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RSCA News!

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Riverside South Community Association News

RSCA AGM

Thursday Oct 20, 7:30pm at the Rideauview Community Centre. Join us for a recap of RSCA endeavors in 2021-22, the election of the board of directors for the upcoming year, and plans in the works for 2022-23! We will also have guest speakers from the OCDSB and OCSB to update the community on the status and plans for the new schools announced for Riverside South.



Full details and annual reports will be posted on or before Oct 14th on the RSCA website's **AGM event page**.

Riverside South Help Toy Mountain Parade

Saturday, Nov 26, 2022 - 11am

Join us for the RSCA's 6th annual Toy Mountain Parade in support of the Salvation Army's



Toy Mountain drive!

Enter a float - Participation is FREE! Are you a business, group, street, or individual interested in participating in the parade? Decorate a car/van/truck, tow a trailer with a Christmas tree, walk/run/skip/cartwheel down the street, or use your imagination (music, singing, dancing optional but encouraged!) to entertain the residents of Riverside South as they help us with toy donations to support the Salvation Army's Toy Mountain drive.

To register, please contact events@riversidesouth.org with the following information:

- 1) Business/organization name
- 2) Are you walking or decorating a car/van/truck/float/donkey?
- 3) How many participants do you expect?
- 4) Are you thinking of handing out papers and/or candy?
- 5) Will you be playing music?

Volunteer: We also need volunteers to help man the barricades and walk in the parade to collect toys from spectators if you can help! Contact volunteers@riversidesouth.org

Upcoming RSCA Events

Saturday, Dec 3, 2022 - 5:00-8:00pm

Evening Sleigh Rides run every 20 minutes from 5:00 - 8:00pm*. Hay wagons depart from the Rideauview

Community Centre and tour through the neighbouring streets. Fun for all ages!

The community centre will be open to keep warm and enjoy hot chocolate and Christmas carols before heading out on your ride to enjoy the decorated houses.

**Tickets go on sale November 1. There is a nominal cost of \$3 per seat (please note, this means that if a child will sit on your lap, they do not require a ticket).*



Municipal Elections - Oct 24, 2022

Advance Vote Days will take place on Friday, October 7 and Friday, October 14, 2022, from 10 am to 8 pm, with the exception of long-term care centres and retirement homes which may have reduced hours. On these voting days, you will have the opportunity to vote in your ward at your assigned voting location.



Voting Day is Monday, October 24, 2022. On this day, you can vote in your ward at your assigned voting place from 10 am to 8 pm, with the exception of long-term care centres and retirement homes which may have reduced hours.

Where do I vote? Voting places are listed on your voter notification letter. If you did not receive a voter notification letter, you can use the **Where do I vote? tool**, until Monday, October 24, 2022, to find out where and when you can vote.

Who is running in my ward? You can use your address to verify your ward number, ward name, and the candidates for Mayor, City Councillor and School Board Trustee running in your ward, by using the **Who is running in my ward? tool** until Monday, October 24, 2022.

Debate: Watch the Rogers broadcast (filmed Sept 8) of the all candidates debate for Riverside South - Findlay Creek Ward 22 **here**.

RSCA September re-cap

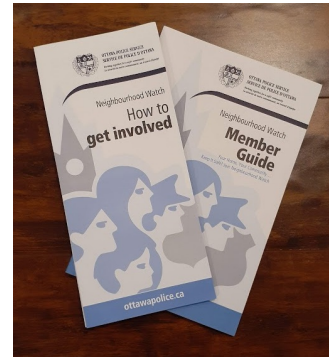
We had a great turnout for our movie in the park Sept 10 - thanks again to sponsors Councillor Meehan and **realtor Andrew Latty!**



Thanks to all the volunteers, especially area high school students, who turned out Sept 24 for our Fall Clean Up! Special thanks to Urbandale and Tomlinson for providing the dumpster.

Neighbourhood Watch

Interested in learning more about the Riverside South Neighborhood Watch program? Please contact vicepresident@riversidesouth.org.



Coexisting with Coyotes

Coyote sightings in our neighbourhood are common and we have created a dedicated page on our website with facts about our furry neighbours. The page includes information on how to keep them from becoming bold and what to do if you should encounter one close up. They are part of our environment and we can co-exist peacefully.



riversidesouth.org/coyote-information

City of Ottawa

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Want to weigh in on the projects and initiatives that you care about, at your convenience? Head to **engage.ottawa.ca**.

Want to stay up to speed on Stage 2 LRT construction progress or the Trillium Line specifically? Sign up for updates **here**.

Feedback

The RSCA wants your input! Have ideas for our events and programs? A community issue you think the RSCA should look into? Let us know:

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