

ChesterField Times



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

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MERRY CHRISTMAS, HAPPY KWANZAA AND JOYOUS NEW YEAR

This year has brought us many challenges, successes and heartbreak. Because of your prayers and dedication our organization continues to be victorious.

YEAR IN REVIEW

January – Met with Walgreens Store Manager & Tuley Park Supervisor. In addition, we held a Census Workers Job Fair

February – Recognized and celebrated our first responders

March – Meeting with Streets and Sanitation Ward Superintendents for the 6th, 8th & 9th Wards

May – COVID-19 and the Black Community with Dr. Joy West and held a disposal mask give-away

June – Accountability meeting with Alderman Roderick Sawyer, 6th Ward and partnered with Neighborhood Housing Services (NHS) in the distribution of 400 produce boxes

July – Accountability meeting with Alderwoman Michelle Harris and State Senator Elgie Sims

August - Accountability meeting with Alderman Anthony Beale and State Rep. Nick Smith and partnered with CORE to host COVID-19 testing where we tested more than 275 people.

September– Accountability meeting with 6th District Police Commander Rahman Muhammad and Alderman Howard Brookins

October – GOTV with Jonathan Jackson, Rainbow Push and heard about housing related programs/ services from NHS

December – Partnered with My Block, My Hood, My City to their holiday lights efforts on King Drive.

Note: CCC has distributed more than 10,000 cloth & disposal masks

SECRETS OF MEN-THE BOOK

Secrets of Men is a collection of powerful life-lessons on racism, family, love, and faith by a group of distinguished men including Eli Washington, CCC, Chairman of the Board. The book is available on Amazon. Search: Secrets of Men, Eli Washington, author

DON'T BE A VICTIM BY DEWAYNE MASON

Here are a few tips to try to avoid being carjacked or robbed:

Stay off your phones when leaving stores.

Always be aware of your surroundings even in your own neighborhood.

Look before you exit your vehicle and look even better when you re-enter your vehicle.

If there is anyone sitting in another vehicle near your vehicle then wait for a safe time to go back to your vehicle.

Quickly load your items then get in and lock your doors.

Try to park in well-lit areas or near the security cameras.

These thugs are using stolen vehicles as their transportation and many are the nice high-end models so do not be fooled by their vehicles.

Once you put your items in your car lock the doors and leave.

Do not sit and check text messages or Facebook posts, or look at yourself in the mirror...Leave!!!

Remember its Xmas time the opportunity will be greater to commit acts of violence and/or robbery!

PLEASE PASS THIS ALONG IT MIGHT SAVE A LIFE...

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

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 * LawnCare Maven * Walgreen's * Dawn Hines-State Farm Insurance * WVON * Garrett Popcorn * Bulletin Newspaper * Citizen Newspaper * McDonalds -87th & Wabash* All Weather Specialist * Home Depot* Josephine's Cooking * The Law Offices of Maria Barlow * New York Life Insurance-Pamela McCarroll * Providence Bank & Trust

CHESTERFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL BOUNDARIES

The Chesterfield Community Council (CCC) boundaries are 8700-9100, State Street to Dauphin, 9200-9300, King Drive – Dauphin. CCC is represented by the 6th, 8th & 9th Ward Alderpersons.

ABANDONED VEHICLES IN OUR COMMUNITY

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

SAVE THIS DATE

NO CHRISTMAS PARTY DUE TO COVID-19

January 19 – COVID-19 Vaccine and the Black Community

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