

Pride Civic Association

"Creating the Safest Neighborhood in Clearwater"

2023



Hello Neighbors,

With the New Year on us, let's focus on the future! Though this neighborhood association has existed for over 33 years we have a lot more future ahead of us!

We have annual neighborhood activities such as the Christmas and Halloween Decorating contests, the Neighborhood Garage Sale, and a Neighborhood Picnic. Now we have the Annual Easter Egg Hunt for our youngest neighbors. What else can we do to bring the neighborhood together?

A safe neighborhood comes about by increasing communication amongst ourselves. Say "Hello!" to your neighbors. Find things we agree on. There are lots of interesting subjects we can share!

By communicating about things we hold in common, we increase the affinity we feel for each other. This is how we create a friendly and safe neighborhood!

Yes, we each have many viewpoints and beliefs we hold dear to ourselves. Religion, Politics, Education, etc. are sometimes used to create disagreement. But remember, the true purpose of these is to improve our society. Toleration of beliefs and simply, on a day-to-day basis, finding those things we can agree upon are the secret to a strong neighborhood.

Common decency, friendliness, giving a helping hand, and in general, recognizing the human rights of each of us. These are the basics of the broader relationship we call a neighborhood. (cont. pg 3)

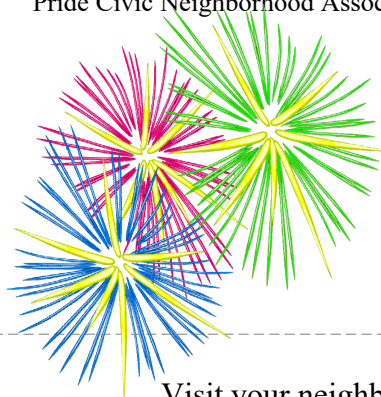
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Here are four points that I believe we can all agree upon to start this New Year.

1. We are all here. Welcome. This is our neighborhood!
2. Our homes are a safe retreat for ourselves and our families.
3. We each have a right to communicate. And, we also have a right not to communicate as we each decide. Feel free to say "Hello" to a neighbor. Feel free to not engage in subjects you disagree with.
4. Lastly, strive to respect the rights of others while exercising your rights and freedoms. Help create a civil and friendly environment for us all.

Happy New Year to you all and here's to a productive and prosperous New Year!

Randy Young
President
Pride Civic Neighborhood Association



*"I like dreams of the future better
than the history of the past."*

Thomas Jefferson

Visit your neighborhood website at Pridecivic.org

Pride Civic Association Membership & Volunteer Form

March 2023 - March 2024

\$5.00 (or more is appreciated) Donation per Household Annually

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Mail Donation to:
Pride Civic Association
1749 Hunt Lane
Clearwater, FL 33756

PLEASE DO NOT SEND CASH IN THE MAIL!

I would like to Volunteer for the following . . . (check as many as you would like)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Zone or Street Captain | <input type="checkbox"/> Garage Sale Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Christmas Decoration Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter Articles | <input type="checkbox"/> Picnic Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Easter Egg Hunt Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Halloween Decoration Committee | |

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Neighborhood Christmas Decoration Game 2022

This year's holiday spirit was spectacular!

234 Homes were decked out and shimmering on the COLD Christmas Eve. (32 degrees on Christmas morn!)

Congratulations to the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place contestants!
(see winners on our neighborhood website: pridecivic.org)

Very well done to all of the runner-ups! And, a BIG thank you to all who participated! Truly, a fun and wonderful spectacle!

Also, Highly Commended are those who made it happen!

Past Board Members and ever helpful neighbors:
Linda Bassett, Candy Helber and Judy Carey.



To the Zone Captains. Thank you!
**Alveta Bastarache, Cindy Ashe,
Claire Braun, and Mary Ellen O'Neal**

Last, but not least, to the judges.
THANK YOU!

**Dale Mettler, Abi LaClaire,
Donna Goodall, and Mary & Lyle Polyak!**

SURVEY

The Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be on 8 April and is our next neighborhood activity. Please help us out by doing this survey.

**1. Do you have children 12 or younger that will participate?
How many?**

2. In addition to candy in eggs, is there anything else you would like to see available to the children who participate?

3. Would you like participate in the committee that organizes and makes the Easter Egg Hunt occur? (Fill in volunteer data on page 3)