

Association News

Spring 2015 Edition

Greetings

Lorraine Driscoll - HTCA President

I hope everyone is enjoying the Spring temps. There are several community events coming up (see details below), and we hope you'll be able to attend.

Following the January HTCA community elections, the HTCA board selected its officers: Lorraine Driscoll, President; Leon Nisenfeld, Vice President and Chair of the Communications Committee; Stephen Brown, Treasurer; Celeste Murphy, Secretary and Chair of the Welcome Committee. HTCA's other three board members are Lori Bard, Brian Gould, and Steven Ottenstein, with Mary Beth Sitrick acting in an ex-officio capacity. Many thanks to all.

We hope you will attend the April 21st meeting in the auditorium of Suburban Hospital at 7:30, hosted by Dr. Gene Green, the hospital's president. This is an opportunity to ask Dr. Green (and others present) any questions you may have, including about construction timelines and expected re-rental of the homes on McKinley and Grant St. this summer.

The HT community ice cream social will be May 3rd, 2:00-4:00, on Lincoln Street. There are many opportunities to volunteer at this event (see below), and I look forward to talking (and slurping) with neighbors.

Finally, please consider volunteering for the welcome and social committees (see below); both offer a great way to meet people.

Looking forward to seeing you soon at these events and in the neighborhood,

Lorraine

Committee News

Welcome Committee - Our Welcome Committee continues to greet new neighbors with information about HTCA and all of the great aspects of our community. We've even gotten feedback from real estate agents about what a great treat this is. Most recently, we've welcomed Mark and Kate Profet and family who recently moved in at 5601 Hoover St.

Social Committee - Don't miss our annual **Ice Cream Social**, May 3rd, 2:00pm - 4:00pm. Come celebrate Spring with our first event of the year. Nicole Morgan and Alex Mislin have graciously volunteered to co-lead the Social Committee again this year. (Thank you!) However, volunteers are needed to help with this event. If you have a bit of time, please send a message to HTCABethesda@gmail.com.

Hospital Committee - Construction activities are underway for Suburban's expansion project. The best way to stay up to date is to subscribe to Suburban's email list. They provide monthly updates describing activity underway as well as upcoming plans. To subscribe, please visit: http://www.suburbanfuture.org/#updates and click the Request More Information link at the bottom of the page.

Remember, if you have a question or concern about construction activities, you may call Suburban directly using their dedicated hotline: (301) 896-3552.

Suburban will be hosting a meeting open to all Huntington Terrace residents on April 21st to provide updates on the project and answer your questions.

Communications Committee - It's time to review your contact information for our Community Directory. The folks at AtoZ Directories – the company that provides our free online directory – will be providing new printed directories for 2015 in June. We want to make sure your information is correct, so please review it online today at http://atozdirectories.com. If you don't have login information for the site, please send a message to httCABethesdaNews@gmail.com. You can also complete the update form on page 2 or email your updates to the email address above, if you prefer. Please provide your updates by May 15th.

Traffic Committee - With hospital construction underway, a number of HT residents have raised concerns about impact to traffic in the neighborhood. Volunteers are needed to identify concerns and meet with County transportation officials to discuss options. If you would like to help, please send a message to HTCABethesda@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

April 21 - Suburban Hospital Community Meeting – 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm. Suburban Hospital will be hosting a meeting for Huntington Terrace residents in the hospital auditorium. Hospital President Gene Greene and others will be present to provide an update on construction and answer your questions.

May 3 – *Ice Cream Social* – 2:00pm – 4:00pm. HTCA will be taking over Lincoln St. (between Jefferson and Garfield) for this big event. Make your own ice cream sundae, hop on the moon bounce, visit with your neighbors, enjoy music and more! For all ages!

Have you verified your contact information for the Huntington Terrace Community Directory? New print directories will be distributed in June, so please make your updates by May 15th. Update online at http://atozdirectories.com or use the form below. While you're at it, why not join the Huntington Terrace Citizens' Association, if you're not already a member?

| | HTCA 2015 Directory Update Form (Drop off or mail this form to Leon Nisenfeld at 8708 Garfield Street.) |
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| Name(s)*: | |
| Phone: | |
| Address: | |
| Email: | |
| | □ I'd like to join the Neighborhood Association. Enclosed are my household dues of \$20. (Please make checks payable to HTCA) □ Check this box if you would prefer to opt-out of the directory. |

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HTCA Web Site: http://htca.net
HTCA Online Directory: https://atozdirectories.com/home

Find us on Facebook: Huntington Terrace, Bethesda, Maryland Follow us on Twitter: @HTCABethesda

Join the HT Exchange Online Discussion group. It's a useful way to 'talk' to neighbors: Go to http://groups.yahoo.com/htcanet and click the button that says "Join this Group"

^{*} Feel free to include your children's names, if you'd like.