



CHRISTMAS PARTY: One of our best!

The spirit of the Christmas season was in a room full of members and guest including Ald. Michelle Harris, Metropolitan Water Reclamation District President Kari Steele, and Judge Maria Barlow. A special thank you to our corporate supporters Dawn Hines, State Farm Insurance, Buddy Bear Car Wash, and Com Ed. Feather Fist-Veterans Shelter was the recipient of cash, gift cards, and more. A special thank you to super volunteers Bernard Sutton, Jeanette Washington, and Viola Watkins.

THE WORK OF THE COUNCIL: 2023 IN REVIEW

Candidates Forum for Alderman: CCC hosted two (2) candidate's forums for the offices of Alderperson of the 6th and 8th wards. Our moderators for these events were Jermont Terry, CBS 2 News and Eric Johnson, Chicago Crusader Newspaper.

Accountability Meetings: CCC held accountability meetings with the following elected and appointed officials: Alderman William Hall, Alderwoman Michelle Harris, State Senator Elgie Sims, State Rep. Nick Smith, 6th District Police Department and City of Chicago Forestry Department.

Home Expo: CCC hosted our 17th Annual "Greater Chatham Home Expo" with remarkable success. This event included three hundred attendees, dynamic seminars, great services provided by our vendors, door prizes included movie

passes, gift cards, plants and more. One attendee learned that she had \$4000 owed to her after visiting the State Treasurer Office table.

Video Doorbell Program: CCC gave away seventy-five video (75) doorbells to residents in our effort to reduce crime. This initiative was possible due to a micro-grant from Ald. Michelle Harris, 8th Ward.

1st Annual Neighborhood Trunk Party: CCC awarded four (4) deserving college bound students with gift cards, multiple items for a dorm room and a Chesterfield T-shirt.

Fun-Stuff: CCC members and guest enjoyed free tickets to Chicago White Sox and Chicago Sky games.

Property Tax Appeal: CCC in conjunction with Cook County Commissioner Larry Rogers, Jr., Board of Review hosted our annual "Property Tax Appeal Day" where there was standing room only attendance.

Silas Purnell College Expo: CCC hosted the 17th Annual "Silas Purnell College Expo" at Chicago State University. This event consisted of hundreds of participants and college admissions representatives from across the country and dynamic seminars were offered.

WE NEED YOUR HELP

As you can see, we have had a triumphant year! In lieu of a fundraiser in 2023, please consider donating to Chesterfield Community Council to help offset some of our costs. Please make your check payable to: Chesterfield Community Council, P.O.

Box 19142, Chicago, IL 60619 or visit our website: chesterfieldcommunitycouncil.org and click on the donation page. Thank you in advance for your generous support.

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 Office – 773-779-2400

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 * 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 * Real Estate Consortium * Lowes Home Improvement

ABANDONED VEHICLES IN OUR COMMUNITY

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

SAVE THESE DATES

January 16 - Community Meeting on the Zoom Platform

February 20 – Community Meeting on the Zoom Platform

March 19 - Community Meeting on the Zoom Platform

LET’S CONTINUE TO WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE CHESTERFIELD A DESTINATION COMMUNITY

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