

DOBBS FERRY



May 13, 2022

A Message From The Mayor

Over the last few weeks, it's been great to see the number of people who have volunteered their time in so many different ways to help make a difference in our community.

We came together to clean our parks, attend the Spring Community fundraiser and the Little League Parade. The Village, with the help of our volunteer committees have sponsored Earth Day events, a racial and diversity discussion and a Comic-Con event at the library. It is heart-warming to see residents come together to make Dobbs Ferry a welcoming, cleaner and safer place.

We are reminded that the people who live and work in the Village are really the strength of our community. With the cancellation of many of our cherished events due to COVID, the return of community spirit demonstrated by people's willingness to volunteer and donate has given new energy to the Village.

Please see below for more upcoming events. We especially look forward to seeing you at the Memorial Day Parade!

.. Vincent Rossillo

BOARD OF TRUSTEES UPDATES



At the April 26 Board of Trustees meeting the following issues were resolved:

BUDGET

This Village passed the budget for fiscal year 2022-23. Once again we were within the state mandated tax cap and had one of the lowest tax rates in the Rivertowns. <u>VIEW THE ADOPTED 2022-2023 BUDGET HERE</u>

AMENDED THE VILLAGE'S TREE LAWS

The Board addressed the removal and replacement of trees throughout the Village, by amending the tree laws. We believe the new rules will protect trees by making it harder to remove trees for the wrong reasons and requiring the planting of replacement trees.

MAIN STREET SIDEWALKS

As part of the Main Street sidewalk project, the Village Trustees voted to expand the project by burying the Altice cable lines. Although the cost to bury all the lines is prohibitive, the Board believed that it made sense financially and aesthetically to take the first step and bury the Altice lines. We expect the project to start sometime in June.

Read More About Activities at Village Hall on our <u>website</u>

COMMUNITY NEWS

Sidewalk Closed on Ashford Avenue at Gould Park

Please be advised that the Northern sidewalk along Ashford Avenue (Gould Park side) from Washington Avenue to Beacon Hill Drive is closed because of a partial collapse of the Gould Park wall due to the heavy rains.

We are asking that pedestrians please cross within the crosswalks at Washington Avenue or Beacon Hill Drive to access the Southern sidewalk on Ashford Avenue.

Thank you for your cooperation.



Dobbs Ferry Youth Little League Opens The 2022 Season Dobbs Ferry Youth Little League celebrated Opening Day on Saturday, April 23.

Our Little League teams provide an outdoor athletic experience for our 300+ players, families, and visitors.

This year they are fundraising to replace the sod on the field to create a much more aesthetically pleasing park view to area neighbors and encourage opposing Leagues to want to play competitively in Dobbs Ferry more often - bringing more business to our 40+ local sponsors.

Reminder:

Gas Powered Leaf Blower ban goes into effect on Monday, May 16

VILLAGE HALL WILL BE CLOSED

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 2022

FOR

RECORDS MANAGEMENT DAY

We appreciate your patience as we work to create a more efficient environment to serve the community of Dobbs Ferry.

We will re-open for regular business hours at 8:30am on Thursday, May 26.

FREE COVID TESTS

available for pick up during regular business hours

AT VILLAGE HALL

Reminder:

Village tax bills will be mailed out on May 26.

Tax payments can be made from June 1 through June 30 without penalty.

The Village accepts cash and credit card payments in person at the Treasurer's Office in Village Hall during regular business hours. (A 3% convenience fee applies to credit card payments.)

Checks and money order payments can either be mailed or made in person.

Dobbs Ferry Library Hosts its First In Person Annual Ferry-Con Since 2019



FerryCon is an all day, annual "Comic Con" style flagship event for all ages that has taken place at the Dobbs Ferry Library every Spring since 2019.

This year's event boasted almost 300 participants visiting the library for fun-filled events including artists alley, classes, panels, and contests that revolved around comic books, graphic novels, super heroes, and more.

Pictured above from left to right:

Deadpool Bob Ross (Devin Barbera) doing a live painting in our Newspaper/Magazine Room

Roller Skating Wonder Woman (Cara Dilluvio) & Little Mac from video game *Punch-Out!!* (Tim Deery)

"ManDeLorean" - a member of one of the three Stars Wars-based troupes we had on hand dressed as the Mandalorian, posing in front of Toy Store Guide's DeLorean aka the Back to the Future car

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS



The Village of Dobbs Ferry Parks & Recreation Department Presents

Outdoor Summer Basketball League

e the most out of your summer and join Dobbs Ferry's Youth Basketball Lea oys and girls play in separate leagues. The first week consists of practices ar evaluation followed by 7 weeks of games.

Days:	Mondays & Wednesdays – 3rd & 4th Grade
	Tuesdays & Thursdays – 5th & 6th Grade
	Fridays potentially for make-up games
Time:Si	Games start between 6pm and 8pm (games run 1 hour)
te:	Gould Park
Date:	June 20 – August 13 🛛 🛃
Ages:	Entering 3rd – 6th grade in the fall
Fee:	\$125.00
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For more information please call 693-0024 or e-mail: recreation@dobbsferry.com You can now register online at dobbsferry.com



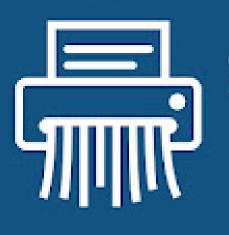




MOBILE SHREDDER DATES:

AT THE WATERFRONT PARK 9AM TO 12PM

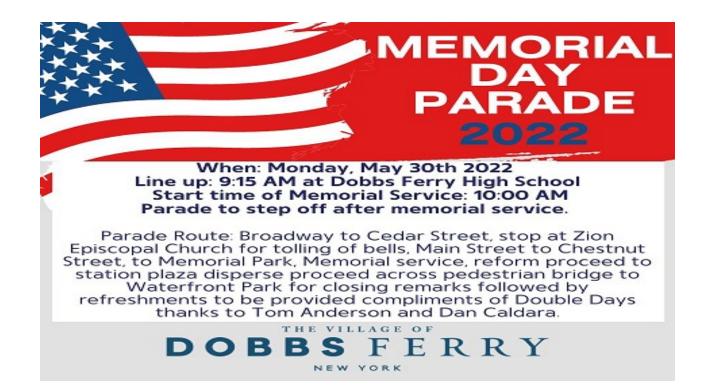
- JUNE 23RD 2022
- JULY 28TH 2022
- MAY 26TH 2022
 AUGUST 25TH 2022
 - SEPTEMBER 29TH 2022
 - OCTOBER 27TH 2022



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