



**INDEPENDENCE PARK  
COMMUNITY  
VOICE**

**EVENT**

**Irving Park Fine Arts  
Committee Presents  
the Poulenc Trio  
November 10th**

The Irving Park Fine Arts Committee is excited to announce the first concert of its 26th season. The season begins with a performance of the Trio for Piano, Oboe and Bassoon by Francis Poulenc on Sunday, November 10th. Trio members are Ricardo Castañeda, oboe, Ben Roidl-Ward, bassoon and Beatriz Helguera-Snow, piano. The trio will also perform works by Robert Schumann, Heitor Villa-Lobos and Astor Piazzola.

A Brazilian trio will present a Latin Jazz Christmas on December 8th in what promises to be a festive way to usher in the holidays. In celebration of our 25th anniversary, Anne Marie Lewis will perform a program titled Women in Song accompanied by

pianist Celia Villacres on February 23rd. Anne Marie was featured in the Fine Arts Committee's first concert 25 years ago. The final concert of the season will be held on April 26th with Drums of Africa performing an interactive demonstration.

All concerts are at 2:00 p.m. at Irving Park Lutheran Church, 4100 N. Harding Ave. The concerts are free of charge, but donations are gladly welcomed. A reception with the artists will be held after each concert, hosted by the Fine Arts Committee. Dates and programs are subject to change.

The Irving Park Fine Arts Committee is a program of Carlson Community Services, a non-profit serving the Irving Park community with programs that enrich lives through education, culture and service. For more information, visit [carlsoncommunityservices.org](http://carlsoncommunityservices.org) or contact Liz Mills at 773.398.6766.



**FUNDRAISING**

**Wine and Cheese  
Party on  
November 9**

The annual Wine and Cheese Party will be held at Independence Tap on November 9:00 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. The annual fundraiser benefits the neighborhood, Murphy School and helps fund the Farmers Market at Independence Park.

This year's event will feature wine and light appetizers as well as raffle prizes. Special thanks to the many volunteers who sacrificed their free time to select the best wines from around the world.

The wines for this year's event come from France, Italy and Spain.

**White Wines**

- Hacienda Lopez de Haro Blanco- (Spain/ Viura)
- Chateau Moulin de Clairac Graves- (France/ Semillion & Sauv Blanc)
- El Vin Pinot Grigio- (Italy)

**Red Wines**

- Coteaux Bourguignons La Croix Carillan- (Pinot Noir/ Gammy)
- Sticciano Canaujolo- (Italy/ Canaujolo)
- De Muller Tinto (Spain/ Blend)
- Vin Descombe Cab (France/ Cabernet Sauv)

Don't trust that the wines selected are the best for this year's event? Well, you'll just have to buy a ticket and find out for yourself.

The Wine and Cheese Party will be held Saturday, November 9 from 4-7 p.m. at the Independence Tap located at 3932 W. Irving Park Road. Tickets can be purchased on the [gipna.org](http://gipna.org) website for \$40 or at the door for \$45.

Soft drinks and non-alcoholic beverages will be available, and Independence Tap has a full bar with drinks for purchase.

As in years past for this event, there will also be cheese.

**GIPNA Board Meeting, November 5, Independence Park Bungalow, 7 p.m.**

# COMMUNITY EVENTS



## NOVEMBER

**MON., NOV. 4**—Athletic Field Advisory Council Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Athletic Field Park; facebook.com/athleticfield.

**TUES., NOV. 5**—GIPNA Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Independence Park Bungalow.

**WED., NOV. 13**—CAPS Beat 1732 Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Athletic Field Park.

**MON., NOV. 11**—Athletic Field Advisory Council Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Athletic Field Park; facebook.com/athleticfield. Date subject to change due to holidays.

**TUES., NOV. 19**—Independence Park Advisory Council, 7:00 p.m., Independence Park Fieldhouse, Room 100, facebook.com/ipacchicago.

**WED., NOV. 20**—Senior Meeting, 11:00 a.m., 17th District Police Station, 4650 N. Pulaski.

**SAT., NOV. 30**—Holiday Tree and Wreath Sale at Athletic Field Park, noon to 6:00 p.m. See article on page 6.

## DECEMBER

**SUN., DEC. 1**—Holiday Tree and Wreath Sale at Athletic Field Park, noon to 6:00 p.m.

**MON., DEC. 2 through FRI., DEC. 6**—Holiday Tree and Wreath Sale at Athletic Field Park, 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

**TUES., DEC. 3**—GIPNA Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Independence Park Bungalow.

**SAT., DEC. 7 AND SUN., DEC. 8**—Holiday Tree and Wreath Sale at Athletic Field Park, noon to 6:00 p.m.

**SAT., DEC. 7**—Family Day at Athletic Field Park, 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**MON., DEC. 9**—Athletic Field Advisory Council Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Athletic Field Park; facebook.com/athleticfield.

**WED., DEC. 11**—CAPS Beat 1732 Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Athletic Field Park.

**TUES., DEC. 17**—Independence Park Advisory Council, 7:00 p.m., Independence Park Fieldhouse, Room 100, facebook.com/ipacchicago.

**WED., DEC. 18**—Senior Meeting, 11:00 a.m., 17th District Police Station, 4650 N. Pulaski.

## BUSINESS

### Abbey to Return

The neighborhood has been buzzing with the sight of workers inside the Abbey Pub at 3420 W. Grace Street. This newsletter has confirmed that new owners are busy at work rehabbing the space in the hopes of re-opening in the next few months.

Wally Halit, one of the new owners, said contractors are working to finish the interior of the bar and hope to open in late Fall or early Winter pending city approval.

Halit gave us background on plans for the Abbey and said that the interior will be

## EVENT

### Carlson Hosts Successful 2nd annual Golf Outing

Thanks to the golfers and hole sponsors who made Carlson Community Services' second annual golf outing a success! Carlson teamed up with the Czechoslovak Heritage Museum to host the

event at Maple Meadows Golf Course in Wood Dale on September 10th. Hole Sponsors included Fish Guy, Swedish Covenant Hospital, Wintrust Bank, Grey Sage, Paul Greenslade Agency, Johanna Zorn, American Energy Risk Management, Janet Middleton and Pastor Erin Bouman. Shout out to Carlson Board Member Mike Jordan for organizing the outing. The event raised \$2,500 for Carlson's neighborhood programs.



Dorene Jordan (second from left) and friends tied for first place in the second annual Carlson Golf Outing

completely new and feature hand-made wood tables and several new wood bars. The stage will be bigger than before for music acts. There will also be valet parking.

Will the classic Abbey sign stay with the new venue? Yes, expect the sign to remain intact with

a minor modification. The new bar will be called Chicago Abbey. A new website is open now at <https://www.chicagoabbey.com/>.

Before opening, there will be a neighborhood preview day. Stay tuned for more details.

## INDEPENDENCE PARK COMMUNITY VOICE

The Independence Park Community Voice is published by the Greater Independence Park Neighborhood Association (GIPNA), a 501(c)(3) corporation.

This newsletter is for the Independence Park community. Please consider renewing your membership or joining GIPNA now. We need your support. Thank you.

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The Greater Independence Park Neighborhood Association (GIPNA) is dedicated to maintaining and enhancing the quality of life in the Independence Park community by involving, informing, and encouraging people to participate in matters relating to the community, and by protecting the historical, social, cultural, and architectural character of the neighborhood.

This all-volunteer publication is made possible by the creative voices of our community and the generous support of area advertisers.

## Join GIPNA on Facebook

Check out the GIPNA Facebook page for news, alerts, and conversation with your neighbors. Post your own comments to get the word out on your activities and announcements. To find the page and like it, search for GIPNA: Greater Independence Park Neighborhood Association.

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### COMMUNICATION

## E-Blasts to GIPNA Members

All GIPNA members who have access to email should be receiving e-blasts each Thursday. The emails are compiled by GIPNA and feature such news as announcements of events in the community, crime reports, and notices of meetings.

If you're a member in good standing and are not receiving the blasts, send an email to us at gipn@mail@gmail.com. We'll sign you up so that you don't miss any more neighborhood announcements.

### NATURE W

## Wild Animal Spotted!

A wild tiger is living in the Ridgeway Garden at the foot of the 3700 block. Intrepid explorer Casey Watkins tamed the beast.



### COMMUNITY

## Have An Idea for the Newsletter?

If you want to see something in the neighborhood highlighted or just want to provide feedback, reach out to us at newsletter@gipna.org.

### COMMUNITY

## Great Big Thanks!

GIPNA gives a great big thanks to Ray Krumsee, who lives on Monticello Avenue, and Annette Held, who used to live on Monticello, for donating material and labor to replace the rustic wood fences in the Monticello/Waveland Garden.

Annette is the owner of Annette Held Landscape Design, Ltd. Years ago, she transformed a weedy garden into a lovely garden that we can all enjoy today. Ray, a very generous individual, paid for the

new fencing.

GIPNA also gives a shout-out to the neighbors, friends and volunteers who have worked on the Monticello/Waveland Garden over the years. Rick Stearman built the shed. Boy Scout Troop 115 re-roofed the shed and painted it. Mary Ann Karwowski, Gosia Bach, Annette Held, Pat Clark, Peter Sloan and others have spent many days mowing, weeding, trimming and planting.

This truly is a great neighborhood!

## Neighbor Passion Sparks Change at Addison Intersection

By Jodie Bargaron

I moved to this neighborhood in 2013. I quickly learned two things. First, if I need to get on 90-94, don't use Addison. Actually, if I need to drive westbound for any reason, I don't use Addison. The delay from cars backed up is way too long. Second, and more importantly, walking on Addison to and from the Blue Line stop is very dangerous at the point where a person crosses near the entrance to the highway.

It was obvious that the design of the intersection at Central Park, Addison and the Kennedy Expressway was the root of both problems. I often wondered why the intersection did not have the basic 'no-right-on-red' sign to protect pedestrians and a green arrow to reduce the wait time for drivers.

There are other issues with the intersection, but these two changes seemed like such common and obvious improvements. We see green arrows at busy intersections all over the city and a majority of intersections are don't allow right turns on a red light.

Every day on my way to and from the Blue Line, I would think about these two changes as I would try to figure out if a right-turning driver was going to hit me or let me pass.

In January of 2015 a 58-year-old man was killed at the intersection at 6 a.m. This reminded me that the pedestrian safety issue is real. Collisions have become more dangerous for pedestrians as our cars have

become larger. I wondered how I could make my two ideas become real, but I didn't know where to start.

In the summer of 2016 I read a book called "Traffic: Why We Drive the Way We Do and What It Says About Us." It is kind of a nerdy topic to read about, but I am a researcher, so nerdy topics are part of the territory.

One part of the book jumped out at me and connected with my ideas to improve the intersection. First, legal right-on-red is the most dangerous possible design for pedestrians and for cyclists.

My research backed up this conclusion.

It is the most dangerous traffic design for pedestrians. It increases traffic accidents and, most importantly, it doesn't decrease delays for drivers.

The research showed that legal right-on-red traffic lights actually slow down the number of cars that can turn right through an intersection.

This seemed to make little sense – if a car can turn on green or red, there should be more time for them to turn and traffic should go faster. That is true for intersections that are not busy. But, for busy intersections it means that every driver has to stop before turning on a red light, to look for oncoming traffic and stop before turning for a green light to wait for pedestrians. Right-turning drivers never get the right of way all to themselves. A green arrow fixes this problem.

I asked the GIPNA board if we could take up this issue and propose it to the Alderman. The board approved it and we made the request in August of 2016. But,

life being what it is, I became busy with other projects and I did not make the time to follow-up. Until August of 2017, when I was grazed by a right-turning driver while I was walking home from the Blue Line after work. I was not hurt and the driver sped off on the freeway before I could see the license plate. The kicker is that the light was green – for the driver and for me. That's what makes this intersection so dangerous – pedestrians and right-turning drivers have the right of way at the same time. Pedestrians need to count on drivers to yield to them, as the law requires. But, there is no way to tell for sure if the driver will do so.

I decided that I needed data to determine if I had a strong case. I pulled the data from CDOT (Chicago Department of Transportation) about traffic incidents at the intersection. The following information was enlightening: There were 67 reported crashes from August 4, 2015 – September 25, 2018. One-third of these (22) were rear-end collisions and one-fifth (12) were turning-based collisions. Among all 67 crashes, 15 percent (10) involved pedestrians and 24 percent (16) caused an injury or damage to vehicle that required a tow.

All 10 of the pedestrian-involved crashes caused an injury to at least one person. Most crashes were caused by following too closely, failure to yield the right of way, or improper lane usage. Importantly, only 3 percent of crashes (2) had a primary cause of erratic/aggressive/ reckless driving. This pointed to the complex design of the intersection as a causative factor.

After realizing how dangerous the intersection is for drivers and pedestrians both, I requested that Alderman John Arena introduce two improvements to the intersection, a ban on turning right-on-red from cars traveling west-bound on Addison and installation of a green arrow for the same west-bound drivers.

While, those improvements were an important step, the only way to truly solve the problem is to make the intersection better for pedestrians AND drivers. Both groups have it bad, so both groups need to see an improvement.

I worked with the alderman's office to make the safety of this intersection a priority. Alderman Arena introduced a no-right-on-red ordinance in October of 2018 and agreed to use ward menu money to pay for a green arrow at the intersection.

In the spring of this year, CDOT proposed an alternate solution, the installation of bollards (a short, vertical post) in the intersection to guide drivers and reduce collisions.

It is hard to say if this has improved safety for pedestrians or reduced wait time for drivers. But, walking to and from the Blue Line seems less scary now. After the summer collision data becomes available I will look to see if the bollards have made a difference.

I am hopeful that Alderman Gardiner, as a first responder, will work with us on this issue – whether that is maintaining the bollards or implementing the two items from our original request.





FUNDRAISING

## St. Edward School and Parish Welcomes New Pastor

Congratulations to St. Edward School and Parish's newly installed pastor, Fr. Dominic Clemente. The Most Reverend Mark Bartosic, Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, was present to install Fr. Dominic as our new leader on Saturday, September 7. Thanks to all who attended this wonderful parish celebration of this special occasion.

This year, St. Edward School implemented the i-Ready diagnostics testing for grades K - 8.

i-Ready integrates powerful assessments and rich insights with effective, engaging instruction in reading and mathematics to address the individual needs of all students. With i-Ready, teachers are empowered to make more informed instructional decisions

and students are motivated to progress in their development.

### Other events at St. Ed's:

Need a night off from cooking? St. Edward's has a few events you may be interested in with proceeds to benefit St. Ed's.

Wednesday November 6, 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Chipotle at 4657 W. Irving Park Rd.; flyer needed, but available online.

Wednesday, November 13, Hearth and Crust, 3608 W. Irving Park Rd., Chicago, IL 60618; no flyer needed but must mention St. Ed's.

Tuesday, December 3, 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Panera Bread, 5508 West Touhy Avenue; flyer needed, but available online.

Also, the annual St. Ed's Boy Scout Troop 904 spaghetti dinner will be held on Saturday, November 23 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Buckley Hall gym on the St. Edward School campus.

The cost is \$10/adult and \$8/child for all you can eat pasta with homemade meat sauce, salad bar and dessert. There will be a cash

bar and entertainment by The Cowboy Choir. Come support the Boy Scouts!

Mark your calendars for Casino Night on Saturday, November 16! This new event will have fun games and raffles along with food and a cash bar. It starts at 6:30 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. at Unity Hall (basement of church). Tickets are \$25 in advance and \$30 at the door.

Join St. Edward's for Welcome Wednesday on November 6 with registration beginning at 8:30 a.m. in the main school building at 4343 W. Sunnyside Street. Meet St. Edward's principal, teachers and students.

To sign up for Welcome Wednesday or to get more information on all events, please visit [www.stedwardschool.com](http://www.stedwardschool.com).

EVENT

## Carlson Trivia Night Fundraiser November 2nd

Dust off your thinking cap and gather your teammates...it's time for Carlson Community Services' Trivia Night! The annual contest to crown Irving Park's biggest brains will be held on Saturday, November 2nd to benefit Carlson's after-school program, community garden and concert series.

Teams of 8 can purchase a table for \$280. Wine, beer and soda will be sold at the bar. Bring your own snacks! Trivia Night takes place at the Irving Park Lutheran Church gym at 4057 N. Harding from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.



## Murphy Match 2019

[friendsofmurphy.org](http://friendsofmurphy.org)

FUNDRAISING

## Murphy Match Fundraiser Begins

The annual Murphy Match begins November 4. The fundraiser benefits John B. Murphy School and helps fund critical programs at the school. The fundraiser is looking to raise \$10,000 which will be matched by an anonymous donor.

In the past four years, funds raised with the Murphy Match have funded a new gym floor, free after-school theater and dance classes, as well as new audio and lighting equipment for the auditorium and supplies for the garden around the school and t-shirts for every child in the school.

There are several ways to donate. If paying by check, you can drop off a check payable to 'Friends of Murphy' at the school or mail to 3539 W. Grace Street, Chicago, IL 60618. You can also contribute online at [friendsofmurphy.org/match](http://friendsofmurphy.org/match) (you will be redirected to [mightycause.com](http://mightycause.com)).

Any questions about the Murphy Match can be directed to [friendsofmurphyschool@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofmurphyschool@gmail.com)

The event is open to adults 21 and over. For more information or to register your team, e-mail Helen Lira at [helen@chilira.com](mailto:helen@chilira.com) or 773.406.9821.



CELEBRATION

# Bob Holbach is 95!

Robert F. Holbach, a 65-year resident of the Independence Park community, just turned 95 years old on October 30.

Bob was born on October 30, 1924 at home in 3rd floor walkup on Chicago's North Side with the assistance of a midwife. He has lived in Chicago his whole life and in 2018 went to his 75th reunion from Steinmetz High School.

In 1954, Bob built his own home and the family of 5, Bob, his wife Rose, and children Marie, Barbara and Bobby moved into 4029 N. Springfield Avenue before school started that year. Bob and Rose had three more children, Jim, Mike and Rich in the next 8 years. Bob and Rose sent them to St. Viator's for elementary school, and Catholic high school as they grew up.

Bob was a newspaper distributor for the *Chicago American* and *Chicago Tribune*. He had a franchise for the newspaper business and trained many newsboys, in the area. He sold the franchise in 1973 and retired from the newspaper business. Then at the age of 49, he became a USPS letter carrier. He preferred the letter carrier job as he got exercise every day and people always looked forward to



seeing him bring their mail. He even joined the post office choir. Bob retired from his second career at the USPS in 1989 at the age of 65. Bob and Rose went daily to Independence Park to swim, from the first day they were both retired.

Bob Holbach was the guy you wanted on your trivial pursuit team. He could remember all kinds of things. He knew when each of his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren had a birthday. Bob and Rose loved to travel and visited numerous countries. By the year 2015 they had been to all but 2 states, South Carolina and Delaware.

Bob loves classical music and singing. He has every issue of the *National Geographic*. Bob doesn't smoke or drink, but really enjoys ice cream especially strawberry and his favorite candy bar is Almond Joy. He loves watching WTTW and learning new things. He got his first smart phone in 2015 at the age of 91 and began texting. In September of 2019 he renewed his driver's license. He is still texting. Let's wish him a Happy 95th Birthday!

# Independence Parka

by erica dreisbach



# FALL FEST



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## HOLIDAY FUN

### Winter Family Day Dec. 7 at Athletic Field Park

Athletic Field Park Advisory Council (AFAC), Murphy Parent-Teacher Organization (Murphy PTO), and Friends of Murphy Elementary (FOM) have partnered to bring you our 2nd annual Christmas Tree Sale and Family Day at Athletic Field Park.

Christmas trees, wreaths, and garlands are on sale now at [friendsofmurphy.org](http://friendsofmurphy.org). You can pre-order and pick up during our sales dates/times listed below or request delivery. Or, you can shop in person for your tree, wreath, and garlands

during the following sales dates/times at Athletic Field Park. All proceeds benefit John B Murphy Elementary School.

#### Tree, wreath, & garland sales @ Athletic Field Park

- 11/30 & 12/1 (12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.)
- 12/2 - 12/6 (5:00-8:00pm)
- 12/7 & 12/8 (12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.)

#### Family Day @ Athletic Field Park

- 12/7 (1:00-3:00pm)

Family Day is a FREE family event open to all. It will take place inside the field house We will have treats, craft projects, ceramic ornaments for sale, and a very special visitor (psst, it is Santa)!



FALL FUN

## Athletic Field Park Fall Fest

Thank you to all who volunteered, sponsored, and attended Fall Fest 2019 at Athletic Field Park on Saturday, October 5. It was a beautiful day filled with activities for children (train rides, petting zoo, face paint, pony rides, pumpkin patch) and delicious food. We also enjoyed the joyful music of Cielito Lindo (<http://www.cielitolindo.co/>).

We would like to offer a special thank you to our volunteers – the generous spirit of those in our community from neighbors and friends to local students (buildOn volunteers, students from ASPIRA, Murphy student volunteers) is what makes events like this a success! Thank you also to our

sponsors – Precision Excavation & Demolition, Bright Smiles Pediatric Dentistry, Moon & Co. Properties, Mirabella Italian Cuisine, Floor & Décor, Nicole Page – State Farm Agent, Crosstown Chiropractic, Geja's Café, Senator Iris Y. Martinez, Representative Jaime Andrade, and 35th Ward Alderman Carlos Rosa.

With all of your help, the Athletic Field Park Advisory Council was able to raise funds to continue to support programs at the park and free community events such as Movies in the Park, Moving to the Music, and more!



*JAIME*

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**Monday November 11, 9:00 - 10:30 am**  
While classes are in session

**Saturday January 25, 2:30 - 4:30**  
Visit our school and gym. Meet faculty, staff and parents ambassadors who will be available to answer all your questions as you tour. Refreshments will be served.



**WINTERFEST!**  
**December 6, 7, and 8**

All are invited to this community event. It will feature an outdoor skating rink, food and drinks, craft show, visits and pictures with Santa, really fresh tree and wreath sales and SO much more!

Please feel free to contact Marge Trizilli with any questions or to schedule a personal tour.  
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November 6, 2019	February 5, 2020
December 4, 2019	March 4, 2020
January 8, 2020	April 1, 2020
January 26th: Discovery Sunday	May 6, 2020

Have a cup of coffee, tour the school, meet school staff and parents!  
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**Sunday, November 17th, 2019**  
**2:00-4:00pm 3644 N Kedvale Ave**  
**Gymnasium East Room (2nd Floor)**

Speakers include:

- Dawson Relocation
- Stephanie Cutter
- Local Residents who have recently downsized

If you are not able to attend our event and would still like information, please contact us and Stephanie can discuss the process with you!

Visit [www.stephaniecutter.com/downsizing](http://www.stephaniecutter.com/downsizing) to register for this FREE event!



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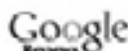
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