Shepherd Park News
A quarterly newsletter for the residents of Shepherd Park, Colonial Village and North Portal Estates

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SPCA Membership Drive in Full Gear
■ By Barry Hudson. Photo by Beth Allaben.

The new SPCA membership year has begun with gusto. Our goal is to increase membership to more than 500 households in Shepherd Park, Colonial Village, and North Portal Estates. Dues are just $25 per household and are used to support the annual potluck dinner, Halloween parade, and picnic. Dues are also used for welcome baskets for new neighbors, this newsletter, Shepherd Elementary School, the Shepherd Park Library, and many other activities and programs that enhance the quality of life for area residents and the broader DC community. Dues paying members enjoy discounts on SPCA t-shirts and sweatshirts, garden tour tickets, and registration fees for the yard sale. In the near future, members will be able to purchase t-shirts and garden tour tickets and to register for the yard sale online.

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Barry Hudson, John Sewell, and Roz Coates show off the new SPCA sweatshirts.

Neighbors can now pay dues online using PayPal or may send a check or money order using the self-addressed envelope that was mailed with a membership application in January. Visit our website at www.shepherdpark.org to join and to learn more about upcoming events.

Contact Barry Hudson, Membership Chair, at blehudson@comcast.net or (202) 487-5950 for more information about membership, to purchase t-shirts or sweatshirts.

Shepherd Park Stories

What was Shepherd Park like in the ‘40s, ‘50s, or ‘60s? Do you remember hot fudge sundaes cakes at Hofberg’s or running to the DGS for your groceries? What are some of your fondest memories growing up in Shepherd Park?

We would like to hear from you for a series of articles on some of our longest residing residents. We have recently interviewed a few of our neighbors and are looking forward to interviewing more in the next few months. We have already heard from several neighbors who have lived here for more than 50 years and we hope to hear from more of you. If you are a longtime resident and have a Shepherd Park story to share, contact Angela Martin at MartininDC@aol.com or (202) 723-0323.
2011 SPCA Membership Application

Name:____________________________________________________________________
__________________________________________________

Please list all adult household members

Address:__________________________________________________________________
__________________________________________________
__________________________________________________

Email:__________________________________________________________________

Phone Number:________________________________________________________

Signature:___________________________ Date:______________________________

☐ I want to join SPCA and live in the area bordered by Eastern Avenue on the north, Aspen Street on the south, Georgia Avenue (west side) on the east, and Rock Creek Park on the west.

☐ I don’t live in the neighborhood, but would like to be a “Friend of SPCA.”

$_____2011 Dues: $25/household $_____ Donation
$_______TOTAL

New! Pay online at www.shepherdpark.org

Make your check payable to SPCA and mail to: SPCA, PO Box 55255, Washington, DC 20040-5255

Questions? Contact SPCA Membership Chair Barry Hudson at blehudson@comcast.net or (202) 487-5950

To join the Shepherd Park email group, send blank email to shepherdpark-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

Calendar of SPCA Events

• SPCA Annual Meeting & Election: Tues, May 10, 7 pm, Shepherd Elem.
• Garden Tour: Sun, May 22, 1-4 pm
• Yard Sale: Sat & Sun, June 4-5, 9 am-3 pm
• Picnic: Sun, June 26, 2-6 pm, Lowell field
• SPCA Board Meetings: Tuesdays, Mar 8, Apr 12, 7:30 pm place to be announced

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DPW and Police Headline SPCA Community Meeting

The SPCA held its first community meeting of 2011 on February 8 at Shepherd Elementary School. William Howland, Director of the DC Department of Public Works discussed parking, dog waste, recycling, leaf collection, and the recent snow event. Mr. Howland acknowledged that it is difficult for DPW to effectively address the parking problems that residents who live close to the DC/Silver Spring border are experiencing. He suggested that affected residents consider obtaining a residential restricted parking designation that is effective 24/7 and to get more information from the DC Department of Transportation.

Sergeant Butler reported that the overall crime rate for the Shepherd Park area is down from 2010. However, there has been a slight increase in burglaries. Sergeant Baxa and Officer Jones were also on hand to answer questions. Attorney Jehlan Stewart of the U. S. Attorney’s Office provided an overview of efforts to protect the safety of persons and property through the prosecution of criminals. Her remarks underscored the importance of an alert citizenry that communicates with law enforcement personnel.

The next SPCA community meeting will be May 10, when we will elect new officers and board members. If you are interested in serving on the Board, or nominating someone to serve, please send an email to rwil730@aol.com.

Help Clean Up Our Corner of Rock Creek Park

North Portal neighbor Clif Grandy will be back to organize the 2011 Fenwick Tributary cleanup in Rock Creek Park on Saturday, April 9, 9 am-noon. The cleanup of our corner of Rock Creek Park is part of the regional Rock Creek Extreme and Potomac River Watershed Day cleanups. For additional information and to volunteer contact Clif at clifatethebeach@yahoo.com or (202) 841-0017.

Get Your SPCA Apparel

Show your neighborhood pride with the new SPCA t-shirts and sweatshirts now available in navy blue. The t-shirts are $15 for adult and $12 for child sizes. The sweatshirts come in crewneck and hoodies and are available in limited supply. Crewnecks are $25 and hoodies are $30; adult and child sizes available.

To purchase a shirt, contact Barry Hudson at (202) 487-5950 or by email at blehudson@comcast.net. Don’t forget, SPCA members receive a $3 discount on each shirt and $5 on each hoodie.
Holidays On Georgia Avenue

Article by Roz Coates. Photo by Beth Allaben.

The SPCA sponsored "Holidays on Georgia Avenue" on December 10. The event was designed to promote a vibrant business community along Georgia Avenue while giving neighbors an opportunity to socialize. The Children’s Story Hour at the Shepherd Park Library was a great success; over 50 children attended! Special thanks to the Shepherd Elementary School teachers and staff who accompanied the children, the SES volunteer readers, and the Library staff.

Kelly and Tim Shuy, of Ledo Pizza and Pasta, led the lighting of a beautiful Christmas tree. Brownies and hot apple cider were offered. Bill Petros of the NW Current took photos; and, one appeared on the front page of the Current.

SPCA Board members were joined by Commander Kimberly Chisley-Missouri and Councilmember Muriel Bowser as they visited several of the businesses participating in the event.

Cork 'n Bottle and Mayfair Liquors provided wine tastings and discounts on purchases. Manoukian Brothers offered valuable information about selecting fine rugs and special discounts. Charlie’s Bar and Grill provided drink specials and complimentary appetizers. The event also enjoyed support from Sunshine Restaurant, Modern Mobler Furniture, and Demi Mode Salon.

Stay tuned for more events on Upper Georgia Avenue!

Neighbors light tree in front of Ledo Pizza & Pasta.

Spring into Shepherd Elementary

By Mark Pattison.

Springtime is a busy time at Shepherd Elementary School.

Dozens of Shepherd Elementary School students are in a special "Afterschool Academy" to boost their comprehension in math and reading—and Shepherd’s DC-CAS test scores in April.

The PTA unveiled a "Brick by Brick" fundraiser this year. Buy a brick and you can get it inscribed the way you want! We’ll put them flanking the walkway between the 14th Street sidewalk and the doors to the original building. Go to the school website, www.shepherd-elementary.org, for details.

It’s not too early to mark your calendar for the school’s biggest fundraiser. The Auction is set for Friday, May 6, 7-11 pm, at the Washington Ethical Society. Tickets are $40, or two for $70. For tickets or to donate items, call Bianca Bostic at (202) 821-8076.

The school was expecting a decision this spring on its application to be named an International Baccalaureate Primary Years Programme school. Well, spring has arrived early, just like the groundhog predicted, and on February 9 the letter arrived confirming Shepherd Elementary School’s status as an IB school!
Meet the Board

As part of our effort to get to know you, we’d also like to give you a chance to get to know the SPCA board members a little better. Here’s the third installment.

Noreen Conway is delighted to serve the Shepherd Park Citizens Association once again as one of the Delegates to the Federation of Citizens Associations. Having previously served on the SPCA Board for several years, she is back for another round of service this year. Officially, her favorite SPCA event is the Halloween parade, which provides a festive opportunity for the community children, neighbors, and friends to parade and prowl for tricks and treats into the night. Unofficially, she is happiest when it snows so she can head to Shepherd Hill with her son, Tighe, age 9 – flying-saucers in tow! She and her husband, Bob Raymond, have enjoyed living in Shepherd Park for ten years. Noreen is optimistic for further development along Georgia Avenue that could afford additional social opportunities to residents of Shepherd Park.

Yvonne McIntyre is also one of the Delegates to the Federation of Citizens Associations. She and her husband, Patrick Grobbel, have lived in Shepherd Park since 1998. Yvonne was very active on the Shepherd Elementary PTA while her children attended the school, ultimately serving as President. She wants to play an active role in keeping our neighborhood a vibrant community and a great place to live; in particular she has concerns with crime and safety issues and economic development in the area.

Co-Recording Secretary Cheryl Teare is a returning member to the SPCA board after a 10 year break. She and her husband Presley Reed have lived in the neighborhood for 20 years. Both of their children attended Shepherd Elementary where they were active and involved leaders of the PTA. Cheryl has also served as the Advancement Chair for Boy Scout Troop 544 and has assisted numerous scouts in advancing in rank and achieving the status of Eagle Scout. The Teare-Reed family loves Shepherd Park and cherishes the friends and neighbors who also call Shepherd Park home.

Cheryl serves as the national director of training and education for the American Federation of Teachers.

Noreen Conway and son, Tighe. Photo by Emma Villedrouin.

Noreen Conway and son, Tighe.
Let Freedom Sing Comes to Shepherd Park on March 25

By Beth Allaben. Photo by Loretta Neumann.

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An additional performance will be held on Thursday, March 24, 7 pm in the auditorium of the Takoma Education Campus @ Meyer, 2501 11th Street NW, $25 general admission, $15 for seniors, and $10 for children 12 and under. This performance will raise funds to help replace arts supplies lost in the fire at the Takoma Education Campus. A reception with light refreshments will follow the performance.

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At Your Service!

By Beth Allaben.

If you monitor the Shepherd Park email group, you may recognize these names – Carly Skidmore and Brandon Starkes. Carly and Brandon are the two Outreach and Service Specialists for Ward 4 in the Mayor’s Office of Community Relations and Services.

As the service specialists for Ward 4, their job is to provide a liaison between the residents of Ward 4 and the Mayor. This can mean facilitating city services, connecting residents with DC resources, or working with multiple District agencies and/or community groups to find sustainable and comprehensive solutions.

They do not replace the city’s Service Request Center – neighbors should still call 311 or go online to 311.dc.gov to make requests for city services like streetlight and pothole repairs and missed trash/recycling pick up. However, Carly and Brandon can help if you are having trouble getting a city service after making a request. Carly and Brandon encourage you to send them an email or call.

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News from our Platinum Business Members:

Spots are still available in Lowell’s Middle School for the 2011-12 school year. For more info, contact Lowell at admissions@lowellschool.org or visit www.lowellschool.org. Don’t miss Lowell’s Summer Camp Open House on March 13, 2-4 pm.

Calendar

Special Events at the Library

- Fri, Mar 25, 1-4 pm
  Happy Birthday Kate DiCamillo
- Sat, Apr 2, 1-4 pm
- Wed, Apr 6, 4:30 pm
  Twisted Fairy Tales and Craft (ages 3 and up)
- Apr 10-16, during library hours
  National Library Week Book Mark Craft (all ages)
- Thurs, Apr 21, 10am-12pm
  Egg Dyeing (ages birth-9 years)
- Thurs, Apr 28, 10a & 11 am
  Jazz Story Time and Petting Zoo (ages birth-6 years)
- Sat, Apr 30, 1-4 pm
  El Dia de los Niños/El Dia de los Libros: A celebration of children, families and reading, giveaways (all ages)

Continuing

- Mondays, 4:30 pm
  Teen Gaming (ages 12-19), hang out and play Wii and PlayStation, Sh Pk Library
- Tuesdays
  - Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5), 10am, Sh Pk Library
  - Baby/Toddler Lap Time (ages 0-24 mos), 11 am, Sh Pk Library
- Wednesdays, 6:30 pm
  Movie Night (ages 12 and up), Sh Pk Library
- Thursdays, 1:03 am
  Preschool Movies (ages 3-5), Sh Pk Library
- Saturdays, 1 pm
  Scrabble (ages 6 and up), Sh Pk Library
- Saturdays, 10 am-4 pm
  Thrift & Consignment Shop, Northminster Presby. Church

March

- Tues, Mar 8, 7:30 pm
  SPCA Board mtg, place TBD
- Wed, Mar 9, 7 pm, PSA 401 mtg, Sh Pk Library
- Sun, Mar 13, 2:4 pm
  Summer Camp Open House, Lowell School
- Sun, March 13, 3 pm
  Musical Program, St. Mary’s Baptist Church
- Wed, Mar 16, 6:45 pm
  Shepherd Elem. PTA mtg
- Wed, Mar 16, 7 pm
  Concerned Neighbors, Inc. Comm. Ass’n mtg, Sh Pk Library
- Thurs, Mar 17, 7 pm
  4D Police Citizens Advisory Council mtg, 6001 Georgia Ave
- Sat, Mar 26-May 28, 10 am-12:30 pm
  Living and Speaking Peace, $35, Wash. Ethical Soc’y
- Wed, Mar 30, 1 pm
  9500 Liberty, a film on undocumented immigrants in Pk. William County, VA, Wash. Ethical Soc’y

April

- Fri, Apr 1, 12:30-2 pm
  First Fridays lunch/discussion group, a monthly social event for retirees, bring food to share, Wash. Ethical Soc’y
- Sat, Apr 2, 9:30-11:30 am
  Career Club, a monthly networking/support group, Wash. Ethical Soc’y
- Mon, Apr 4, 11, & 18, 7:30-9:15 pm
  Drawing as Active Meditation, no experience nec’y, $35, Wash. Ethical Soc’y
- Tues, Apr 5, 7-15 pm
  ANC 4A mtg, Ft. Stevens Rec Center
- Sun, Apr 10, 10:30 am & 3 pm
  2011 Spring Revival, St. Mary’s Baptist Church
- Tues, Apr 12, 7:30 pm
  SPCA Board mtg, place TBD
- Wed, Apr 13, 7 pm
  PSA 401 mtg, Sh Pk Library
- Thurs, Apr 14, 6-8 pm
  Middle School Open House, Lowell School
- Sat, Apr 16, 3 pm
  “Golden Angels” (Seniors) Fashion Show, St. Mary’s Church
- Sun, Apr 17, 12-30 pm
  Democracy in our Nation’s Capital!, discussion with DC VOTE, Wash. Ethical Soc’y
- Wed, Apr 20, 6:45 pm
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