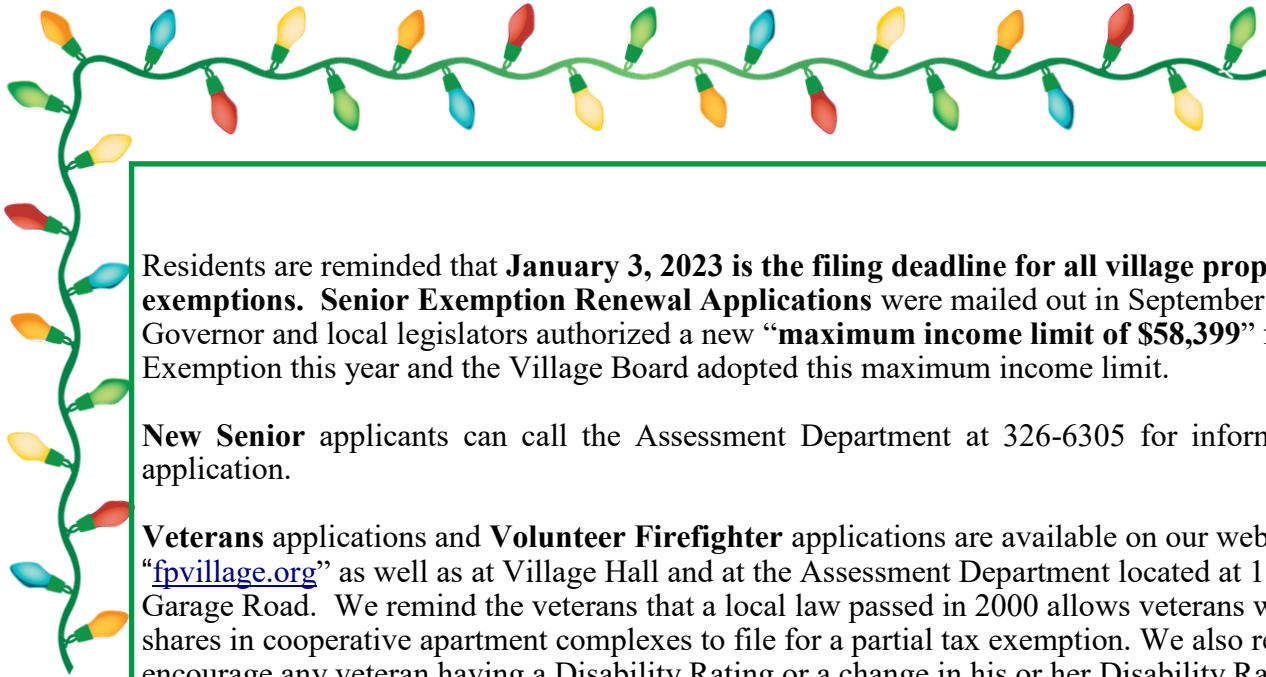
I HEREBY APPLY FOR A LEISURE PASS FOR THE INC. VILLAGE OF FLORAL PARK RECREATION CENTER. I UNDERSTAND AS THE PATRON INDIVIDUALLY, AND/OR ACTING ON BEHALF OF APPLICANTS IN FULL THAT I SHALL BE LIABLE FOR ANY PROPERTY DAMAGE AND/OR PERSONAL INJURY (CAUSED BY SELF, A PATRON, GUEST OR ANY OTHER PERSONS) AT THE VFP RECREATION CENTER, CENTENNIAL GARDENS, ON VILLAGE PROPERTY, OR DURING ANY ACTIVITY, FUNCTION, ARRANGED OR SPONSORED EVENT. IT IS MY OBLIGATION TO PAY FOR ANY COSTS INVOLVED UPON PRESENTATION OF A STATEMENT THEREOF. PARTICIPATION IN ANY AND ALL ACTIVITIES, FUNCTIONS, ARRANGED OR SPONSORED EVENT SHALL BE AT SUCH PERSON'S OWN RISK. I AGREE THE INC. VILLAGE OF FLORAL PARK, THE VFP RECREATION CENTER, EMPLOYEES, AND RESIDENTS SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY INJURIES OR DAMAGE TO SUCH PERSONS, OR THE PROPERTY OF SUCH PERSONS, OR BE THE SUBJECT TO ANY CLAIM, DEMAND, INJURY, ACTIONS OR CAUSES OF ACTION OR DAMAGES, AND I HEREBY WAIVE, RELEASE, ABSOLVE, INDEMNIFY AND AGREE TO HOLD THEM HARMLESS FROM ANY CLAIM. I AGREE WE WILL ABIDE BY THE RULES AND REGULATIONS THEREOF AND ACCEPT ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND AGREE TO THE POLICIES AND RULES OF THE VFP RECREATION CENTER AS THE PREREQUISITE FOR USE OF THE FACILITY. ANY FALSIFICATION IN THE APPLICATION INFORMATION CAN RESULT IN THE CANCELLATION OF THE LEISURE PASS AND LOSS OF PRIVILEGES. PASSES NOT VALID IF HOLDER MOVES OUTSIDE OF THE INC. VILLAGE OF FLORAL PARK. THE VILLAGE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO LIMIT GUESTS AND PRIVILEGES. GUESTS MUST ACCOMPANY A MEMBER WHO PRESENTS A LEISURE PASS UPON REQUEST, AT ALL TIMES. NOT VALID AS A VFP POOL PASS. I ALSO ACKNOWLEDGE READING. I AGREE THAT ANY PHOTOS TAKEN DURING MY USE OF THE FACILITY MAY BE USED AT THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT'S DISCRETION.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date Submitted: _____

Recreation Center Use Only below this line:

Employee Signature: _____ Date Processed: _____

ASSESSMENT DEADLINE



Residents are reminded that **January 3, 2023 is the filing deadline for all village property tax exemptions. Senior Exemption Renewal Applications** were mailed out in September. The Governor and local legislators authorized a new “**maximum income limit of \$58,399**” for the Senior Exemption this year and the Village Board adopted this maximum income limit.

New Senior applicants can call the Assessment Department at 326-6305 for information and an application.

Veterans applications and **Volunteer Firefighter** applications are available on our website “fpvillage.org” as well as at Village Hall and at the Assessment Department located at 1 Pool & Garage Road. We remind the veterans that a local law passed in 2000 allows veterans who own shares in cooperative apartment complexes to file for a partial tax exemption. We also remind and encourage any veteran having a Disability Rating or a change in his or her Disability Rating, to contact the Assessment Department. **Change requests and new applications** must be submitted by the January 3, 2023 deadline.

If you are a **new property owner** in the village or you are a property owner who has a **mailing address change, bank change, or have satisfied your mortgage**, please contact the Assessment Department as soon as possible to update our records and direct future tax bills and correspondence to the correct address or bank.

2023 VILLAGE SUMMER EMPLOYMENT Floral Park Recreation Center and Pool

The Department of Recreation and Pool has several openings for summer employment, such as: lifeguards, maintenance staff, pool attendants, sports counselors, arts and crafts counselors and clerical positions.

Applications are enclosed in the Village Items or available on the Village’s website: www.fpvillage.org under Village Information – Employment Opportunities.

Lifeguards must be 16 years of age and possess a current Nassau County Lifeguard Certification. For all other positions, applicants must be 17 years old. Details of job requirements may be found on the employment application.



Application for *New* Employment Summer 2023 (Seasonal Only)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School: _____

Special Skills: _____

EMAIL: _____

Have you been hospitalized during the past year? _____ (Y) _____ (N)

(If yes, provide date and reason for hospitalization.) _____

IMPORTANT

- The minimum age requirement for summer positions is **17 years of age by January 1, 2023**. ALL applicants UNDER 18 years of age **MUST** submit working papers with their applications.
- All applications must be submitted with proof of a physical exam performed no earlier than June, 2022.
- All applicants are subject to Nassau County Civil Service approval.
- Completed applications will be accepted beginning **January 9, 2023**. All applications must be brought in to Village Hall. Consideration will be based on skills, experience and residency.
- Working papers, if applicable, and proof of physical must be submitted with application and will not be accepted without said documents.

I have reviewed and agree to the above-mentioned requirements.

Applicant's Signature

Date



**NEW EMPLOYMENT FOR LIFEGUARD ONLY
Summer 2023**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School: _____

Special Skills: _____

EMAIL: _____

Have you been hospitalized during the past year? ____ (Y) ____ (N)

(If yes, provide date and reason for hospitalization.) _____

IMPORTANT

- Lifeguard applicants must be **16 years of age by January 1, 2023** and present proof of up-to-date Nassau County Board of Health lifeguard certification and current CPR and first-aid certification. (If you are renewing your certification or are in the process of obtaining certification for the first time, you must indicate that fact under “Special Skills” above and advise us of the date that certification will be received.)
- Applicants are subject to Nassau County Civil Service approval.
- Applicants UNDER 18 years of age **MUST** submit working papers and proof of a physical exam performed no earlier than June, 2022 with this application.
- Completed applications will be accepted beginning Monday, **January 9, 2023** at Village Hall.

Applications received without the necessary documents will be returned.

I have reviewed and agree to the above-noted requirements.

Applicant's Signature

Date



2022 CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL & TREE LIGHTING

On December 2, 2022, the Floral Park Chamber of Commerce, the Floral Park Junior Woman's Club and Our Lady of Victory Church, held the 7th Annual Christmas Tree Lighting and Festival in Memorial Park. Residents enjoyed holiday gifts for sale, food and drink, caroling, and topped off with the tree lighting and a visit from Santa Claus!







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Gerard M. Bambrick

Village Clerk

Susan E. Walsh

**Important Village of Floral Park
Phone Numbers**

Police & Fire Emergency.....911
Police & Fire Non-Emergency.....326-6400
Administration.....326-6300
Assessment.....326-6305
Building Department.....326-6319
Court Office.....326-6325
Fire Department Chiefs Office.....326-6327
Library.....326-6330
Public Works Department.....326-6320
Recreation Shelter House.....326-6334
Recreation/Pool Bldg.....326-6336
Four Village Studio.....326-1150

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VILLAGE ITEMS AVAILABLE BY E-MAIL

In our continuing efforts to reduce costs, Village Items is available by e-mail. Many of your neighbors already received this Village Items by e-mail. To register for important notifications from the Village and receive electronic versions of Village Items, you may click on the following link to be directed to the sign up page on the Village's website, fpvillage.org/notifications to register your email. If you are signed up and are not receiving the Village Items, please email comments@fpvillage.org.