

Varsity cheer...

THE WILLOWBROOK HIGH SCHOOL varsity cheerleading team (right) are pictured during Friday's football game at York High School in Elmhurst. The cheerleaders are pictured in their new uniforms. Pictured left to right are (front row, kneeling) Shukan Shah and Olivia Eder; (second row) Jess Taylor, Rachel Vogt, Sarah Wood, Danielle Holden, Emily Iozzo, Lindsey Patete, Abbey Blankensop and Paulina Kapica; (back row) head coach Jessica Sibigroth, Jenna Miller, Melissa Cavka, Cassie Heaney, Jessica Cookingham, Megan Brown, Kennedy Gebel, Taylor Jones, Stephanie Myers, Courtney Cager, Brianna Kozi and Jodie Bush. The cheerleaders will cheer on the Warriors during Saturday afternoon's homecoming football game. Willowbrook, which will try to earn its first victory of the season, will face Morton in a West Suburban Gold Conference contest.

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NEWS AND VIEWS OF OUR TOWN

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Village to hold town meetings regarding road conditions

The Village of Villa Park will hold three town hall meetings to discuss the condition of the village's roads. The meetings will also include discussions of the road referendum ballot question on the Nov. 4 ballot. Village voters will decide during the upcoming election if the village should borrow up to \$23 million to pay for street repairs.

The three meetings will take place tonight, Sept. 24, Wednesday, Oct. 8 and Wednesday, Oct. 29. All three meetings will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Villa Park Library annex, located at 317 S. Ardmore Ave.

The informal meetings are open to all residents and will provide an opportunity for

village board members and village staff members to answer questions regarding the villages' street improvement plan.

According to a news release issued by the village, "The village is seeking the community's feedback on a proposed bond measure to address the funding shortfall facing both street improvements and major street reconstruction. A voter-approved bond referendum will enable the village to address critical areas of Villa Park in need of street reconstruction, rehabilitation and resurfacing."

For more information about the town hall meetings, contact Villa Park administrative assistant Erin Knackstedt at 630-592-6052.

ROAD REFERENDUM QUESTION IN NOVEMBER

Villa Park voters will see the following question on the ballot in the Nov. 4 election. The Villa Park Village Board unanimously approved an ordinance last month to place the following question on the Nov. 4 ballot.

Shall bonds in an amount not to exceed \$23,000,000 be issued by the Village of Villa Park, DuPage County, Illinois, for the purpose of paying costs of street and related improvements throughout the Village and expenses incidental thereto, said bonds bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 5% per annum?



First varsity game...

Photo by Chris Fox

SOPHOMORE QUARTERBACK M.J. Ranieri (above, left) made his first varsity start for the Willowbrook football team in Friday's game at York. The visiting Warriors had their hands full against the Dukers, who built a 28-0 lead by halftime. York defeated Willowbrook 42-7. The Warriors' overall season record fell to 0-4. Ranieri started in place of junior quarterback Billy Degnan, who was injured in Willowbrook's Sept. 12 contest against Hinsdale South. The Warriors will play their 2014 homecoming game against Morton on Saturday afternoon.



Villa Park history...

KATHLEEN SCHWEIHS, who joined her family to share some of their memories of growing up in Villa Park with the Villa Park Review, provided this photo from the 1950s. The photo shows a westward view of the Chicago, Aurora and Elgin Railroad tracks at the Ardmore Avenue depot. The railroad's passenger service ended abruptly in the summer of 1957. The railroad's right of way is now the Illinois Prairie Path. The Ardmore depot, visible in the left-hand portion of the photo, now serves as the headquarters of the Villa Park Chamber of Commerce at 10 W. Park Blvd. Send your memories of Villa Park to memories@lbvpr.com.

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Sports

LOMBARDIAN VILLA PARK REVIEW

Rams crush East Aurora; Montini wins a shootout



Warrior on the run... Photo by Chris Fox

WILLOWBROOK JUNIOR Josan Murphy (above, left) carries the ball during Friday's football game at York. Murphy scored the Warriors' only touchdown of the night on a short run across the goal line during the second half. York defeated Willowbrook 42-7 in Elmhurst. The Warriors' overall record slipped to 0-4. Willowbrook will try to earn its first win of the season when it plays its homecoming game on Saturday afternoon. The Warriors will face Morton in a West Suburban Gold Conference game.

Glenbard East earned its first Upstate Eight Valley Conference victory with Friday's overwhelming 56-6 win at East Aurora. The Rams, who improved to 3-1 overall and 1-1 in conference play, built a commanding 42-6 halftime lead over the Tomcats (0-4, 0-2).

Junior quarterback Phil Abruzzino completed nine of 11 pass attempts for 164 yards and three touchdowns. Abruzzino also gained 77 rushing yards

on six carries. He provided the first score of the game with a 3-yard touchdown run in the first quarter. Abruzzino and junior Karon Keyes connected on an 84-yard touchdown pass later in the opening period.

The Rams piled up four more touchdowns in the second quarter. Abruzzino's 5-yard touchdown pass to Keyes accounted for the first score of the period, which helped Glenbard East to a 21-0 lead. A 26-yard TD pass from

Abruzzino to senior Dominic Wilberton helped to push the lead to 28-6. Wilberton, who ran 12 times for 96 yards and a pair of touchdowns, delivered scoring runs of 11 and 3 yards before the end of the first half.

Juniors Marc Traylor and Phil Sanchez added touchdown runs during the second half to close out Glenbard East's eight-touchdown evening.

The 2014 Rams have already eclipsed the victory total of last year's team, which completed the 2013 season with an overall record of 2-7. This year's team needs to win two of its last five regular-season games to secure a winning record. A 5-4 record could earn a spot in the IHSA playoffs. Glenbard East would lock up a post-season berth by winning at least three of its next five games.

Glenbard East will play its homecoming game this week. The Rams will face undefeated Waubesa Valley (4-0) in Friday's non-conference, battle in Lombard.

Montini

The Broncos evened their season record at 2-2 with Friday's 43-30 victory over De La Salle in Chicago. The game marked Montini's first Chicago Catholic Green Conference contest. The Broncos, Fenwick and Marmion are all 1-0 in conference play. St. Francis is 0-1, while De La Salle is 0-2.

Montini trailed De La Salle 21-14 at halftime before taking control of the game in the second half. Senior quarterback Chuck Norgle completed 15 of 25 passes for 253 yards and four

touchdowns against the Meteors (1-3 overall). Senior Leon Thornton caught a pair of Norgle's touchdown passes. Senior Patrick Maloney and sophomore Prince Walker each had one touchdown reception. Maloney's touchdown—a 75-yard reception—completed a surge of 19 unanswered points that gave Montini a 40-23 lead in the fourth quarter. Walker carried the ball 22 times for 126 yards and a touchdown. Thornton added one touchdown run. Junior receiver Tyler Millican provided five receptions for 87 yards.

The Broncos will play a non-conference home game against the Leo Lions of Chicago this Friday.

Willowbrook

The Warriors' season record fell to 0-4 following Friday's 42-7 loss to York in Elmhurst. The Dukes, who improved to 3-1 with their homecoming victory over Willowbrook, held a 28-0 lead at halftime.

"The second half [score] was 14-7;

we move forward from there," said Willowbrook coach Nick Hildreth after the game. "We dug ourselves a hole against a good team."

The depleted Warriors, who were missing multiple starters because of injuries, turned the ball over on a fumble on their opening possession. York scored its first touchdown of the night moments later.

Junior running back Josan Murphy scored Willowbrook's touchdown on a short run in the third quarter. Sophomore quarterback M.J. Ranieri made his varsity debut for the Warriors. He filled in for junior Billy Degnan, who was injured in the Sept. 12 game against Hinsdale South.

The Warriors will play their homecoming game on Saturday afternoon. Willowbrook will take on Morton (1-3 overall, 1-1 in the conference) in a West Suburban Gold Conference game scheduled to kick off at 1:30 p.m.

Rams play to their fourth tie

Some matches that end in ties are encouraging, while others are disappointing. The Glenbard East boys soccer team's 1-1 tie against Elk Grove on Saturday in Lombard left the Rams rather disappointed.

Playing into the wind during the first half, Glenbard East managed to take a 1-0 lead on an unassisted goal by junior Juan Torres. The Rams were unable to add to their lead in the

second half, when the wind was in their favor. Elk Grove evened the score early in the second half.

"I thought we did a lot of good things in the first half," said Glenbard East coach Josh Adler. "We lost our steam and energy. We never got ourselves into a good rhythm in the second half."

The Rams entered Saturday's match on a high note. Their previous

contest was a 3-2 non-conference win over Addison Trail on Sept. 16. Glenbard East trailed the Blazers 2-1 with less than 10 minutes to play in the match in Lombard, but two late goals gave the Rams the victory.

Sophomore Ulysses Sarabia scored Glenbard East's first and third goals against the Blazers. The Rams trailed Addison Trail 2-1 when Torres scored to even the battle at 2-2 with about seven minutes left in the match. Sarabia delivered what proved to be the winning goal with about five minutes to play.

Saturday's tie moved the Rams' overall season record to 2-4-4. Glenbard East's Upstate Eight Valley Conference record through three conference matches stood at 0-2-1. The Rams opened their conference season with a scoreless tie at South Elgin on Aug. 28. They lost a 1-0 decision at Metea Valley on Sept. 9. Neuqua Valley edged Glenbard East 1-0 on Sept. 11 in Lombard.

Glenbard East will play conference matches this week against West Aurora and East Aurora. Saturday morning's home match against East Aurora, which begins at 11 a.m., will be the Rams' youth day. The program extends a special invitation to young soccer players to attend the match.

Junior Rams to hold tryouts

The Junior Rams basketball program for girls in grades 5-8 will hold tryouts on Tuesday, Oct. 7, and Thursday, Oct. 9. Each tryout session will take place from 7-9 p.m. in the Glenbard East field house.

For more information about the Junior Rams, contact Cathy Lyons at pel44@stcglobal.net



U-10 Firebirds take second...

THE LOMBARD FIREBIRDS' U-10 REAL boys team (above) placed second in its level at the Hawks Cup Fall 2014 event, which took place Sept. 12-14 in Oak Brook. The Firebirds won their first three matches of the tournament to advance into the championship contest. The TCSSA Blue Premier team defeated the Firebirds in the title contest. Members of the team (pictured left to right) are: (front row) Tommy and Abdullah; (second row) Aaron, Connor, Liron and Ean; (top row) assistant coach Abel Rubin, Jacob, Beck, Marcos, Will, A.J. and head coach Chris Riley.



Impact player... Photo by Chris Fox

SOPHOMORE ULYSSES SARABIA (above) of the Glenbard East soccer team controls the ball during the second half of Saturday's home match against Elk Grove in Lombard. The non-conference match ended in a 1-1 tie, which moved the Rams' overall season record to 2-4-4. Sarabia scored a pair of goals in Glenbard East's previous contest—a 3-2 non-conference victory over Addison Trail on Sept. 16. Sarabia's second goal of the match broke a 2-2 tie with about five minutes to play.



Warriors vs. Dukes... Photo by Chris Fox

WILLOWBROOK JUNIOR Stasiu Szudrowicz (above, left) challenges a York opponent for control of the ball during Saturday afternoon's boys soccer match in Elmhurst. York scored the only goal of the match in the middle of the second half on the way to its 1-0 victory. Willowbrook's season record dropped to 5-3-1. The Warriors earned a pair of home wins earlier in the week. They beat Hinsdale South 1-0 in a West Suburban Gold Conference match in Villa Park on Sept. 16. Sophomore Benny Heredia scored Willowbrook's goal. The Warriors defeated Glenbard West 3-0 in Thursday's non-conference match. Sophomore Saul Hernandez scored two goals, while junior Tony Tamburino added one goal.

NEWS FROM THE VILLAGE OF ADDISON ...

Election petitions now available

ADDISON — Nominating petitions for the April 7 Consolidated Elections are available through the State Board of Elections as well as the Addison Village Clerk's Office.

To see available seats and requirements, visit addisonadvantage.org

Vehicle sticker deadline approaching

Please remember, new Village stickers must be displayed prior to October 1, 2014. Avoid the last minute lines on Sept. 29 and 30.

The Finance counter is open Mondays from 8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. and Tuesday through Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. for your convenience.

Beginning Oct. 1, a \$10 late fee will be added to all vehicle sticker purchases. You could also be ticketed by the Addison police for failing to display a valid sticker.

To review fees, and download a form that can be filled out ahead of time, visit addisonadvantage.org.

Village of Addison receives 'Sunshine Award'

The Illinois Policy Institute has recognized the Village of Addison for transparency in government. Addison was only one of three municipalities surveyed that received a score of at least 80 out of 100 analyzing the agencies' practices of making information available online to the public. Learn more here: illinoispolicy.org/addison-algonquin-and-mundelein-earn-high-marks-on-government-transparency-audit-while-18-cities-fail/

CodeRED comes to Addison

The Village of Addison has contracted with a service called "CodeRED," which will allow us to quickly communicate with residents in case of an emergency. Automated voice calls, texts and emails can be sent out to the community at large, or in a smaller geographical area.

Most landline phones are already in the CodeRed database and an introductory message went out late last week, encouraging residents to go online and register other phone numbers and email addresses. However, there have been questions about this process.

CodeRED will NOT replace

the Village's database of email addresses that is currently used to communicate Road Construction updates, community reminders and the monthly eNewsletter. This database is still an important tool.

Here are answers to some frequently asked questions:

Q: How do I register? A: You can register by visiting the Village's website, AddisonAdvantage.org, and clicking "Register" or "CodeRED" from any page. This will take you to a page that explains the difference between the Village eBlast list, and CodeRED. You can sign up for either or both. Or you can simply go to public.coderedweb.com/CNE/BFEEEE53A4A6

Q: What is the difference between registering with the Village and registering with CodeRED? A: CodeRED is used for emergency purposes, such as evacuation notices, boil orders, gas leaks and urgent situations. It can also be used to communicate warnings, such as major traffic incidents. These messages can be received via automated phone calls, texts and/or emails. The Village sends out periodic emails only, of a less urgent nature. These are community reminders and news.

Q: How do I know which one I registered for? A: EBlasts will come from the email address info@addison-il.org or info2@addison-il.org. You register for them by simply typing in your email address. CodeRED registration takes you to a different website where you are asked to provide your home or business address in Addison, and verify your location on a map. This is why registration must take place online. This allows us to make sure to include you in messages that pertain to a smaller geographic area.

Q: If I received the test phone call, do I need to register? A: If you received the message last week, then you are in the database. However you may still want to receive messages at other phone numbers or email addresses as well. If so, you should register those online.

Q: I didn't receive a test call. Why not, and what should I do? A: Many people nowadays no longer have landlines at home, which makes it even more important to go online and register for CodeRED. Even if you have a landline, there is the small possibility that you are not in the database.



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AT alumni continue music in college

According to District 88 officials, many alumni continue their passion for music and marching band beyond high school, such as the Addison Trail graduates pictured here. These graduates of ATHS now perform with the Illinois State University (ISU) Marching Band, better known as, "The Big Red Marching Machine." Pictured are (from left) Megan Lobner, Maggie O'Brien, Kelly Dickmann, Emily Rosenquist, Mary Kate Flemming and Anne Pacilli holding fellow grad Jack Cimino. Not pictured: Emily Quick, also with the band.

Addison police participate in 'Take-Back Day' on Sept. 27

Unused medications may be dropped with police officers, DEA agents

ADDISON — In partnership with the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), the Addison Police Department will participate in National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day on Saturday, Sept. 27. Community members may drop off unused medications from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Addison Police Department lobby at 3 Friendship Plaza

Unused or expired prescrip-

tion medications are a public safety issue, leading to accidental poisoning, overdose, and abuse. Prescription drugs can be just as dangerous as street drugs when taken without a prescription or a doctor's supervision.

The non-medical use of prescription drugs ranks second only to marijuana as the most common form of drug abuse in America. The majority of teenagers abusing prescription drugs get them from family and friends — and the home medicine cabinet.

• Unused prescription drugs thrown in the trash can be

retrieved and abused or illegally sold.

• Unused drugs that are flushed contaminate the water supply.

• Proper disposal of unused drugs saves lives and protects the environment.

Take-back programs are the best way to dispose of old drugs. This is the second occasion that the Addison Police Department has participated in this program. The service is free and anonymous. For more information, call the Addison Police Department's non-emergency number at: (630) 543-3080.

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Basket Brigade is back: bigger and better

DUPAGE COUNTY—Operation Basket Brigade is expanding again this year with a goal of helping even more DuPage County individuals and families who will be in need of a Thanksgiving dinner.

The Basket Brigade is coordinated by the DuPage County Health Department and annually helps hundreds of families who might not otherwise have a Thanksgiving dinner.

The Thanksgiving baskets include everything needed for a holiday dinner, including turkey, sides and desert, all delivered in a reusable plastic laundry basket.

dry basket.

For additional information, contact John Miller at (630) 221-7123 or e-mail: jmiller@dupage-health.org.

This year the Basket Brigade is partnering with the Wheaton VFW Post 2164, 0N731 Papworth St., to identify veterans in need and as a location where all County residents are invited to drop off their non-perishable donations starting in November.

With the help of the Wheaton VFW, Thanksgiving food baskets will be collected and delivered to needy military veterans

and their families. In addition to veterans, baskets will again be delivered to individuals and families that have been identified by DuPage County Townships.

The goal of the Basket Brigade is also increasing this year with a target of 400 individuals and families.

The Health Department's Office of Risk and Emergency Management (OREM) provides staff and volunteers to coordinate every aspect of the Basket Brigade, which is also designed as a training exercise for OREM.

A collection trailer provided by the DuPage County Office of Emergency Management will be located at the Wheaton VFW in November. Non-perishable donations will be accepted twice per week during November and drop-off times soon will be announced. Information regarding the donation of turkeys soon will also be announced.

Collection boxes for Health Department staff will be set up in all Public Health Centers in late October and donations will be collected from staff and periodically transferred to the Wheaton VFW collection site.

Business organization issues phone scam alert

Caller demanded payment, claiming to be ComEd

By Dee Longfellow
For The Independent

Two Chambers of Commerce outside of Elmhurst have reached out to warn their members about an attempted phone scam.

According to a release

issued by the Lombard and Westmont Chambers of Commerce, the caller claimed to be calling from Commonwealth Edison for an immediate cash payment on the business account. Further, the caller said that if payment was not made, the service would be shut off within hours.

What gave the caller some

level of credibility is that caller ID indicated it was indeed coming direct from Commonwealth Edison. The business owner declined to make the payment, hung up and called Commonwealth Edison customer service. ComEd reported they did not make the call, nor do they collect payments in the above manner.

First, if your business (or

home) should receive such a call, do not make any payments. Please call Commonwealth Edison back at 1-800-334-7661 and alert them to the contact received. Further, please report it to the Elmhurst Police Department and to the Elmhurst Chamber of Commerce & Industry, so activity can be tracked and reported.

District 88 offers information on spring School Board election

VILLA PARK — Those who are interested in running for the District 88 Board of Education during the April 7, 2015, school board election can pick up an election packet from the DuPage County Election Commission at 421 N. County Farm Road in Wheaton. The packet also can be found on the commission's website at dupageco.org/election.

There are three important deadlines to keep in mind with regard to the school board election.

1. Sept. 23, 2014: This is the first day candidates can lawfully circulate nominating petitions for signatures.
2. Oct. 6, 2014: Prospective candidates for the District 88 Board of Education are invited

to attend a workshop to learn more about the position and District 88, as well as the election process. The workshop will begin at 6 p.m. at the District 88 Office, 2 Friendship Plaza in Addison.

3. Dec. 15 - 22, 2014: This is the time frame for filing nominating papers and completed election packets. Documents

must be turned in to the DuPage County Election Commission at 421 N. County Farm Road in Wheaton.

4. April 7, 2015: Consolidated Election Day

To see school board election procedures, visit iasb.com/elections/ElectionFAQ2014.pdf. For more information, go to iasb.com/elections.

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ACCI hires new administrative assistant

ADDISON — The Addison Chamber of Commerce & Industry announced the hiring Nicole Gassman as its new Administrative Assistant. She will be handling billing, invoices, payments and other office duties. She can be reached by e-mail at nicole-addchamber@att.net. Members will have the opportunity to meet her in person at a luncheon or event very soon, and in the meantime she will be telephoning members to personally introduce herself. You can continue to reach Executive Director Dee LaRocca at addisonchamber@sbcglobal.net



NICOLE GASSMAN

Addison Trail hosts Career and College Fairs

ADDISON — On Sept. 17, Addison Trail hosted a Career Fair that featured about 50 different career options. Students were able to visit booths with information during their lunch periods to learn more about those careers.

And on Sept. 18, Addison Trail hosted a College Fair that featured about 80 colleges and universities. Students were able to visit booths with information during their lunch periods to learn more about the postsecondary options available to them.

"We believe both fairs give students firsthand knowledge that will help them with their post-secondary goals," said Kevin Redding, Addison Trail Director of Guidance. "Also, we hope the fairs motivate them to work hard in and outside of the classroom, so they can achieve their plans after high school.

"The fairs are so important because they make the benefits of pursuing a career or going to college more 'real' to students than having a counselor, a teacher or an administrator tell them about those benefits. The students

are hearing it directly from the representatives at the fairs."

Addison Trail senior Jonathan Valentini agreed.

"The fair gives you a sense of where you want to go to college and makes the decision process easier," he said.

The mission of District 88 is to work for the continuous improvement of student achievement, and Addison Trail and Willowbrook host college and career fairs to help accomplish that mission. The district is focused on building futures for students through providing opportunities and events such as these fairs.

As a result of hosting events like these fairs, District 88 has achieved the following successes:

More than 90 percent of the class of 2014 at Addison Trail and Willowbrook was accepted to a two- or four-year college or university. Addison Trail students are attending schools in 16 states and Canada, and Willowbrook students are attending schools in 23 states and Washington, D.C.

Addison Trail and Willowbrook have been named as "Top High Schools" by Newsweek and as "Ameri-

ca's Most Challenging High Schools" by The Washington Post. This is the second consecutive year both schools

have received both honors in the same year. District 88 has received these national recognitions since 2008.



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On Sept. 17, Addison Trail hosted a Career Fair that featured about 50 different career options. Addison Trail sophomore Jorge Sandoval (right) speaks with Mark Weller (left), a firefighter/paramedic with the Addison Fire Protection District, and Randy Ahlgrim, a public education officer with the Addison Fire Protection District. Addison Trail juniors (from left) Alyssa Viera and Yesenia Zurita speak with Becky Savanovic, a physical therapist with Athletico Physical Therapy.

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On Sept. 18, Addison Trail hosted a College Fair that featured about 80 colleges and universities. Top left: Addison Trail senior Brianna Sitkowski (right) speaks with Natalie O'Sullivan, an admissions representative for Columbia College Chicago. Middle photo: Addison Trail senior Aleks Swierzb (right) chats with Gina Williams, an admissions counselor with Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. Top right: Addison Trail senior Jonathan Valentini (right) gets information about Robert Morris University in Chicago from Kevin Wallach, a high school relations counselor with the university.

BUSINESS BRIEFS...

• U.S. Rep. Peter Roskam honored as Guardian of Small Business

WASHINGTON — Last week, the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB), the nation's leading small business association, named U.S. Rep. Peter Roskam (IL-6) a Guardian of Small Business for his outstanding voting record on behalf of America's small-business owners in the 113th

Congress.

NFIB's "How Congress Voted," which serves as a report card for members of Congress, was also unveiled this week. The report presents key small-business votes and voting percentages for each lawmaker. Those voting favorably on key small-business issues at least 70 percent of the time during the 113th Congress are eligible for the Guardian

award.

In all, NFIB will present Guardian awards to 232 Representatives who stood up for small business.


• DOL earmarks \$87 million for state unemployment insurance programs

WASHINGTON — The U.S. Department of Labor recently announced awards totaling more than \$87 million to improve state unem-

ployment insurance programs. The funding, awarded to 46 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, will allow state agencies to implement program integrity and system improvement activities, as well as implement or expand reemployment and eligibility assessment programs.

Illinois is slated to receive \$2,174,472.

Orthodontic UPDATE




by Jeffrey T. Boland
Licensed Orthodontic Specialist

FINDING SOLUTIONS TO OVERCROWDING

When there is not enough space to accommodate all the teeth in the dental arch, teeth become crowded and often rotated and tilted. This common problem, called "arch-length insufficiency," is usually inherited. Many experts view it as the natural consequence of evolutionary pressure for human facial bones to become reduced in size, while the size of our teeth has remained relatively constant. Otherwise, it is often the case that the genes from one parent call for the offspring to inherit small jaws while the genes from the other parent produce large teeth. In any case, when such crowding of the teeth occurs, it is the orthodontist's task to find a way to make the teeth fit and align properly.

An orthodontist can diagnose the problem of crowded teeth by examining your mouth. If you have overcrowding, your teeth will be crooked and jammed together in an unnatural way. This leads to issues with dental health as it is harder to keep teeth clean when they are jammed together. An overcrowded mouth often results in an increase in cavities and problems with dental health in general. Our office uses braces and other orthodontic appliances to improve smiles and dental health, making children and adults look and feel better. To schedule a free orthodontic consultation, please call our office. We are available by appointment. Straighter Smiles Are Our Specialty!



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Addison Trail holds annual Student Activity Fair

ADDISON — On Sept. 16, Addison Trail hosted the school's annual Student Activity Fair.

The event allowed students to learn more about the activities and clubs offered at Addison Trail, and more than 30 groups participated.

"The Student Activity Fair is an opportunity for students to see all Addison Trail has to offer with regard to student clubs," said Mike Bolden, Addison Trail Assistant Principal. "We know student success is directly related to their involvement in school beyond the classroom, and this fair allows students to find a club that interests them to become more engaged in school."

Last year, Addison Trail had an 80-percent participation rate in activities, athletic programs and clubs. If students cannot find a club in which they are interested, they have the opportunity to possibly start a new club. For more information about clubs and activities at Addison Trail, go to dupage88.net/site/page/119.



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On Sept. 16, Addison Trail hosted the school's annual Student Activity Fair for students to learn more about the activities and clubs offered at Addison Trail. Above left: Addison Trail freshmen (from left) Lupita Sanchez, Taniya Roby and Evelin Alvarez look at the Orchis booth during the Student Activity Fair. Above right: Addison Trail junior Sophia Belvedere (left) talks to sophomore Suhei Valbuena about the Science Olympiad Team. At right: Addison Trail sophomore Christine Mercado shares information about the Italian Club.

Center for the Arts celebrating Illinois Arts and Humanities Month

ADDISON — The Addison Center for the Arts is celebrating Illinois Arts and Humanities Month in October with two special programs.

"Borderless," an exhibit in the ACA Gallery, runs from Oct. 1 through Nov. 1, 2014, and will be exhibited by The Women's Caucus for Art. This year's theme for the Chicago Artists Month and Illinois Arts & Humanities Month is "Crossing Borders," and the

Chicago Women's Caucus for Art is crossing the Border to Addison.

The second project is "Opera in the Neighborhoods." The ACA announces its 19th year of having the Lyric Opera of Chicago come to Addison with "The Brothers Grimm" on Tuesday, Oct. 21.

Two performances will take place at AHS for students in grades 4-6 from

Addison schools. Students are bused from their schools to the high school auditorium courtesy of District 4. There will be more information on this production upcoming.

These programs are partially funded by grants from the Illinois Arts Council Agency and the Addison Center for the Arts. For more information, go online to addison-centerforthearts.com or call 630-458-4500.



Addison Arts Guild announces 2014-15 programs

ADDISON — The Addison Art Guild has planned its schedule of events for the 2014-2015 year.

Meetings are held at the Addison Village Hall, One Friendship Plaza, in room 1301 A & B at 7:30 pm on the second Thursday of the month unless noted.

Membership is \$25 for a single, \$35 for two in the same family and \$100 for a corporate membership. Guests are welcome at each meeting. For more information, call membership chairperson, Carroll Trcka at 630-833-8677.

- Oct. 9—Judie Anderson (Watercolor)
- Nov. 4-20—Fall Members' Show
- Nov. 23 from 7-9 p.m.—A judges' critique and awards presented /refreshments/free to the public.
- Dec. 11—Holiday party (TBA)
- Jan. 12, 2015—Members' Group Critique
- Feb. 12—Diana Martia (Oil/Cold Wax)
- March 12—Pamela Hamilton (Oils/Acrylics)
- April 9—Gianna Darento (Book Illustrator)
- April 6-24—Spring Mem-

- bers' Show in the rotunda of Village Hall
- May 14—Nick Scariano (Mix media/ Graphics)
- WORKSHOPS:**
- Saturday Nov. 8—Robert Fritz (Free Blown Glass)
- Saturday, Feb. 7, 2015—Sandie Bacon (Acrylics/ Mixed Media)
- Saturday, March 14—Suzanne Hetzel (Watercolor)
- Saturday, April 15—Peggy McGahan (colored pencils)
- All workshops have a fee and must be applied for in advance. Call 630-250-9407 for more information.

First-ever Addison FootGolf Cup to be held Oct. 4

ADDISON — Two great sports come together for Addison's inaugural Fall FootGolf Cup, which will be held from 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4, at Links & Tees Golf Course, 950 W. Lake St.

The age brackets are for juniors 10-17 years old and for adults 18-and-over. Lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. and the tourney begins at 1 p.m.

The fee is \$15 per participant, and \$5 for soccer ball rental. Registration deadline is Monday, Sept. 29. The fee includes 9 holes of FootGolf,

lunch, refreshments and prizes.

Try your skills at this new game played with a soccer ball on the golf course. FootGolf is scored and played similarly to traditional golf; however it is a faster-paced game.

Players are invited to bring their own soccer ball or rent one from Links & Tees for an additional fee. Casual attire is encouraged for this tournament and turf shoes are accepted (cleat shoes are not allowed). For more information, call 630-233-7275 or go online to addisonparks.org

WILLOWBROOK SPORTS REPORT

Willowbrook girls volleyball team downs Proviso East

Warriors' girls cross-country team defeats Hinsdale South

By Mike Miazga
Correspondent

The Willowbrook girls volleyball team scored a recent 25-14, 25-15 West Suburban Conference Gold Division win over Proviso East.

The win moved the Warriors to 11-2 overall and 1-1 in WSC Silver play.

Danielle McNamara had five kills, while Micala Giammarino had 11 assists and five digs. Kelsey Linnig had nine assists and two digs. Emma VanReKen had two kills. Mia Railing added five kills and eight digs.

Olivia Pennebaker had three kills, one solo block, two aces and one dig. Kiley Kelly had three aces and two digs.

Maya Bullock had five kills, while KJ Wangler had two kills and one dig. Jamie Chiappetta had two kills and five digs. Kelly Conley had two kills, three assists and five digs.

Willowbrook girls cross country

The Willowbrook girls cross-country team recorded a recent 28-29 West Suburban Conference Gold Division win over Hinsdale South.

Juniors Jocelyn Rodriguez and Shannon Jones have been running well of late for the Warriors. Rodriguez was 13th at the Lyons Township invitational where she covered 2.85 miles in 17:41. She also ran 18:45 for three miles in the Peoria First to the Finish invitational and won the dual meet against Hinsdale South with a three-mile time of 19:57.

Jones was 23rd at Lyons Township with a time of 18:19. She ran 19:35 in Peoria and finished second against Hinsdale South with a time of 20:10.

"Jocelyn and Shannon have taken their running to a new level," said Willowbrook coach Christine Hasler. "They continue to race well each week and are hungry for more. This is rubbing off on the entire team. Everyone is working extremely hard."

Hasler also has been pleased with the progress of junior Diana Martin and sophomore Grace Guthrie. "This is Diana's first year running cross-country and Grace's first year as a varsity runner," she said. "They have been competing extremely well and their confidence continues to grow with each meet. I am very happy with how well they have been run-

ning."

Senior Stephanie Wohnrade and juniors Kristina Marzullo and Kimberly Cervantes round out the Willowbrook varsity squad.

"We are competing well each week," said Hasler. "The varsity girls continue to push themselves and want to achieve more. All of them are running faster than last year and they

are racing very well. I couldn't be more pleased with how well they are handling the competition."

Willowbrook runs in the Leyden invitational Saturday.

Willowbrook boys cross country

The Willowbrook boys cross-country team dropped a recent West Suburban Confer-

ence Gold Division decision to Hinsdale South.

"Though we lost at home against Hinsdale South, the team ran its fastest times up and down the lineup," said Willowbrook coach TJ Artman.

"It was not because of lack of focus or attitude. They battled. Our numbers just came up short. Our Top 7 looks to keep competing for the Top 7 spots."

Artman noted Jimmy Funteas Jr. (No. 1 runner) and Marco Martinez (No. 2 runner) are settling into those positions. Martinez is new to the program.

"We are training hard and working toward individual and team goals, winning a team conference title and sending

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Fenton girls volleyball team making progress

Bison receiving contributions throughout the lineup

By Mike Miazga
Correspondent

The individual superlatives are abundant for the Fenton girls volleyball team.

The Bison, who were 5-9 overall through mid-last week, recently dropped a three-set decision to Elgin St. Edward. Fenton won the first set 25-23.

Sophomore setter/right-side hitter Natalia Skop had five kills in the opener. Valerie Andrews and sophomore setter Paulina Milanowski also excelled. "Valerie Andrews had a great match," said Fenton coach Kelly Kleidorfer. "She slowed down every ball hit by St. Ed's with a block touch. The return

of Paulina (previously out with an injury) sparked our team to an early first-set victory. We played a great first set."

Kleidorfer liked her team's approach out of the gates against St. Edward. "Our team cleared the first hurdle in our new conference matches, which was winning the first set," she said. "Our team was able to communicate and really show how far it has come since the beginning of the season."

Kleidorfer added the next step for her team is to carry that momentum it enjoyed in the first set against St. Edward into subsequent sets in matches.

"The next hurdle we have to

clear is being consistent," she said. "If we play every set like the first one against St. Ed's, we can give any team in our conference a run for their money."

Andrews, a senior captain, was leading the team through mid-last week with 14 solo blocks. Junior outside hitter Jessica Bango was leading the team with 72 digs, while junior middle hitter Emmy Burris was tops on the team in kills (28) and aces (21). Milanowski was the team leader in assists with 111.

"Our setting is a major strength this year with our two sophomores, Paulina and Natalia," said Kleidorfer. "Our serving also is a major strength, led by Emmy and Jessica."

Bango was lauded for her leadership efforts. "Jessica has

become a leader on the court," the coach said. "She constantly is communicating and encouraging her teammates. She has become a very positive influence."

Sophomore Ellie Wassmann has provided Kleidorfer with yet another option on the court through her hard work. "Ellie always is pushing herself in practice giving 100% every time she walks on the court. She is working hard to perfect every aspect of her game."

Fenton had upcoming Metro

Suburban Conference matches scheduled against Wheaton Academy and Glenbard South, plus tournaments at Ridgewood and Oswego East. "Those two conference games are going to be some of the toughest of the season," said Kleidorfer. "We're hoping to do well in our two upcoming tournaments. Every day we are getting better than we were the day before. We have a long road ahead of us, but the team is living up to the challenge and getting closer and closer."

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athletes to the state meet," he said.

Willowbrook boys golf

The Willowbrook boys golf team recently competed in the Leyden invitational at White Pines East Course in Bensenville. The Warriors finished fourth with a score of 370.

Senior Dominic McDonnell shot an 83, while junior Matt Langer shot 92. Senior Henry Wallace shot 97 and junior Max Sarovich had a 98.

Willowbrook also dropped a 174-188 West Suburban Conference Gold Division match to Hinsdale South at Village Greens.

McDonnell shot 43 to lead the Warriors. Sarovich had a 47, while Langer shot 49. Wallace and junior Mike Lopez also each shot 49.

In a 147-164 WSC Gold loss to Downers Grove South at Sugar Creek, McDonnell shot a 37. Juniors Nick Tiberi and Mike Lopez each shot 42, while senior Justin Bosco had a 43. The loss put Willowbrook at 5-5 overall and 3-2 in WSC Gold play.

Willowbrook girls golf

Warriors coach Jim White has been pleased in particular with the play of veteran Amanda DiNella and newcomer Marie Crowe.

"Amanda is playing well as is Marie, who has improved her scores from the 50s to the low 40s," he said.

Sophomores Maggie Karcz and Olivia Hartshorn, along with freshman Sophia Porriello, are showing improvement.

White also likes the contributions his seniors have made.

"Our seniors are playing and showing improvement," he said. "Our expectations are for the seniors to be leaders the rest of the season and have a strong showing at the conference meet. We are short on numbers as well as experience, but I think the team has been strong throughout the season."

Willowbrook girls tennis

Through mid-last week the Warriors were 1-5-1 overall in dual matches.

"The girls are working hard to reach their full potential," said Willowbrook coach Christy Scardina. "There is good team camaraderie. The team has become more consistent since the beginning of the season. Overall, they are playing smarter and are better with placement of their strokes during matches."

In a recent match against Addison Trail, Liama Lictis scored a 4-6, 6-3, 6-0 win at No. 2 singles.

"Liama has improved a lot since Day 1 of the season," said Scardina.

The No. 1 doubles team of Bridget Garner and Samantha Wozniak scored a 0-6, 6-4, 6-2 win against Addison Trail.

"Our goal this year is to see continued improvement and see everyone playing to their highest potential," said Scardina.

Willowbrook has upcoming matches against Morton (Sept. 30) and at Leyden (Leyden Quad on Oct. 4).

Trust goes a long way

Senior Peters helping Addison Trail football team thrive

By Mike Miazga
Correspondent

Addison Trail senior outside linebacker Mike Peters said he couldn't do what he does without one key element.

"I trust the people around me to help me get there," he said. "You trust your teammates and then you make sure you do your job."

The 5-foot-11-inch, 195-pound Peters is a key contributor on defense for an Addison Trail football team that brings an unblemished 4-0 record into Friday's West Suburban Conference Gold Division contest against Hinsdale South.

Peters said his individual improvement has come from added quickness on the field.

"I'm coming off the ball better," he said. "My overall ability to get to the quarterback has improved. I'm just trying to make things happen out there."

Just like the rest of the Addison Trail defense, which has given up a total of 24 points in four games.

"It's our ability to play as a

team," he said. "Everyone gets over to every pile and everyone is making plays. Everyone out there is on the same page."

Peters isn't overly surprised at the team's success this season.

"I always knew we were capable," he said. "It depended on if we all wanted it and we all want it. We put in the effort in the off-season and we are getting there now. Our attitude isn't any different. Yes we're excited because we've been winning, but we are still the same. We're still working as hard as we have been in Week 1."

Peters noted the team's recent conference win over Downers Grove South was a huge confidence booster.

"That was big to get a win against one of the best teams, if not the best team, in the conference and we shut them out," he said. "That meant a lot to us to get that win."

Peters has been playing football since the first grade and came up through the Addison Cowboys feeder program.

"The Cowboys helped set me up," he said. "I always

played with older kids because I was taller and that helped me understand what it took to become a high-school football player. It taught me you're not always going to be the biggest kid on the field. It set me up well."

Peters also plays on the Addison Trail baseball team where he is a catcher and a first baseman. He would like to study fire science in college.

"I want to be a fire fighter," he said. "I'd like to study fire science and fire safety. I've always had an interest in the subject. I'd like to do something interesting that helps people."

Peters is looking forward to the rest of the season. He knows what the Blazers have to do to keep the momentum going forward.

"We can't get big heads and we can't think we are better than everybody," he said. "Just because we won doesn't mean we don't work hard. We have to work hard and we have to keep playing hard and show people what Addison Trail football is about."

Week 5 Preview

Morton (1-3, 1-1) at Willowbrook (0-4, 0-1)

When: Friday, 7:30 p.m.
Where: Willowbrook High School, Villa Park
Last week: Downers South 31, Morton 7, York 42, Willowbrook 7

Last year: Willowbrook 49, Morton 19
Outlook: A loss would eliminate Willowbrook from playoff consideration this year. The Warriors will look to get into the win column against a Morton team that started the season with shutout losses against Riverside-Brookfield and Glenbard West before scoring a two-point conference win over Proviso East.

Week 5 Preview

IC Catholic Prep (1-3) at Aurora Central Catholic (4-0)

When: Friday, 7:30 p.m.
Where: Aurora Central Catholic High School
Last week: St. Edward 35, ICCP 28, ACC 48, Guerin Prep 18
Last year: IC 21, ACC 14

Outlook: IC is ready to open play in the new Metro Suburban Conference West Division against ACC, one of three teams in the division sporting 4-0 records (Fenton and Wheaton Academy are the others). IC played a tough non-conference schedule, which culminated in a game last week against now 4-0 St. Edward. The Knights have been led this season by running back Jordan Rowell, who has rushed for 516 yards and five touchdowns. Rashaun Epting has 261 rushing yards and three touchdowns.

Week 5 Preview

Glenbard South (2-2) at Fenton (4-0)

When: Friday, 7:15 p.m.
Where: Fenton High School, Bensenville
Last week: Glenbard South 41, Ridgewood 0, Fenton 35, Elmwood Park 6

Last year: Glenbard South 42, Fenton 14
Outlook: The Metro Suburban Conference West Division kicks off with a bang with this contest that features the defending league champion Glenbard South against a Fenton team that is now 10-3 over its last 13 regular-season games. Fenton has held opponents to 12 or less points in three of its first four games. Glenbard South opened the season with losses to Addison Trail and Antioch, but has since scored wins against MSC crossover foes Elmwood Park (47-7) and Ridgewood.

Week 5 Preview

Hinsdale South (4-0, 2-0) at Addison Trail (4-0, 2-0)

When: Friday, 7:30 p.m.
Where: Addison Trail High School
Last week: Hinsdale South 40, Proviso East 6, Addison Trail 40, Leyden 7

Last year: Hinsdale South 34, Addison Trail 21
Outlook: A matchup of teams with identical unbeaten records. A win here makes Addison Trail eligible for the playoffs and puts it one win away from an automatic playoff berth. The Blazers have been impressive this season, limiting opponents to a combined 24 points in the first four games, which included a shutout of perennial league powerhouse Downers Grove South. Hinsdale South won its first two league games against Willowbrook and Proviso East by a combined 80-26 score. In terms of the WSC Gold race, Hinsdale South and Addison Trail are the last two unbeaten teams in the league, thus the winner here gains a distinct advantage heading into Week 6.

ADDISON TRAIL SPORTS REPORT

Newcomers helping Addison Trail girls cross country team

Galvan leading AT girls golfers

By Mike Miazza
Correspondent

Addison Trail girls cross-country coach Kirsten Olson is receiving contributions from a cast of many this season.

Olson has been pleased with the work of newcomers Rachel Baumgartner (senior), Yennifer Ortiz (junior), Maria Ramos (sophomore) and Diana Grinyuk (freshman), as well as four-year veteran Jennifer Hurtado.

"We set a team goal last year to increase our numbers and commitment to summer preparation," she said. "I can proudly say we already reached both those goals. With those in place, one of our next team goals is to improve our place in the conference at each of the levels. We have a great group of freshman and sophomore athletes. I'm excited to see what they can accomplish. Within our first three meets I have seen the girls continue to improve their times and to me that is the essence of cross country: setting a goal, putting in the work and seeing it pay off during a race with a personal record."

Grinyuk has led the varsity team in two of the team's first three races. Senior Emma Schmitt turned in a strong personal performance at the First to the Finish invitational in Peoria by improving her time by a full two minutes. Ortiz, in her first-ever cross-country race, was Addison Trail's lead runner.

"Yennifer has brought experience from track and is extremely enthusiastic about the cross-country season," said Olson.

Addison Trail will run in the Leyden invitational Saturday.

Addison Trail girls golf Junior Ally Galvan is leading the Addison Trail girls golf team in scoring.

"Ally is learning what it takes to shoot lower scores," coach Phil Stewart said. "If we can get her to become consistent with her ball striking, she will make vast improvements with her score."

Stewart said the team continues to make progress in a number of areas.

"We still are learning the game and learning how to play in pressure situations," he said. "We are trying to focus on how to translate hitting in practice to hitting the same type of shot in a match. Our putting has shown some improvement, as well as

our chipping. We have to keep working on our consistency."

Addison Trail was scheduled to face Glenbard West and Hinsdale South this week in West Suburban Conference matches.

"We are a very young team that has some potential," said Stewart. "If we can play more throughout the year, our scores will improve."

Addison Trail girls volleyball

The Addison Trail girls volleyball team dropped a recent 25-15, 25-17 non-conference match to Schaumburg.

Sarah Petrбок had six kills. Keara Schmitt had six kills and two aces. Anastasia Labadessa added 14 assists. Danielle Tulke had two aces, while Carla Muell had two aces and eight digs. The loss put Addison Trail at 5-11 overall.

Addison Trail boys cross country

The Addison Trail boys cross-country team lost West Suburban Conference Gold Division meets to Leyden and Downers Grove South.

"Both Leyden and Downers Grove South had strong varsity squads," said Addison Trail coach Brad Donaldson.

At the Fenton Earlybird invitational, Addison Trail had a pair of strong underclass showings. Danny Bueno was 17th in the freshman race, while Demetrio Cervantes was 22nd in the sophomore race.

"Our younger groups won both of their meets. We have some talented runners in that frosh-soph age group," said Donaldson, "but we need time to develop in order to be competitive at the varsity level. We've been working on developing a strong pack mentality at the lower levels, working on general overall conditioning and trying to keep the younger kids healthy as they adapt to more intensive training."

Both Demetrio Cervantes and Julio Cervantes have impressed of late. "They have both run close to their personal bests from last year and have run faster in each of our first three meets," said Donaldson. "Both have been solid workers day in and day out in practice and the results are showing."

Donaldson is encouraged by the progress the program is making. "We are extremely young and are relying on a core group of freshmen and sophomores that will help us compete in the future, but they are going to take time to

develop and mature. It will be a challenge at the varsity level the rest of the year, but we hope the younger kids will have some success and develop as a team."

Addison Trail runs in the Leyden invitational Saturday and travels to Hinsdale South for a WSC Gold dual Monday.

DISTRICT 88-FENTON FOOTBALL REPORT

Fenton, Addison Trail football teams now 4-0

Willowbrook drops decision to neighbor York
 By Mike Miazza
Correspondent

Two area football teams find themselves on the doorstep of playoff qualification.

Both the Fenton and Addison Trail football teams scored Week 4 victories to improve their respective records to a perfect 4-0.

Fenton recorded a 35-6 Metro Suburban Conference crossover victory over Elmwood Park. The win puts the Bison one victory away from becoming playoff eligible. Fenton qualified for the playoffs last year with a 6-3 record.

The Bison host defending Metro Suburban Conference champion Glenbard South Friday.

Addison Trail football

Addison Trail continued its impressive turnaround after a 40-7 West Suburban Conference Gold Division road victory against Leyden.

Addison Trail went 2-7 a year ago.

The Blazers will attempt to become playoff eligible Friday when they host Hinsdale South in another WSC Gold contest.

Willowbrook football

The Willowbrook football team's record dropped to 0-4 overall after a 42-7 West Suburban Conference crossover loss to neighbor York.

The Warriors return to action Friday at home in a West Suburban Conference Gold Division contest against Morton.