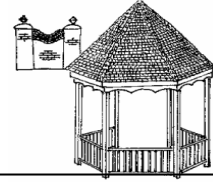


CIVIC LEAGUE OF PEMBROKE MEADOWS, INC.

Pembroke Meadows, Pembroke Shores,
& Pembroke Shores Townhomes



CIVIC LEAGUE NEWSLETTER

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Coming Events!

- * Civic League Meeting 7:00 May 15
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Civic League Meeting

At the April Civic League meeting we had a spirited discussion about the revenue from the T-Mobile cell phone tower. There is a wide range of views about the distribution and use of this money. So in order to have plenty of time for discussion we will not have a speaker at the May meeting, Thursday May 15 at 7 PM. So please come to the meeting and offer your view on the use of this money. The revenue from the tower will be \$1200 per month with an additional \$700 per month if a second provider uses the tower. The following are ideas already offered:

- * 50% direct to the pool and the balance accumulated for civic league or pool projects.
- * 80 % to the pool and 20% to the civic league
- * Use \$2,000 of the money each year for two college scholarships.
- * A 60/40 split between the pool and the civic league
- * 100% to the pool.
- * Pay part of the yearly pool dues for Pembroke Shores/Meadows residents.

Best Regards,
Don Sanders (Civic League President)

MAY MARLINS UPDATE

Can it truly be time again to think of the pool opening and the swim season beginning? Why it seems just yesterday that the Marlins team was celebrating a season of victories winning regular season meets and winning the Dolphins' Division Meet.

Please be certain to get our Pembroke Meadows swimmers registered soon. The team has grown in numbers over the past few years thanks to good coaching, good swimming, strong parental support and a positive relationship between the team and the pool board.

While pool membership is not mandatory, membership at the PMRC is strongly encouraged. I personally believe that the pool and the swim team need one another to be financially sound each season. The returning season team representatives are Jane Orem, Tara (Orem) Hoover, and Tricia and Brian Rogerson. Coach Paul, Coach Cliff and Coach Emily are all returning this season.

The team application is available via the Civic League website at www.pembrokemeadows.org. Follow the links on the left for the Marlins swim team.

We're looking forward to seeing you at the pool!

- *Donna Price*

Volunteer for Clean the Bay Day, June 7

Once again, for the 27th consecutive year, since the inception of Clean the Bay Day, our community (Pembroke Meadows & Pembroke Shores) will participate in this annual event on Saturday, June 7th from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Our community groups concentrate on cleaning up our neighborhood and adjacent lakes and water ways. All of which is part of the Lynnhaven River Watershed that feed the Chesapeake Bay.

Over the years we have received numerous commendations from the City for our excellent volunteer work. Within the past 10 years alone, we have collectively cleaned up more than 50,000 pounds of trash from our Zone. This includes derelict boats, large timbers and construction material, hurricane debris, shopping carts, tires and zillions of bottles, cans, plastics, papers and other waste material.

If you are willing to help in this very important effort on June 7th (or earlier) please call Zone Captain Jim Willenbrink at 497-0700 or sign up at the Lake Meadows Park the morning of June 7th.

- Jim Willenbrink

2008 Operation Graduation - Princess Anne High School

Dear Neighbors: Please find following this note a letter from the Operation Graduation 2008 coordinators seeking donations to the festivities. Our neighborhood and civic league have traditionally been supportive of this effort. As you know, OpGrad is an all night festivity sponsored by the PTSA and the school to provide a safe environment for our graduating seniors on graduation night. I won't even pretend to know the numbers this year graduating from Pembroke Meadows and Shores but suspect it is rather high. Dale and I were able to count 10 quickly just now.

Thank you,
Donna Price

Civic League Officers

***See the Civic League Website
at www.prembrokemeadows.org***

Dear Parent and Community Leaders,

The Princess Anne High School Parent –Teacher Association (PTSA) is sponsoring its seventeenth annual All Night Alcohol and Drug Free Party. Thanks to the generosity of our community, each year's has been enthusiastically appreciated by our graduating seniors and eagerly anticipated by our rising seniors.

This year's event will be held graduation night, June 13, 2008. It will not only mark our 17th year of providing a fun and safe celebration for our graduating seniors, but it will also commemorate the beginning of the 54th year of Princess Anne High School. We are not only the oldest high school in Virginia Beach but, without a doubt, we are one of the best!

Sponsoring this Alcohol and Drug Free party has proven to be a successful means of providing our students with a safe celebration, but it is costly. As a business owner and /or parent, you have accepted the challenge of being a community leader. You are providing a service that is needed and appreciated by those in the Princess Anne High School community. Your support of Op Grad sends a message that you care about the safety of that community's young adults and the community as a whole. The event would not be possible without extensive fundraising as well as individual and business contributions. Princess Anne High School is a 501(c) (3) organization. Therefore, gifts and monetary donations are deductible. All donations will be used for the benefit of PAHS seniors.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss our past or present All Night Alcohol and Drug Free parties, please feel free to call. Thank you again for helping us provides our seniors with an experience they can cherish as they begin the unique challenges of adulthood.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the
Operations Graduation Committee,

- David Jelinek, Op-Grad Chairman
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PA-OpGrad@cox.net
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smbwith3@netzero.net
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Pool News

Fundraiser! Fundraiser! Plus a chance to meet your neighbors and get in an early season swim.

Come "Tango at the Pool" on May 22nd. The pre-opening dinner is being catered by Tango's Tavern right here in the neighborhood. The tickets are on sale now for \$15.00 ea. The meal is BBQ with 2 pieces of chicken, 2 sides, dessert and beverage. Dinner starts is 6:30-8:00 pm. The pool will be open for swimming (if everything goes as planned). Contact any pool board member for tickets. There are no reduced price tickets for kids. If you don't think they would like the menu, feel free to bring a kids meal for them. You can get tickets from Danielle Kreassig 965-2386, Jeanne Blair 497-8844, Roger Vaughan 499-6945, Jim Willenbrink Jr.671-8486. Remember, if you don't call us, we will call you (ha ha).

- Jeanne B.

T-MOBILE UPDATE

The T-Mobile tower is still being installed. Currently the landscaping is going in. Next are the electrical hookups. Last but not least, the fencing.

Pembroke Meadows Civic League Median Strip Cleanup	
April 21 - May 4	Peggy Caverly
May 5 - 18	The Jim Halls
May 19 - June 1	John Sheadel
June 2 - 15	The Moores
June 16 - 22	Dale and Carl Price

Spring Fling

Many thanks to all those who volunteered to help clean at the Spring Fling. We enjoyed a lunchtime cooked by a new challenger in the "TOP CHEF" category. Michael had things under control and we didn't have to lift a finger. Jim - you had better watch out. Your title is in jeopardy. Thanks to the Civic League for once again supplying the eats.

- Jeanne B.

Ladies Lunch Group

The Pembroke Meadows Ladies Lunch Group will gather at the Lynnhaven Fish House, 2350 Starfish Rd, just off of Shore Drive and just past Westminster Canterbury. The date is Thursday, May 22nd and the time is 12 noon. The following dates are for the upcoming luncheons; however the locations are to be decided. If you would like to be contacted by E-mail, please call the coordinator, Jeanette Willenbrink at 497-0700.

Here are the future luncheon dates:

June 25, Wednesday

July 24, Thursday

August 27, Wednesday

September 25, Thursday

October 22, Wednesday

- Jeanette

Pet Lost & Found

Remember to call our neighborhood pet lost & found if your pet is missing or if you see or have found a lost pet. Over the years this volunteer service of our Civic League, supported by the many very considerate callers, has reunited hundreds of lost pets with their owners.

TIP for pet owners: Print your phone number on your pet's collar or tag.

- Jim Willenbrink

**IT'S AGAINST THE LAW TO POLLUTE
OUR STORM SEWER SYSTEM**

Section 5 of our City's Storm Sewer Discharged Ordinance specifically prohibits the "discharge. . . of wastes into the storm sewer, sidewalks, and parking lots or onto driveways, draining to the storm sewer system."

Prohibited wastes include, but are not limited to, "decayed wood, sawdust, shavings, bark, leaves, lawn clippings, lime, garbage, refuse, ashes, offal, tar, paint, solvents, petroleum products, antifreeze and chemicals. Penalties for violations of this ordinance include payments to the City for cleanup costs and fines up to \$1,000 per day.

- Jim Willenbrink