

# Fall FEST

**FREE!**

**October 12, 6-8PM  
@ Springfield Park**

**Sponsored by**



Gather family and friends and enjoy an evening full of fun fall festivities.

The first 100 children (ages 12 and younger) to pre-register receive a free gift the day of the event.

**Activities include:**

- DJ**
- Entertainment**
- Hayrides around the park**
- Arts and Crafts**
- Smore's**
- Facepainting**
- Slide**
- Pony Rides**
- Climbing Rock Wall**
- And much more!**



# Halloween Party

**FREE!**



**October 20**

**@ Bloomingdale Public Library & Village of Bloomingdale**

All of Bloomingdale is invited to join in the grandest of Halloween parties, put together by the Bloomingdale Park District, Bloomingdale Public Library, Bloomingdale Fire Protection District and the Village of Bloomingdale (Police and Public Works).

**Bloomingdale Park District Activities | 9AM-1PM**

- Arts and Crafts
- Family Pumpkin Decorating (12PM while supplies last)
- Trunk or Treat
- Eagle Falls Dentistry will collect additional, unwanted candy to support the service men and women of our country through the USO and to limit the amount of candy eaten by children. All candy collect is sent in care packages to troops overseas.

**Park District Activities Sponsored by**



**Library Activities | Noon-3PM**

- Hay maze
- Inflatable moonwalk
- Games & prizes
- Balloon artists
- Face painters
- Pictures available for \$1
- FREE refreshments and candy

**Police & Fire Departments Activities**

**9AM-12PM, Fire | 9AM-1PM, Police**

- Halloween-themed building tours
- Activities and games
- Trick or Treating

**Contacts:**

Library: Tim Jarzemsky, (630) 924-2722

Police: Dawn Odoi, (630) 529-9868

Park District: Rebecca Defrancesco, (630) 529-3650

# Holly Jolly Trolley



**December 14-15  
@ Roselle Metra Station**



All aboard the Holly Jolly Trolley! Bring the family on a magical train ride to enjoy a story, caroling, milk and cookies, and a very special guest! Space is limited. The program meets at the Roselle Metra Station. Riders receive their boarding pass at check-in time.

Pre-registration is required. Register by November 1. Refunds are not granted for the Holly Jolly Trolley. Please dress for the weather as sometimes the Metra Station is not unlocked.

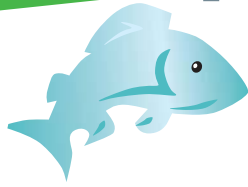
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Option 1:	Option 2:	Option 3:
<b>Dec. 14</b>	<b>Dec. 15</b>	<b>Dec. 15</b>
Check in: 7PM	Check in: 8:45AM	Check in: 10:45AM
Boarding: 7:31PM	Boarding: 9:18AM	Boarding: 11:18AM
A1=Red Car	B1= Red Car	C1=Red Car
A2=Green Car	B2=Green Car	C2= Green Car

\*Ride is approximately 1 hour

**FREE!**

# Fishing Derby



**September 15, 8-10AM  
@ Lakeview Park**



Sharpen skills and discover hidden fishing talents at the Park District's annual Fishing Derby! Stocked each spring at the Bloomingdale-Roselle Rotary Club Fish Release, Lakeview Park is full to the brim with an abundance of fish species. Prizes are awarded for all types of catches including biggest, smallest, weirdest and more. Participants must bring their own fishing gear. Bait is provided or you may bring your own. Children 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult. This is a catch-and-release event. Prairie State Bass Masters are on site to help measure and weigh fish while handing out giveaways.



# Make a Difference Day

**FREE!**

**October 20, 9AM-12PM  
@ Springfield Park**

Thank You



Make A Difference Day, organized by Wolff Construction of Roselle, and supported by the Bloomingdale Parks Foundation, includes cleaning up trash, clearing invasive plants and vegetation, seeding native plants and vegetation, and more.

Additionally, the Parks Foundation secured a \$5,500 grant at the wetlands through the Illinois Clean Energy Community Foundation. The grant is partially dependent upon volunteer hours conducted at Make A Difference Day. The resources raised will go toward upgrades and/or replacement of visitor boardwalks and stationary and floating piers, as well as repair/replacement of the interpretive signage that surrounds the wetlands.



Contact Joe Potts at [joe@bloomingdaleparks.org](mailto:joe@bloomingdaleparks.org) or (630) 339-3576 to volunteer and/or for more information.



# SUNRISE SHUFFLE 5K

September 8, 8:30AM  
@ Johnston Recreation Center



Support local parks and recreation at the Eighth Annual Bloomingdale Parks Foundation's Sunrise Shuffle 5K, presented by Sunrise Chevrolet! The September 8 run is a kick-off event for Bloomingdale's 45th Annual Septemberfest and starts and ends at the Johnston Recreation Center.

Two-thirds (\$20) of your \$30 entrance fee will be matched by Illinois Clean Energy Community Foundation 3 to 1. Both your dollars and the matching grant funds received will be used for the restoration of the Springfield Park Wetlands. Your \$30 entrance fee = \$60 dollars for the wetlands!



Family-friendly race includes race T-shirt, medals for top three finishers in each age category, Bounce House and Fun Run for kids (no registration necessary) and complimentary post-race beer.

Register online at [www.signmeup.com/125069](http://www.signmeup.com/125069).

## Sponsors



VERTICAL ENDEAVORS  
Indoor Rock Climbing



# Festival of Lights

**November 30 - December 31  
@ Old Town Park**

## Programming and entertainment to include:

### Holiday Show at the Museum

The popular LEGO exhibit returns to the Museum for the 2018 Festival of Lights. Nine freight and/or passenger trains will be racing around the track. Kid crafts, Elf on the Shelf and complimentary refreshments are part of every holiday Museum experience.

### Museum Hours (Nov. 30 – Dec. 30)

- o Thursdays: 6-8:30PM
- o Fridays-Saturdays: 6-9PM
- o Sundays: 1-4PM

### Additional entertainment to include:

- o Horse-drawn carriage rides
- o Holiday Crafts
- o Train Rides
- o Holiday Entertainment

## Platinum Sponsors



STRATFORD SQUARE MALL



## Gold Sponsor



**Lighting Ceremony**  
**Nov. 30 @ 6:30PM**

**Old Town Park and the Village's Holiday Tree on the piazza will be simultaneously lit up with the giant switch!**

