



THE CARILLON CIVIC ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER November/December 2016

THE HOLIDAYS ARE HERE!

Carriage Rides and Caroling
Saturday, December 10th,
4 p.m. – 7 p.m.

With cookies, cocoa, and viewing neighborhood
holiday décor;
meet at the Sunset Avenue circle

Carillon Neighborhood Home
Decorating Contest
Deadline for judging:

Saturday, December 17th

Three awards to be given for: the brightest,
the most festive,
and the most original decorations

The 85th Annual Richmond
Nativity Pageant

Thursday, December 22nd
(Fri. Dec 23rd Rain Date)

Bells begin 6:30 p.m. – Pageant at 7:30 p.m.
at the Carillon, Byrd Park

CCA's New Year's Day Brunch
Sunday, January 1st

10:30 a.m.– 12:30 p.m.

Welcome in 2017 at historic Marburg House,
3102 Bute Lane;
hosted by William Lipps
Please bring a dish to share

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Neighbors,

I hope this letter finds you well and staying warm this winter! As 2016 draws to a close, we take time to relax and reflect on another busy and productive year. The Carillon came together for the Annual Meeting and to put on another great Arts in the Park. We also find our neighborhood newly listed on the National Register of Historic Places, recognized for our endeavors during the Civil Rights era.

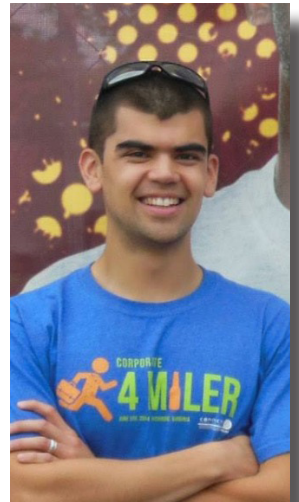
Be sure to take in the holiday events around Richmond, including our very own Nativity Pageant at the Carillon. For those of you who decorate your homes, you may be recognized in our annual Holiday Home Decorating Contest. And we hope to see you at New Year's Day Brunch!

As always, we look forward to seeing you at a monthly board meeting, held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at Unity Church.

I wish you happiness and health and good luck in 2017!

Yours,

Zeke Brody



LEAF COLLECTION



**The city will host leaf collections
in the Carillon neighborhood
December 13th and 16th.**

LOCAL ELECTION RESULTS

Offices



US House of Representatives

Donald McEachin



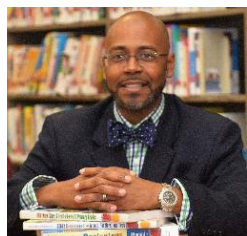
Richmond Mayor

Levar Stoney



Member City Council District 5

Parker Agelasto



5th District School Board

Patrick Sapini

Amendments

- 1 - Makes VA a non-union "right to work" state - **No**
 - 2 - Allows localities to make tax-exempt the properties of surviving spouses of first-responders killed in the line of duty - **Yes**
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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES

Welcome New Block Captains

Audrey and Collie Burton are assuming Block Captain duties for the blocks of 3000 Garrett St and 2900 Garrett Street as well as for the single home on Carillon Court. The Burtons are well known in the neighborhood, having lived here since 1973. They have been actively involved in almost every area of the Civic Association and have also worked with many different organizations in the city helping to better lives of the citizens at large, particularly in race relations, community outreach, and at-risk youth. Thank you, Collie and Audrey!

Pam Lieberman has agreed to serve as Block Captain for the 3100 Block of Garrett St. Pam is a relative newcomer to the neighborhood, moving here in 2013. She shares her home with her two daughters and two golden retrievers. We appreciate her willingness to serve, and look forward to working with her. Thanks, Pam for offering to volunteer.

We hope all residents have read the flyers which arrived recently at your homes. Extra help from Billy Butler, Sharon Hill, Madeline Pleasants and Suley Soffee helped to make such speedy delivery possible. Thanks to all the Block Captains who have worked so hard throughout this year! Libby Soffee

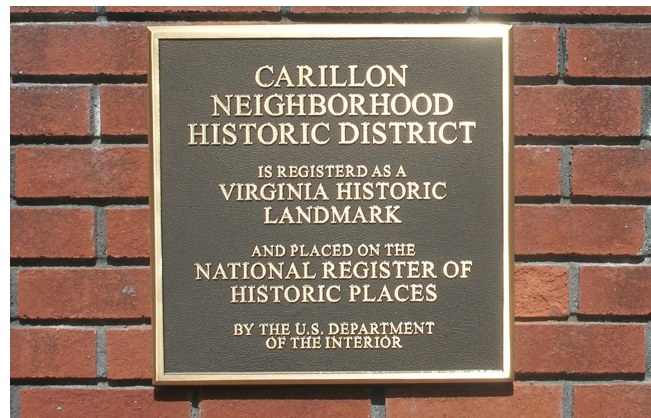
In Remembrance

Donald Ford's death was marked in our Sept./Oct. 2016 newsletter. In an announcement of his passing made by NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness) he was described as a tireless volunteer, training hundreds of members of Crisis Intervention Teams, Police and EMS workers. He also presented "NAMI Sharing Hope" a faith-based program for African-American church congregations.

HISTORIC DISTRICT PLAQUES DEDICATED



October 5th marked the dedication of four bronze markers on the perimeter of the Carillon neighborhood. These plaques commemorate the prestigious dual designation as a historic district on the Virginia Historic Landmarks and the National Register of Historic Places listings earned earlier this year. The official nomination notes: “The Carillon Neighborhood Historic District was recognized at a state and national level for its contributions to social history, racial integration, and civil rights equality in housing and education in the City of Richmond, and at a local level of significance for its architectural character.”



The ceremony at the Sunset Ave./Rugby Rd. entrance was attended by a number of longtime Carillon neighborhood residents, CCA founders and early members (1968-78), and state and city officials. Congratulatory statements were offered by Delegate Betsy Carr, Richmond Councilman Parker Agelasto, and Va. Department of Historic Resources Director, Julie Langan. Moving remembrances were shared by CCA vice-president Christina Draper; neighbors Bill Butler, Martha Rollins, Libby Soffee, and nomination co-authors Beth O'Leary and Debra McLane. Several neighborhood "pioneers," who were honored guests, took turns cutting the ribbon. The event, attended by Style Weekly's Jackie Kruszewski, prompted the reporter to write a feature article "The Carillon Neighborhood Celebrates Its Historic Designation For an Uncommon Reason," published November 15.



With Sympathy

Lyndon Henry, age 50, formerly of 1112 Carrolton St., departed this life November 19, 2016. He is survived by his father and mother, Edmund and Annette M. Henry; two sisters, Maurica S. Cathell and Maria C. Henry; two brothers, Richard P. and Edward W. Henry; a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins; one brother-in-law, Hassan A. Cathell; and other relatives and friends.

Neighborhood Clean Up



Neighbors and volunteers gathered as part of Hands on RVA Saturday, October 15 in a neighborhood cleanup effort to pick up litter, cleanup alleyways, assist with beautification projects, and other much needed projects.

Thank you to everyone who participated! You did a great job cleaning up the neighborhood.

Speed Limit in the Neighborhood



A reminder that the speed limit throughout the neighborhood is 25mph except for part of Blanton.

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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 Amy Robins, amy.robins@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 collection every Monday / Recycling collection 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.