### CIVIC LEAGUE OF PEMBROKE MEADOWS, INC.

Pembroke Meadows, Pembroke Shores, and Pembroke Shores Townhomes



CIVIC LEAGUE NEWSLETTER

**May 2019** 

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181 Members as of 05 May 2019

# Next Civic League Meeting Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019 Pembroke Meadows Elementary School Multi-Purpose Room

Two guest speakers! Officer Treadway, our police resource officer, will be addressing some current neighborhood concerns that have been brought to the board's attention including noise at the park, speeding and golf cart regulations.

Plus the **project manager for public utilities** doing the neighborhood water main replacement project will discuss our plan.

Please feel free to bring up other neighborhood concerns as well.

#### **Pembroke Meadows Recreation Center**

Opening Day, Saturday May 25<sup>th</sup>
Memorial Day Picnic & Potluck May 27<sup>th</sup>
(these are for PMRC Members Only)

If you aren't' yet a member, you can stop by on **June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2-8PM**, when the pool is open to anyone in the neighborhood for a FREE test drive:

#### SAVE THESE DATES and see inside for details!!

Clean the Bay Day June 1st, 9am-12 noon

Community Yard Sale June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 8am- 2pm

National Night Out August 6, 6-10pm











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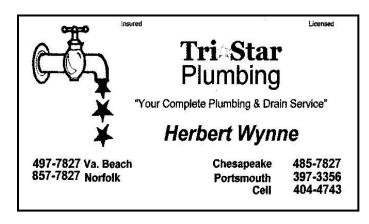
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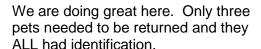


#### Presidents Corner:

As we round out the spring, I would like to thank everyone who has helped make our civic league events for the first half of the year a success. We had a great turn out for April's movie night. I enjoy seeing our civic league members out at our events. Our neighborhood is full of activity this time of year. We had a nice group of neighbors and students at the pool last weekend to take off the cover and start preparing for summer. I hope to see you at our meeting this month and at the pool this summer.

- Kate

#### **LOST PET REPORT**





Please include a picture of you dog or cat to go along with your lost pet form.

#### **BOX TURTLES**

Box turtles have come out of winter hibernation. Watch out while mowing and weed eating. They can stay in your yards and are happy there. They will help rid your yard of grubs, slugs, large bugs, small tomatoes, and are fun to watch. Let them be.

- Gerry Richter



#### Ladies Lunch Group

"Strangers are friends we just haven't met yet!"



We will meet at 11:30 am on **Thursday, May 23rd.** Our destination is **The Surfrider** at 1 Marina Rd. in Virginia Beach.

Please call Cynthia Lerner, (757) 589-9248, for further information and to make a reservation. Everyone is welcome - we hope you can come. If transportation is needed, please let Cynthia know.



#### **Residential Sales & Property Management**

Owners of Abrams Realty, Jim & Liz Abrams and their children are residents of Pembroke Meadows and active in our Civic League.

No one knows the neighborhood like your neighbors, Jim & Liz 4640 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23455

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#### **National Night Out**

The annual National Night Out event will be held August 6, 6-10pm at our pool. Everyone in the neighborhood is welcome to join in this opportunity to meet and get to know your neighbors. The Civic League will provide pizzas, hot dogs, soda and ice cream and again welcome Ryan the Balloon Guy. Food will be served from 6 to 7:30 PM, please bring a side dish or dessert to share! More details in the July newsletter.

#### Our Real Estate Market:

#### **Marketing Your Home to Pet Parents**

Did you know that 68% of American households have pets? And that when they are looking for a new home to buy that they buy it to fit the needs of the entire family including their pets?

A study by the NAR revealed some of the impact that pets have on home buying decisions. They stated that 31% of animal owners have refused to put an offer on a home because it wasn't a good fit for their animals.

When selling, be aware of what may attract pet owners and use it in your advertising. Ranked most important to pet owners in the study is a fully fenced backyard. Also important is a close proximity to dog parks, walking trails and pet friendly beaches. A close proximity to veterinarians and groomers was also revealed as important.

#### What's New Here in OUR Real Estate Market?

#### **Currently for Sale**

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861 Cathedral	3 BR	1 ½ BA	175,000
4505 Whitechapel Cir	4 BR	2 BA	309,000
604 Whitechapel Dr	4 BR	2 BA	249,900
4109 Cheswick Ln	4 BR	3 ½ BA	775,000
<b>Homes Under Contract</b>			
608 Whitechapel	3 BR	2 BA	280,000
839 Saint Denis	3 BR	2 ½ BA	185,000
<b>Homes Sold</b>			
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-Sue Lentini

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#### **Ferry Plantation House**

www.ferryplantationva.net

#### Movie Night on the Lawn-FREE

June 6th -Bedknobs and Broomsticks
July 6th-The Sandlot
August 2nd- The Princess Bride
Bring a blanket or chair, concessions available

#### **SUMMER HISTORY CAMP July 8-12**

Reservations must be made and paid for by May 15th. Camp is for children grades 1-7 \$250 per week. See website for more details. (\$50 discount for residents of Pembroke Meadows/Shores and Townhouses.)

#### Friday Night Frights \$10 per\_Reservations

These events sell out quick!

Reservations are required in advance and can be made online at

www.ferryplantationva.net

, May 17th, June 21st, July 19th, & Aug 16th



#### **Pool News**

What is there to be excited about at the pool this Summer? EVERTHING!



In addition to enjoying your days and nights at the pool doing what makes you happiest, we will continue to offer member favorite traditions. These include Memorial Day & 4<sup>th</sup> of July cookouts, Tuesday night dinners (BBQ, French Fry Night, Subs, etc.), and Parent Night Out. We are introducing some fun NEW events and activities too! Be on the lookout for the Last Day of School Ice Cream Social, Friday Fundays (dinner & a scheduled activity), Inaugural Biatholon, Adult Only Social, and Movie Night.

Your PMRC Pool Board has been working hard preparing for the 2019 pool season. Countless hours of meeting, planning, and working have gone into ensuring this summer enjoyable for all. If you see a Pool, Civic League, or Swim Team board member, please take a moment to say thank you! If you are interested in helping out, or would like to run to be on the board for next season, please contact Karen Roy at <a href="mailto:pmrcdirector@gmail.org">pmrcdirector@gmail.org</a>. We always welcome new ideas and help!

A big THANK YOU to all the volunteers who came out to open the pool on Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>. Way too many people to thank by name, but please know that you are greatly appreciated! The amount of work that goes into opening the pool and getting everything ready for opening day is incredible, and we could not do it without our volunteers.

Not a member yet? It is not too late to join in on the fun! Applications are still available at the pool or on our website:

Pembrokemeadows.org.

Remember to follow us on Facebook to keep up to date on events and activities!

We are looking forward to seeing you poolside!

## Community Yard Sale June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 8am-2pm

(Raindate: June 23)

We are once again hosting our Community Yard Sale. To sign up, please email Beverly Wilson at <a href="mailto:biglwilson@verizon.net">biglwilson@verizon.net</a> with your name and address. Please put "Yard Sale" in the subject line. If you do not have email, you may leave a message at (757) 499-0723, but the email is preferred. The deadline to have your home included on the printed map of participating houses is Tuesday, June 18th. You can still sign up to participate after that date, but you will only be added to the map online. You can also participate without signing up, you just won't be on the map distributed to shoppers entering the neighborhood.

There will be signs on our main streets directing people into the neighborhood, but you are welcome to place smaller signs at your street corners and fly balloons at your location. Just please pick them up at the end.

In case of rain, the yard sale will be moved to June 23<sup>rd</sup>.

#### Clean the Bay Day June 1<sup>st</sup>, 9am-12 noon

What: It's an outdoor, hands-on opportunity for individuals, families, businesses, and groups to join Chesapeake Bay Foundation and its partners and sponsors to remove harmful litter and debris in one of the largest volunteer clean-up efforts in Virginia. Clean the Bay Day represents a coming together of municipalities, businesses, and citizens to improve the health of our local waterways.

When: Volunteers please meet our Zone Captain Jeff Brown at Pembroke Park on **Saturday, June 1, 9 a.m. for clean-up area assignments.** His number is 418-1386. Those living on a lake can talk to Jeff about cleaning a section.

#### PMCL POINTS OF CONTACT

Civic League Officers		
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Townhomes	Vacant	
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	Jeanette Willenbrink	497-0700
Recreation Center (pool)		
Director	Karen Roy	513-4183
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Treasurer		646-1488
Secretary	Mandy Nixon Hammer	
PMRC Pool Phone	(in season only)	963-2239



Receive a \$20 gift certificate on your birthday with ID. Offer valid once during the 3 day window before and after your special day.

#### Pembroke Meadows Marlins Swim Team

Registration and information can be found at www.marlinsswimteam.com







#### **SWIM MEET PARKING JAMS**

Saturday morning swim meets bring hundreds of area families to our pool, with cars trying to find the closest parking to the end of Pembroke Blvd.

There are **three home meets**, 7am to 2 pm, plus a practice meet (1/2 crowd), June 8<sup>th</sup>.

June 29<sup>th</sup> vs. Club Brittany July 13<sup>th</sup> vs. Oceana July 20<sup>th</sup> vs. Broad Bay

Please be patient, it's only 3 mornings and it's for the kids!

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