# **Chesterfield Times**



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

#### Date: January, 2024



## JANUARY MEETING

CCC will host our next meeting Tuesday, January 16, 6:30 p.m. On the Zoom platform. ZOOM ID: 893 5037 9919 Passcode: 694263 PHONE: (312)626-6799 ID: 89350379919# Passcode: 694263# We will discuss important information about the 2024 Democratic National Convention and 2024 election of judges. Bring a friend, bring a neighbor

# HEALTHY NEW YEAR

Reminder from Chicago Department of Public Health: Protect Yourself from Respiratory Illness This Season

Chicago is seeing increases in viral respiratory infections and hospitalizations, including COVID-19, flu and RSV.

Hospital admissions levels are "Medium" CDPH recommends that individuals:

- Stay up to date with COVID-19 vaccines.
- Maintain ventilation improvements.
- Avoid contact with people who have suspected or confirmed COVID-19.
- Follow all isolation guidance if you have suspected or confirmed COVID-19.

If you are at high risk wear a high-quality mask or respirator (e.g., N95) when indoors in public.

• If you have household or social contact with someone at high risk for getting very sick, consider self-testing to detect infection before contact, and consider wearing a high -quality mask when indoors with them.

(CDPH) immunization clinics provide vaccinations for children 0 through 18 years of age at no out-ofpocket cost. COVID-19 and flu vaccines are available to all. Find another vaccination provider, http://vfc.illinois.gov/search/

FREE COVID TESTS Every home in the U.S. is eligible to order 4 free at-□home tests beginning November 20. If you did not order tests this fall, you may place two orders for a total of 8 tests. https://special.usps.com/testkits

## SUPPORTING CCC

Thank you for answering the call for year-end donations to help our community organization remain strong!

There's still time to make a difference before our fiscal year ends January 31<sup>st</sup>.

# UTILITY ASSISTANCE

All income eligible Cook County households may apply for LIHEAP heating and electricity assistance!

If you are in danger of utility disconnection or are

currently disconnected, make an appointment with a Partner Intake Site to ensure your application is expedited. Find a Partner Intake Site or contact the Call Center at (800) 571-2332. All programs are FREE. There is no fee to apply for assistance.

## MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY AT CHICAGO STATE UNIVERSITY

Monday, 1/15 at 1:00 p.m.! Join CSU on MLK Day as they celebrate faith and community leaders including Chesterfield Community Council- Board Chairman Eli Washington. Special performances from Art in Motion High School students and CSU band, The Marching Soul of Chicago, and prizes! CSU is giving away FREE tickets using this promo code: CSUENGAGE24 Register online: https://gocsucougarstickets.universitytickets.com/w/ default.aspx Questions: Ticket Office 773.995.2296 Email: gocsutix@csu.edu

## **COMMUNITY SAFETY**

Stay in the know and participate. Sign up for important updates from the Chicago Police 6th District

Office of Community Policing Nekoiya Washington, Community Organizer Office: 312-745-3610, Cell: 312-237-7060, nekoiva.washington@chicagopolice.org

Report quality of life issues directly to our 6<sup>th</sup> District Community Officer Roderick Thomas 312-914 -4593 roderick.thomas@chicagopolice.org

## SUPPORT BUSINESSES THAT SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITY

Please support the following businesses:

\*Seaway Bank-Self Help \* 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 -87<sup>th</sup> & 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 \* Real Estate Consortium \* Lowes Home Improvement

## SAVE THESE DATES

- January 16 Community Meeting on the Zoom Platform
- February 20 Community Meeting on the Zoom Platform
- Community Meeting on the Zoom Platform March 19 -

#### LET'S CONTINUE TO WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE CHESTERFIELD A **DESTINATION COMMUNITY**

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