

BROWNSVILLE NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER
2026

Village News

A special thank you to everyone who helped with the installation of our new playground equipment at Lions Park! Your generosity is greatly appreciated. We're excited for our community's children and families to enjoy these new additions for years to come!

- Pat & Marysue Michels
- Michels Corporation
- The Middleton Foundation
- Brownsville Lions Club
- Raymond Foundation
- Village of Brownsville

Thank you to Bill Dreher who gave our "Welcome to Brownsville" signs a fresh coat of paint! Your time and effort helped spruce up the entrances to our community and keep Brownsville looking its best!

Upcoming Events

- Fall Rummage: October 9-11
 - Columbus Day: October 12
 - Bulky Pick Up: October 14
 - Halloween: October 31
 - Trick or Treat: October 31
- 4:00p.m. - 6:00p.m.

Fall Leaf Pickup

As the autumn colors change and leaves begin to blanket our neighborhood, it is time to plan our seasonal cleanup! Adam and Troy are gearing up for the annual leaf collection, but they need our help to ensure the process runs safely, efficiently, and smoothly.

Please see the enclosed insert on instructions, tips and collection timeline.

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HALLOWEEN



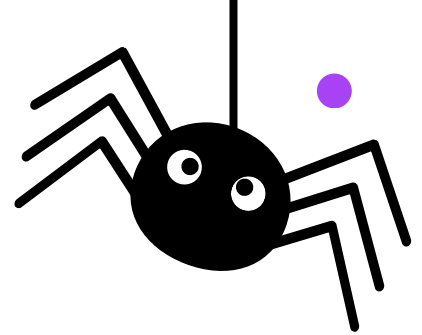
Year of the Sweet Treat



Be the first person to pay the quarterly water bill and get a sweet treat of your choice on Kat! A local legend offered to sweeten the prize with a Triple Scoop Gift Card to the Village's own sweet treat spot!

3/31 Winner - Mark Wollersheim

6/30 Winner - Nancy Hayward



Friendly Reminders

Typically, school bus loading and unloading areas are the most dangerous for pedestrians. Always pay attention to a school bus when the stop arm is extended, or warning lights are engaged. Stop at least 20 feet away from a school bus when red warning lights are flashing. Remind your kids to look both ways before crossing the street, wait until the bus comes to a complete stop, and make sure the school bus driver can see them when crossing in front.

For those participating in Trick-or-Treat this year, please remind your children to use the sidewalks when available and to watch for vehicles before crossing the street. Costumes with reflective material on them increase the visibility of your child for motorists, under low light conditions.

Snow Emergency: whenever there is one inch or more of snow fall, from November 1st through April 15th, 1:00am to 7:00am, parking is prohibited on all Village streets.

Thank you,
Marshal Kurt Stuckart
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Voting Information

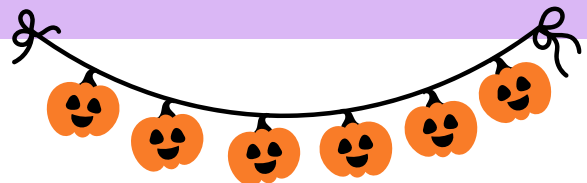
General Election November 3, 2026

Brownsville Community Center
Polls will be open from
7:00a.m.-8:00p.m.

Open Registration Ends
5:00p.m. on October 14th

Late Registration In-Person
After 5:00p.m. on October 14th

In-Person Absentee Voting
October 20th - October 30th



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To prevent street flooding and keep our community looking its best, please review these essential leaf-disposal guidelines before you grab your rake:

Know Where to Pile Them

- Rake your leaves directly into the street curb lane, but leave a one-foot gap between the pile and the curb. This gap allows stormwater to flow freely to the drains, preventing street flooding. A long, skinny row of leaves along your front yard works best.

Keep It Clean (Leaves Only!)

Our collection trucks and composting facilities are only designed to handle yard waste. Mixed piles can damage expensive machinery or will be left behind.

- What is allowed: Leaves, small garden trimmings, weeds, and dead flowers.
- What to exclude: Large branches, heavy brush, trash, rocks, pumpkins, and pure grass-clippings.

Please keep larger brush bundled separately! If brush is “hidden” inside piles, they will be skipped for the season and a ticket will be issued for the offense.

Clear the Way for the Trucks

- Give storm drains a wide berth: Never pile leaves directly over catch basins.
- Watch the parking: Avoid parking your vehicles directly in front of or within 25 feet of your leaf piles on scheduled pickup days. If the trucks cannot reach the leaves, they cannot collect them!

Want to skip the raking entirely?

Consider mulching! Running over a dry, thin layer of leaves with your lawnmower shreds them into tiny, nutrient-rich bits. This acts as a free, natural fertilizer that feeds your soil and suppresses weeds for next spring—no bagging or raking required!

Collection Timeline for Our Area:

- Mondays! As we are doing things ourselves this year, we'll plan on Monday to allow time for inclement weather and still stay away from garbage Wednesday.
- October 19, 26, November 2, 9, 16.

Thank you for doing your part to keep our streets clean, safe, and beautiful this autumn!

