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## Lake Bluff Letter

Calendar Events - [View All](#)

### Fireman's Ball

Monday, July 3, 2017 - 7:00pm

### Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast

Tuesday, July 4, 2017 - 6:30am

### Children's Parade

Tuesday, July 4, 2017 - 9:50am

### 4th of July Parade

Tuesday, July 4, 2017 - 10:00am

### Family Fair

Tuesday, July 4, 2017 - 11:30am

### Village News

#### [Street Rehabilitation Program Update](#)

Peter Baker & Son Co., Inc. (Contractor) has completed the resurfacing and patching work. Miscellaneous remaining items such as gravel shoulder installation, center line and crosswalk markings, fire hydrant markers and grass restoration will be completed later this summer.

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#### [Fourth of July Holiday Reminder](#)

In observance of Independence Day, non-emergency Village offices will

be closed on Tuesday, July 4th. Non-emergency Village Offices will commence with regular hours of operation (8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.) on Wednesday, July 5th. The Public Works Recycling Facility will also be closed on July 4th and will reopen on July 5th.

Refuse and yard waste collections for Monday, July 4th will remain unchanged. The remaining refuse and yard waste collection days throughout the week will be moved ahead by one day.

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### [Fourth of July Festivities Schedule](#)

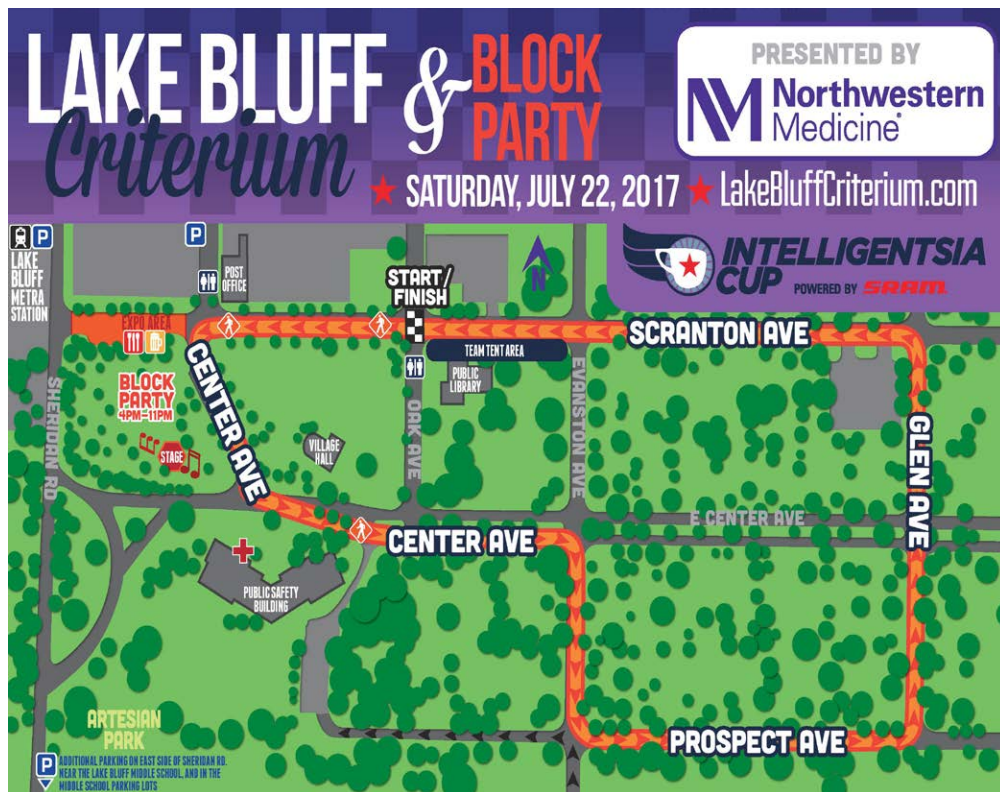
The following is a schedule of events for the July 4<sup>th</sup> festivities:

- Saturday, July 1<sup>st</sup> at 1:00 p.m. - Mixed Doubles Tennis (Artesian Park Courts);
- Sunday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 1:00 p.m. - Mixed Doubles Tennis (Artesian Park Courts);
- Monday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00 p.m. - 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Firemen's Ball (Blair Park);
- Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 a.m. - 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast (Village Green);
- Tuesday July 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. - Grace United Methodist Church Party (E. Center Ave.);
- Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:50 a.m. - Children's Parade step-off;
- Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. - 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade step-off; and
- Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m. - 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Kiwanis Hamburger & Hot Dog Cookout (Village Green).

A detailed schedule of events is available at [lb4july.org](http://lb4july.org).

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### [Lake Bluff Criterium and Block Party Plans are in Motion for the 6th Consecutive Year](#)



**NORTHWESTERN MEDICINE LAKE BLUFF CRITERIUM and BLOCK PARTY PLANS ARE IN MOTION FOR THE 6<sup>TH</sup> CONSECUTIVE YEAR**

*Mark your calendars—be part of the fun and excitement of one of the most anticipated events on the North Shore*

There will be no brakes on for the 6<sup>th</sup> annual Northwestern Medicine Lake Bluff Criterium and Block Party, July 22<sup>nd</sup>, in downtown Lake Bluff, with races starting at 8:45 a.m. ending about 8:30 p.m. at 113 E. Scranton Avenue. The Block Party on the Village Green begins at 4 p.m. and continues into the evening. Northwestern Medicine is once again the proud host of the day, providing an exciting opportunity for everyone to enjoy some unique summer fun.

“Northwestern Medicine is proud to serve as the principal sponsor of the Northwestern Medicine Lake Bluff Criterium & Block Party,” stated Thomas McAfee, President Northwestern Medicine Lake Forest Hospital. “We are thrilled to bring this premier event to our community for the sixth year and invite our neighbors to join us for family fun and world-class cycling. Bicycling is a fun sport that suits all ages and we hope this event inspires community residents to be active and live a healthy lifestyle.”

The 13 bike race categories throughout the day with riders in the

pro men's and women's races from 30 states in the USA, as well as 15 foreign countries that include Germany, New Zealand, France, Australia, Columbia, and Costa Rica, to name a few. Lake Bluff's very own Grand Tour will be lead off by the all new X5xDrive40e iperformance BMW, a vehicle with electric torque, provided by Knauz Automotive Group Lake Bluff. Visitors will be able to see the X5x along with other vehicles from Knauz Autopark throughout the Village. Knauz has been a major sponsor of the Lake Bluff Criterium since 2011.

This year's races include special races for kids, ages 3 to 9. Once again sponsored by the Lake Forest Bank & Trust Company, these heats start at 5:25 p.m. A parent or guardian must register each child in advance at the bank's Lake Bluff branch beginning Monday, July 17<sup>th</sup> through Friday, July 21<sup>st</sup> from 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. and on Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> from 8:30 a.m. until noon. There is no entry fee for the kids but they MUST wear a helmet. And, everyone's a winner! Children who ride will all receive a medal and a "Take 2" coupon for two free ounces that can be added to their ice cream treat at Suzy's Swirl on Rockland Road, Lake Bluff.

Spectators will have an opportunity to watch the female and male pros compete for prize money totaling over \$7,000, a hand-cycling race for disabled individuals, the Fyxation Open, where the racers ride fixed gear bikes with no brakes, and more. Two Jumbotrons will allow guests to view the races from the Village Green, while they're having fun at the Block Party, enjoying food and refreshments from local restaurants, and listening to live music, scheduled to start at 8 p.m.

Mark your calendars and be there. Projected winners for the day, everyone in attendance! For more information about the Northwestern Medicine Lake Bluff Criterium and Block Party, visit <http://intelligentsiacup.com/schedule/lake-bluff/> .

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### [Lake Bluff Police Reminds Residents to Keep Valuables Secure](#)

The Lake Bluff Police Department wants to remind all residents to keep their car windows rolled up, doors locked, and valuables out of sight when your car is parked unattended.

When riding bikes, be sure to lock them in bike racks, and keep them in a closed and locked garage overnight.

Lastly, if you see anyone suspicious, call the Police! Together we can help keep Lake Bluff the safe community we all enjoy!

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### ["Like" Us on Facebook!](#)

The Village is on Facebook! Be sure to "Like" us so you can receive updates and news from the Village. Click [here](#) for the link.

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### [Farmers' Market Reminder!](#)

The start of the 2017 Farmers' Market Season was a success! The Market Manager reports a larger than usual turnout for opening day. The Farmers' Market (located on the Village Green) is once again sponsored by Knauz Autopark and will run every Friday from June 9 to October 13, 2017, 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Additional information is available by visiting [lakeblufffarmersmarket.com](http://lakeblufffarmersmarket.com) or [Facebook.com/LakeBluffMarket](https://www.facebook.com/LakeBluffMarket).

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### [Transportation Options Available for Seniors](#)

Lake Bluff has options for seniors on the move! These transport services are provided by the Lake Forest-Lake Bluff Senior Citizens Foundation:

- **Senior Car:** Drivers are available weekdays from 8:45 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. for your weekday appointments, errands, or visits. Please call as soon as you know your schedule. Rides are \$3 each way. A handy coupon for 10 rides can be purchased from the drivers or in Dickinson Hall. *Tips are not accepted.*
- **Taxi Vouchers:** Subsidized taxi service is offered for residents age 65 and over who do not drive. Trips must begin and end within the Lake Forest High School district. Riders present coupons worth \$3 of fare, and pay the remainder. Sixteen coupons per 30-day period can be mailed to your home or purchased at Dickinson Hall. *Tips are not accepted.*
- **Senior Bus:** Weekly trips to local shopping centers and grocery stores are scheduled. The bus service is wheelchair accessible.

To schedule a service or for more information, please contact Tara Purtell, Transportation Coordinator at (847) 810-4677.

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### [Upcoming SEC Public Forum](#)

Please join the Sustainability and Community Enhancement Committee (SEC) at one of its upcoming public forums regarding two pilot programs: backyard chicken-keeping and beekeeping. The SEC will hold a public forum at the Public Safety Building Community Room (45 E. Center Ave.) on Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup> (2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.) to discuss the two pilot programs. In addition, the SEC welcomes the public to attend its regular scheduled meetings held on the last Wednesday of each month (7:00 p.m. at Village Hall).

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In the event that Meeting Agenda links do not properly function, subscribers may find agendas posted on the Home Page at [www.lakebluff.org](http://www.lakebluff.org). All Board and Commission [Meeting Minutes](#) are generally approved at the next regular meeting and posted on the website the following day.

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