SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER

Hydrant Flushing
Hydrant flushing will be done October 14th 2019 after the Village Council meeting.

Upcoming Events
Be ready, as Halloween is not too far away. Get those great costumes ready for the contest. Freeport GoodWorks will be hosting the Halloween party at the Community Center on Halloween Wednesday October 31 from 6-8pm.

Shop Local
We have so many great shops downtown. Smelk’s Diner, L&J, Charlie’s General Store, Village Hardware, Freeport Chop Shop, Backwoods Trading Post, Backyard Boys, Geiger Printers, Pixel Vine, Ketchum Machine, Buskirk’s Lumber, Blough Auto, Freeport Body Shop, and Shamrock! They have great deals too. Swing out and check them out.

Community Center
Village of Freeport’s Community Center is always open and available for reservations. Please reach out to Connie Albright to check availability. 616-765-3848

BRUSH, LEAVES, AND YARD WASTE PICK UP
PICK UP WILL BEGIN MAY 1 AND END NOVEMBER 1
Must not exceed 10 feet in length, Must not exceed 10 inches in diameter, Must be in brown paper bags, Must be in the road right-of-way (between sidewalk and street) Must be away from mailboxes, poles, road signs and guide wires, Must not include loose leaves, trash, building materials, dirt, etc. Complete tree removals from private properties will not be removed by the Village. Leaves must be bagged or in a manageable container. Bags must only contain leaves and/or yard and garden vegetation. Leaves must not be blown, raked, or placed into or on Village streets.

Village Meeting Schedule

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All of our meetings are public meetings, so please feel free to attend. If you are not able to attend a meeting, the minutes can be found on our website: freeporthmichigan.org

To check out a digital copy of this Newsletter, please visit: https://www.facebook.com/villageoffreeport/
Freeport District Library
208 S. State St.
Freeport, MI 49325
616-765-5181
freeportdl.michlibrary.org

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**September**
OPEN Saturdays beginning September 7, 2019, 9-11am!

**MAHJONG @ THE LIBRARY**
Would you like to learn the game of Mahjong? or Do you already play Mahjong?
We have a group who is willing to teach the game as well as play on:
Mondays @ 5-7:30pm

**2nd Tuesday Book Club**
Tuesday, Sept. 10th, 3pm will be the first meeting back.
The book for September is “An Unwanted Guest” by Shari Lapena. We have them ready for patrons who want to participate in the September meeting to pick up!

**Friday morning Toddler Storytime**
Begins Friday, October 4th through Friday, November 22nd
10-11am
Mark your calendars!
Miss Lily will be leading storytime😊