

# Oak Lawn Matters

THE VILLAGE OF  
OAK LAWN

February 2, 2016

## Village Newsletter



THE BOARD REVIEW

### RECENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACTIONS

The Board had a fairly light agenda for their January 26, 2016 meeting. The Board approved the Germazing Race 5K Run/Walk for Saturday, April 23, 2016 at 9:00 am. The purchase of a new Fire Department ambulance was approved, a specialized dump truck for Public Works was authorized, and the landscaping contract was approved. The tree-service contract was approved...



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FEATURE STORY

### 2015 Oak Lawn Employee Compensation Posted

The majority of the budget of the Village of Oak Lawn is spent on the compensation of the Village's highly trained professional staff. Village of Oak Lawn employees serve and protect our residents...



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### OAK LAWN ARTS COMMISSION MINI ACORNS NOW ON SALE

The Oak Lawn Arts Commission is continuing to "sow the seeds" of arts in our community with an expansion of their Acorns on Parade project. In addition to the large acorns which will appear around our Village later this year...



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## OAK LAWN FIRE DEPARTMENT 2015 FIRE

Oak Lawn Fire Department Chief George Sheets sent over the 2015 numbers. Our Oak Lawn Fire Department handled 8,162 calls last year, of which 5588 were for Emergency Medical Service, 197 were fire related, 1310 were false alarms, 239 were for hazardous materials and 828 were for general service. The following graphic shows the breakdown of calls as a percentage of the whole. Thank you Oak Lawn Fire Department!



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## COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT FOUR NEW EAGLES SOAR IN OAK LAWN

Most Boy Scouts never reach the rank of Eagle Scout so it was a very special occasion when Oak Lawn Boy Scout Troop 1615 (St. Linus) held a Court of Honor for four new Eagle Scouts recently. The boys came up through the scout ranks together and wanted to achieve Eagle together as a sign of fellowship and brotherhood...



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## COMMUNITY NEWS CHECK OUT THESE COMMUNITY EVENTS

Check out the new line of events from the Oak Lawn Public Library. There are events from Worth Township throughout the entire month. Oak Lawn Hometown Middle School is hosting the 9th Annual Volleyball Tournament which benefits the Make-A-Wish Foundation. The Oak Lawn Senior Center has an updated calendar full of events...



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