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**THE GLEN PARK NEWSLETTER**

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Glen Park e-mail [glenpark@twcny.rr.com](mailto:glenpark@twcny.rr.com)

Website <https://www.glenparkny.com/> is operational!

Village Office Hours – Tuesday and Friday 9 a.m. to Noon.

**CLEAN UP DAY – OCTOBER 3RD**

**Due to the Covid 19 pandemic, our local organizations are having difficulty holding their fundraisers. We urge everyone to contact and support the local organizations' upcoming events.**

AT THIS TIME, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES WOULD LIKE TO REVIEW OUR CURRENT LAW FOR STORAGE OF **INOPERABLE MOTOR VEHICLES** “Section 61-1 Purpose – the outdoor storage of junked, abandoned, unused or dangerous motor vehicles or the parts therefrom within the Village of Glen Park is a hazard to the preservation of the public health, welfare and safety in that it constitutes a health, fire and safety hazard and is an attractive nuisance to children, which is a peril to their safety. Such outdoor storage constitutes a blight on the Village’s landscape, and it is generally unsightly, and its existence tends to depreciate the value of property in the neighborhood and the Village generally. The control of the outdoor storage of **junked, abandoned, unused or dangerous** motor vehicles or parts therefrom within the Village of Glen Park is therefore regulated for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of its residents.

Section 61-4 Outdoor storage restrictions.

- A. It shall be unlawful for any person, ..., on any property within the Village of Glen Park to store or deposit or cause or permit to be stored or deposited a **junked, abandoned or dangerous** motor vehicle or vehicles or parts therefrom in the Village of Glen Park....
- B. It shall be unlawful for any person....on any privately owned lot within the Village of Glen Park to store or deposit or cause or permit to be stored or deposited more than one of either one **unused** vehicle or one competition vehicle in the Village of Glen Park. This prohibition does not apply to the one allowable vehicle as long as the one vehicle is stored or deposited on the lot is not stored or deposited in a manner which creates a hazard to the health, safety or morals of the occupant of a building or the public and he shall place the vehicle out

of public view. The storage of this vehicle shall be within a wholly enclosed building or in an area enclosed by a secured wall or fence to be screened by natural objects, plantings or other appropriate means so as to not be visible from any highway, street, sidewalk or other location.

- C. Any **junked, abandoned, unused or dangerous** motor vehicle or vehicles or parts therefrom stored or deposited in violation of this Chapter on any land in the Village of Glen Park shall be removed by the vehicle owner, property owner, occupant, lessee, agent, tenant or other person, firm or corporation occupying, managing or controlling such land or vehicle.

DEFINITIONS: ... used in this article:

**Abandoned** – any motor vehicle, the ownership of which cannot be reasonably determined or of which the owner does not intend to recover possession or of which the owner does not intend to use on a public highway, excepting competition vehicles. The intent of the owner of a motor vehicle may be determined by the physical condition of the motor vehicle, the length of time since the motor vehicle has last been used on a public highway and weather the motor vehicle is licensed or unlicensed.

**Dangerous** – any motor vehicle which has smashed and broken windows and/or areas of sharp and torn metal edges and points and which cannot be legally be cooperated upon a public way.

**Junked** – Any motor vehicle which is unregistered by the State of New York or any other state is not **operable**.

**Operable** – any motor vehicle which can be registered in the State of New York and which can be legally operated upon a public way. A vehicle which is in a condition to pass the requirements for the New York State motor vehicle inspection sticker shall be deemed in a condition for legal use upon a public highway.

**Unused** – any operable motor vehicle which is unregistered by the State of New York or any other state and/or upon which is not displayed a valid state inspection sticker.

**THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES THANKS YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER.**

**Dates to Remember**

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### SEPTEMBER, 2020

#### 14- Board of Trustees Meeting 6 pm

15 – VILLAGE ELECTION. Our Village Election was originally scheduled for Wednesday, March 18, 2020 and due to Covid 19 was postponed by Governor Cuomo. On May 1, 2020, Governor Cuomo scheduled the Village Elections by EXECUTIVE ORDER 202.26 for SEPTEMBER 15<sup>th</sup>.

A notice will be placed on Village Office Entrance Door and six other prominent places in the Village – namely intersections at: Main/Woodlawn Ave., Main St/Huron St. Main/Superior St.; Main/Church St., Church/Park St., Church/Glen St. and Glen Park Fire Building, 630 Main St.

Time and place for the election will remain Noon to 9 p.m. at Glen Park Fire Building, 630 Main Street, Glen Park.

Ballots, which were already printed, may be used on the September 15, 2020 date, despite displaying the original date of the election on the reverse side of ballot.

Glen Park Residents will elect: Mayor and TWO (2) Trustee positions (two years each). Village Clerk Constance G. Hoard received Independent Petitions from the following residents:

FOR MAYOR  
STEPHEN MACAULAY  
101 Superior Street  
Glen Park, NY 13601

FOR TWO (2) TRUSTEE  
POSITIONS:  
JOAN POSTORINO  
309 Park Street  
Glen Park, NY 13601

### OCTOBER, 2020

3 -FALL CURBSIDE CLEAN UP DAY –FOR ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL REFUSE CONTRACTOR PICK N GO 315-783-4122 or 315-777-1128

#### 5-Board of Trustees Meeting 6 pm

30–Last day to pay to Village Treasurer villages taxes, with penalties, before being re-levied to Jefferson County.

#### 31- Halloween

FOR YOUR INFORMATION, OUR DPW DEPT. IS STILL ON DUTY 4-TEN HOUR DAYS (Monday to Thursday) AND ARE UNAVAILABLE, EXCEPT FOR EMERGENCIES, ON FRIDAYS UNTIL OCTOBER.

### NOVEMBER, 2020

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1st to April 1, 2021 - PLEASE -NO OVERNIGHT PARKING ON VILLAGE STREETS

1- FALL BACK –Daylight Saving Time in the U.S. ends 2 a.m. NOVEMBER 1. DON'T FORGET TO TURN YOUR CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR. At the same time, The Village of Glen Park Board of Trustees would like to remind you to also replace your batteries in your fire alarm/smoke detector/carbon monoxide systems.

#### 2- Board of Trustees Meeting 6 pm

3- General Election, Brownville Fire Hall, 121 Brown Boulevard, Brownville, NY 6 am to 9 pm

9- Approximate date for next water reading. WATER METERS are read in November and February of each year. Please keep a pathway clear to the black circle on the side of your residence to enable the DPW Department to read the water meters during the winter months. IF METERS ARE BLOCKED BY SNOW, YOUR METER WILL BE ESTIMATED.

SNOW REMOVAL - To assist our DPW crew, portable mailboxes should not obstruct village sidewalks and streets. Putting any snow, ice or debris onto a village sidewalk and/or street is a violation, subject to fines and points on license. Also, please do not place any items over the sewer pots, or the meter pit if you have one on your property, so that the Village DPW may access the system at any time for maintenance.

The farthest curb stop from the water main will be considered the owner's property and from that point, the owner shall be responsible for maintenance and repair. The sewer lines from the sewer pot to the house are the responsibility of the homeowner. If water meter is damaged due to neglect, it will be the owner's responsibility for the cost of repair and/or replacement by the Village of Glen Park.

26-27 Village Office closed– Thanksgiving holiday

In November, BROWNVILLE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN will be holding their Lights of Love fundraiser.. Please, one name per bulb. Send as soon as possible to: Brownville United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 56, Brownville, NY. Call Amy (at 315-786-0923) or Blanche Livingston at (315-639-6807).

### DECEMBER, 2020

#### 7- Board of Trustees Meeting 6 pm

25-Christmas Day - Village Office Hours cancelled.

### JANUARY, 2021

1- New Year's Day - Village Office Hours cancelled.

### APPLICATION FOR ZONING PERMIT

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If you notice any new construction or additions to current buildings, sheds, swimming pools, or fences, please notify any Village Board member at their home phone number so that the proper Application for Zoning Permit can be completed.

**A VILLAGE OF GLEN PARK APPLICATION FOR ZONING PERMIT IS REQUIRED BEFORE ANY STRUCTURE MAY BE CONSTRUCTED OR SIZE OF CURRENT LIVING SPACE ALTERED. SWIMMING POOLS (24 INCHES AND HIGHER IN DEPTH) ARE CONSIDERED STRUCTURES. APPLICATION FOR PERMIT REQUIRES A FEE OF \$10.00 PAYABLE TO THE VILLAGE OF GLEN PARK.**

**FENCES MAY BE PLACED ON THE PROPERTY LINE, BUT REQUIRE APPLICATION FOR PERMIT, DPW APPROVAL, BUT NO FEE.**

Applications for Zoning Permit can be picked up from the Village Office. To facilitate any new construction including additions to buildings, accessory buildings (such as sheds and garages), swimming pools and fences, please allow sufficient time after submitting all required zoning permit applications and fees (\$10.00) to the Village Office so that the Board of Trustees at their next regularly scheduled meeting may discuss and coordinate your construction with the side and rear setback regulations for your zoning district and village sewer/water easements in order to issue the needed permit.

In the event an Application for Zoning Permit is denied, applicant may appeal the decision by contacting the Zoning Board of Appeals Chairman David Dasno at the phone number listed on page 4 of this newsletter. Cost is \$175.00 plus cost of publication for Zoning Board of Appeals hearing.

Since Jefferson County enforces the NYS Fire & Building Code for the Village of Glen Park, anyone granted a zoning permit by the Village of Glen Park should also contact Jefferson County Building Code Office (315-785-5130) to ascertain if any additional permit is required from Jefferson County for their construction project.

**STREET LIGHTS** - If you discover something wrong with a street light near your home, please contact the DPW Office -315- 782-8081

**GLEN PARK FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS & INFORMATION NUMBERS** - Glen Park Fire Department Chief Ralph Skinner (782-4130) or Fire Station( 315-782-5674)

**BURNING BARRELS, OR OPEN FIRES, ARE NOT ALLOWED AT ANY TIME IN THE VILLAGE.**

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**FIRE HYDRANTS** - Please do not park in front of fire hydrants. In the event of a fire, sufficient room must be available for fire department vehicles. During the winter season, please adopt a hydrant and keep it cleared of snow. This can be a neighborhood project. This would assist the fire department if the need arises.

Their annual "Coin Card" solicitation will be mailed this year. Letters will be sent out to all residents in our "first call area". If anyone needs "Tot Finders", please call the Fire Building and leave a message. Someone will return your call as soon as possible. Thank you in advance for your support.

They are always looking for new members. If you are interested, please contact any member or stop by the Fire Building on any Wednesday night.

**LEASH LAW** -There is a dog leash law in the Village of Glen Park and the law is enforced.

**DOG LICENSES** are issued by Town Clerk June McCartin, Star School House Road, Limerick (12-5 p.m. Monday to-Thurs. and 12-4 p.m. Fri.)

**SOLICITING OR PEDDLING** -No one should be soliciting within the Village of Glen Park without a Peddling Permit on their person. Please send them to the Village Office at 642 Main Street during office hours or call the Village Clerk anytime at (315-782-4508) to apply for a Peddling Permit. Cost of license is \$25.00 per person, per calendar year. Before issuance of the Peddling Permit, there is a 3 day waiting period after Village of Glen Park receives completed Peddling Permit application and fee.

**\*\*\*\* PLEASE NOTE SUMP PUMPS SHOULD NOT** be used to pump liquid from your residence into the Village sewer system. When this is done, it creates a huge amount of sewage and thereby increases the cost of sewer to all residents. "The owner of the property from which the inflow originated shall be billed for the inflow at the rate per gallon (based upon the Superintendent's estimated number of gallons of inflow) times 2 times the average charge per gallon charged by the Village of Brownville to the Village of Glen Park under their Sewer Service Agreement."

**TELEPHONE NUMBERS FOR YOUR USE:** The nearest available unit will be dispatched by:  
**AMBULANCE OR FIRE 911**

**POLICE: EMERGENCY NON-EMERGENCY**

<b>GLEN PARK</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>315-786-2601</b>
<b>SHERIFF</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>315-786-2601</b>
<b>STATE POLICE</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>315-782-2112</b>

**MAYOR STEPHEN MACAULAY - Home 315-782 9094**

**TRUSTEES: DANIEL MUNSON-Home 315-785 9434**

**JOAN POSTORINO-Home 315-788 3821**

**ROBERT WASHER-Home 315-783 3497**

**SHANE C. WISNER-Home 315-771 5437**

**DPW SUPERVISOR RALPH SKINNER 315-782 8081**

**FIRE CHIEF RALPH SKINNER 315-782 5674**

**GLEN PARK FIRE STATION 315-782 5674**

**TREASURER RENE'E KOLB- Village Office 315-782 2143**

**VILLAGE CLERK CONNIE HOARD-Home  
315-782 4508**

**VILLAGE FAX MACHINE 315-779 9622**

**VILLAGE OFFICE 315-782 2143**

**ZBA CHAIRMAN DAVID DASNO 315-408-4850**

**LEGISLATOR DISTRICT TWO  
WILLIAM JOHNSON 315-767 8158**

**TOWN SUPERVISOR RICHARD LANE \* \* 315-639 6266**

**\*\*TOWN OF BROWNVILLE MEETNGS NOW  
START AT 5 PM**

**ASSESSOR CHRISTINE THURSTON 315-639 3037**

**DOG CONTROL OFFICER BETSY RING 315-836-5312**

**ASSEMBLYMAN MARK WALCZYK 315-786-0284**

**NYS SENATOR PATTY RITCHIE 315-782 3418**

**U.S. REP. ELISE STEFANIK 315-782 3150**

**DIG SAFELY NEW YORK 800-962 7962**

**VILLAGE E-MAIL: [glenpark@twcnj.rr.com](mailto:glenpark@twcnj.rr.com).**

**VILLAGE WEBSITE: <https://www.glenparkny.com/>**

**TO HELP JEFFERSON COUNTY  
CLERK'S OFFICE KEEP THE FUNDS  
LOCALLY, THE VILLAGE OF GLEN  
PARK URGES YOU TO MAIL  
RENEWALS FOR DRIVER LICENSES &  
VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS TO  
JEFFERSON COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
175 ARSENAL STREET, WATERTOWN,  
NY. 13601 OR PLACE IN BOX OUTSIDE  
FRONT ENTRANCE AT SAME ADDRESS.**

## THE GLEN PARK NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

### LIST OF FEES:

Copies – 25 cents per page	
Death Certificate, per copy	\$ 10.00
Glen Park History Books:	
1893-1969	\$ 10.00
1970-1995	\$ 10.00
Returned Check	\$ 25.00
Sewer: Hook up	\$ 75.00
Tax Search	\$ 10.00
Water quarterly fee to DANC	\$ 33.32
Water/Sewer Frozen meter	\$147.49
Water/Sewer Frozen frost plate	\$ 9.37
Water/Sewer Disconnect Fee	\$ 50.00
Zoning Permit	\$ 10.00

**Zoning Board of Appeals hearing upon application \$175.00 plus cost of publication for Zoning Board of Appeals hearing.**

**Regular monthly Board of Trustees meetings start at 6 pm. and are held the first Monday of each month, except September, due to Labor Day, when it is held the second Monday.**

**There is a mail slot located at the right of the Village Office Entrance for payments and communications.**

**CHANGES TO ENHANCED STAR AND SENIOR EXEMPTION -For those turning 65 in 2021 will need to receive and fill out income verification. As in previous years, if anyone has any questions or needs assistance completing the forms, they may contact the Assessor Christine Thurston (315-639-3037) or stop by the Town of Brownville office, 16431 Star School Road, Dexter, NY 13634 Monday and Tuesday 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. and Wednesdays 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. These forms have to be returned by March 1, 2021.**

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE FOOD PANTRY, located at Dexter United Methodist Church is OPEN. TOWN OF BROWNVILLE PANTRY HOURS ARE FOR JANUARY TO OCTOBER OF EACH YEAR: SECOND WEDNESDAY 2-3 PM AND THIRD & FOURTH WEDNESDAY 6-7 PM.**

**If you have any further questions for November and December pantry hours, please call one of the following committee members:**

**Barb Compeau 315 788 5238 Barb Tyler 315 271 5844 and Carolyn LaClair 315 639 6953**

Have you noticed the drop-off sheds at the United Methodist Church parking lots in Brownville and Dexter? Community members may donate usable clothing, shoes, sneakers, belts, purses, linens, blankets, curtains and stuffed animals – PLEASE NO RAGS OR FABRIC SCRAPS. All items must be bagged in tied plastic bags before being placed in shed's drop-off opening. Receipts for tax-deduction are stored in a box on the shed. All items are shipped whole-garment and will be worn by someone, somewhere. The churches receive \$.04 per pound for items placed in these sheds. The churches may access the donations in the sheds for local use at times of community emergency or need.

**INFORMATION FOR THE GLEN PARK NEWSLETTERS IS GATHERED DURING THE MONTHS OF FEBRUARY, MAY, AUGUST AND NOVEMBER OF EACH YEAR. THEY ARE PRINTED BY THE 15<sup>TH</sup> OF EACH OF THOSE MONTHS. THEN MAILED ALONG WITH WATER/SEWER BILLS SENT BY THE FIRST DAY OF MARCH, JUNE, SEPTEMBER AND DECEMBER.**

**WE ALSO ATTEMPT TO SEND A COPY OF OUR NEWSLETTER TO EVERY RESIDENT.**

**IF YOUR ORGANIZATION WOULD LIKE TO PUT ANY INFORMATION IN OUR NEWSLETTER, PLEASE CALL VILLAGE CLERK CONNIE HOARD, 315-782 4508 WITH YOUR INFORMATION BY THE 15<sup>TH</sup> OF THE MONTHS OF FEBRUARY, MAY, AUGUST AND NOVEMBER.**

**PERMANENT AND TEMPORARY HANDICAPPED PARKING PERMITS are issued by Village Clerk Connie Hoard, after completion of the application for permanent or temporary parking permits by your doctor. Permanent Handicapped Parking Permits are good for five years after the date they are issued and can be renewed thereafter without any additional application from doctor. Temporary Permits are good until the expiration date stated in doctor's application form.**

**REFUSE NEWS - The Village of Glen Park renewed the refuse contract with Pick N Go,**

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800 Starbuck Avenue, Watertown, NY, 13601  
Phone 315-783-4122.

We would like to remind you at this time of present rules for trash and recycle pickup on regular pickup days and Clean Up Days.

The Village Board recommends that trash, while in storage prior to pickup be kept in a type of covered garbage container to prevent dogs, cats, rodents, and birds etc. getting into garbage. If you place your refuse out the night before regular pickup, please use covered containers as required by the Village Refuse Law.

During winter months to assist the refuse contractor in his duties, **DO NOT PLACE REFUSE ON TOP OF SNOWBANKS OR IN THE ROAD OR SIDEWALKS.**

On **TUESDAY** pickup day, please place refuse containers in your driveway entrance by **6:00 am** Also, please separate normal refuse from those items to be recycled. The refuse limit per pick up day is **6- 33 GAL.** **CLEAR BAGS NOT TO BE MORE THAN 40 LB. EACH.**

**RECYCLABLES – CANNOT BE MIXED WITH REFUSE.** Pick N Go asked us to inform you that cellophane bags and styrofoam are not recyclables and there should be with combined with normal refuse.

All recyclables must be rinsed and cleaned.

a) **All glass, tin, plastic and paper** can be placed together in one bin.

b) **Cardboard** must be broken down, flattened, and tied in sizes no larger than 3 feet X 3 feet. Anything larger than 3 feet X 3 feet will not be picked up.

c)– **Shredded paper** should be placed into a clear plastic bag.

**CLEAN UP DAY IS OCTOBER 3<sup>RD</sup>**

Only on **Clean Up Days, (Spring and Fall)**, may you place curbside any large items, such as furniture, box springs or appliances.

Residents will be limited to four yards of debris. (a pile which is approx. 6' x 6' x 3').

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**Please have items ready by 6 am.** Acceptable items for the curbside pickup on Clean Up Day: **EMPTY** paint cans and 5 gallon pails with can tops removed, small furniture - i.e. chairs, box springs, household refuse, small amounts of construction debris, lumber must be 2' sections and carpeting. Prepare neatly as many items as possible, in a bag or box, and label any container you wish disposed.

The Public Works Department will pick up white goods and heavy steel or pipe. Metal and plastic must be separated from the other refuse items. These items will not be picked up by Village DPW or contractor unless metal, plastic objects, and legs are detached from tables etc.

Recyclables, such as empty cardboard boxes, will not be picked up on Clean Up Day but will be picked up on the following Tuesday pickup day.

Allowing anyone to drop off refuse from outside of the Village of Glen Park is a Vehicle and Traffic Law violation.

**ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED ARE MATTRESSES, LARGE AMOUNTS OF CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS AND ANY RECYCLABLES. Mattresses, electronics and tires will not be picked up on regular pickup day or Clean Up Days.**

Residents may take mattresses, electronic equipment and miscellaneous other items to the Jefferson County Solid Waste Facility on NYS Route 12 in the Town of Pamela. The Pamela Transfer Site can be reached at 315-786-6900 for information concerning fees etc. Their hours are 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday to Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays.

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE TRANSFER SITE**, is accepting for recycling, along with green waste (grass clippings, leaves, brush, tree limbs), electronic equipment such as TV sets, computers and misc. electronic accessories, and **ONLY** re-chargeable batteries. There are special areas at their site for disposal. The service is free.

**FREE PERMITS FOR GREEN WASTE AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT, ETC.**

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FOR USE AT THE TOWN OF BROWNVILLE TRANSFER SITE ARE AVAILABLE ANYTIME FROM VILLAGE CLERK CONNIE HOARD (315-782-4508) OR DURING OFFICE HOURS AT THE VILLAGE OFFICE.

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE TRANSFER SITE HOURS (Game Farm Road, Brownville) - **WEDNESDAYS, 2 P.M. TO 7 P.M. AND SATURDAYS 8 A.M. TO 3 P.M.**

DANC conducts annual FREE Household Hazardous Waste Collection Days at: Jefferson Co. Hwy, 21897 CR 190 (Outer W. Main St., Watertown). Look for info in Watertown Daily Times.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT CORNER: POLICE OFFICER LARRY JOBSON**—It is hard to believe that summer is already gone and the children are returning to school. With that in mind, I would like to remind everyone that it is illegal to pass a stopped school bus with its lights flashing. Not only is it a costly fine, but also it's very dangerous for the children. I will be watching this very closely this year.

Also, remember that the speed zone is reduced to 25 mph in the area of the school from 7 am to 6 pm on school days. Last school year, I wrote many tickets for excessive speeds in this zone and I will continue to monitor this area heavily. Please slow down for the children's sake.

As always, it is a pleasure to serve you and if you ever need me, leave me a message at the Village Office (315-782-2143) or flag me down as I drive by. In an emergency, please dial 911. Thank you

**HALLOWEEN** - A note of caution - young children should be accompanied by an adult on that evening. Children should also wear reflective clothing to help motorists see them crossing streets.