

The Pine Spring

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Spring 2024

Vol. 72 No. 1 May 16, 2024 Pine Spring Civic Association – www.pinespring.org Jennifer Stofferahn, President; Jennifer Catton, Vice President; Bradlee Simoneaux, Treasurer; Michael Fogarty, Secretary

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Pine Spring neighbors,

Thank you for the opportunity to have served our neighborhood these last four years as President of our Pine Spring Civic Association. Since the beginning of 2020, our team has been busy on the block, from social events to speed humps, nature projects, and colorful printed directories! There are many more things we'd love to accomplish for Pine Spring, but we need your help to do them.

As of July 1^{st,} this year, I plan to step back from the president role and focus on some side projects, making room for new leadership on the PSCA board and inviting YOU to lend your talents to Pine Spring! New officer nominees will be featured at our upcoming Annual Meeting on June 26th, so don't miss your chance to get involved (see below).

Thanks for being our neighbors, and cheers to Pine Spring! Jenn Stofferahn, PSCA President

Save The Dates!

Wednesday, June 26, Annual Meeting

Saturday, August 24, Block Party!

ON THE ANNUAL MEETING AGENDA: ELECT NEW BOARD MEMBERS

All of our current PSCA board members have now been serving in their roles for four years. The time has come to bring in new leadership and new ideas! Please consider volunteering – we will make it official with a vote at the meeting on June 26th!

If you plan to volunteer, please send notice to: pinespringcivicassociation@gmail.com

ON THE ANNUAL MEETING AGENDA: WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?

More items you'd like to add to our agenda? Email us! <u>pinespringcivicassociation@gmail.com</u>

PINE SPRING CIVIC ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING JUNE 26th

One of our most important duties as the Civic Association Board is to bring together the residents to discuss the key issues facing the neighborhood.

When: 6:00 PM, June 26th

Where: Pine Spring Elementary

ON THE ANNUAL MEETING AGENDA: GUNSHOTS HEARD – AN UPDATE

Neighbors have recently reported gunshots heard at night in the Pine Spring Elementary Area. We will discuss updates from police and what is being done to address this issue. Please report any incidents you hear to the civic association so we can track.



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ANNUAL BLOCK PARTY!

Maybe the best day in the whole Pine Spring year? The Annual Block Party date is set for August 24th! The plan calls for more great food, great music, great entertainment for the kids, and great neighborhood company. More details to come as it gets closer!

HELPING OUR LOCAL FOXES

We have been continuing our work from last year to help the local red fox population. If you regularly see foxes around the neighborhood with injuries or mange (patchy fur caused by an easy-to-treat skin parasite), please contact Jenn Stofferahn at 703-402-1144 or jennstofferahn@gmail.com. In particular, there are new young fox kits this season who are extra vulnerable to mange, so spotting them early is critical for helping them survive.





VOTE!

Virginia's Republican and Democratic Party primaries are on June 18th. Register by May 28th! Early voting continues until June 15th, but at fewer locations.

Learn more at Fairfax County's website here.

DO YOU LOVE MID-CENTURY MODERN?

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As we're sure you know, Pine Spring is a prime example of classic Mid-Century Modern architecture and design. We're curious - how many neighbors love this style as much as we do? If YOU love MCM and are interested in events and projects that celebrate it, send an email to pinespringcivicassociation@gmail.com with the title "I LOVE MCM". No need to say more, we'll get the message!

NEIGHBORHOOD COMMUICATION

Are you receiving our emails? Is not, send us a note at pinespringcivicassociation@gmail.com and we will add you to the distribution list! And check out our website at pinespring.org