



The Village of  
**Lakewood**  
*Quality Living in a Natural Setting*

2500 Lake Ave. Village of Lakewood, IL 60014  
Hours: 8:30a.m – 4:30p.m Monday-Friday

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**Visit the Village website to sign up for email communication updates.**

**MISSION STATEMENT**

***The Village of Lakewood will remain a friendly community  
Providing families with Quality Living in a Natural Setting.***

We hope this directory helps acquaint you with your new community. Our Village is a close-knit, yet progressive community which was incorporated on July 10, 1933. From the beginning, residents have moved here for the quality of life and the beautiful natural setting.

This summarizes our vision of remaining a community with ample open space and recreational opportunities, varied home styles, and quality services all with a friendly, home town atmosphere.

The Village of Lakewood's elected officials, staff, and residents are very proud of our community which we are sure you will find to be the best kept, most beautiful secret in the suburbs. Both longtime residents and new families enjoy the natural setting the Village has worked to maintain with each successive home constructed. We invite you to become involved in your new community and to stop in or call us with any questions you may have.

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### FACTS & FIGURES

**Location:** The Village of Lakewood is located in McHenry County, which is currently one of the fastest-growing counties in the State of Illinois. The Village shares boundaries with Crystal Lake, Lake in the Hills, Huntley, and Woodstock.

**Population:** As of the 2020 census, the Village had 4,283 residents. There are over 1500 homes in the community.

**Area:** The Village's land area is just over 5 square miles.

**Open Space:** The Village has a total of about 650 acres of open space, which equals about 3/4 of an acre per household. There are 6 lakes, including Crystal Lake which is situated partially in the Village of Lakewood and partially in the City of Crystal Lake; 4 golf courses; several natural areas or wetlands, including the Kishwaukee Fen Nature Preserve; a number of public and private parks and beaches; a bike/walking path, with more planned; and permanent open spaces in the newer subdivisions.

### HISTORY

An informative history of the Village and its homes was written on the occasion of our 65th Anniversary celebration in 1998. A copy of The Homes and History of the Village of Lakewood is available to residents and non-residents.

### SHOPPING AND TRANSPORTATION

#### SHOPPING:

Lakewood Commons located at the intersection of Ackman Road and Redtail Drive offers a variety of neighborhood convenience shops and Lou Malnati's Restaurant for the residents of Village of Lakewood. Other retail districts available to residents are along Route 14 and in downtown Crystal Lake, as well as along the Randall Road corridor in Lake in the Hills and Algonquin.

#### TRANSPORTATION:

Lakewood is easily accessible off of Interstate 90 via the full Randall Road interchange or Rt 47 Interchange, both to the south. Commuter trains to Chicago are available in downtown Crystal Lake. O'Hare International Airport is 45 minutes away via I-90, and a general aviation airport is located in Lake in the Hills.

### SCHOOLS

#### PUBLIC SCHOOLS:

Most of the Village of Lakewood is within the boundaries of Crystal Lake Elementary School District 47 and Crystal Lake High School District 155. Although subject to periodic redistricting, Lakewood students residing west of Huntley Road currently attend West Elementary School, while those east of Huntley Road attend South Elementary. All of these students currently attend Richard F. Bernotas Middle School and Central High School.

The Turnberry Meadows Subdivision lies within the boundaries of Huntley School District 158 and students living there attend Huntley Elementary, Middle and High schools. Hidden Lakes Subdivision lies within the boundaries of Huntley School District 158 and Crystal Lake School District 47 & 155. Call the districts for up-to-date information:

**Crystal Lake Elementary School District #47**

300 Commerce Drive, Crystal Lake, IL 60014  
Phone: 815/459-6070

**Crystal Lake High School District #155**

1 South Virginia Road, Crystal Lake, IL 60014  
Phone: 815/455-8500

**Huntley Consolidated School District #158**

650 Academic Drive, Algonquin, IL 60102  
Phone: 847/659-6158

**McHENRY COUNTY COLLEGE:**

8900 US Highway 14, Crystal Lake, IL 60012 Phone: 815/455-3700

The college offers 2-year associate degrees as well as extensive continuing and community-educational programs, and four-year degree completion programs through cooperating institutions. The college mails a catalog of its courses and community education programs to all residents.

**OTHER SCHOOLS:**

A number of parochial schools, nursery schools and day-care facilities are located in the area. Several satellite locations of other universities offer classes in nearby suburbs.

<b>LIBRARIES</b>
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The Village of Lakewood is not part of a library district, however, residents have the following choices for fine library services.

**McHenry County College Library:**

8900 US Highway 14, Crystal Lake, IL 60012 Phone: 815/455-8533

A college library card is available free of charge to all residents who show proof of residency. The college has a lending library and reference section.

The State of Illinois has instituted a law which requires that residents who desire to join a library, and who are not part of a library district, only join the library which is in the same high school district in which they reside. Therefore, Lakewood residents in the Turnberry Meadows subdivision and Hidden Lakes Subdivision who wish to join a library must contact the Huntley Area Public Library or the Crystal Lake Public Library to determine which library district they belong to. All other Village residents must apply to the Crystal Lake Public Library. Library cards from each library are good for all service at any library in the state. Information on both full-service libraries follows:

**CRYSTAL LAKE PUBLIC LIBRARY:**

126 West Paddock Street, Crystal Lake, IL 60014 Phone: 815/459-1687

To determine the annual rate, multiply the *net taxable value* shown on your tax bill by .0034.

**HUNTLEY AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY**

11000 Ruth Road, Huntley, IL 60142 Phone: 847/669-5386

## POST OFFICE

The Village of Lakewood receives postal services through the Crystal Lake Post Office.  
Address: 301 East Congress Parkway, Crystal Lake  
Phone: 815/459-5979

Contact the post office for counter hours. Their lobby is open 24 hours a day for access to post office boxes, postage scale, and stamp machines.

The Village shares the zip code of 60014 with most of the City of Crystal Lake, and mail to resident's homes may be addressed either as Village of Lakewood, IL or Crystal Lake, IL. The postal service has recommended not using simply Lakewood, IL because there is a Lakewood post office in downstate Illinois where mail may otherwise be misdirected.

## EMERGENCY INFORMATION

**Emergencies:** The Village is covered by an enhanced 911 system.

**Dial 9-1-1 for any emergency.** For non-emergency police calls or for other police-related questions, call 815/459-2151. For non-emergency fire calls, call 815/356-3640.  
To arrange a vacation house watch, please visit our website to enroll.

**Poison Control:** 800/942-5969

**Fire and Ambulance:** The Village has an agreement with the City of Crystal Lake for fire and ambulance service. **Dial 9-1-1 to have a fire truck or ambulance dispatched.**

**Tornado Siren:** A 3-minute continuous tone siren is sounded to alert residents of a tornado warning. When you hear the siren, **do not call 9-1-1**; just take immediate shelter. No "all clear" signal is given. Residents should listen to local radio (FM 105.5) and TV news stations for updated weather information. Note that all sirens in the Crystal Lake area, including the Village's siren, are tested at 10:00 a.m. on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month.

## GOVERNMENT

The Village of Lakewood is an independent municipality under the statutes of the State of Illinois. Most of the Village lies in Grafton Township. The area east of Meridian Street is in Algonquin Township, and a portion of the Brighton Oaks subdivision and the area near Route 47 and Route 176 intersections is in Dorr Township.

The Village operates under the President-Trustee form of government. The Village Board is comprised of a President (or mayor) and six Trustees who are elected on a non-partisan, at-large basis for staggered four-year terms. The Village Clerk, Treasurer, Attorney, Administrator, and Police Chief are appointed by the Board. The Village Board is the community's policy-making body and has created a variety of advisory boards and commissions on which citizens can volunteer to participate. The day-to-day operations of the Village are administered by full-time professional staff.

Agendas are posted at Village Hall and Redtail Golf Club the weekend prior to each Village Board meeting. Residents are welcome to attend Board meetings which are held on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 7:00 p.m. at RedTail Golf Club, Village of Lakewood.

## VILLAGE DEPARTMENTS

### **ADMINISTRATION:**

Address: 2500 Lake Avenue, Village of Lakewood, IL 60014  
Phone: 815/459-3025  
Fax: 815/459-8346  
E-mail: [info@village.lakewood.il.us](mailto:info@village.lakewood.il.us)  
Website: [www.village.lakewood.il.us](http://www.village.lakewood.il.us)  
Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday

The Village operates with full-time Administration, Police, Public Works, Finance and Building Departments. All but Public Works are located at Village Hall. Day-to-day operations of the Village are managed by a full-time professional Village Manager. Other functions are provided by contract, inspections and engineering. The Village also owns and operates RedTail Golf Club.

### **BUILDING DEPARTMENT:**

The Building Department is responsible for all building issues in the Village. The Building Department is located in the Village Hall and can be reached by calling 815/459-3025. Building Department hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Address: 2500 Lake Avenue, Village of Lakewood, IL 60014  
Phone: 815/459-3025  
Fax: 815/459-8346

### **FINANCE DEPARTMENT:**

Headed by the Village Manager, this department is responsible for all accounting for the Village and RedTail Golf Club, utility billing, budgets, audits, vehicle stickers and similar services.

### **FIRE DEPARTMENT:**

Emergency: 9-1-1  
Fire and ambulance non-emergency phone: 815/356-3640

Fire Protection Services and Emergency Lifesaving and Rescue Services in the Village of Lakewood are provided by the Crystal Lake Fire Rescue Department. Please call 9-1-1 in the case of an emergency. All non-emergency calls can be directed to the administrative offices of the Department at 815/356-3640.

Emergency phone calls are dispatched by the Southeast Emergency Communications (SEECOM).

### **POLICE DEPARTMENT:**

Emergency: 9-1-1  
Police non-emergency phone: 815/459-2151  
Police Department Fax: 815/459-8346

The Village enjoys a low crime rate, largely due to the pro-active community policing philosophy and policies of the Villages own 24-hour Police Department. The Department is headed by a full-time Police Chief. Phone calls are handled by the McHenry County Sheriff's Department. During the summer months, the department also operates the boat patrol on Crystal Lake.

**House Watch:** If you will be away on vacation and your home will be empty, sign up for our home watch service. Visit the Village's website and click the blue house for forms. Or call the non-emergency police number, 815/459-2151, to arrange.

**Code Red Alert Notification:** Stay update to date with real time road closures, accidents, and Village bulletins through texts from our Code Red portal. Visit the website to sign up.

**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT:**

Maintenance Garage - 6570 Haligus Road  
Wastewater Treatment Plant - 6650 Haligus Road

This department is responsible for maintaining the streets, equipment and public property, snow plowing, water and sewer system, hydrant flushing, brush pickup, and similar services.

**HYDRANT FLUSHING**

Hydrant flushing is a regular part of the maintenance program. Flushing dates will be announced in the Village communication platforms. Only authorized persons may open or close a fire hydrant. Residents should make every effort to clear away snow and keep hydrants visible during the winter season.

**SANITARY SEWERS**

Each resident is responsible for the maintenance and repair of sewer service lines within his/her home and out to the point of connection with the municipal sewer system. Unlawful connections (i.e., sump pumps, gutter drains, etc.) are not allowed.

**SNOW REMOVAL**

The Village plows all dedicated streets. Rocks or other obstructions must be moved at least 10 feet back from the paved surface after November 15 to prevent damage to the plows and/or injury to workers or passers-by from flying debris.

**TREE REMOVAL PERMITS**

No vigorous and healthy tree taller than 20 feet or larger than six (6) inches in diameter as measured twelve (12) inches above the ground shall be removed without a tree removal permit. It is the stated public policy of the Village to maintain, to the greatest extent possible, existing trees within the Village. The purpose of Section 21.20 is to preserve existing natural streetscapes throughout the community.

Permits are available free of charge. Permit requests may be obtained by visiting the Village's website or in-person at Village Hall.

Any tree removed prior to or without approval shall be punishable by a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000 per tree removed.

**SERVICES**

Village Hall hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. There is an answering machine which takes messages during off hours, and a locked drop-box at the exit of the parking lot where payments and correspondence can be left when the office is closed. Services offered at Village Hall include issuance of tree removal permits, garage sale permits, building permits, and

notary public. The Village Administration Department, Police Department, Finance Department, and Building Department are headquartered at Village Hall.

Address: 2500 Lake Avenue, Village of Lakewood, IL 60014

Phone: 815/459-3025

Building Department Phone: 815/459-3025

Fax: 815/459-8346

E-mail: [info@village.lakewood.il.us](mailto:info@village.lakewood.il.us)

### **BOAT, TRAILER, RV STORAGE DURING THE OFF SEASON:**

November 1 through March 31, boats, trailers and RVs must be stored indoors or if outdoors, in areas where permitted, then only in the rear yard on a pad. **(They can never be stored outdoors in the Turnberry subdivisions, Brighton Oaks, Hidden Lakes and The Reserve.)**

### **BRUSH PICK-UP:**

The Village sponsors a brush pickup each spring and fall. Dates are announced in the Village communication platforms. On publicized dates, unbundled brush up to 3 inches in diameter and no more than 6 feet in length may be left adjacent to the street for collection. It is up to the homeowner to dispose of brush the rest of the year.

Wood chips are periodically made available to residents on a first-come, first-served basis at the following locations:

6650 Haligus Road - South of our Sewer Treatment Plant (Note: There is limited access to this location during wet conditions)

Bring your own container and call 815/459-3025 to arrange a time for collection. Further information on weekly brush pick-up, offered by our waste hauler between April and the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday in December, is available elsewhere in this brochure.

### **UTILITIES AND UTILITY BILLING:**

The Village operates a full-service public utilities operation with water and sewer plant facilities. The Village offers a utility billing automatic payment program (ACH debit). The form can be found on the Village website. Payment by Visa, Mastercard, Discover or American Express for utility payments can be done at Village Hall or via the website through the state E-Pay service. There is an additional fee for this service. To receive bills via email, please contact Village Hall.

The Village bills residents every two months for utilities and refuse collection. The east side of the Village, which has private wells, is billed for sewer and refuse, and the rest of the Village is billed for Lakewood Utilities (water and sewer) as well as refuse. Bills are for the preceding 2-month period and are due 20 days from the billing date. Late payments are subject to a 10% penalty if received after the due date shown on each bill. The Village sends up to 2 late notices. If no payment has been made after these late notices a red tag may be hung on your door including a \$100 fee. If we do not receive full payment after this red tag notice, services may be disconnected. In order to avoid late charges, we recommend that you mark your calendars for the 15th of each month in which you should receive your bill (as shown below), and call Village Hall if you do not receive your bill by then so that we can mail you a duplicate. Call Village Hall any time you have a question about your bill. **Please note that no credits can be given to snowbirds.**

**BILLING PERIODS** - Bills are mailed the 1st of the following months and payment is due 20 days from the billing date:

**Country Club Additions (The Gates), Lakewood Manor, Bardwell and Crystal Lake Home sites residents:**

Mail Dates: February, April, June, August, October and December

**Lakewood Utilities customers (all other areas of the Village)**

Mail Dates: January, March, May, July, September and November

**CURRENT RATES (billed every 2 months for the prior 2-month period) as of 09/01/2025:**

**Refuse and recycling:**

	\$46.90 for a 95-gallon tote
	\$42.50 for a 95-gallon tote <b>**Senior Rate</b>
	\$46.90 for a 65-gallon tote
	\$42.50 for a 65-gallon tote <b>**Senior Rate</b>
	\$4.20 Extra Refuse tote
	\$4.20 Organic waste tote
	\$4.20 Yard waste tote

**\*\*Residents 65 year or older are eligible for a 10% discount for refuse services. Contact MDC directly at 815-568-7274 to sign up.**

**Sewer:** Country Club Additions/ East Side of Village (The Gates): \$167.80  
Lakewood Utilities Customers: \$83.75 base charge plus \$2.55 per 1,000 gallons used

**Water:** Lakewood Utilities Customers only:  
\$43.45 base charge plus \$7.25 per 1,000 gallons consumed.

**VOTER REGISTRATION AND POLLING PLACES:**

You can register to vote on line at [www.elections.state.il.us](http://www.elections.state.il.us). Or the County Clerk=s Office, McHenry County Government Center, 2200 N. Seminary Ave., Woodstock, IL.

**Polling Places by Precinct:**

Contact the County Clerk=s office for up-to-date information at 815/334-4242 or check the county=s web site: [www.co.mchenry.il.us/pollinglocations](http://www.co.mchenry.il.us/pollinglocations).

## PERMITS, LICENSES, STICKERS, AND CODES

### ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

Prior to the commencement of any new home or any exterior or structural construction activity, a homeowner must submit plans for an architectural and landscaping review process before a building permit can be issued. Details are available at Village Hall.

### BIKING, SKATEBOARDING AND ROLLERBLADING

Bikers, skateboarders and rollerbladers must go with the flow of traffic, be aware of the vehicles around them, and move to the side of the road to allow vehicles to pass.

### BUILDING PERMITS AND CODE ENFORCEMENT

Building permits are required prior to construction or alterations. Please visit our website or contact the Building Department for fees and details on all work from re-roofing, decks, patios, driveways and additions, to new construction.

The Villages building codes cover structural, electrical, plumbing, fire prevention, and HVAC issues. General contractors as well as contractors for single or small-scale projects must have a \$10,000 surety bond posted in the Village. In addition, Village codes govern zoning, property maintenance, and landscaping (including tree preservation).

### CURFEW

For those under 17 years of age, cannot be on any public road, alley or park:

Sunday - Thursday: 11:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. the following morning

Saturday, Sunday, and day preceding a holiday: 12:01 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.

### DOG LICENSES

Per McHenry County Code, Article #XVII-Sec. 3, McHenry County requires dog owners to register and obtain valid licenses for all dogs within 30 days of obtaining a rabies vaccination. A current rabies vaccination certificate must be presented when applying for the tag. Discounts are given to senior citizens as well as for dogs that have been spayed or neutered. Replacements for lost tags are available for a nominal fee. **Tags can be purchased at the McHenry County Health Animal Control Department located at 100 N. Virginia Avenue, Crystal Lake** (call 815/459-6222 for hours).

### DOG RUNS

Dog runs require a building permit in the Village.

### VEHICLE STICKERS

The cost of the Vehicle Sticker is \$10 per vehicle registered at your home. The sticker will be valid each year from May 1st through April 30<sup>th</sup> of the next year. The same payment options are available as Utility Billing; i.e. mail, drop box at Village Hall, in person, or use of E Payment.

### GARAGE SALE PERMITS

Residents are permitted up to three garage sales within a 12-month period. Garage sales can be held for up to 3-days at a time between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Permits are required and are free of charge. Stop in at Village Hall any time prior to your sale to fill out the application and obtain your permit and a copy of the Ordinance governing garage sales. The permit is free of charge. Note that vehicles, boats, etc. that are displayed for sale can only be parked in a resident's driveway. Any other items for sale are considered a garage sale and require a permit to be displayed outside.

## **HANDICAPPED PARKING PERMITS**

The Village does not issue handicapped parking permits. Both temporary and permanent handicapped parking permits must be obtained at state facilities.

## **J.U.L.I.E.**

Call J.U.L.I.E. (Joint Utility Locating Information for Excavators) at 800/892-0123 for utility line locations on your property before doing any digging! This includes even landscaping work. The service is free of charge.

## **LEAF BURNING**

Open burning of leaves and debris is prohibited in the Village.

## **LEASH LAW**

The Village has a leash law which requires that dogs be leashed when not on the owner's property. Additionally, anyone walking a dog must clean up after the dog if it deposits waste on public or private property. We encourage all residents to be considerate of their neighbors with the above issues, as well as not leaving dogs outside if they bark.

## **NOISE**

Radios, television sets, musical instruments and the like are considered a nuisance if heard beyond a property line between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. the following day. Loudspeakers and public address systems and the like are considered a nuisance if heard beyond a property line between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. the following day. Domestic power tools (snowblowers are exempted if required for snow removal) cannot be used outside the home before 7:00 a.m. or after 8:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday, nor before 9:00 a.m. or after 8:00 p.m. on Sundays and holidays.

## **PARKING**

No parking is permitted on Village streets where signs are posted to that effect.

## **SOLICITORS AND PEDDLERS**

All solicitors are required to register with the Village. Upon registration, they are provided with a permit showing the date(s) they are allowed to solicit. Solicitors must respect any resident's home that displays a no solicitor sign. If you have any questions about someone who comes to your door or is in your neighborhood, call the non-emergency number for the Police Department at 815/459-2151.

## **TREE PRESERVATION PROGRAM**

The Village has an ongoing tree program to care for all parkway trees. Any tree or shrub which interferes with traffic should be trimmed by the owner of the abutting property. Homeowners are responsible for removing dead or dangerous trees on their property. Note that a permit is required (free of charge) prior to removing any trees, including dead or diseased ones, that are more than 20 feet tall or at least 6 inches in diameter at a height of 12 inches above the ground. The conditions under which a tree removal permit may be issued are listed in the Village's Landscaping Code. **Tree removal permits are required prior to removing any tree.** There is no fee for this permit. Tree Removal Permit Request forms are available at Village Hall or on our website at [village.lakewood.il.us](http://village.lakewood.il.us)

## RECREATION

### **PARKS**

There are two public parks within Village boundaries. One is maintained by the Village and is located along the bike path which is located on the vacated portion of Country Club Road between Wiltshire Lane and Huntley Road. The other is Brighton Oaks Park located on Ballard Road which features a tot lot, tennis court, and basketball courts. This park is maintained by the Crystal Lake Park District.

Additionally, the Village owns the Kishwaukee Fen, which is a designated State of Illinois Nature Preserve, located west of Lakewood Road adjacent to Hole 3 of the RedTail Golf Club.

All Village residents are part of the Crystal Lake Park District and thus are able to use its parks, facilities and programs at resident rates. The Park District mails all residents a quarterly brochure of its programs. For questions, call the Crystal Lake Park District at 815/459-0680.

Village residents living between the west side of Riverside Drive and the east side of Huntley Road are eligible to join the Country Club Additions Property Owners Association (CCAPOA), which operates and maintains four private parks along the south shore of Crystal Lake for the use of its members only.

### **BEACHES**

The Crystal Lake Park District has two public beaches on Crystal Lake, which all Village residents can use for a nominal fee. Both have lifeguards and picnic areas. One of these beaches, West Beach, lies within Lakewood's boundaries. Additionally, two homeowners' associations operate private beaches on Crystal Lake for the use of their members only: CCAPOA has four private beaches, and the Lakewood Manor Association has one private beach.

### **BOATING**

All residents of the Crystal Lake Park District are eligible to boat on Crystal Lake. The Village and the City of Crystal Lake have a joint agreement for regulating and patrolling the lake. Canoes, rowboats, paddle boats, and small sailboats can be rented at Main Beach. Residents owning their own boat, which is registered to a Village address, can launch them on Crystal Lake as long as they purchase an annual boat decal at the Crystal Lake Park District Building. A current boat registration or proof of application for a current registration or proof of purchase for non-powered devices, plus a driver's license are required to purchase the decal. The Park District also sells keys to Park District residents for its two launches at Main Beach and West Beach. CCAPOA sells keys to its launch at Beach 7 only to CCAPOA members.

Only non-motorized or battery-powered watercraft is allowed on the Turnberry lakes. Available only to residents within the Turnberry Lakes Special Service Area 8.

## **GOLF COURSES**

### **REDTAIL GOLF CLUB**

7900 Redtail Drive

815/477-0055

[www.redtailgolf.com](http://www.redtailgolf.com)

In 1991, the Village bought this course which was originally intended for private country club use. It opened to the public in 1992. Originally named Lakewood Golf Course, it was renamed RedTail Golf Club in 1997. The course has been rated 4 stars by Golf Digest, 4 2 stars by Chicagoland Golf, and has been recognized as a top 10 municipal facility nationwide by the National Golf Foundation in overall customer satisfaction and loyalty.

RedTail is a Roger Packard designed, 18-hole championship golf course. It features bent grass tees, greens, and fairways, two island greens, strategic bunkering, many natural wetlands, and with four sets of tees, RedTail is challenging to players of all skill levels. The multi-tiered, bent grass practice facility is conveniently located near the clubhouse.

The course is impeccably manicured. Ongoing bunker renovations and shoreline restorations have all added to the courses reputation for providing an exceptionally challenging and scenic experience.

The clubhouse offers a fine selection of high-quality, value- priced merchandise, including top-of-the line apparel and equipment. In addition, a full-service restaurant and bar offers fresh food and drink selections daily in the clubhouse. Large indoor and outdoor event spaces are available for all occasions. Catering menus can be customized to accommodate groups of any size for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Permanent tee-times, shotgun outings, memberships, and an array of golf leagues are available.

The PGA professional staff at RedTail Golf Club offers extensive lesson programming for golfers of all ability levels. RedTail hosts the most comprehensive Junior Golf lesson program in McHenry County.

### **TURNBERRY COUNTRY CLUB**

Turnberry Country Club offers golf membership packages. It includes an 18-hole golf course which was designed by E. Lawrence Packard, and which opened in 1972.

Turnberry Country Club features a modern club house, restaurant and banquet facilities which can seat up to 300 people. A wide range of social programs are available to its members, and there are some catering, dining, golf and banquet services available to non-members as well.

### **CRYSTAL WOODS GOLF CLUB**

5915 S. Route 47  
Woodstock, IL 60098  
815/338-3111

[www.crystalwoodsgc.com](http://www.crystalwoodsgc.com)

Crystal Woods Golf Course was originally designed by Bill Langford in the early 1950s. The 9-Hole, Par 37 course was then known as Bit O' Heather G.C until 1967. In 1967, architect Charles Wagstaff blended the old with the new as the redesigned course became a par 72 with 18 holes. Course owners Richard and Mary Ann Craig directed this expansion as Crystal Woods became the first course of its kind, semi-private/daily fee course in McHenry County. The course opened for play in the summer of 1969.

Crystal Woods is equally ideal for your next round of golf, or for your next corporate outing. The staff at CWGC enjoys catering to golf outings of all sizes. The course and its facilities can easily accommodate groups of up to 150 golfers.

### **CRAIG WOODS GOLF COURSE**

5815 S. Route 47  
Woodstock, IL 60098  
815/337-3116

[www.crystalwoodsgc.com/craig-woods-golf-course](http://www.crystalwoodsgc.com/craig-woods-golf-course)

Located immediately across Rte. 47 from Crystal Woods, Craig Woods was designed to give beginners, juniors, seniors and even seasoned golfers a challenging tract on which to develop and hone their skills. The signature island green of the third hole tests the shot-making ability of golfers of all levels of experience. Those not anxious to test their mettle can opt for the adjacent green which is surrounded by terra firma. However, slicers will still have to take care to avoid an unfortunate splash down. With its 3, 4, and 5 holes, numerous water hazards and mature trees, Craig Woods offers an interesting set of obstacles for you to overcome.

**VILLAGE OF LAKEWOOD BUSINESSES**

**LOU MALNATI'S PIZZERIA:**

8515 Redtail Dr. Lakewood Commons  
815-477-8100  
[www.loumalnatis.com/lakewood](http://www.loumalnatis.com/lakewood)

**LEIX DENTAL**

**DR. NIRVANA L. LEIX, DDS.**

8505 Redtail Dr. Lakewood Commons  
815-604-6104  
[www.leixdental.com](http://www.leixdental.com)

**EXCELSIOR SALON & SPA**

8505 Redtail Dr. Lakewood Commons  
815-321-2099  
[www.vagaro.com/reflections11/](http://www.vagaro.com/reflections11/)

**CROSSPOINT LUTHERAN CHURCH**

8505 Redtail Dr. Lakewood Commons  
815-893-0888

**EDWARD JONES**

8505 Redtail Dr. Lakewood Commons  
815-356-5401

**REBECCA MCCARTHY SCHOOL OF DANCE**

8505 Redtail Dr. Lakewood Commons  
815-893-4069

**If you own a business in Lakewood and wish to be listed, please contact Village Hall.**

<b>USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS</b>
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**HOSPITALS & EMERGENCY CARE:**

Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital, Barrington .....	847/381-0123
Advocate Immediate Care, Crystal Lake .....	815/479-8020
Northwestern Medicine Woodstock .....	815/338-2500
Northwestern Medicine McHenry .....	815/344-5000
Northwestern Medicine Immediate Care Huntley .....	847/802-7500
Mercy Woodstock Medical Center .....	815/337-7100
Provena St. Joseph Hospital, Elgin .....	847/695-3200
Sherman Hospital, Elgin .....	847/742-9800
Sherman Family Health Care, Algonquin .....	847/458-4300

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

Algonquin Public Library .....	847/458-6060
Algonquin Township Assessor .....	847/639-2700
Animal Control .....	815/459-6222
AT&T .....	800/331-0500
Comcast (cable Television) .....	800/934-6489
ComEd .....	800/334-7661
Craig Woods Golf Course .....	815/337-3116
Crimestoppers .....	800/222-TIPS
Crystal Lake Chamber of Commerce .....	815/459-1300
Crystal Lake Metra Train Station .....	815/459-0028
Crystal Lake Elementary School District #47 .....	815/788-5000
Crystal Lake High School District #155 .....	815/455-8500
Crystal Lake Park District .....	815/459-0680
Crystal Lake Public Library .....	815/459-1687
Crystal Woods Golf Course .....	815/338-3111
Dorr Township Assessor .....	815/338-0125
Driver=s License Facility (Woodstock) .....	815/338-3109
Governor’s Office .....	217/782-0244
Grafton Township Assessor .....	847/669-3383
Huntley Public Library .....	847/669-5386
Huntley School District #158 .....	847/659-6158
J.U.L.I.E. (call for utility line locations before digging) .....	800/892-0123
Lakewood	
Village Hall .....	815/459-3025
Non-emergency Police .....	815/459-2151
Non-emergency Fire .....	815/356-3640
McHenry County Board Chairman Jack Franks .....	815/334-4224
McHenry County Clerk’s Office .....	815/334-4242
McHenry County College .....	815/455-3700
McHenry County College Library .....	815/455-8533
McHenry County Government Center .....	815/338-2040
McHenry County Health Department .....	815/334-4510
MDC Environmental Services .....	815/568-7274
NICOR .....	888/642-6748
PADS .....	815/338-5231
Poison Control .....	800/942-5969
RedTail Golf Club .....	815/477-0055
Turnberry Country Club .....	815/455-0501
U.S. Post Office (Crystal Lake) .....	815/459-5979