

# Pembroke Civic



# Meadows League

## News Letter

9 September 1977

### CIVIL LEAGUE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The 77-78 Board of Directors has regrettably undergone a change in its officers. August Thennet, our 1st Vice President, has a new position in the Washington, D.C. area and he and his family will be leaving the community this month. To fill the void, Joe Avoli has moved up to fill the vacancy left by August and Bill (Mac) McIntire has been appointed as 2d Vice President.

We all regret having August and his family leave the community, but we wish them the best of luck in the new job and their new home.

### Officers:

President: Dick Voltz (497-7450)  
1st Vice President: Joe Avoli (497-7117)  
2nd Vice President: Mac McIntire (497-2410)  
3rd Vice Pres/Dir, Rec Ctr: Steve Riley  
(486-7134)  
Treasurer: Jack Enoch (499-5658)  
Financial Secretary: Dick Lowman (499-6263)  
Corresponding Secretary: Joan Riccio (497-3482)  
Recording Secretary: Mary Lowder (497-5125)

### Board of Directors:

Publicity Chairman: Adele Uhler Waltman  
(497-9207)  
Newsletter Editor: Nikki Webb (497-6905)  
Typist: Helen Rowley (490-0255)  
Social Secretary: Gail Brewer (499-7219)  
CCO Representatives: Jim Willenbrink  
(497-2057)  
Dave Buermeyer  
(497-0480)  
Joe Avoli (497-7117)  
Dick Voltz (497-7450)  
Boat Ramp Committee: Roger Bell (499-6988)  
Earl Davis (497-7208)  
BY-LAWS Rewrite Committee: Teri Mikulka  
(497-5856)

(Immediate Past President)

### GET ACQUAINTED ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Thursday, September 15th, is the first Civic League meeting of the season. The place is the Pembroke Meadows Elementary School -- Time: 8 PM. There will be a short business meeting followed by a "GET ACQUAINTED" Ice Cream Social to allow residents of the community to meet their neighbors. Children 17 and under are welcome when accompanied by their parents. Come one, come all -- meet your neighbors and enjoy the FREE ice cream, cake, coffee and soft drinks.

### MEMBERSHIP

Any individual, 18 years of age or older, who resides within Pembroke Meadows and Pembroke Shores is eligible for membership upon payment of annual dues (\$5.00 per household).

To become an active Civic League member, contact Dick Lowman, the Financial Secretary (499-6263) or sign up at the Get Acquainted Ice Cream Social.

### O U C H!?

Does your plant hurt when you cut it back?  
Do plants have feelings just the same as people?

Attend the Junior Garden Club meeting on Tuesday, September 20, 7 PM at 4317 Temple Court.

### BUTTON-UP THE POOL PARTY

The community swimming pool closed for the season on 5 September. The Recreation Center is hosting a Button-Up Pool Party on Saturday, 17 September 1977, to secure the pool for the winter months. Residents desiring to participate (volunteers) are requested to meet at the pool at 9AM on 17 September. No tool or extras required - JUST YOU.

GARDEN CLUB

Garden Club Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month. The October 13th meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Amos, 716 Abbey Arch. The program will be a demonstration on making Dried Flower Arrangements. Interested parties are invited to call either Mrs. Charles Elstrodt, President, 497-4553 or Mrs. James Willenbrink, Membership Chairman, 497-2057.

Junior Garden Club: The Junior Garden Club will have its first meeting of the year on Tuesday, September 20 at 7 PM. New members and old members are invited. The club is open to boys and girls - 5th grade through high school, and will meet at 4317 Temple Court. Come and hear Dr. Mikulka talk on "Do Plants Have Feelings" and find out what the club has planned for the next year.

SCOUTS

The following corrections are published regarding the scouting organizations within the community. We apologize to those residents who attempted to call the wrong numbers we published last month:

Girl Scouts: Call Sheila Eseaqueda (497-8589)

Brownies: Call Marlene Maurer (497-8589)

Boy Scouts: Call George Yeend (499-1083)

Cub Scouts: Call Dick Lowman (499-6263) or Jack Enoch (499-5658)

FLEA MARKET

The Civic League is hosting the FALL Flea Market, 9 October - 10 AM to 4 PM - in the Pembroke Meadows Shopping Center (Rain Date: 16 October)

SPACES WILL RENT FOR:

Civic League Members: \$2.50 for the first space and \$2.50 for each additional space.

Non-members: \$5.00 for the first space and \$5.00 each additional space.

This is a good time to pay your Civic League Dues, support the work of your community and get a cheaper rental fee on your space.

To have a space reserved call: Mary Lowder (497-5125), Joan Riccio (497-3482) or Gail Brewer (499-7219).

NEW DIRECTORY

Your Civic League will be producing a new directory of residents of Pembroke Meadows, Shores and Townhouses. Block representatives and other volunteers will be contacting you for any changes you wish to make from your previous listing. They will also be contacting new residents for household member names and phone numbers.

It is expected that our new directory will be printed and distributed to all residents before year end.

The new directory will contain a new "Classified" section. All residents of the Meadows/Shores/Townhouses wishing to advertise their business, products or services are invited to do so. Other advertising will also be solicited from area businesses. Advertising space is available in the following formats: Rates as shown.

Classified Section

5-Lines, 4 inches wide. . . . Rate: \$10.00  
Typewriter spaced  
1/4 Page.....Rate: \$30.00  
1/2 Page.....Rate: \$75.00  
Full Page.....Rate:\$150.00

Special Area Advertising (Full Page Only)

Nine separate sectional dividers (Heavy Stock) Rate: \$150.00 each

Advertisers are invited to contact Joe Avoli (497-7117) or Dick Voltz (497-7450) to discuss your requirements.

Thank you for your cooperation with the Block Representatives and other volunteers updating our directory.

ATTENTION KIDS

How would you like to win a \$25.00 savings bond? The Civic League needs a new cover for our 1978 Directory. The Civic League is having a contest for residents 6 to 16 years of age to design the 1978 directory cover. The Board of Directors will judge each entry and award a \$25.00 Savings Bond for the winning entry. The winning entry will be the new cover.

Contest Rules

1. Be a resident of the Meadows/Shores/Townhouses.

2. Be between the ages of 6 and 16.
3. Drawing must be community related.
4. Drawing must be done on 8½ x 11 inch white paper.
5. Drawings must be delivered to any Civic League Board Member by 20 October 1977.
6. Drawings must have the artist's name in the lower right hand corner.

BLOCK REPRESENTATIVES

We have lost the services of several dedicated Block Representatives because they have moved from the area. As a result, we need your help to fill this void. You can provide these valuable community services by offering to serve as your Block Representative.

- a. Solicit or express opinions about community related matters.
- b. Present recommendations for Civic League consideration.
- c. Welcome new residents to your neighborhood.
- d. Provide the names and addresses of new residents to update our directory.

Thanks to those of you who have served as Block Representatives in the past. We are counting on you to continue in this capacity for the coming year.

All who wish to serve as Block Representatives are invited to contact Joe Avoli, Home: 497-7117 or Business: 423-2832.

STREET LIGHTS ON PEMBROKE BLVD

The Civic League, especially those Block Representatives and volunteers who solicited names for the petition, has been successful in getting street lights for Pembroke Blvd. east of Cathedral Drive. The city is going to install two street lights prior to 23 November: one at the intersection of Pembroke Blvd and St. James Drive and the other at the intersection of Pembroke Blvd and St. Martin Drive. The current city budget restricts the installation of additional street lights this year. The city, however, will continue their study on the requirement for additional lights on Pembroke Blvd. and advise the Civic League of the results.

FUTURE ACTIVITIES

Community Halloween Party: The Civic League

is planning on having a Halloween Party for the children of the community on Sunday afternoon, 30 October 1977. Specific details will be published in the October Newsletter. However, we want to notify parents that there will be a costume contest for children in the following age groups: 5 and under; 6 thru 9 and 10 thru 12.

City Events: See the Beacon for Details)

Neptune Festival .....(30 Sep thru 8 Oct)

Fri 30 Neptune Festival Prayer Breakfast  
7:30 a.m.  
(Tickets \$4; available at Neptune Festival Office and Civic Center)

Fri 30 Neptune Festival Presents "Bill Deal" in Concert  
9:00 p.m.  
(Tickets \$3; available at Neptune Festival Office and Civic Center)

Sat 01 Neptune Festival October Fest  
(Oct.) 7:00 p.m.  
(Tickets \$3.50; available at Neptune Festival Office and Civic Center)

Children's Halloween Costume Contest at Public Libraries.....(27 Oct.)  
Playground Halloween Parties.....(28 Oct.)  
Eighth Annual Pumpkin Contest.....(29 Oct.)  
Youth Halloween Costume Parade and Trick or Treat.....(31 Oct.)

REMINDERS

GAZABO: The Gazabo is not intended for use as a sign post. NO SIGNS should be placed on it without receiving permission from the Civic League President. Allowing unlimited use would turn our Gazabo into an eye-sore and discredit our community. Thank You.

CHILDREN: School has started again and we have many children crossing streets and standing on corners waiting for the school buses. Please be watchful of our younger children when driving in and out of the community.

HOME OWNERS: Before making any changes or additions to your property -- it is important for you to check your deed restrictions to find out if the proposed changes are legal. Deed restrictions can be found in the back (Blue Section) of your community directory.

TRASH PICK-UP: Trash pick-up in the community is every Tuesday and Friday. It is recommended that trash not be put out prior to 5 PM on the preceding evening. This procedure will help keep our community neat in appearance and prevent the occasional incident of trash piles being ransacked and spread over the entire street. Thank You.

VANDALISM: Certain areas of our community are again experiencing incidents of senseless vandalism. Of primary concern is that the damage is being done by children of our own community. If you observe this type of activity -- Call the police and they will gladly respond. We as residents, however, must also police our own community.

COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD: Newsletters of the future will contain a section called the "Community Bulletin Board" which will contain Non-commercial advertising items for local residents. This section will have such items as a Baby Sitting List, Baby Sitter Wanted Ads; Gardner Wanted, etc. Anyone desiring to place an add in the Community Bulletin Board should contact any member of the Civic League Board of Directors prior to the 25th of each month.

CIVIC LEAGUE BY-LAWS: Attached to this Newsletter is a copy of the proposed changes to the Civic League By-Laws for your review. These changes will be voted on during the Civic League's General Meeting on 20 October 1977. If there are any other recommended changes to the By-Laws, contact Teri Mikulka (497-5856), Chairman of the By-Laws Rewrite Committee.

CIVIC LEAGUE OF PEMBROKE MEADOWS, INC.  
P. O. BOX 5018  
VIRGINIA BEACH, VIRGINIA 23455

Proposed Changes to Pembroke Meadows/Shores Civic League By-Laws

Article III. (Add)

F. Original membership in the Civic League starting after Oct. 1, will continue through the next calendar year without additional fee.

Article IV. (Change to Read)

B. A quorum will consist of 20 members in good standing at any regular or special meeting.

Article V. (Change to Read)

I. Immediately following the election at the May meeting, the President.....

K. Second sentence.

All voting members in good standing.....

Article VI. (Change to Read)

Any member who is unable to vote at the designated polling place may, upon written application to the chairman of the nominating committee, one week prior to elections, submit his vote, in absentia by delivering the ballot to a member of the nominating committee.

Article VII. (Change to Read)

C. A quorum shall be 60% of the members of the board.

Article VIII.

A. (Change)

Financial Secretary to Membership Secretary.

B. The Board of Directors shall be composed of the elected officials above, Chairman of all standing committees, the Immediate Past President, C.C.O. Representatives, and a Parliamentarian, if available. *Spill out*

(Delete following Committees)

Recreation, Membership, Programing, and Block

(Add)

Boat Ramp

Article IX

- B. (Change to Read) Representatives  
2. Shall be Director of Block [REDACTED] and responsible for membership drives.  
3, Shall have the responsibility for programs presented.

C. Delete #4 and renumber.

E. (Add)

6. Copies of the annual audit shall be filed with the Civic League President, Treasurer and Recording Secretary.

(Add New Paragraphs as follows):

F. Membership Secretary

1. Prepare annual membership bills for the Civic League and mail them out <sup>IN</sup> on January ~~1~~.
2. Maintain a current record of all members.
3. Receive dues from members and transfer receipted funds to treasurer.
4. Assist First Vice President in membership drives.

G. Recording Secretary

1. Shall record and maintain minutes of the Board, Regular, and Special meetings.
2. Notify Board Members of regular and special meetings.

H. Corresponding Secretary

1. Shall be responsible for all ingoing and outgoing mail.
2. Shall witness the legal and financial transactions of the Civic League.
3. Shall be responsible for all awards and letters of commendation presented by the Civic League.