

The Lyon Village Bulletin

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Lyon Village Citizens' Association (LVCA) Arlington, VA

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Early Spring Calendar

March 9: LVCA Meeting, 7pm
March 10: Rescheduled Mardi Gras Parade, 8pm
March 19: Coffee with a Cop, 4-6pm
March 21: Shamrock Bar Crawl, 2-9pm
April 13: LVCA General Meeting, 8pm

March 10: Rescheduled Mardi Gras Parade, 8pm

Snow cancelled the parade on Feb. 17, so come join us at the rescheduled parade on March 10, starting at 8pm. The parade runs along Wilson Blvd. from Barton to Highland. Be prepared for street closures.

March 19: Coffee with a Cop, 4-6pm

Join our 2nd District Police team at Java Shack for this informal meet and greet event. Coffee is on them!

Milling, Paving in LV

As part of the county's preventive maintenance program, three Lyon Village streets are scheduled for milling and paving sometime between April and October. The streets are I) Key from Highland to Jackson; 2) Hartford from Key to 18th; and 3) Jackson from 13th to 17th. View a detailed map showing this year's proposed work locations here: http://arlingtonva.s3.amazonaws.com/wpcontent/uploads/sites/19/2015/02/DES_Paving_Map_20151.

A notice letter will be mailed to all affected residential or business addresses approximately one month before the beginning of the paving season. A door hanger will be distributed 24 to 48 hours prior to the start of operations, and No Parking Signs will be installed showing the specific dates on which work will be performed. For more info, contact Francis Soulamany, 703-228-7822 or fsoulamany@arlingtonva.us.

Forum on Aging, March 16

Arlington's Commission on Aging is hosting a Community Engagement Forum on aging issues on March 16 at 10am at the Langston Brown Community Center (free parking). The forum will focus on four core areas in aging: Nutrition and Wellness, Public Information and Outreach, Supportive Services for Aging in the Community, and Transportation. The forum will conclude by 11:45am with an option to tour the Community Center and have lunch (suggested contribution is \$2). Please contact the Area Agency on Aging at 703-228-1741 or email at arlaaaa@arlingtonva.us to RSVP.

Yard Waste Collection

Spring yard waste collection runs from March 16 - April 24. Bagged yard waste is collected on the business day after your normal trash day. For more info, visit www.recycling.arlingtonva.us and search "Spring Yard Waste."

LVCA General Mtg. March 9, 7pm This month, there will be a social hour from 7-8pm with light snacks

provided by Hard Times Café. Come early and meet your LVCA Executive Committee. The meeting will start at 8pm with a police report from the Arlington County Police Department. We will then have our annual Real Estate meeting, which has proven to be quite popular. The presentation will feature a discussion of the real estate market in Lyon Village (presented by Lyon Village residents and real estate agents Ruth Boyer O'Dea, Billy Buck, and John Plank), so come prepared with questions.

LVCA Elections / Events Coordinator

LVCA Elections will be held in May. If you have ever considered volunteering for the Executive Committee, please contact John Carten (gicarten@verizon.net) to discuss possible open positions. One open position is the Events Coordinator, who is responsible for organizing the July 4 Parade and Picnic, Holiday Party, Halloween Parade and Potluck, movie nights, and any other events the LVCA decides to host. In order for training to occur, we must have a new Events Coordinator identified by May 1. If no one volunteers, we may need to cancel the July 4 Parade and Picnic and all other events until someone does volunteer. Note: Our Assistant Events Coordinator will be staying on to help.

Village Market

Kawai piano for sale. Purchased for \$3,400. Excellent condition. Now asking \$1,000. Call Ray at 703-524-3828.

Delicious deal: Support the Washington Lee High School softball team's fundraiser for its first-ever tournament trip. Purchase the team's cookbook (\$25) packed with fabulous recipes from the team and get coupons valued at over \$100 for free food from local restaurants and discounted auto services (including a \$9.95 oil/filter change from an Arlington auto dealership). Please contact Deb at dladiffee@gmail.com.

Lyon Village residents are invited to send their notices of garage sales, nanny searches, and more to the Village Market by the end of the 3rd week of the month.

2014 – 2015 Dues Payments

Fiscal 2015 dues (September 2014-August 2015) are \$7 for individuals or \$10 per household. Mail or deliver your payments to Don Gay at 1803 N. Highland St. (make checks payable to "LVCA") or go to lyonvillage.org to pay via PayPal.

Sign up for the LV Listserv

If you do not receive periodic email updates from us, you are missing out. We send timely info about crime, power outages, street closures, the occasional lost pet, and more. Sign up on our website, www.lyonvillage.org, or encourage new neighbors and reluctant technophobes to sign up!