Churchill Downs Newsletter

Churchill Downs Community Association February/March 2023

Upcoming Events

CDCA Community Meeting

3rd Tuesday of the month 6:30-8pm at the Alfreda Schmidt Community Center

Winter Market

Saturday, Feb 4 and March 4 10am-2pm Alfreda Schmidt Community Center (5815 Wise Rd)

3rd Ward Constituent Contact Meeting

Meet on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 10am at the Alfreda Schmidt Community Center to converse with City Council member Adam Hussain.

If you have any events or activities you would like to share with your neighbors, even as simple as going on a walk to pick up trash, email that information to

hossinke@gmail.com for it to be posted in the next newsletter. Newsletters are written every two months. We also encourage you to use our Facebook group to invite neighbors to activities.

In Churchill Downs, we get together as neighbors to support and initiate activities that benefit our community, work cooperatively to solve problems, and establish communication links between neighbors and local government/other organizations. Everyone has a part to play in making our neighborhood an enjoyable place to live, and we are glad to have you with us.

Neighbors Take Care of Each Other

On Conners Ave and Lucie St we have been blessed by several neighbors who have been taking care of each other's snow removal. What a pleasant surprise when you go outside and find your driveway or sidewalk already clear!

If you have neighbors that you appreciate and want to thank for being a good neighbor, give them a shout out on our Facebook group, Neighbors of Churchill Downs! Or share your story with us, we would love to hear about how this community is taking care of each other.

Get Involved

We meet on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at the Alfreda Schmidt Community Center from 6:30-8pm. If you would like to be involved in some way other than the monthly meeting, consider any of these options:

- Attending or volunteering at neighborhood events
- Helping with communication like writing/distributing newsletters, putting up and taking down signs, making facebook posts, etc
- Helping to write or implement grants for neighborhood projects

Contact Elizabeth if you have questions.

Upcoming Community Meeting Topics

February

We will have our final discussion on grant projects before those applications are submitted, including deciding which intersection we would like to paint decoratively (see Oct/Nov newsletter on our website for more details).

March

Andrew Kilpatrick, the Public Service Director for the City of Lansing will attend this meeting to listen to our discussion and answer any questions you have.

April

We will have elections for the president, vice president, and several at-large board members. If you would like to serve our community in one of these roles, please consider nominating yourself. If you would like more information about these roles, email Elizabeth at hossinke@gmail.com or call/text 517-290-6955.

Welcome Packets

If you see that someone has recently moved in near you, contact Jeanne at (517) 505-0619 and she will get you a packet that you can bring to your new neighbor. Thanks for being such a welcoming community!

Stay Connected:

Website:

churchilldownslansing.info

Facebook Page: Churchill Downs Community Association

Facebook Group: Neighbors of Churchill Downs

