



2009 Parklawn Civic Association Event Schedule:

PCA General Meeting

Monday, April 13, 7:30 p.m., Mason District Government Center

Vote on Braddock Triangle landscaping plans at our next general meeting. PIC Chair Mike Gates will present three plans for our members to vote on. We will be landscaping the front of the triangle near the sign as well as the back half of the triangle. Officer Courtney Thibault, of the Mason District Crime Prevention unit will be our guest speaker. We hope you can attend!

Parklawn Civic Association and Glasgow Middle School Clean-up Team-up

Saturday, April 18, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., Glasgow Middle School Parking Lot (Rain date:

Sunday, April 19)

This joint clean-up, co-supported by PCA and GMS, is designed to address trash in areas leading to (Fairfax Parkway) and around the Glasgow Middle School grounds (tennis court area). We encourage anyone reading this newsletter to participate. Depending on turnout, we may be able to expand our focus and coverage. Please bring snacks or beverages. We will have some bags and gloves for general use. For more information contact: Mike Gates (703.941.5246; pepsis1@verizon.net). See you there!

Household Hazardous Waste Disposal and Document Shredding

Saturday, May 2, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., Mason District Government Center

Residents can bring items such as acid, gasoline, fluorescent bulbs, fungicides, herbicides, insecticides, mercury products, oil-based paint, paint thinner, pesticides, poisons, pool chemicals, and nickel, cadmium, lithium, and mercury batteries. For document shredding, residents can bring

up to five reasonable-sized boxes of paper per household. Please remove paper from binders and remove binder clips. For more information, visit www.fairfaxcounty.gov/dpwes/recycling/calendar.htm or call the Fairfax County Recycling Info Line at 703.324.5052.

Parklawn Community Yard Sale

Sunday, May 17, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. (Rain date: May 24)

It's time to get rid of all that stuff you just can't stand to throw away. And it's easy! PCA will handle all the advertising details. Just display items in your yard, get out your comfortable chair, and watch that cash flow. This year the event is on Sunday to take advantage of the high church traffic around our neighborhood and to avoid competition from other neighborhood yard sales. Last year five other Fairfax neighborhoods held community yard sales on the same Saturday as ours. Now hopefully ours will be the main sale that day, maximizing your profit!

PCA suggests a \$10 donation to support the classified ad, neighborhood yard sale signs, and neighborhood yard sale maps so folks can find your home. Make donation payable to the Parklawn Civic Association and send or deliver to 6338 Hillcrest Place. You can also donate items to PCA for sale if you cannot participate yourself. To register and schedule pickup/delivery if you would like to donate items for the yard sale, please contact Dave Galway (703.395.2172; pcatreasurer@parklawncommunity.org). PCA will enter all participants in a drawing to win a \$25 Starbucks' gift card, so please register today!

2nd Annual Pool-side Mixer

Saturday, May 23, 6:00p.m. – 9:00 p.m. (Rain date: Sunday, May 24).

Join us for the 2nd annual pool-side mixer at the Parklawn Pool (6011 Crater Place, Alexandria, VA 22312-1106; 703-914.9808). Come meet your fellow neighbors and have some fun. This festive event was a smash hit last year! Please bring a neighbor and a light hors d'oeuvre to share. PCA and Parklawn Pool will provide the refreshments, a band and DJ, and the disco ball. Don't miss the free dance lesson at 7:45 p.m. in Swing, Rumba, and more. No partner necessary.

Come out and 'get down' with your neighbors! If you can help out on this day, please call Amanda Aguilera (703.642.2696) or Vangie Kelly (703.663.8188).

National Night Out

Tuesday, August 4, 2009

Please save the date — and look for more information to come on the Parklawn Yahoo group and email list.

Volunteer Appreciation Party

September 19, 2009, 2 – 4pm, 4104 Jewel St. (Rain Date: Sunday, September 20)

There have been many successes for the Parklawn Community through the work of the volunteers with PCA this past year. Please come celebrate with us as we thank everyone who has helped our community. Whether you put in some time helping on a committee or event; provided manpower delivering newsletters or during a clean up day; or made a financial donation, we want to thank you for getting us where we are today. We would be nothing without our volunteers. Join us for a volunteer appreciation party as we celebrate our community volunteers. Please RSVP to Mollie Loeffler (703.508.8320) by September 11, 2009. This is a PCA Members-Only Event.