

# The Hummingbird News

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#### PCHA BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2014-2015

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VICE PRESIDENT	ROY HARTLEY	2015-2018
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SECRETARY	MARGARET STEELE	2015-2018
NEWSLETTER	JUDY FUSS	2016-2019
		2016-2017

#### SEPTEMBER 2016

#### **PCHA INTERACTIVE**

Get the Most Out of Powhatan Crossing

#### WE'RE ON THE WEB

Have a concern? Need approval for a fence or shed?

News you can use is just a click away! www.powhatancrossing.org

#### **PCHA NEXTDOOR**

A community bulletin board for Powhatan Crossing & surrounding neighborhoods!

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#### CONTACT THE BOARD

Need to contact a Board member?

One address reaches all Board members.

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#### NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL

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## **NOVEMBER 8, 2016**



6:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.

#### **NEED INFORMATION?**

Proposed Constitutional Amendments Sample Ballot

Click here ...

Registration
Where to vote

## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

When Powhatan Crossing was established, its developer created a homeowners association and instituted a set of "rules" to maintain a quality neighborhood for the benefit of all who live here. These Declarations have been twice updated by vote of the membership, most recently in 2015.

Each of us accepted these Declarations when we purchased our Powhatan Crossing property – we entered into a legal contract with all of our neighbors. The vast majority of us abide by these rules simply as a matter of routine; a few do not.

No one wants a big dust-up over the Declarations – but let me suggest to you that it should be a matter of self-respect - and respect for one's neighbors - to adhere to the contract into which you entered when you moved here.

Ken Owen
President

#### **ABOUT THE BOARD**

I think nearly everyone knows, but I'd like to remind you that the PCHA Board of Directors is an entirely voluntary effort. No one is compensated for their time and effort.

To that end, the Board is delighted when a neighbor steps up to help with taking care of our responsibilities to manage the affairs of our neighborhood.

## Come to any Board meeting.

We'll be happy to see you.

Ken

#### WELCOME

Wes & Michelle White 3445 Hunter's Ridge Olga Thompson 4457 Powhatan Crossing



## DON'T BE A VICTIM!

LOCK CARS AT NIGHT TAKE VALUABLES INSIDE!

Most thefts are from UNLOCKED cars.

#### PHONE SCAMS ABOUND

JCC Police track phone scams to area residents.
Call to report phone scams:
566-0112

## CHECK OUT JCC POLICE SCAM ALERTS!

Click here ...

#### DOOR-TO-DOOR SOLICITORS

People selling door-to-door in JCC must:

- · Carry a JCC-issued photo ID.
- Provide references, bonding, and fingerprints.

If a salesperson comes to your door, ask for their ID.

Sales for charities are exempt.

## GOOD NEIGHBORS ...

keep property values strong.

- · Garage or screen trailers.
- · Garage boats or store off-site.
- Clear gutters of grass and leaves.
- Trim grass at curbs and around posts.

## WEBSITE HAS A NEW LOOK!

Thanks to **Jason Pully** for designing and managing our website.

Jason has also created an integrated system for tracking payments and alterations requests online.

#### BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS



## THIRD THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH 7:00 P.M.

JAMESTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SEE PCHA WEBSITE FOR SCHEDULE
WWW.POWHATANCROSSING.ORG

All members welcome

## **WE NEED YOU**



There's an open position on the Board.
INTERESTED?

Send a message: pcha.news@gmail.com

#### POND MAINTENANCE CONTINUING

Maintenance completed this spring:

- Removed floating debris from pond.
- Cleared trees growing at the pond's edge.
- Cleaned concrete swales.

Next steps for 2017:

- Repair dewatering unit to stop leaking.
- · Remove debris from pond bottom.
- Stabilize erosion at dewatering unit base.
- Clear and re-trench spillway overflow swale.
- Clear trees and bamboo from backside of dam.

PCHA is applying for a JCC Drainage Matching Grant to help defray the costs of this upcoming work.

Thanks to **Ron Feigenbaum** and **Roy Hartley** for managing ongoing Stormwater System work.

Want to help? Contact the board: pcha.news@gmail.com

Other tasks and projected costs are outlined in the PCHA <a href="5-year Startegic Plan">5-year Startegic Plan</a>.





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