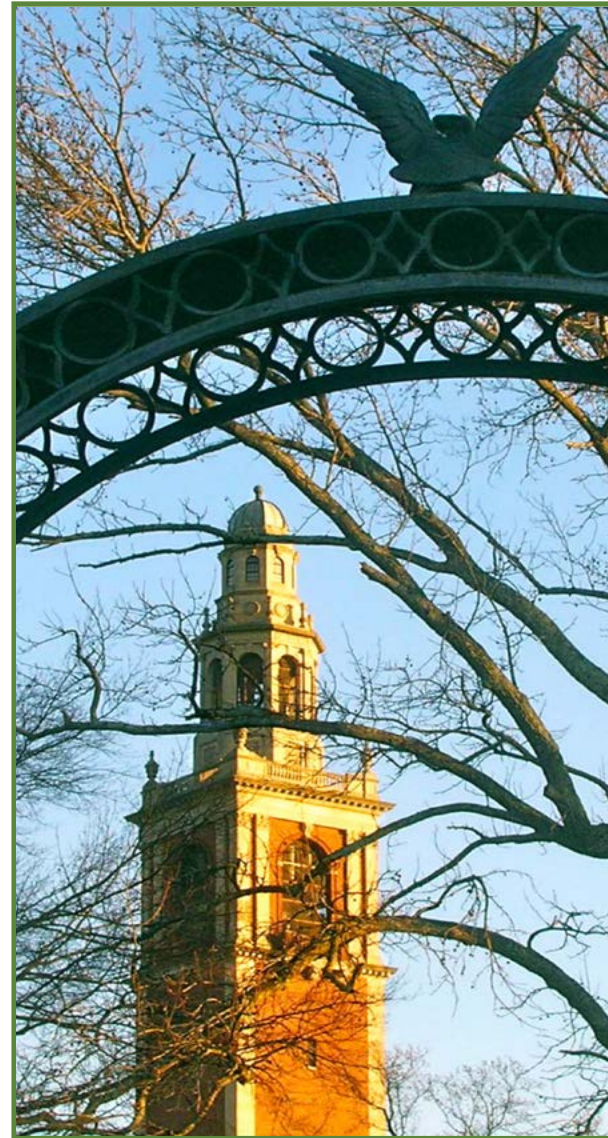


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THE CARILLON CIVIC ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2013

HOLIDAY EVENT: 2ND ANNUAL HOLIDAY HOME DECORATING CONTEST

The Carillon Civic Association (CCA) Programs and Events Committee is hosting the 2nd Annual Holiday Home Decorating Contest this December. All Carillon residents are invited to participate by decorating their yards and homes with holiday decorations that spread the joy of the season with fellow neighbors and friends.

Homes will be judged in the following three categories:

- Most Festive
- Brightest
- Most Original

The judging will take place on December 23 and all winners will be announced along with a photo of their yard and/or home in the next edition of the CCA newsletter in January. Winners will also have a choice between gift cards from Lowe's or Target.

All photos from the event will be posted on the CCA website (www.carilloncivic.org) at the beginning of the new year. We look forward to sharing the holidays with our neighbors and hope all can participate in the contest!

Richmond City Government Contacts

Police Non-Emergency 646-5100
Richmond Animal Control 646-5573
Crime Report – Anonymous 646-HELP

The Honorable Parker Agelasto, 5th District Councilman, Parker.Agelasto@richmondgov.com, 646-6050
Council Liaison Ida Jones, ida.i.jones@richmondgov.com, 646-5724

School Board Representative: Mamie Taylor, mamielaverne@aol.com

Dial 311 for the City of Richmond Call Center to make requests for non-emergency services such as graffiti and property maintenance violations.

Staffed Monday - Friday 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., but receiving voice mail requests
24 hours a day, seven days a week, year-round.

City Trash Pick-up every Monday/ Recycle Pick-up alternate Mondays

State Government Contacts

Va Dept of Emergency www.vaemergency.com
Va Department of Transportation for road conditions www.511Virginia.org or dial 511

CCA Email Distribution: If you would like to be included in the email notification list, please submit your email address to tellcca@carilloncivic.org, or sign up on the CCA website, www.carilloncivic.org. CCA Emails contain special, time sensitive neighborhood news and updates.

PRESIDENTS LETTER

CCA Friends and Neighbors,

While summer has come to a close and many of us are gearing up for the busy holiday season, I did want to quickly recap the success of the Carillon's summer festivals. Dogwood Dell enjoyed a successful season with record-breaking attendance of the "Festival of the Arts", with help from "Footloose" and a special concert from the Richmond Opera Company. The Fourth of July Celebration, also a huge success, provided much-needed feedback for parking changes and regulations that will take place in 2014.

However, looking ahead this fall, the neighborhood has exciting events in store. The neighborhood-wide yard sale has come and gone, but was a huge success. We are also looking forward to the CCA's 45th Birthday Celebration and the Carillon's 82nd Annual Nativity Pageant. Details about these events can be found throughout this newsletter. These are events you will not want to miss!

With the cooler temperatures, we invite all residents to take advantage of the neighborhood's amenities, such as the VITA course and the new playground at Cary Elementary. We ask that you be mindful and discard any litter you find in trash bins located around the parks, as well as report any large debris to the City by calling 311. We look forward to sharing this special time of year with our fellow neighbors!

Sincerely,
Jim Beck jamesbckii@verizon.net
Ed Andrews (ed.andrews@longandfoster.com)

2013-2014 GRANT APPLICATIONS

Over the years, the CCA has had great success generating revenues from Arts in the Park, and we take great pride on being able to use some of that income for a variety of improvement and beautification projects in the Carillon neighborhood, as well as to provide grants on an ongoing basis to outside organizations.

The CCA makes a limited amount of this money available in an effort to encourage special programs for various, local non-profit organizations. Members of the CCA are encouraged to contact his or her favorite non-profit to notify them of this grant opportunity. Applications from non-profit organizations or from government entities that support the community (schools, fire stations, etc) which are sponsored by a Carillon Civic Association member will be accepted. CCA will not consider requests for grant requests for general administrative expenses.

Applications must be postmarked by Nov 29, 2013. The Donations Committee will present award recommendations to the CCA Board of Directors for approval. Winners will be announced at the Annual Meeting in April with funds to be disbursed prior to May 1, 2014. For more information and to download the Grant Application and guidelines, please go to www.carilloncivic.org/CarillonResidentResources.

NEIGHBORHOOD CELEBRATION

CCA 45th Birthday Celebration!

Everyone is invited to attend the CCA's 45th Birthday Celebration at the Carillon on November 17 from 3 - 5 p.m. The event is in honor of the 45 wonderful years the CCA has been serving the neighborhood and the surrounding community!

Light refreshments and birthday cake will be provided, and a very short program will be presented. However, the main attraction will be the opportunity to meet and socialize with new neighbors and old friends. We hope all will plan on attending!

If you know of any former Carillon residents who should receive an invitation to the event, please contact Ed Andrews at ed.andrews@inf.com or Melissa Dilworth at mhdilworth@yahoo.com.

COMMUNICATIONS UPDATE



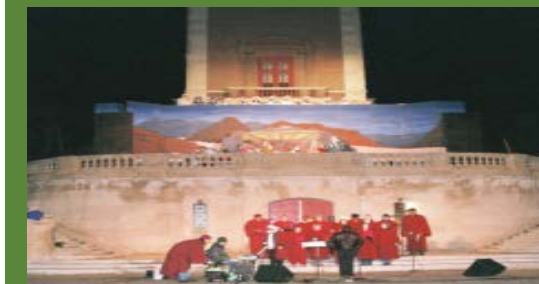
Changes Coming to the Communications Committee!

A new Neighborhood News Editor will be coming on board in January 2014 to replace Jordyn Matthews, who will be moving from the neighborhood and has resigned from this position.

Jordyn has done an outstanding job the past two years and has helped the Communications Committee reach many of their goals, such as the redesign of the newsletter, weekly emails and CCA website. She has also helped work alongside many CCA Committees to streamline communications and provide the most up-to-the-minute information for the community. Thank you for your great work!

The Board will be approving a candidate to replace Jordyn in the next month and we look forward to welcoming the new editor. We will announce the new Communications addition in the January 2014 newsletter.

NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS



CARILLON NATIVITY PAGEANT

Join your neighbors on December 23 for the Richmond's 82nd Annual Nativity Pageant. This interdenominational, inter-racial, Christmas live event draws persons in attendance not only from the Richmond metropolitan area but also from across Virginia.

The bells of the Carillon start at 6:30 p.m. and the pageant is at 8:00 p.m. If you would like to participate, please e-mail Paige Quilter at mrsdq@aol.com. The deadline for participating is December 20. Also, more information can be found on the event's website, www.richmondnativitypageant.com.

UNITY CHURCH ANNUAL WREATHS OF WONDER AND ART SHOW

The Unity of Richmond at 800 Blanton Ave is hosting the annual Wreaths of Wonder and Arts-a-ganza show Nov. 23 (9-5) and 24 (12:30-5). Wreaths, decorated trees, silent auction, brunswick stew, artwork, crafts and much more will be part of the event. For more information, please visit www.unityrichmond.org.

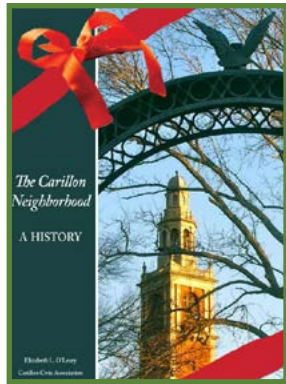
VMFA "IT'S YOUR HISTORY" SESSIONS

Carillon Resident and President of the Council at Virginia Museum of Fine Arts (VMFA), Pat Van Tuyle would like to encourage anyone interested in learning more about the museum to take advantage of the Council's "It's Your Art" series. The program provides a free 45-minute presentation about the VMFA, including topics such as special events, museum history and permanent collections. If you belong to a group that would like such a presentation, please contact jeffrey.allison@vmfa.museum.

NEIGHBORHOOD HISTORY

Carillon: The Story of a Richmond Community

Carillon resident, Dr. Elizabeth O'Leary will be discussing the history of the Carillon and the surrounding neighborhoods during her lecture at the Virginia Historical Society on November 14 from noon to 1 p.m. She will relate the story of the area's land and people from the colonial frontier to antebellum farmland; Gilded Age streetcar suburb to Jazz Age development; site of post-war housing boom to the hub for civil rights activism in Richmond. The lecture will provide special focus on the formation of the Carillon Civic Association and its role in the turbulent 1960's and '70s in nurturing one of Virginia's first successfully integrated communities. The lecture is free to Virginia Historical Society members and is \$5 for adults.



Dr. O'Leary's *The Carillon Neighborhood: A History* will be on sale following Beth O'Leary's illustrated lecture and at the CCA 45th birthday party. The cost is \$10. (Don't forget, CCA member households receive one free booklet each.) It makes a great holiday gift for the history buff in your family. If you miss these events, do not worry. The Virginia Historical Society gift shop will be carrying the booklets exclusively in coming months.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Latest Update on the Carillon Place Development and the Appeals Process

As many of you have been following this story in our weekly emails, you may be aware that the City of Richmond's Planning Commission has approved One South Realty Group's request of a subdivision plan that would allow for the building of six houses at the corner of Rugby Road and Bute Lane (and the removal of the Vermillion property).



However, just recently, One South Realty Group has entered into discussions with someone interested in purchasing Marburg and preserving it onsite. This new plan will necessitate significant revisions to the subdivision plan and its resubmission to the City's planning department.

Though the details have not been fully resolved, it appears likely that Marburg will remain standing and that the developer will construct four new houses rather than six. It is possible that two of the houses could be accessed from Marburg's existing driveway, thus reducing the number of additional houses to be accessed from the existing alley. Stay tuned for further developments!

CCA YARDS OF THE MONTH



Congratulations to the Carter's of 3002 French St. for being nominated CCA September 2013 Yard of the Month! The neighbors appreciate the hard work and yard decor. It makes their street look so beautiful.



The CCA would like to congratulate Dennis and Debbie Flippen of 1400 Pump House Rd. for being nominated CCA October Yard of the Month. Beautiful!

CCA residents are encouraged to nominate fellow residents for "Yard of the Month," by sending nominations to tellcca@carilloncivic.org. *We will begin taking nominations for 2014 yards beginning in January. We have received all nominations and have awarded winners for the rest of 2013.*

The nominated household will be acknowledged with a yard sign and a mention in the upcoming newsletter. All awarded yard signs will be picked up at the end of the month.

Announcements

Our Thoughts and Sympathies

- Condolences go to the family of Jean Herbert and Morgan Johnson of 3108 French St. for the lost of their sister.

- Carillon neighbors would like to extend their sympathies to Libbie and Steve Cohen upon the death of Libbie's mother, Phyllis Licht Hall. Phyllis was a resident at 1106 Sunset Ave. for many years. Phyllis and her family were gracious hosts of the CCA's earliest Arts in the Park volunteer events. In addition to Libbie and Steve Cohen, Phyllis is also survived by her daughter, Terry Smith.

- Our thoughts and prayers are with Chris English and Meda Lane on the loss of Chris' mother.

- Our former neighbor, Berthel Brown Barnes of French St. passed away in March, and we would like to extend our sympathies to her daughter and son-in-law, Karen and Dolphus Davis of 3214 French St.

Birth Announcements

A new baby has arrived at 3207 French St., a daughter of proud parents Brian and Meredith Hawkins. Reagan Margaret Hawkins was born on August 30, weighing 7 lbs. 6 oz. Congratulations and welcome Reagan!

Wedding Announcement

Congratulations to the Smith Family of 3009 French St. They recently celebrated the marriage of Candace Smith to Gregory M Carey, Jr. on Sept. 28 at Fifth Baptist Church.

