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First, a quick reminder to attend tonight's meeting at the Barn, where our board of trustees will discuss the contract with Kildeer Police Department. For more information about our police, visit:
<http://kildeerpolice.com/>

Thanks to all our new members, we continue to grow, ribbon by ribbon! Thanks, too, to Caribou Coffee in DPTC, the best place we've found to hold a small meeting. The fireplace is lit, and Kelly Stam has just about the brightest smile in the village. Great wireless connection there, too.

Wolf Camera is open in Praedium, AKA Town Center Promenade. Deer Park All Cleaners is in that center, too, and we think their grand opening 30% off should still be in effect. Great opportunity to clean all those winter coats--and Ann is a seamstress as well, for repairs or complete dress-making.

Congratulations to Vera Bradley, DPTC, on their opening Saturday. We are very proud to have one of only two locations in Illinois, as Vera Bradley--a well known brand--opens its own stores. You can certainly find something for everyone on your list, including beautiful paper goods and their new line for men. Home furnishings, we understand, come early next year. Lots of photos at our DPN website:
<http://deerparkneighbors.com>

The Open Forum on Parks was a tremendous success, with dozens of locals attending the afternoon open house and as many again at the evening forum. Extensive displays, the opportunity to talk at length with Trustee Joel Rotter in person. We had never heard about it before, but Terry Jennings, Exec. Dir. of the Barrington Park District spoke and explained that Deer Park could become part of their Park District. Imagine the benefit of having their professional development team, staff, programming, maintenance and more. Certainly an idea worth exploring, and something that should add value to all our homes. See photos of the forum at the DPN web site, and for more information about the BPD (in case you threw away your most recent program book), visit:
<http://www.barringtonparkdistrict.org/>

Recently, friends of ours in Long Grove had a visit from their fire department when their carbon monoxide alarm went off. They had not maintained their back up battery for their sump pump, and with the recent heavy rains, it was running and discharging CO. Of course, CO gas is colorless and odorless. Two lessons here: CO detectors save lives (and are required by law), and if you don't

remember to do regular maintenance on your battery backup, replace it with a maintenance free model.

Santa is coming to DPTC, Friday, Nov. 9, at 6 pm. There will be fireworks, too, and 11/9 thru 12/24, spend \$300 or more in one day at DPTC and receive a FREE one-month membership from Midtown Athletic Club.

Here's hoping it's costumes and not snow suits on Wednesday afternoon for Trick or Treating! Can't wait to see all our DPN kids (and parents, too). Please, everyone be especially careful backing out of your driveways and driving around town.

PLEASE OBEY THE LEAF BURNING RULES: Weekends only, through Nov. 15, 10am-6 pm. No person shall burn any leaves, paper, rubbish or other substances upon any street, sidewalk or alley.

And remember, yard waste season for Groot to collect ends Nov. 30. Hard to believe how fast this past gardening season went by.