

Dave & Jan Esch Retirement Party
Sunday June 11, 2023 3:00PM – 6:00 PM
Walter Esch Hall

After decades of exemplary service to the Village, Jan and Dave Esch are retiring. Please join your neighbors and the Village staff in expressing appreciation and best wishes to the Eschs' at the reception on June 11th. Hors D'oeuvres and drinks will be served.

Invitations were sent through e-mail – please RSVP! If you have not received your invitation, please contact the BHV Clerk's Office at bhvclerk@bartonhillsvillage.org.



TRASH COLLECTION CHANGE Due to the Memorial Day holiday, regular trash collection will take place on Tuesday, May 30.

YOU SCREAM, WE SCREAM, WE ALL SCREAM FOR ICE CREAM!

Please join us on Sunday, June 4th from 5:45 - 7:15 pm on the Barton Hills Village Green outside Esch Hall for sweet treats to celebrate the end of the school year and start of the summer season! All are welcome.

The BHV Activities Committee has reserved the Ann Arbor Goodie Ice Cream truck to visit from 6-7 pm. Please bring sufficient cash to cover your own purchased treats. Looking forward to seeing fellow residents at this fun gathering to kick off summer!

ROAD PAINTING Road painting at Barton North and Underdown is scheduled within the next 2 weeks. Since BHV is a small customer, vendors will squeeze us into their schedule when they can (without notice), so please be patient and avoid this area during the painting.



BHMC NEWS To increase the beauty of our community, and eliminate blight, the Board members of our homeowner's association – the Barton Hills Maintenance Corporation (BHMC) has been hard at work.

Most recently, the Board voted to remove the rusty fence on the south side of Barton Shore Drive.

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Further, in partnership with the Village, the Board has budgeted funds this year to replace the rusty guardrails throughout the community and repave a long stretch of Barton North Drive. Plus, the Board is exploring the best options to address the pool house, broken tennis courts, and rusting street signs.

These efforts are part of a multi-year, ongoing beautification initiative that started in 2019 with removing the “green wall” of invasive shrubs that obscured the water views between Barton Shore Drive and Barton Pond. Over the past four years, the waterfront has been cleared, planted with native species, and offers paths and benches for residents’ enjoyment. Plus, residents now have a wonderful nature preserve available called the “North 40”. It’s 40 acres of wildflowers and ponds that are a refuge for waterfowl, with paths marked out that all Shareholders are invited to walk. Access is via a short, paved connector between 200 and 220 North Barton Drive. Please keep your dogs on-leash.

All residents are welcome to attend the BHMC’s monthly Board meetings at 6:00pm on the first Tuesday of each month. Next meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 6th. For details, contact Secretary Brian Hanley at beukeb@gmail.com. Also, thanks to the shareholders who returned their ballots, approving the 2023-24 budget by a 28 - 3 vote.

RESIDENT WORK / CONTRACTOR NOTICE Per the Village ordinance, the following activities are prohibited if they produce clearly audible sound beyond the property line of the property on which they are conducted:

- The operation of power tools or equipment between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m
- Construction, repair, remodeling, demolition, drilling or excavation work at any time on a Saturday, Sunday or federal holiday and between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. Monday through Friday.

EXTRA HOUSE KEY? If you would like to provide the Village with a copy of your house key – (i.e., in the event you are locked out of your house) - please drop off at the village office. House keys are kept in a secure location and will not be used in any other matter without permission from the homeowner.

RECYCLING PILOT PROGRAM UPDATE It's not too late to sign up! If you are interested in the at-home recycling collection program, please complete the online form (<https://forms.gle/syqKamK12mh53DwE9>) and read the requirements. The crew will begin delivering the rolling carts shortly. After the carts are delivered, we will push out the information on dates for collection.