

# Hillside-Berkeley Chamber of Commerce

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www.hillsideberkeleychamber.com

## Chamber Updates

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### Chamber Officers

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## Chamber Monthly Luncheon

Hosted By

**Village of Berkeley**

5819 Electric Ave., Berkeley

Catered by:

Cuomo Catering

Tuesday, April 5, 2016

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

\$15.00 per person

### Guest Speakers:

Representatives from the Berkeley & Hillside Fire Departments will be on hand to prepare you for and answer your questions on how to prepare for your next Fire Inspection.

Please join us for this business to business networking opportunity along with some great food.

Take this opportunity to promote your business. Share any business specials, coupons or flyers about an upcoming event at your business.

As a courtesy to our host reservations are recommended.

RSVP by Friday April 1st

708-449-2449 / hcochq@sbcglobal.net

# Upcoming Events

**April 5, 2016**

Monthly Luncheon  
Village of Berkeley  
Catered by Cuomo Catering

**April 7, 2016**

Emilio's Tapas  
Gonzalez Byass Wine Dinner

**April 20, 2016**

Board Meeting  
Chamber Office

**April 20, 2016**

Economic Development  
Lecture Series  
Secrets of applying for  
down payment grants

**April 23, 2016**

Annie LeGere Foundation  
Walkathon

**April 29 & 30, 2016**

Misericordia Candy Days

**April 30, 2016**

Hillside Youth Athletic Parade

**May 3, 2016**

Monthly Luncheon  
Hillside Bowl  
Catered by S & J Grill

**May 18, 2016**

Board Meeting  
Chamber Office

**May 19, 2016**

Night At The Races  
Hawthorne Race Course



## Magnificent Mutts Rescue

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**Linda Latelle**  
President/Founder

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708-547-7177

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Chicago, IL 60611  
312-467-7177

Good at either Emilio's Tapas Hillside or  
Emilio's Tapas Sol y Nieve Downtown

Not valid with any other offers, one per person per visit

# Misericordia Candy Days

## Friday & Saturday, April 29 & 30, 2016

Please consider helping us for this!

10,000+ volunteers are needed throughout Chicago and all the suburbs. It's your typical "tag day". Volunteers are needed to work the streets, sidewalks and store fronts of Chicago and the suburbs. Volunteers simply pass out candy and informational tags in exchange for donations. Any minimum 2 hour shift would be greatly appreciated.

To volunteer in the Hillside Berkeley area please contact  
Stimac's Restaurant  
4843 Butterfield Rd.  
Hillside  
708-449-1931

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

## Host a Chamber Event

What a great way to market your business and network with other chamber members.

If you and your business would like to host a lunch or business after hours event please contact the chamber office at 708-449-2449.

Chamber Luncheons are held on the first Tuesday of each month unless a holiday falls at that time.

After-Hours can be scheduled at the convenience of your business.

## Join us on our Social Media sites

[Facebook Page](#) [Facebook Group](#) [LinkedIn](#) [Pinterest](#)

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

Hillside-Berkeley



Chamber of Commerce

*Together we are community*

Dear Chamber Members

Annie LeGere passed away on August 26, 2015 as a result of anaphylactic shock due to an unknown allergic reaction. She was 10 years old. Here is her story.

On August 17, 2015 Annie and her friends were having a sleepover at a friend's home. Annie began to experience shortness of breath, coughing, and was not feeling well. She went into respiratory arrest, was intubated, and transported to [Elmhurst Hospital](#) by ambulance. In the emergency room, Annie went into cardiac arrest. After Annie's heart was restarted and she was stabilized she was transported to [Advocate Children's Hospital](#) at [Lutheran General](#) in Park Ridge. Annie remained in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit on a ventilator. Due to the lack of oxygen during the anaphylactic shock, Annie's brain had swollen and the increased pressure in her skull had caused severe damage. After nine days of positive thoughts and prayers, Annie passed away in the arms of her mother Shelly and her father John.

The Annie LeGere Foundation will be holding its "To the Moon and Back" 2.5 mile walk on Saturday, April 23, 2016 at 10:00 am. The walk will start at Sandburg Middle School in Elmhurst and finish at the fountain at York St. and South St. in Elmhurst. There will be a turnabout station along the Illinois Prairie Path in front of the Berkeley Village Hall.

- The Hillside-Berkeley Chamber of Commerce is teaming up with the Annie LeGere Foundation to help support their efforts to:
- Promote allergy awareness and research.
- Educate the public on the symptoms of allergic reactions and what to do when they occur.
- Work to make it mandatory for first responders and schools to carry / stock epinephrine auto-injectors.
- Support training of first responders and school staff in the use of epinephrine auto-injectors.

We are looking for a few corporate sponsors to help support the efforts of the Annie LeGere Foundation to save a life. Any monetary donation would be greatly appreciated. Please consider donating to this worthy cause. Your donation could help save a life. Send all donations to the Hillside-Berkeley Chamber of Commerce or give us a call and we can pick up your donation.

To register to join in the walk on April 23, 2016 please visit the Annie LeGere Foundation website at [www.amazingannie.org](http://www.amazingannie.org).

We thank you for your support

Sincerely,  
Hillside-Berkeley Chamber of Commerce



## Hillside-Berkeley Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Committee Lecture Series

Wednesday, April 20, 2016  
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Berkeley Village Hall  
5819 Electric Avenue  
Berkeley

Great News for people shopping for a home in Cook County.  
There may be down payment assistance available to you!

Join us and learn the secrets of applying for down payment grants  
to lower your closing costs and make it easier to purchase a home!

### **Sponsored by:**

Hillside-Berkeley Chamber of Commerce  
The Village of Berkeley  
Inland Home Mortgage

Light refreshments will be served



## Emilio's Tapas April Events

Thursday, April 7, 2016  
Gonzalez Byass Wine Dinner

Visit Emilio's Tapas website for complete  
details on their events

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

## Visit Your Local Library

Our local libraries offer many entertaining and  
educational programs throughout the year for  
both adults and children.

Berkeley Public Library  
1637 Taft Ave  
Berkeley  
[www.berkeleypl.org](http://www.berkeleypl.org)  
708-544-6017

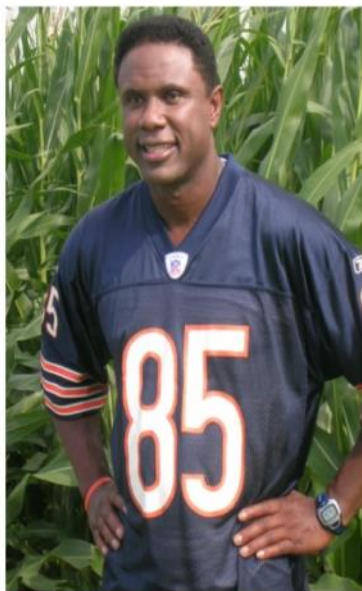
Hillside Public Library  
405 N. Hillside Ae  
Hillside  
[www.hillsidelibrary.org](http://www.hillsidelibrary.org)  
708-449-7510



# The Village of Hillside Proudly Presents Our 35th Annual Youth Athletic Parade

**\*Saturday  
April 30, 2016  
10:00 AM**

Join us for the Official  
Opening Day  
Ceremony at the  
Hillside Commons  
Immediately following  
the Parade!



GRAND MARSHAL  
**DENNIS**  
"Silky D"  
**McKINNON**  
"85 Super Bowl"  
CHICAGO BEARS  
WIDE RECEIVER



## ***PARADE ROUTE***

Parade will start at the  
Hillside Village Hall  
425 Hillside Avenue...  
South to Butterfield Road...  
East to Wolf Road...  
North to Washington Street...  
West to the Hillside Commons...

Hillside and Washington

For more information call (708) 202-4343 or  
Log on to [www.hillside-il.org](http://www.hillside-il.org)



### **\*VILLAGE DISCLAIMER**

This event is sponsored by the Village of Hillside ONLY  
and is NOT sponsored by any school district.



# **NIGHT AT THE RACES**

Sponsored by:  
Hillside-Berkeley  
Chamber of Commerce

Thursday May 19, 2016  
Post-Time 7:20pm

## **Hawthorne Race Course**

3501 S. Laramie Ave  
Stickney, IL 60804

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

Cost - \$40.00/person

Includes:

Admission

Racing program

The Gold Cup Room Buffet – 6:30-8:30pm

Two of our guests will have an opportunity to ride in the pace car for one of the races. We will also have a race dedication and a winner's circle photo.

Raffles

Tickets are available at the  
Chamber Office  
4850 Butterfield Rd., Hillside  
or contact @ 708-449-2449  
or by email @ [hcochq@sbcglobal.net](mailto:hcochq@sbcglobal.net)



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# Chamber Members

## **Animal Care/Shelter/Rescue**

Elmhurst Animal Care Center  
Magnificent Mutts Rescue

## **Automotive**

Powers 24 Hour Towing Service, Inc  
Tri-Town Services Inc  
West-Hill Carstar Auto Body

## **Banks**

Inland Bank & Trust  
Republic Bank  
Urban Partnership Bank

## **Cemetery Memorials & Monuments**

Bertacchi & Sons Co., Inc  
Peter Troost Monument

## **Construction Equipment & Contractors**

First Fence, Inc.  
Stone Mountain Access Systems, Inc  
Robert E. Lee & Sons Co.

## **Consulting Service**

Our Time Enterprises (OTE)

## **Education**

Hillside School District 93  
Elmhurst College  
Triton College

## **Family, Community & Civic Organizations**

Berkeley Community Garden Club  
Berkeley Park District  
Berkeley Public Library  
Boys & Girls Club West Cook Cnty  
Hillside Baseball, Inc  
Hillside Historical Society  
Hillside Public Library  
Memorial Park District  
Proviso Special Olympics  
St. Domitilla Alumni Association  
The Monroe Foundation

Village of Berkeley

Village of Hillside

Westchester Chamber of Commerce

## **Finance/Insurance/Credit Unions**

Allstate Insurance Sebestin-Dean Agency  
Arthur J. Gallagher  
CB Health Insurance  
File 4 Me Tax & Insurance Service  
H&R Block Tax Services  
Illinois Insurance Center  
John Jurik State Farm Insurance  
Marty Hughes Tax Consultant  
Motorola Employees Credit Union  
Precision Accounting & Income Tax  
The Tax Center

## **Fire & Water Mitigation**

Servpro of LaGrange Park/N Riverside

## **Friends of the Chamber**

Denise Hansen  
Lorenzo Webber

## **Funeral Home**

Russo's Hillside Chapels

## **Hair Salon**

All Naturale' Beauty

## **Health Care**

Access Therapy  
Aria Post Acute Care  
Aspire of Illinois  
Celar Chiropractic  
Community Care Systems, Inc.  
Presence Health

## **Home and Garden**

J.P's Landscaping, Inc  
Lawn Doctor of Elmhurst-Villa Park  
Luurs Garden & Flower Shoppe

## **Identity Theft**

LegalShield/Kroll Identity & Theft Protection



# Chamber Members Cont'd

## **Legal Services**

LegalShield/Kroll Identity  
Theft Protection  
Jeep & Blazer, LLC

## **Lodging and Travel**

Hillside Manor Hotel  
Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites

## **Manufacturing, Production & Wholesale**

Better Containers  
Great Lakes Automatic Door  
L&J Engineering, Inc  
Vanee Foods Company

## **Media**

Neighbors Magazine

## **Office Supplies & Solutions**

National Resource And Management

## **Printers**

Minuteman Press  
Quik Impressions Group

## **Promotional Items**

Special T Unlimited

## **Real Estate**

A. Vision Management Realty Co.  
Coldwell Banker Residential  
Marc Realty

## **Recreation / Fitness**

Final Round Combat Sports Academy  
Hillside Bowl

## **Religious Organizations**

Berkeley-Hillside Presbyterian Church  
Immanuel Lutheran Church & School  
St. Domitilla Church

## **Refuse Removal**

Roy Strom Refuse Removal, Inc.

## **Restaurants, Food & Beverages**

Alpine Banquet Haus  
Cuomo Catering  
Dunkin' Donuts-Berkeley  
Emilio's Tapas  
J-K's Restaurant  
Joe's Barbeque & Fish  
Moon Temple Restaurant  
Prima LaPizza  
Q's Restaurant & Pizzeria  
S & J Grill  
Stimac's Restaurant  
Taqueria Dos Franciscos  
Wingzone

## **Retail**

Goodwill

## **Security & Fire Alarms**

Customized FX

## **Technology Consulting**

SMB Advantage Group

## **Unions & Councils**

Sheet Metal Workers Union Local 73

## Member-To Member Discounts

### **Quik Impressions Group, Inc.**

25 % discount to any chamber member who mentions the chamber when ordering.

### **Celar Chiropractic**

\$49 introductory one hour massage.  
New patients only

### **Minuteman Press**

20x30 Color Poster Mounted On Foam Board \$30

### **Dos Franciscos Restaurant**

10% off on purchase of \$10 or more

### **Magnificent Mutts Rescue**

\$25 off adoption fee

### **National Resource and Management**

10% off any order over \$75 for copier and laser toner  
For Repairs - No trip charges and 10% off labor

### **Holiday Inn Express & Suites**

10% Off Our Best Available Room Rate  
[See attached flyer for complete details](#)

### **Customized fx**

20% Discount  
Fire/Security Alarms  
Fire Extinguishers  
Emergency Signs/Lighting

### **Customized Resources**

20% Discount  
Janitorial  
Carpet Cleaning

### **Cuomo Catering**

10 - 20% Discount  
Depends on size and type of event

### **Rocky's Gyros**

10% Discount

### **Final Round Combat Sports Academy**

10% off Membership Dues

### **ALL Naturale' Beauty**

15% off Hair Care Services  
LOC Maintenance  
Braids, Twist, Natural HAir

### **WingZone**

10% off total price

### **Emilio's Tapas Restaurants**

Choose one our Small Bite menu items from our Tapeo Menu, Free - along with your choice of beverage.  
Monday through Friday between 4:30 - 6:30pm  
in bar area only

Chamber members show your keycard to receive your discount.

Keycards are available at the chamber office.

Check our website often for updated discounts at

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

**Hillside-Berkeley Chamber of Commerce**

**APRIL 2016**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5 Monthly Luncheon 11:30 am - 1:00 pm Village of Berkeley Cuomo Catering	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Board Meeting 7:30 am ED Lecture Series 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	21	22	23 Annie LeGere Walkathon
24	25	26	27	28	29 Misericordia Candy Days	30 Hillside Youth Athletic Parade-10 am Misericordia Candy Days