SOMMERVILLE NEWSLETTER February 2016



I thought I would try something a little different this month. Let me know what you think...

We want to start out by WELCOMING the Poteet Family to 106 McPherson...Suzanne and Carl have been staying with her parents Frank & Marie Lane on Sommerville Way. We are very happy they chose to purchase a house in our community.



Events: Our Annual Community Yard Sale will be help on June 10th from 8am to 1pm...ads and notices will be posted by the Association. All you have to do is open your garage and drag out your stuff.

We discussed the annual picnic and wanted to see if there is any interest in bringing it back. Drop me an e-mail if you would like to see it come back.

Assessments have gone out in December and due January 1st As is always the case there are a handful of owners that for some reason or the other do not send it in. Delinquent letters have been mailed...please make a note that assessments are always due January 1st and July 1st. Payments need to be mailed to our P.O. Box.



A huge Thank you to James and Nick Brinkley for all their hard work getting our poles and lights back up. The lights in the islands are GREAT!

James is also replacing the box lights in the flower beds to LED units.



If you have silk flowers, plants, or crafty stuff you no longer want I will be very happy to take them...I make the wreaths for the entranceway signs and can always use new stuff to make them with. Send me an email or text 757-869-2792 and I will come pick the stuff up.

Please call, text or email any homeowner concerns to any of the board members and we will address it right away.

Early spring is the time to prune and our master gardener-led clinics will teach you the healthiest way to prune your much loved plants to improve their health, appearance, and to promote their growth. These FREE (indoor) clinics are offered from 10:00 am to Noon on the following dates at these locations. (No make-up dates are planned.)

The following (indoor) clinics are on Saturday from 10:00 AM to Noon

February 11 -- True Value, 4914 GW Hwy, Grafton, VA 23692

February 18 -- Taylor's Do it Center, 475 Wythe Creek Rd, Poquoson, VA 23662

February 25 -- Ken Matthews Garden Center, 4921 GW Hwy, Yorktown, VA 23692

March 11 -- Peninsula Hardwood Mulch & Garden Center, 715 Lakeside Dr. Yorktown, VA 23692

In addition, the following (indoor/outdoor, hands-on) clinic is offered on Sunday from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM

February 26 – York Learning Garden and Ext. Office, 100 County Drive, Yorktown, VA 23692

To register, call 757-890-4940

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