

# TALL GRASS NEWS

#### YOUR OFFICIAL TALL GRASS HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

## From the Board

While the days remain warm and summer-like, the kids are back in school and the calendar has flipped over to September. The arrival of fall also brings a collection of new events to our neighborhood. Here are some key dates for you to consider:

- September 2nd: Is the last day the pool will be open –
  for humans! In 2024, so be sure to enjoy the last days
  of summer at our cool and refreshing pool!
- September 3rd: Back by popular demand, the dogs are taking over the pool! Our annual Dog Pool Party will be taking place starting at 6 for smaller dogs and 7 for large dogs. Sign up before all slots are filled! Bring your pooch and let them frolic in and around our facility!
- September 10th: The next HOA Board Meeting will take place at 6pm at the Clubhouse. Residents are welcome to attend and will have an opportunity to have their comments and opinions heard by the Board and the other residents in attendance. As we've mentioned in previous newsletters, the Board always appreciates hearing resident input before we make decisions on issues impacting our neighborhood. We are your elected representatives and we do take resident input seriously when making decisions.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

September 2: Labor Day

**September 2:** Pool Closes for the Season!

**September 3:** Tall Grass 2nd Annual Dog Days at the Pool!

**September 10:** Board Meeting at 6pm

**September 19:** Tall Grass Toddler Storytime! Please sign up via the link posted on TownSq.

**November 8:** Casino Night at the Clubhouse! Stay tuned for more information.

Find more Naperville Events on Page 16.

- September 19th: Introducing Tall Grass Toddler Storytime! This will be held every 3rd Thursday of the month, from 10:30am-11:00am at the Clubhouse. Please do not bring any food or drinks other than water. The sign-up link can be found on TownSq, or please contact Audrey if you have any questions.
- Look out for spooky treats and fun during our upcoming Trunk or Treat and Dog Costume Contest! Sign-ups coming soon! Be sure to clean up after your pets.
- Late Fall: Please be aware that Naperville offers two related programs for free
  Leaf Collection and free Yard Waste Collection each fall. These programs provide
  residents with an opportunity to dispose of lawn debris without having to purchase
  lawn bag stickers. We will provide an update on the timing of the collections in
  our next newsletter, but feel free to simply google Naperville Leaf Collection and
  Naperville Yard Waste Collection for more details about the programs.

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## **TALL GRASS MANAGEMENT**

3324 Deering Bay Drive

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TG Website - www.TownSq.io

Clubhouse Hours 9 am to 5 pm - Monday - Thursday

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## **TALL GRASS POOL**

Tall Grass Pool www.clearwaterpoolsllc.net

630-922-6871

#### **CLASSIFIED ADS**

Submit information to Audrey Goodrich at Audrey.Goodrich@associachicagoland.com with "News Classifieds" as the subject line. All ads will run for one month. Resubmit, if needed. **Deadline is the 15th of the month.** The HOA does not endorse, nor guarantee, any product or position that is listed in the classifieds.

## **TALL GRASS NEWS STAFF**

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## **NEWS AVAILABILITY**

Tall Grass *News* is produced by volunteers based on content submitted by the Board, Committee Chairs and other residents. Newsletters are delivered by mail approximately the first week of the month. Timing for receipt can vary due to volunteer schedules.

## **TALL GRASS RESIDENT DEADLINE**

- Input is to be submitted to *News* staff by the 15th of the month.
- Residents who would like to submit articles of interest to the development should contact the editor.
- Articles should be in publishable format and will include the author's name.
- Event pictures (HOA, block parties, clubs, etc.) should be sent in a separate file.
- For-profit business advertising by residents is handled through the publisher as commercial advertising.
- All copy is subject to approval and editing by the newsletter staff.
- Reprints are not authorized without the permission of the author and *News* Editor.

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## **TALL GRASS HOA BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Keyur Shah	President
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Nadia Garrett	Director
Erin Millington	Director
Paul Lopes	Director
	Pankaj Gupta  Mike Skurka  Tara McDonald  Nadia Garrett  Erin Millington

## TGHOA 2024 Board Meetings - Clubhouse - 6 pm

**NOTE**: August 20<sup>TH</sup> Board meeting has been moved to September 10<sup>TH</sup>.

- Tuesday, September 10th, 2024
- Tuesday, November 12th, 2024

## **COMMITTEE CONTACTS**

## ARCHITECTURAL/DESIGN REVIEW

Chair	Keyur Shah
Chair	Paul Lope

#### **COMMUNITY RELATIONS & SOCIAL EVENTS**

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#### SWIM TEAM

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## TENNIS

## TO PLACE A COMMERCIAL AD

Contact Amy Scoville amy@allegranaperville.com | (630) 963-9100 opt 2 www.allegranaperville.com



Here are a few other updates and reminders the Board wishes to share with homeowners:

- **Fall lawn care:** Autumn brings a mix of warm soil and cooler air, perfect conditions for planting grass seed and allowing time for new grass roots to develop before winter. This is also a good time to fertilize to build stronger, deeper roots for winter, resulting in a thicker, greener lawn next spring. Please consider tending to your lawn as needed, including repairing bare spots, overseeding, controlling weeds, and applying lawn feed. As a reminder, burning of leaves is not allowed in Naperville, please use the Leaf Collection program as described above.
- Parkway tree maintenance: Every few years the City of Naperville trims parkway tree branches. But this is really done from the perspective of branches overhanging the street (for example, so that they are not in the way of snow removal trucks). Aside from that, homeowners should perform basic maintenance of their own parkway tree branches so that, at a minimum, there is ample room for pedestrians to walk on the sidewalk without having to duck down to avoid your branches. Also, if you have a parkway tree that is dead or dying, the city has a parkway tree replacement program whereby the city will split the cost of tree and stump removal and tree re-planting with the homeowner. And they handle all the work! They also offer a wide selection of acceptable trees to select from. Information can be found by googling Naperville parkway tree replacement program.
- Cul de sac landscaping improvement: During the last year, the HOA has been working with our landscaping vendor to refresh the landscaping in the cul de sac islands within Tall Grass. This has been a multiple phase project. We are aware that some of the recent plantings have not survived and are working with the vendor to remedy this, as well as some improvements around the Tall Grass entrances. If you see something that needs attention, please let Audrey at the clubhouse know.
- Architectural Review Forms: Those of you who read this newsletter regularly have probably noticed that we mention this in Every. Single. Newsletter. This is done intentionally because despite our best efforts there is a consistent stream of projects being undertaken by homeowners which should have been pre-cleared with the HOA by submitting an Architectural Review Form. Please understand that the architectural review process exists to not only enforce the rules, regulations, and governing documents of the HOA to which we all belong, but to also ensure that a look of quality and attractiveness exists within the neighborhood which collectively benefits all our property values. The architectural review guidelines, instructions, and form are available in every newsletter (including this one) as well as on TownSq. When in doubt, just fill it out!
- Pool and Tennis access cards: We have had an avalanche of requests for new pool and tennis access cards this year, from both new residents and those needing replacements. Please know that creating the cards is a manual process which is managed by the clubhouse staff NOT the lifeguards—and generally cannot be done "while you wait". The Board asks for residents' patience and understanding with this process, and we thank Audrey and Sara for their hard work on the access cards in addition to all their other duties. If you think you will need an access card for the 2025 season, we ask that you put in your request early rather than waiting for the big rush when the pool opens.

We hope you enjoyed reading these updates. We encourage you to get out in the community this fall and enjoy all there is to offer before the cold winter sets in. An active community is a strong community!

## **TALL GRASS CLUBS & GROUPS**

If you would like to organize a club or group for Tall Grass resident participation, please send your detailed information by email to Audrey Goodrich at Audrey. Goodrich@associachicagoland.com.

## **PLAYGROUP**

The Tall Grass Playgroup offers you the opportunity to get together with other parents and children, perhaps even sharing some parenting tips while your children enjoy the company of others. Maybe you can plan some interesting outings together! These groups are especially helpful to parents new to the subdivision. Contact Kerry Leaf (Friday playgroup) at kleaf10@yahoo or 630-484-6505.

## **MOTORCYCLE GROUP**

Looking for all riders and all types of motorcycles. Contact Drew Robertson at ARIC74@comcast.net or 630-689-9922.

## **BAKING GROUP**

The group will meet on the first Saturday of every month and each member will bake an item of their choice. If interested contact kausicpa@gmail.com.

## YOGA GROUP

We have a Yoga group in our community with a Facebook page dedicated to all members to join facebook.com/ groups/165902849048707/ Contact Sree Masabattula at sreechakra@msn.com or 814-323-9784 for questions / suggestions.

City
Champions
for the 6th
straight year!



Classic 2nd place finishers!

Another championship season has come to an end for the Tall Grass Lightning!

Congratulations to all of the swimmers on a fantastic season.
Thank you to all of the coaches for all of your time and effort.
Thank you to all of our families for your volunteering and support.
Without you, this team is not possible.

See you next year!











Tall Grass Lightning would like to thank our sponsors for their support during the 2024 season! Please continue to show your support for these businesses!







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## YOUTH SERVICES LIST

If you would like to be added to the list, send your name, phone number, age, type of service you wish to perform by the 15th to Audrey Goodrich at Audrey.Goodrich@associachicagoland.com. Put "News Youth Services" in the subject line of your message.

NAME AGE PHONE NO.	BS	PS	LM	SR	HS	МН	ıT
Ana Arce		Χ					X = Spanish & Math
Sanya Agarwal 12 225-252-8413		Χ					
Daniella Carlson 13630-301-8705	Χ	Χ					
Colleen Clinton 16 773-680-0331	Χ	Χ					X = Guitar, Ukulele, Lacrosse
Zahra Chishti 15 262-202-2305							X = Math to Algebra 1, ELA Math/Science elem
Declan Crist 15 331.444.9952		Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ		X = Soccer
Carys Crist12331.529.1179	Χ	Χ			Χ	Χ	X = Soccer
Logan DiLallo 13 630-334-9328	Χ	Χ		Χ			X = Guitar and Bass Guitar
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Mia Goldman13630-301-8705	Χ	Χ					
Natalie Grover 14 630-303-6357	Χ	Χ					
Savir Gupta 12 630-261-5663		Χ		Χ		Χ	X = Lacross Skills, Math & ELA 3rd Grade and below
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Reese Knapp14630-981-4427	Χ						
Caroline Knell 15 630-276-6469	Χ	Χ				Χ	X
Dylan Krambeck 15 630-699-3973	Χ	Χ				Χ	
Bailey LaMar15630-334-0615	Χ	Χ				Χ	
Brooklyn LaMar 13 630-643-5293		Χ			Χ		
Logan Lattimer 15 630-355-6008	Χ			Χ			X = Geometry and below
Megan Lattimer 13 630-355-6008	Χ	Χ				Χ	
Hannah Laub 16 331-305-1710		Χ				Χ	X = Softball
Abby Maguire 14 331-249-7329	Χ						
Gracie Maguire17312-342-4014		Χ				Χ	
Maggie Mastin 15 630-822-6487	Χ	Χ				Χ	
Alivia Nied 15 815-666-8116	Χ	Χ					
Landon Nied 13 815-212-3828	Χ	Χ					
Delaney Romstadt 16567-344-1534	Χ	Χ			Χ		
Ellie Schultz17331-305-0185	Χ						X
Chloe Sentman 17 630-812-9158	Χ	Χ					
Mila Shastri 11 630-742-1799	Χ	Χ				Χ	
Sona Shastri 13 630-742-1799	Χ	Χ				Χ	
Callie Shaw 17 330-807-4436	Χ	Χ					
Samantha Skurka 15 630-885-0658	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	X = Math/Science 8th Grade and below
Carter Smeltzer 18 630-946-6265		Χ	Χ	Χ			
Tanisha Tyagi 14 331-201-6449							X = Math 8th Grade and below
Sofia Vitro17630-207-4060	Χ	Χ					X = 2nd Grade and below
Paige Warner15630-995-1753	Χ	Χ				Χ	





October 17, 2024 5:00-10:30 The Matrix Club 808 S. Rt. 59 Naperville, IL 60540



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And other worthy organizations





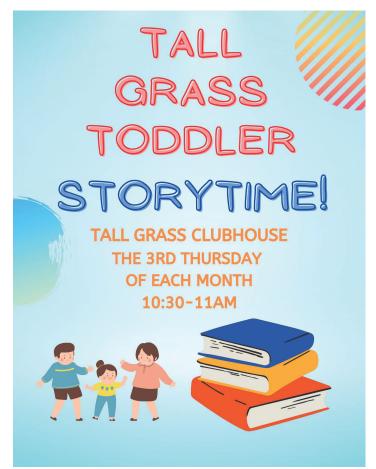
It's not just pointed hats and capes anymore. Women 21 and older can go glam with flowing gowns, crowns, pearls and heels, vying for the most glamorous witch award, or put their creativity to the max with unique costumes and themes. Of course, the traditional variety is also welcome to join the night of fun, dancing, fantastic food, adult drinks, and great photo ops, all while benefiting Naperville Woman's Club scholarships and local charities like Almost Home Kids. Glam Witches Night Out is expected to attract over 500 women to the Naperville Matrix Club, 808 S. Rt. 59, a beautiful indoor event space with plenty of convenient free parking.

Tickets starting at \$85 are now available while supplies last. Attendees can also purchase raffle tickets for exciting gift baskets, get deals on mystery boxes and a wine pull, shop from a variety of interesting vendors, and get a glimpse into their future from tarot card readers. A dance instructor will teach the nationwide popular Witches Dance.

The Glam Witches Night Out fundraiser supports the NWC's work in the areas of art, education and community service. NWC has hosted the Fine Art & Artisan Fair held at the Naper Settlement for 64 years and supports art at the high school level through their Young Adult Art Contest. Members also volunteer and make donations to local service organizations. Founded in 1897, NWC is a nonprofit, philanthropic organization.

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For more information, to purchase tickets, or learn about sponsorship opportunities go to: witchesnightoutnaperville.org. Tickets may also be purchased online directly through Eventbrite. For info about joining go to: NapervilleWomansClub.org. Sponsorship opportunities are available.





## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN NAPERVILLE

#### **SEPTEMBER 7**

## SUMMER FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL

Calling all Foodies! We're returning to the Naper Settlement in the heart of downtown Naperville, to bring you the 2024 Summer Naperville Food Truck Festival. Featuring 20+ of the area's best food trucks, live music entertainment, Beer/Wine garden and a local vendor village featuring face painters, balloon artist & more. This is a family friendly event with food & entertainment for kids plus everyone can enjoy the expansive Naper Settlement historical grounds. Eat for a great cause! A portion of the proceeds from the #NFTF will benefit Community Access Naperville and their mission to empower people with intellectual and developmental disabilities to work in, contribute to, and enjoy their community.

## **SEPTEMBER 12-15**INDIA-AMERICAN TRADE FAIR

Join us for the Bhartiya Swadeshi Mela (The India-America Trade Fair) from September 12th to 15th, 2024, at the Mall of India in Naperville, IL! Discover a unique shopping experience with over 100 international vendors offering handcrafted items, handloom products, home decor, food, herbal goods, millets, and more. Enjoy continuous Indian cultural performances, including a live concert by Padmashri Kailash Kher, Bollywood singers, and the Outdoor Garba of Chicago. Explore 90's fashion walks, savor delicious Indian cuisine, and dive into the India Musical Fest featuring Dandiya and Bollywood music.

## **SEPTEMBER 14**HISPANIC HERITAGE FESTIVAL

Join us in Central Park of Naperville on September 14th from 6pm to 9pm for our main event! Market Place Opens at 5 PM. The Naperville Sister Cities Foundation is a nonprofit committed to connecting Naperville and its citizens to the world. The foundation sponsors programs designed to foster inclusivity and diversity through cultural, education and business exchange between Naperville and its sister cities.

## **SEPTEMBER 14**NAPERVILLE PRIDE FESTIVAL

Naper Pride Fest is a single day festival which is in its 3rd year of production. Our goal is bringing the entire community together in celebration and support of the LGBTQIA+ community. This family friendly event is held traditionally at Naper Settlement. There will be a vendor area for organizations and businesses to share their resources, products, games, and services. Adults can enjoy a beer garden which will highlight cold beer, hard cider, and canned cocktails. Food vendors will offer a wide variety of options to satisfy even the most discerning of tastes. Throughout the day, enjoy music & live performances by local and regional acts.

## **SEPTEMBER 20-21**NAPERVILLE IRISH FESTIVAL

Naperville Irish Fest is back, and ready to celebrate Irish culture in the heart of downtown Naperville. This year's festival returns to Central Park. Naperville Irish Fest promises a lively two-days filled with music, dance, food, and fun for all ages with proceeds supporting the West Suburban Irish and its mission to promote Irish culture throughout the community.



## TUESDAYS NOW - SEPT 17 | 3-7PM NAPERVILLE FARMER'S MARKET

The Naper Settlement Farmers Market offers an assortment of goods from mission-based, fair-trade, or local vendors, from coffee to candles, plus fresh produce, pottery, honey, and more on the picturesque grounds of Naper Settlement. For more information including vendors, please visit NaperSettlement.org/FarmersMarket

## NOW - LAST WEEK OF OCTOBER | 5TH AVE FARMER'S MARKET

Don't let the summer pass you by without a trip to Naperville's Farmers' Market. It's open every Saturday 7 am - 12 pm (rain or shine) in the Fifth Avenue Station parking lot, 200 E. 5th Avenue, Naperville. Parking is free and there is plenty of it. Naperville's openair market is sponsored by local farmers who bring their fresh fruits, vegetables, perennials, honey, baked goods, and so much more to sell.

### SATURDAYS NOW - OCTOBER 5 | AURORA FARMERS MARKET

The oldest farmers market in Illinois, the Aurora Farmers Market has begun it's 113th season at 65 S. Water Street in Aurora from 8 am to 12 pm. Every week, our markets feature fresh, locally grown fruits and vegetables, decadent baked goods and pastry items, a selection of local food trucks and vendors (including Aurora's famous Dick's Mini Donuts), delicious coffee, one-of-a-kind artisan items and more!



## **Architectural Modifications**

To help outline which projects require an Architectural Modification approval versus those that do not, below is a simple matrix that lists examples and where they would fall in that regard. If the project you are considering isn't listed, please reach out to Audrey Goodrich and ask if prior approval is required to avoid any expedite fees, fines, or need to remove/ redo the work to be in compliance with our governing documents.

## **NEEDS BOARD APPROVAL**

- Any exterior room additions, modifications, reconstruction (including, but not limited to porches or decks, sunrooms, gazebos, pergolas, patios and decks)
- Roof replacement
- Fence install
- Driveway replaced/altered
- Siding replaced/painted
- Hot tub or in-ground swimming pool install
- Sport court install
- Basketball ball hoop install
- Trampoline install
- Satellite dish install
- Landscape and/or hardscape improvements
- Mailbox install
- Solar panel install

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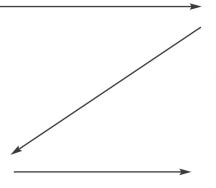
DON'T NEED BOARD APPROVAL

- Install sprinkler system
- Swing set
- Any modifications to the interior of the home
- Any modifications underground (not a visible change) digging trenches
- Clearing or removing brush, bushes from the homeowner's yard
- Repairs that do not create a modification to the homes colors or structure
- Adding security cameras or video doorbells
- Homes with asphalt driveways, getting the driveway sealed





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## **TALL GRASS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION**

## Architectural Improvement/Modification Application (Revised May 2024)

## DO NOT PROCEED WITH ANY WORK UNTIL YOU HAVE RECEIVED WRITTEN APPROVAL.

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Address:	Er	nail Address:	
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Supplier/Contractor:			Approximate Cost:
Color Change? YES NO (circle) If yes, v	vhat color? (In	clude new color sample wi	th application) Is this a corner lot? YES NO (circle)
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Date Received:	APPROVED	NOT APPROVED	Phone: 331.226.2234
Expedited Fee Paid:	Fine Paid:		Email: Audrey.Goodrich@associachicagoland.com
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Sharing timely crime prevention information relevant to residents to improve awareness and crime prevention efforts throughout the City of Naperville. Please pass this information on to your fellow neighbors through your HOA's newsletter, email distribution list or social media sites.

## SENIOR SAFETY

Did you know scams targeting people over the age of 60 caused more than \$3.4 billion in losses nationwide in 2023? That's an increase of approximately 11% from the prior year, according to the FBI's Elder Fraud Report. Protect yourself and your loved ones by delving into this month's Safer Naper topic: Senior Safety.

Common scams currently targeting the over-60 age group include imposter scams, online shopping, sweepstakes, lotteries, investments, and business and job opportunities.

With all the complicated scams out there that are constantly evolving, it's important for older adults and their families to stay diligent by learning what scams are out there, how to recognize them, and most importantly, how to avoid falling for them.

This month's Safer Naper campaign will help educate you in these areas, including how to recognize the signs of a scam:

- Pressure to act immediately.
- Pressure to keep information secret.
- Scare tactics.
- Requests for sensitive or personal information.
- Demands for money, typically in a form that is difficult to recover, such as cash, wire transfer, gift card, pay app or cryptocurrency.
- Specific instructions on how to make the financial transaction. These may include a demand to stay on the phone line with the caller while making payment arrangements.

Learn more and find additional Senior Safety information during the month of September at www.naperville.il.us/asafernaper.

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR...

## PUBLIC SAFETY OPEN HOUSE **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28**

The Naperville Police and Fire Departments' Annual Public Safety Open House is set for 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, at Naperville's Public Safety Campus, 1380 Aurora Ave. This family-friendly event will feature live demonstrations as well as food trucks, activities for all ages, and displays of police and fire vehicles and equipment. Visit with Sparky and McGruff and learn tips for preventing crime and fire that can help keep your family safe. For details, visit www.naperville.il.us/PSOH.

We encourage your association to share and like our Facebook and Twitter accounts and urge your neighbors to sign up for Naper Notify for more time sensitive news and information. Information can also be found on the City of Naperville's website: www.naperville.il.us/npd.



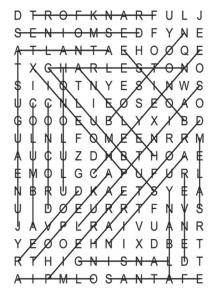
## THE **PUZZLE** PAGE

## State Capitals

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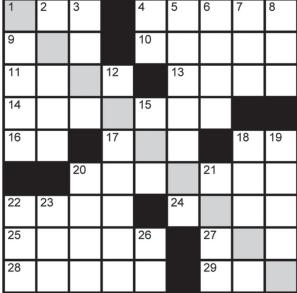
#### Across

- 1. Letter before zee
- 4. Maxim
- 9. Mr. Potato Head piece
- 10. Pertaining to birds
- 11. Islamic sect
- 13. Nose out
- 14. Monk's haircut
- 16. Therefore
- 17. School org.
- 18. Element #2's symbol
- 20. Handler
- 22. Maple genus
- 24. Prefix with type
- 25. Sink feature
- 27. Terminate
- 28. "Beats me!"
- 29. Freelancer's enc.

## Down

- 1. Adam and Mae
- 2. AOL competitor
- 3. The Emerald Isle
- 4. Cellist Yo-Yo --
- 5. Blanket
- 6. It ebbs and flows
- 7. Playground game
- 8. Undivided

The Middle Measure



- 12. Headache helper
- 15. Western tribe
- 18. Reddish brown
- 19. Eat away at
- 20. Withdraw gradually
- 21. Runs out of steam
- 22. Sum (up)
- 23. French vineyard
- 26. Thumbs-down

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The headline is a clue to the answer in the diagonal.

## September Wordoku

## How to solve wordoku puzzles

You only need logic and patience to solve a wordoku.

Simply make sure that each 3x3 square region has only one letter from the word TREMBLING. Similarly, each letter can only appear once in a column or row in

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the larger grid. The difficulty on this puzzle is medium.





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### **INFORMATION:**

Classes meet on Mondays at NAHS for five weeks. Registration fee is \$75 per student except for the short session which is \$50.

## **DATES FOR 2024-2025:**

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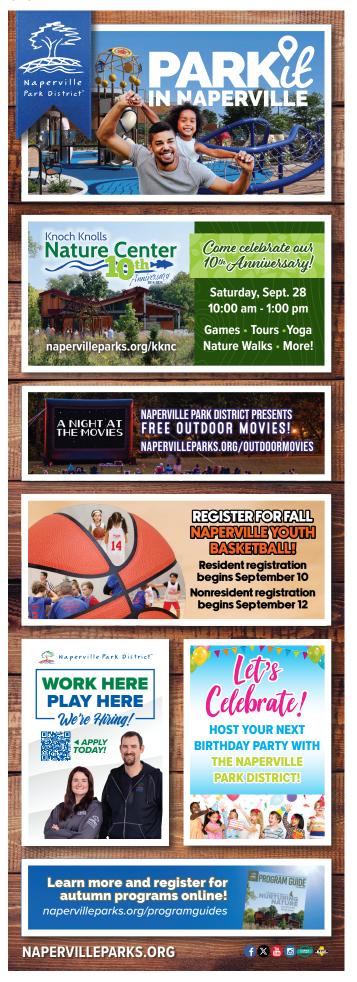
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