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VILLAGE MANAGER'S REPORT

(914) 944-2782

NORTH STATE ROAD REHABILITATION

North State Road has been reopened for traffic with the following restrictions:

- The road has been constricted down to 2, single lanes: 1 easterly and 1 westerly.
- The temporary patched road surface is paved and plated with traffic bearing steel plates pegged into the road. The plates are slippery when wet.
- **There is a Speed Limit of 5 MPH. Please drive SLOWLY.**
- Yellow road lines have been painted to separate the two lanes. The marking's are for your safety.
- Barriers have been repositioned to the north side of road surface to channel traffic and prevent traffic from deviating off of the temporarily repaired surface area.
- We have rebuilt the pedestrian sidewalk: when walking please use the sidewalk.
- The existing detour signs have been temporarily covered. When contracts are approved and construction is undertaken, the full detour program will be reinstated to enable the construction company to expedite the work unimpeded.

Everything is being done to expedite the full restoration and rehabilitation of this road. As more information becomes available or changes to previous reports are necessary, we will be as forthcoming as possible. We appreciate your support and understanding during this interval.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE PROHIBITED IN PUBLIC PLACES

With the holidays fast approaching and in response to several inquiries, you are reminded that under VBM Code Chapter 73, the consumption of alcoholic beverages (defined under NYS law) in public places (not just our parks, playgrounds, fields, walkways, schools, roads) are prohibited whether in open containers or concealed. The intent is for Briarcliff's good and welfare: help set an example by promoting not only your own health and safety but that of your neighbors.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

(914) 941-2130

HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS FOR KIDS AND ADULTS

- Walk on sidewalks, not in the street.
- Look both ways before crossing the street to check for cars and trucks.
- Cross the street only at corners.
- Don't hide or cross the street between parked cars.
- Wear light-colored or reflective-type clothing so you are more visible. (And remember to put reflective tape on bikes and skateboards too!)
- Plan your route and share it with your family. If possible, have an adult go with you.
- Carry a flashlight to light your way.
- Keep away from open fires and candles. (Costumes can be extremely flammable.)
- Visit homes that have the porch light on.
- Accept your treats at the door and never go into a stranger's house.
- Use face paint rather than masks or things that will cover your eyes.
- Be cautious of animals and strangers.
- Have a grown-up inspect your treats before eating. Don't eat candy if the package is already opened. Small, hard pieces of candy are a choking hazard for young children.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

(914) 941-9105

FALL LEAF PICKUP

Leaf collection will begin on **Monday, October 24th.**

Leaves should be placed at curbside. Please do not rake or pile leaves in the street as this may cause a hazardous condition and violators will be subject to fines.

All leaf piles must be free of sticks and branches. Sticks and branches must be tied or placed in brown paper bags for pickup.

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RECREATION DEPARTMENT
(914) 941-6560

RAGAMUFFIN PARADE

Saturday, October 29th, 9:30am

Co-sponsored by the Briarcliff Manor Fire Department and the Briarcliff Manor Recreation Department

Children of all ages who reside in the Village of Briarcliff Manor, or the Briarcliff Manor School District are invited to participate! Parents in costumes are also very welcome to join the parade!

Please report in costume to the parking lot of the International Union of Operating Engineer's building, 1360 Pleasantville Road, by 9:30 AM. The parade will proceed south on Pleasantville Road to the Fire House where youngsters will be treated to a special comical performance by: Ned Gelfars

Refreshments will be served after the show and all children in attendance will receive a special Halloween Treat Bag to recognize their participation! In the event of inclement weather, the parade will be cancelled but the entertainment will still be held at 10:00 AM inside the Fire Department Headquarters at Village Hall.

LIBRARY AND COMMUNITY CENTER
(914) 941-7072

WANT TO DOWNLOAD FREE EBOOKS AND AUDIOBOOKS?

If you have an eReader(Kindle, Nook, etc.), iPad, or iPhone, you can download eBooks for free; audiobooks can also be downloaded to your iPod, iPhone, or other devices. (See <http://www.briarcliffmanorlibrary.org/ebooks.html>). We will be hosting a workshop on **Wednesday, November 2 at 6:30PM** to help you get started. Please register at 914-7072 or sglick@wlsmail.org.

UPCOMING MOVIE NIGHTS

Friday, October 28 at 7:00PM – Spiderwick Chronicles (PG) – Everyone is welcome to catch a good scare in this book-to movie fantasy adventure. You are invited to bring your own snacks to enjoy while watching the show on our big screen. (Note: Content may be too scary for children under age 8.)

Friday, November 4 at 7:00 – 9:00PM – The Conspirator (PG-13) – Come to see this newly-released movie. Refreshments will be served. Registration required. Please contact Shelley Glick at 941-7072 or sglick@wlsmail.org. Movie synopsis: In the wake of Abraham Lincoln's assassination, newly-minted lawyer, Frederick Aiken, reluctantly agrees to defend the lone female defendant before a military tribunal. As the nation turns against her, she is forced to rely on Aiken to uncover the truth and save her life.

All of our many programs for children, teens and adults can be found in the Fall 2011 Programs brochure, available online at: www.briarcliffmanorlibrary.org/fallbrochure.pdf

Library hours are now: **Monday and Wednesday 10-6, Tuesday and Thursday 10-8, Friday 10-5 and Saturday 10-4.**

Village Offices will be closed Friday, November 11th in observance of Veterans Day

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