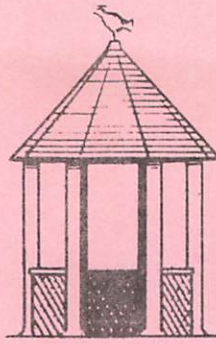


Pembroke Civic League Meadows



News Letter

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

NOVEMBER, 1981

Never have so many owed so much to so few!!! Sound familiar? It is as appropriate for the Civic League of Pembroke Meadows in 1981 as it was for England in 1944! For the past year, the Civic League has been carried on by a very few. The average attendance at a Civic League meeting is about twelve (which is approximately 1% of the adult population of this community.) After having made a great number of phone calls, the response having been very poor, I have reached the conclusion that getting a Civic League Board for 1982 is not going to be an easy task. Nobody seems to have the time. It is truly a shame and disgrace that out of a community of over 600 families, we cannot enlist the support and dedication of 12 people to continue with our Civic League--or as a matter of interest to attend our Civic League meetings which are held one evening a month throughout the year.

Many residents have suggested that the present officers continue in their positions for an additional term. However, several of the officers have served for a period of three years or more. Four of the present officers have already agreed to serve a second term. How much more dedication can one ask of so few to do so much for so many?

There will be a general membership meeting of your Civic League on November 19, 1982, at 7:30 p.m., in the Cafeteria of Pembroke Meadows Elementary School. This is your opportunity to reverse this unfortunate situation. If people don't turn out between now and then and volunteer to fill these positions, I really don't know if there will be a 1982 Civic League.

Who will cut the grass in the median? I don't know. Who will pick up the trash in the median? I don't know. Who will see that the owners of the vacant lots get their grass cut? I don't know. Who will see to it that the Gazebo is rebuilt? I don't know. If I have made some of you sit up and take notice, good. If I have made some of you mad, good. If this helps any at all, good.

The Civic League belongs to all of us. So, neighbors, it's up to you--
NO PARTICIPATION, NO CIVIC LEAGUE!

GAZEBO

In case you haven't noticed, the Gazebo is gone. Unfortunately, the Gazebo was the victim of an automobile accident. We had the remains removed to avoid any further accident. It was a little unsteady. We are in the process of getting an estimate on the rebirth of same. The automobile insurance company is going to pay for the damages.

MEDIAN STRIPS

The median strips have finally been edged through the efforts of a couple of members of the Civic League Board. We are now going to have a weed poison applied that is supposed to keep the weeds from growing back for approximately one year.

CIVIC LEAGUE BOARD ELECTIONS, NOVEMBER 19, 1981, 7:30 p.m.

As stated in the President's Corner, the following is a list of the officers on the Civic League Board and the people that have volunteered to fill them. Also listed are the offices that will have to be filled in order to have a complete board (followed by a brief description of that officer's duties).

President - Vacant (presides over all Civic League functions, right to vote in all committee matters, co-sign all Civic League checks, coordinate and prepare necessary reports to respective governmental agencies)

1st Vice-President - Vacant (assume duties of president when absent, coordinate and be responsible for the activities of several committees)

2nd Vice-President - Michael Ashe (second term)

3rd Vice-President - Norma Jean Pope (first term on Civic League Board, served last year on Recreation Center Committee)

Treasurer - John Durso (second term)

Membership Secretary - Cy McIntire (second term)

CIVIC LEAGUE BOARD ELECTIONS (CONTINUED)

Recording Secretary - Vacant (record and maintain minutes of all Board, regular, and special meetings; notify all Board members of same)

Corresponding Secretary - Vacant (responsible for all incoming and outgoing mail and maintain records of same)

In addition to the four vacancies on the Board, there are also several slots open for Committee Chairpersons, such as Council of Civic Organizations representative, Social, Block Security, Newsletter Editor, Audit, and Nominating Committee.

BABYSITTING

2 Responsible Girls with experience, available afternoons and evening for babysitting or odd jobs. Fee negotiable. Call 499-0960.

Babysitter with experience. Available weekends. Call 490-1546.

BUSINESS ADS

Lowder Construction Company. Room additions, siding, roofing, wood decks. Free estimates. Financing arranged. 464-0900.

Walter B. Gray Contractor. Interior and exterior painting. Free estimates. Check our references before you paint. 499-5609.

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PROPOSED 1982 RECREATION CENTER COMMITTEE BUDGET

If there are enough people for a quorum, the following is the proposed 1982 Recreation Center Committee budget that will be voted on at the November general membership meeting.

<u>EXPENSES</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Administrative	\$ 1,415.00
Pool Repairs	7,300.00
Chemical - Pool supplies	2,600.00
Vending Machine Supplies	1,500.00
Utilities (Vepco, phone, etc.)	4,600.00
Insurance	1,500.00
Misc./Swim Team/Socials	2,290.00
Taxes	675.00
Contingency	1,200.00
Payroll	<u>19,562.00</u>
Total Operating Expenses	\$ 41,142.00
Capital Improvements	3,012.50
Charter Member Refunds	<u>1,000.00</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 45,154.50

<u>INCOME</u>	
Members Rec.	3,190.00
New Members Rec.	1,100.00
Annual Dues	29,250.00
Pool Parties	1,600.00
Guest Fees	600.00
Swim Lessons	3,500.00
Socials	1,000.00
Vending Machines	2,300.00
Lost Passes	51.00
Teen Night	63.50
Swim Team	<u>2,500.00</u>
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 45,154.50