

Chesterfield Times



The News Letter Serving The 6th, 8th and 9th Wards

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COMMUNITY MEETING ON FEBRUARY 21 ON THE ZOOM PLATFORM

Chesterfield Community Council (CCC) will host our next meeting on Tuesday, February 21, 6:30 p.m. on the zoom platform. Our guest speakers will be Malcolm Whiteside, City of Chicago, Department of Forestry, Tiffany Johnson, Walmart Health, and Kevin Tyson, Imani Village. Mr. Whiteside will discuss tree trimming and removal requests. Ms. Johnson will discuss health and wellness services at the Walmart on 83rd & Holland. Finally, Mr. Tyson will discuss energy-related services. Please join us on Zoom: Meeting ID: 848 4268 9536 passcode: 094478 or call 312-626-6799, Meeting ID 848 4268 9536 and passcode: 094478. All are welcomed.

WELCOME, COMMANDER TATE

CCC welcomes new 6th District Police Michael Tate. Commander Tate, a 27 year member of the Department, most recently served as a lieutenant in the Narcotics Division. He also worked as a sergeant in the 6th (Gresham) District, which he will now command. We will invite Commander Tate to a future meeting. Welcome home, Commander Tate.

HOME EXPO 2023

CCC will host our annual "Home Expo " on Saturday, April 22, 11 am – 2 pm at Tuley Park, 90th & King Drive. We are seeking reputable contractors

to participate in our event. If, you know a reputable contractor (carpenter, plumber, electrician, HVAC, etc.) please have them contact CCC at 773-651-3958 or email : chesterfield@ameritech.net by March 1.

MAIL SERVICE

Have you been receiving your mail consistently? Please register your complaints to the following:

- Grand Crossing Post Office – 773-483-0479
- Congressman Jonathan Jackson – 773-779-2400

We deserve better.

SNOW REMOVAL SERVICES

My Block, My Hood, My City – www.formyblock.org

APL Snow Removal – 312-931-0673

TLC – 773-419-2727

PROBLEM WITH RACOONS

- Secure trash can lid. Use a rope, chain, or bungee cord to tie the lid into a secure position.
- Clean out your trash cans. Wash them out with the hose often. Sprinkle the inside with baking soda to remove any lingering odors.
- Pay attention to pet food. Racoons are omnivores, so they will not pass up any pet

- food, feed your pets indoors.
- Identify points of entry. Inspect your house, garage, and fence. Look for holes 3 inches in diameter or bigger.
- Use a solution to repel raccoons from entry points and nesting areas. Boil one cup of cayenne pepper and 3-5 chopped habanero chilies with water in a pot and let it cool. Transfer it into a spray bottle. Spray the entry points you have identified.

VIDEO DOORBELL PROGRAM

Stay tuned, we are finalizing this program. We expect to announce details of this program in late March or before.

STREET RESURFACING REQUEST FOR 2023

If your street needs resurfacing, now is the time to contact your Alderperson. Most Aldermanic offices are currently reviewing request for 2023. Let's be proactive.

ABANDONED VEHICLES IN OUR COMMUNITY

Please report all abandoned vehicles to 311. Vehicles must be moved every seven (7) days on city streets.

SUPPORT BUSINESSES THAT SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITY

Please support the following businesses:

*Seaway Bank-Self Help * Admiral Motel & Suites * Country Financial * Loop Capital* Leon's Barbershop * Majestic Florist * Walgreen's * Dawn Hines-State Farm Insurance * WVON * Discover * Reggio's Pizza * Garrett Popcorn * Bulletin Newspaper * Citizen Newspaper * McDonalds -87th & Wabash* All Weather Specialist * Home Depot* Josephine's Cooking * Buddy Bear Car Wash I * New York Life Insurance-Pamela McCarroll * Providence Bank & Trust * Ellana Boutique * Licorices Lounge * Real Estate Consortium

REMINDER – THREE WAYS TO REPORT CRIMINAL ACTIVITY

Chicago Police at 911, Caps Office at 312-745-3617 and Chicago State University Police (CSU) at 773-995-2111

SAVE THIS DATE

February 21 – CCC Community Meeting on Zoom at 6:30 p.m.

March 11 - Candidates Forum RUN-OFF. Time and location to be announced

April 22 – Home Expo 2023 at Tuley Park

May 16 – CCC Community Meeting at Discover

LET'S CONTINUE TO WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE CHESTERFIELD A DESTINATION

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