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Covid-19 Data Via:

<https://chi.gov/coviddash>

<https://www.chicago.gov/city/en/sites/covid-19/home/food-and-shelter.html>

For comments or concerns regarding this newsletter contact 001st District Community Organizer, Staneè Wills staneewills@chicagopolice.org



Millennium Park Virtual Tree Lighting

Mayor Lori E. Lightfoot and DCASE recently announced details for the 107th Annual City of Chicago Christmas Tree in Millennium Park. This year's Tree is a 45-foot Blue Spruce donated by the family of Catherine Townsend of Chicago's Morgan Park neighborhood (19th ward).

Millennium Park holiday programs are produced by DCASE and presented by Powering Chicago,

with support from the Millennium Park Foundation and Chicago Transit Authority. Due to COVID-19 health and safety concerns, DCASE will not present an in-person Tree lighting ceremony for the public, but Chicagoans and visitors are invited to attend a new virtual holiday program premiering on November 19 at 6:30pm at www.YouTube.com/ChicagoDCASE

Residents and visitors can visit Millennium Park to see the City of Chicago Christmas Tree shining brightly near the intersection of Michigan Ave. and Washington St. from November 20 through January 7.

The Park is open daily, 8am to 9pm, for groups of 10 persons or fewer who practice physical distancing and wear face coverings.

*Adapted from www.Chicago.gov

Make Room @ The Table: Tips for a Solo Holiday

Table for one this Thanksgiving? Here are some tips for a festive solo holiday

These recommendations take into account the need for mask wearing, social distancing and other appropriate restrictions to mitigate the spread of COVID-19. They also include ideas appropriate for a wide range of budgets.

Invite someone you know will also be alone to share Thanksgiving dinner via Zoom.

Talk about the dishes you've made for each course and why you included them on your Thanksgiving menu.

Write a note to people you are thankful for in your life. Or, reach out to them by phone, e-mail or text.

Leave a plant, homemade goodies or a card at the door of a neighbor you know is alone on Thanksgiving.

Set aside a portion of your Thanksgiving dinner for a friend who is observing the holiday alone and deliver it to their door.

Invite a friend or neighbor who is alone to go for a socially distanced walk on Thanksgiving.

*Make Room @ The Table is a Chicago-based Affinity Group focused on developing strategies to alleviate isolation and loneliness among older people.

For more information contact Marslajohn@aol.com Or HWineber@gmail.com

Emergency Travel Order

NEW COVID-19 TRAVEL ORDER



CHI.GOV/CORONAVIRUS

This order applies to returning Chicago residents and out-of-state visitors arriving in Chicago.

NEW COVID-19 TRAVEL ORDER

ZONES	TRAVEL ADVISORY	CHICAGO ARRIVAL REQUIREMENTS
RED	AVOID TRAVEL	14-DAY QUARANTINE
ORANGE	AVOID TRAVEL	14-DAY QUARANTINE OR PRE-ARRIVAL NEGATIVE TEST RESULT (NO LONGER THAN 72 HOURS PRIOR TO ARRIVAL)
YELLOW	AVOID NON-ESSENTIAL TRAVEL	NO QUARANTINE OR PRE-ARRIVAL TESTING REQUIRED

All travelers should continue strict mask wearing and social distancing.



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Chicago/ Explorers/ Chicago Loop Explorers learned about Chicago's past at the Congress Hotel, Exchequer, Chicago Cultural Center, Iroquois Theatre, Eastland Disaster and the Harry Caray building. *This is a free walking club open to all Chicago residents.



In and Around the District

Printer's Row Park News

The Printer's Row Park sign was officially unveiled on Saturday November 7th. Thanks to Printer's Row Park Advisory Council for all of your hard work!

Volunteer Opportunities:

Volunteers needed for "Let's Light Up the Park!"

The PAC will be decorating the park for the upcoming holidays. Please email Jim Rice if you would like to volunteer. presrpac@gmail.com



Season's Greetings to everyone in the 001st District! See you in 2021!

Public Safety Updates



COMMUNITY CONVERSATION **STAND UP & SPEAK OUT CHICAGO!**

Everyone is Invited to Participate in a Two-Part Series to Create the 001st District's 2021 District Strategic Planning Community Conversation

Tuesday, November 17, 2020 @ 6:00pm - 9:00pm

Virtual

Register through Event Brite:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/122898660201>

If you are unable to join virtual, please call:
Call #1312 626 6799, Meeting ID 913 2485 4659, Passcode 39042

LET'S MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD TOGETHER!

For more information or if you have special accommodation please contact the 001st District Office of Community Policing office at 312-745-4381 or CAPS.001DISTRICT@CHICAGOPOLICE.ORG



001st District Community Alerts and Strategic Plan

001st District 2020 Strategic Plan Part 2

Part 1 of the Strategic plan was a success with over 100 participants. Thanks to everyone who participated. Part 2 will take place November 17, 2020 from 6-9 PM

We encourage everyone to register for these meetings via **Eventbrite**
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/122898660201>

Dial in:

1-312-626-6799

Meeting ID:

913- 2485-4659

Pass code: 39042

Community Events

Brain Health: Wellness Strategies
Northwestern Medicine and South Loop Village
Thursday November 12th
10 AM

Register for the Zoom event at
brain.northwestern.edu/SLV

Virtual Memory Café
South Loop Village

Thursday, November 12th

2PM-3PM via Zoom

Celebrating Family and the Spirit of Thanksgiving
Meeting ID: 833-3003-0114
Passcode: 877151

Chicago Star Media Presents: Streeterville Week
November 13-22
(Kick-off) Saturday November 14th
12:30 PM-2 PM

Visit chicagostarmedia.com/sw for more info

Back to School Giveaway at Hilliard Homes
Thursday, December 10th

11 AM-2 PM

Book Bags will be given to Hilliard Youth k-12th Grade
Contact Manor Wiley@ 312-919-6956 or Anisia
Kennedy @ 312-895-3331

Beat Meetings

November is our last month for Beat Meetings.
The schedule for 2021 will be available soon

Our final Beat Meeting for 2020 will be for the 20 Sector

When: Nov 11, 2020 03:00 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwocOmoqTlqGdAI8JByhi9pwCO5Z8q2IWn8>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

This will serve as your November and December publication!
Happy New Year!