

# Registration Information & Floodplain Update

## Program Registration Begins Wednesday, August 26, 2009

**RESIDENTS AND NON-RESIDENTS MAY REGISTER AT VILLAGE HALL.  
OFFICE HOURS ARE MONDAY—FRIDAY FROM 8:00 A.M.— 4:30 P.M.**

1. Proof of residency must be shown for resident registration.
2. Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis until the maximum number of participants is reached.
3. Registration for a program will only be complete upon payment for the class. No registration will be held without payment.
4. Children age 17 and under must have a signed permission slip from a parent to register for and to participate in an activity.

### MAIL-IN REGISTRATIONS

Mail completed form along with payment to:  
Elm Grove Recreation Department  
13600 Juneau Blvd.  
Elm Grove, WI 53122



- Checks will be refunded if the class is full. All fees must be paid at the time of registration. Make checks payable to the Elm Grove Recreation Department.
- For your convenience in mail-in registration, please use the form included in this booklet. No registrations will be accepted over the phone.

### OFFICE DROP OFF

#### **Prior to August 26, 2009 Registration**

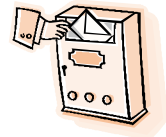
You may drop off your registration and it will be placed with the other completed registration forms until processed after the in-person registration forms on August 26.

#### **After Wednesday, August 26, 2009**

You may drop off your registration and it will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis.

### 24 HOUR DROP BOX

Simply drop off your registration in the convenient drop box located next to the main Village Hall entrance.



### FLOODPLAIN UPDATE

The Village of Elm Grove has been aggressively working on the flood management plan and project over the past several years. To date, the stormwater diversion tunnel has been installed and the pond within Village Park has been reconstructed to act as a retention area during large rain events. A primary component of the flood management project is the projected reduction in the 100-year floodplain boundary along Underwood Creek. FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency) provided Elm Grove with an updated 100-year floodplain boundary map, which became official for insurance purposes on November 19, 2008. This map can be viewed at Village Hall or on the Waukesha County website at <http://www.waukeshacounty.gov>. Due to updated estimates of the tunnel's impact on the likelihood of flooding along Underwood Creek, Elm Grove has proposed revisions to FEMA's 100-year floodplain map to reduce the boundary of the floodplain adjacent to Underwood Creek. The Village anticipates adopting a reduced 100-year floodplain boundary reflecting these estimates in 2009. It is important to note that these dates are tentative and subject to change based upon FEMA's review and approval of the revised boundaries.

It is also important to note that even though individual properties may not be included within the 100-year floodplain boundary provided by FEMA, there is still a chance that your property may be at risk from flood damage. Homeowners within and outside of the floodplain may purchase flood insurance to protect their homes and their valuables. Insurance is available from the federal government or through a private insurance provider. If you already have flood insurance, check with your insurance provider to ensure that you have insurance on both your home and the contents within it. Insurance covering sewer backups requires a separate policy often included within homeowners' insurance policies. You can also take steps to reduce the risk of flood damage. These steps include: installing landscaping features to absorb excess water in the ground, directing downspouts away from the home, keeping window wells free of debris, and properly disposing of grass clippings and other debris. Publications are available at Village Hall outlining various aspects of flooding.

