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Skokie Farmers’ Market is Where it’s At!

The Skokie Farmers’ Market season has officially begun. The Market is open every Sunday through Sunday, November 6, 2016. Hours are 7:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Arrive early for the best selection. The Market is located at Village Hall, 5127 Oakton Street.

A wide selection of fresh grown seasonal fruits and vegetables are always in abundance at the Farmers’ Market. Also available are fresh baked goods, farm fresh eggs, a variety of mushrooms and cheeses, fresh cut flowers and plants and much more.

Special attractions to the Market include:
June 19 - The Skokie Health Department’s Animal Control Truck, stay and enjoy music by Eugene Lim and the Perreault Duo string musicians.
June 26 - Chef Demo Day with Skokie’s own Sweety Pies Bakery! Stay for live music with the Steve Martin Blues Band.
July 3 - Yoga on the Green day! Stay and enjoy music by the talented Whitey O’Day.
July 10 - Chef Demo Day with Skokie’s own El Fuego Mexican restaurant! Meet the amazing RC Juggle balloon artist and enjoy music with the Steve Martin Blues Band.
July 17 - Check out the COPS Vehicle and meet our friendly Skokie Police Officers. Stay and enjoy music by the talented Whitey O’Day and the Perreault Duo string musicians.
July 24 - Meet the Skokie Fire Department and test your skills with a water demo! Stay and enjoy music by the Boston Mountain Boys.
July 31 - Enjoy acoustic soul music by Rachel Katzman, and the talented Eugene Lim.
August 7 - Yoga on the Green day! Enjoy folksy blues trio Medicine Bear and the Herbal Remedies.
August 14 - Meet the amazing RC Juggle balloon artist and enjoy music by the talented Whitey O’Day and Eugene Lim.
August 21 - Meet the Skokie Fire Department and test your skills with a water demo! Stay and enjoy music by The Boston Mountain Boys.
August 28 - It’s Backlot Bash weekend! Bike to the market and stay for acoustic soul music with Rachel Katzman and Stu Frank.

The market is sponsored by the Consumer Affairs Commission. There are new vendors and other fun surprises at this year’s Farmers’ Market for families including chef demos, a document destruction event on September 11, Yoga on the Green, a Touch-a-Truck event, balloon artists and a variety of musicians.

For more information on the Skokie Farmers’ Market contact Janelle Silva, Market Manager, at 847/933-8257 or visit www.skokie.org.

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