Winter Hill Newsletter

WINTER HILL COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

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Community Corner

Coffee & Donuts Saturday, September 14 9am-10 am

Catch up with neighbors over coffee and a donut. The next gathering will be at the entrance to **Lot G**.

Falls Church Festival Saturday, September 14 10 am-4 pm

Celebrate the 48th Annual Falls Church Festival. With over 90 crafters, businesses, civic organizations, live entertainment, kids activites, a beer garden, and the Taste of Falls Church, there's something for everyone. The event will take place on **City Hall Grounds (300 Park Avenue).**

Sunset Cinema Friday, September 20 7:15 p.m.

Head to **Cherry Hill Park** to enjoy a movie in the park with neighbors. Movie: Honey I Shrunk the Kids

WHCA Board Meeting Thursday, September 26 at 7pm

Join the board and participate in monthly discussions about community matters. Access the linked <u>meeting</u> using the QR code below:



Meeting ID: 218 400 799 529 Passcode: kssh2e

2024 Annual Meeting

The WHCA Board of Directors convened its annual meeting on June 13 in Lot D. Thank you to all who attended and provided feedback to the board. A recap of the meeting can be found on the Gates of Hudson portal under the documents menu in the Board Meeting Minutes folder.

Congratulations to James Thompson and Gloria Thornburgh who were re-elected to the board and will serve 3 more years. Naudy Martinez, who was appointed to a vacant board seat this year and Daina Lieberman, will complete their terms in 2 years.

Congratulations to all the board members, and thank you to all community members who voted in person or via proxy.

As our outgoing board members, we would like to thank Danielle Logue, Grace Starbird, and Pete Baroody for their service to the board and Winter Hill!

At this time, there are 2 open positions. If you are interested in learning more about serving on the board, please contact the board!

20 is Plenty on Gundry Dr

There have been a number of residents raising concerns over cars still driving too fast on Gundry Dr. Help keep our neighborhood walkable and safe for all by remembering to reduce your speed to 20 mph or less!

Community Feedback Survey

Please continue to share your feedback! If you have any questions, suggestions, or would like to volunteer for any upcoming initiatives, please don't hesitate to reach out. Access the linked feedback form using the QR code below:



Opt-in to receive WH Official Communications

Do you receive emails from us? The Board uses the "WH Official Communications" email distribution list to send information to the community. If you do not receive emails from group, contact Daina Board Lieberman, Secretary winterhill.daina@gmail.com (Note - There is no reply option for this email distro list as it's for announcements only.)

Board Member and Gates Hudson Contact Information

Board Email (all members) winterhillboard@googlegroups.com

Susan O'Neil - Portfolio Manager, Gates Hudson <u>SONeil@ghacm.com</u> or 703-752-8300 x720

Stay tuned for more information about the Annual Halloween Parade and Potluck this year. Happy Fall, Winter Hill!

Did you know? Trash/Recycling/Dumping

Trash, recycling, yard waste and compost pick up occurs weekly on Wednesdays year-round (except on observed city holidays). Feel free to leave your cans out after 4pm on Tuesday afternoon. Please retrieve your cans by Wednesday evening. Per the Community Guidelines, please keep trash and recycling cans inside personal fences during the rest of the week to mitigate the risk of rodents and persons using the cans as public trash.

If your cans are not emptied, you can report a missed pickup by calling the Solid Waste Hotline before 10 a.m. on Thursday: 703-248-5160.

Recycling: Plastic bags or any type of flexible plastic should never go in your curbside recycling cart. This includes single-use grocery store bags, trash bags/liners, dry-cleaning bags, Ziplock or Saran Wrap, the plastic bags your newspaper is delivered in, and the plastic bubble wrap used in packages. These flexible plastics get tangled and jam up the material sorting machines at recycling processing plants. Be sure to follow the guidelines on what can be accepted

Note: City of Falls Church no longer accepts glass bottles and jars for curbside collection. If you would like to recycle glass, a purple container can be found at the Recycling Center (217 Gordon Rd.) Be sure to follow the guidelines on what can be accepted.

Compost: If you are interested in composting, the City has a free 24-hour community compost program, with a drop off location located in the back of the City Hall and Community Center parking lot (300 Park Ave). Participants are asked to please review the compost rules to make sure everyone using the bin knows what can and can't be composted.

The City is also part of a Curbside Compost program which is a voluntary, fee-based service open to any City of Falls Church resident receiving curbside solid waste services. The program consists of weekly pick-ups of food scraps and other organic matter. To learn more visit, https://compostcrew.com/fallschurch/

Bulk Trash: If you have large items to dispose of, please contact the City to schedule a bulk pickup. All key information and online scheduling is available on the City's website or you can call the Solid Waste Hotline at 703-248-5160.

Yard Waste: Yard waste must be placed in 30-gallon paper yard debris bags (plastic bags are not acceptable) with a yellow sticker that can be obtained from City Hall or Browns Hardware. Acceptable materials include grass, leaves, and trimmings too small to be included as bundled brush arising from general landscape maintenance.

For more information, visit the City's <u>linked</u> website using the QR code: