BAYCLIFF BUGLE

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Happy New Year to All Baycliff Friends and Neighbors!

2014 is now behind us as we move into 2015 with all our New Year's resolutions. I hope each of you will think about volunteering for more of the delightful events that make Baycliff THE PLACE to live in Virginia Beach. Without the support of volunteers to help our chairpersons, our special events would not be possible.

The Luminary Lighting on the evening of December 13th was just fabulous! We had many streets with full participation, and we saw a lot of neighbors assisting others that needed help. Thank you to Michelle Baker and Jenny Huelsberg for all your hard work on this great event. The Santa Visit on December 20th was a great success too with over 70 Baycliff children participating, plus their parents, grandparents, older siblings and many volunteers also in attendance. A big thank you to my co-chairperson Dove Payman, Baycliff's own Santa Bob Postel, and the host of adult and teen helpers, who all made this event one to be remembered.

Our next civic league meeting will be Wednesday, January 21st at 7:00 p.m. at Alanton Elementary School. We have requested a special guest speaker from Friends Of First Landing, who will inform us of all the wonderful events that occur at First Landing State Park, right around the corner! After our program, we will vote on getting a hydrographic survey of our canal completed as part of our self-dredging project. *Your vote is needed on this important matter*!

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend our civic league meetings and all of our events. Together we keep Baycliff a welcoming, well-maintained, safe and sought-after place to live.

See you around the neighborhood!

Jane Cecelic , President of the Baycliff Civic League

CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21ST, 7 PM ALANTON CAFETERIA

- **Friends of First Landing Park Program**
- **VOTE TO FUND CANAL SURVEY**

Your vote is needed! If you *cannot* attend, please be sure to return Absentee Ballot on page 5.

- **Business Meeting and Committee Reports**

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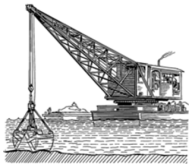
YOUR VOTE NEEDED TO FUND BAYCLIFF BOATING CANAL SURVEY



Friends and Neighbors,

I hope you and your family had a wonderful holiday. We are fortunate to live in a community that takes pride in commemorating the holidays with beautiful outdoor decorations and such heart-warming events as our Luminaria Lighting and Santa Visit.

As we enter the New Year, the Baycliff Dredging committee will continue to meet and provide information to the community on the status of our self-directed dredging initiative for Mill Dam Creek and associated canals. As previously mentioned, several neighbors provided the community with a tremendous service several years ago, by performing waterborne soundings of Mill Dam Creek and associated canals. As a result of their actions, the Baycliff Dredging committee was able to provide a rough monetary estimate on the costs of cubic yards of spoils (dredged material) to be removed for a future self-directed dredging initiative. The survey provided us with an approximate amount of spoils to be removed to achieve a four feet deep channel with options for channel widths of forty, twenty-five and twenty feet in width. Based on the above, the Baycliff Dredging Committee determined that a four feet depth (at mean low tide) by twenty feet wide channel would meet the needs of all Baycliff residents with waterfront property on Mill Dam creek and associated canals. In addition, channel dredging will provide *all Baycliff residents* unrestricted, non-tide contingent access to our community boat ramp and waterway, which is desperately needed.

One of the next steps involved in the process prior to dredging is obtaining a hydrographic survey, followed by a dredging permit. Even though we performed our own waterborne survey, the permitting process and all dredging companies require a licensed hydrographic survey be executed prior to dredging. The purpose of the underwater hydrographic survey is to enable prospective dredging companies the ability to map water depth and quantify the approximate amount of spoils needed for removal at predetermined locations. The hydrographic survey will extend from the Baycliff community boat ramp along the entire length of Mill Dam Creek and its associated Baycliff canals and extend to the entrance of Broad Bay.

The Baycliff Dredging Committee prepared a specification (plus option item) for the hydrographic survey of Mill Dam Creek and associated canals. We have requested proposals from four survey contractors. The Baycliff Dredging Committee is in the process of evaluating hydrographic survey proposals and have preliminary cost estimates from at least three contractors. We intend to base our award, utilizing best value contract award criteria. A best value award will be made in the near future and be based on meeting the criteria established in our specification along with needs of our community requirements, lowest price, along with any experience dealing with neighborhood dredging projects.

The Baycliff Dredging committee is requesting that up to $12,000.00 of the $20,000.00 remaining balance from our dredging /boat ramp capital improvement fund be allocated to award a future contract for the hydrographic survey of Mill Dam Creek and associated canals. As required by civic league by-laws, the obligation of funds spent over $1000.00 must be approved by the civic league executive board, advertised in the Baycliff Bugle, and then voted on by the community. **This community vote will be held Wednesday evening, January 21st at the Bayciff Civic League general membership meeting**. Should you be unable to vote in person that evening, we ask you to vote using the **absentee ballot on page 5 of this newsletter**. Please be sure to sign and return it to Recording Secretary Kat Coughlin, 1516 Bay Point Drive, before noon on January 21st .

The Baycliff Dredging committee welcomes constructive input and discussion. You are invited to join the Dredging Committee and participate in the evaluation process of the dredging bids.

I will be taking a leave of absence from the Baycliff Dredging Committee due to an upcoming medical procedure and to also care for my elderly parents. Thanks for your support of this matter.

Richard Dunning, Chairman Baycliff Dredging

Richard Dunning

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Absentee Ballot

VOTE TO FUND BOATING CANAL SURVEY COST UP TO $12,000.00

Should you be unable to attend the Wednesday, January 21st BAYCLIFF CIVIC LEAGUE meeting, please take a moment to complete and return this ballot so that we have adequate votes to approve or disapprove this proposal. We are deciding whether or not to spend up to $12,000.00 to get a hydrographic survey of the Baycliff Canal, a prerequisite to obtaining a dredging permit. These funds are available in the previously established $20,000.00 Dredging and Boat Ramp Capital Improvements Fund voted upon and approved by Baycliff residents. Two adults members per household can vote. All ballots must be hand signed. Mark one circle to cast your vote. ***Please deliver signed ballots to Recording Secretary Kat Coughlin, 1516 Bay Point Drive, before noon on Wednesday, January 21st.*** If additional ballots are needed, please photocopy.

I APPROVE spending up to $12,000 for a hydrographic survey of the Baycliff Canal. ○

I DISAPPROVE spending up to $12,000 for a hydrographic survey of the Baycliff Canal. ○

Name: _____

Signature_____

Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

HUGE DEAD POPLAR TREE REMOVED AT BAYCLIFF ENTRY

Baycliff Civic League thanks Kevin at Sun Valley Tree Service for removing a hazardous tree from our community common area. We received three quotes on the large dead Poplar located next to the road by the bulletin board, and Sun Valley was again far less than the other two quotes. Kevin and his team took down the tree, ground the stump, and removed all the debris from the community area in less than a day.

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TWAS THE WEEKEND BEFORE CHRISTMAS AND ALL THROUGH BAYCLIFF…

Janie Cecelic and Dove Payman, Co-Chairmen

See more photos on page 8 and at www.baycliff.net, password: bodega

We celebrated our 22nd Annual Santa visit on Saturday, December 20th. The event was attended by 73 children and their families who colored wooden holiday ornaments, made reindeer food and were adorned with holiday tattoos. New additions this year included Reindeer Wagon rides and an adorable Gingerbread House to play in for our youngest holiday goers. Our resident Santa, Bob Postel, was greeted by jaw dropped children with big awestruck faces. Children sat patiently for the teen elves to call out their name and to go up to be handed a gift from Santa. Lastly, a "hayride" with Santa and his elves and filled with happy children singing Christmas carols circled Baycliff to spread holiday cheer.

We encourage all teens, college students, empty nesters, grandparents and all of our neighbors to stop by next year to reminisce through the faces of innocent children as Santa brings them the spirit of Christmas. It warms your heart on a cold day!

Special thank you to all that helped us make this event a huge success: **Jim, Jessica and Johanna Cecelic, Grandma Cecelic, Martin Ton, Michelle Baker, Clarke Payne, and Tom Giuffre.** We greatly appreciate your time and help. We wish you all a happy and healthy New Year!

Photos were taken by **Bill Westendorf, Michelle Baker, Stuart Douglas, Nina Long, Jennie Williams, and Dove Payman**.

TEEN ELF HELPERS: (earned community service hours)

Angie Giuffre
Dennis Giuffre
Grace Payne
Ella Payne
Maddie McClernon
Trevor Ton
Mary Cunningham
Jordan Daniels

COOKIE BAKERS

Anne Wright
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Lauren Faisant
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Shannon Ton
Christine Westendorf
Lisa Rosenfeld

VIRGINIA BEACH RESTAURANT WEEK TAKES PLACE JANUARY 10TH – 19TH

Join us this year as we celebrate our 10th Anniversary. Visit Virginia Beach's finest restaurants January 10th through the 19th as master chefs serve up innovative menus featuring tantalizing culinary creations. Virginia Beach Restaurant Week features two course lunches for ten dollars and three course dinners starting at twenty dollars. This year's Restaurant Week promises to be the most exciting ever with over 80 participating restaurants. Get all the details and menus at **http://www.dineinvb.com/**

A SAMPLING OF BAYCLIFF SANTA VISIT PHOTOS
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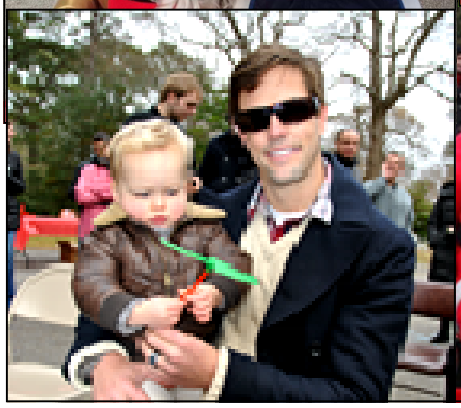

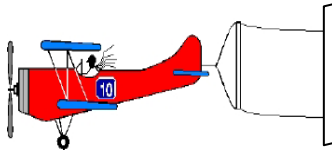

2015 BAYCLIFF DIRECTORY FAMILY SPONSORS NEEDED!

Publication of our new 2015 Baycliff Resident Directory has been delayed, pending raising sufficient funds to support the printing costs. Sales for our "Directory Deal" advertising campaign have been slow. Due to tight advertising budgets, some businesses who have generously supported Baycliff for many years have not renewed their ads, leaving us with a civic league budgetary shortfall. Many of you previously supported our publications through generous business ads and Baycliff Family Sponsorships in 2013 and 2014, and **we sincerely thank you!** We are turning to you to help us out again. Sponsors are needed to help underwrite the costs of printing the new 2015 Directory and Baycliff Bugle. Through a one time donation, your family's name will appear on a **FAMILY HONOR ROLL** in both the new 2015 Resident Directory and the next two years of the newsletter (ten issues) and be acknowledged as a dedicated supporter of our Baycliff community and civic league programs. Your donation enables the civic league to continue providing the resident directory to everyone in Baycliff at no cost.

PLEASE BE A BAYCLIFF FAMILY SPONSOR! **Levels of giving are: SILVER ($25.00 donation), GOLD ($50.00 donation) and PLATINUM ($100.00 donation).** Be sure to indicate that the additional donation is for a "Baycliff Family Sponsorship" and print out clearly how you would like to be listed on the "Honor Roll." Checks are payable to the Baycliff Civic League and should be sent to Treasurer John Mark Serré , 2004 Seafarer Cove, today! Please do not delay; the **deadline to be a Family Sponsor is February 15th,** after which we hope to submit the directory for printing. THANK YOU FOR YOUR BIGHEARTED SUPPORT!

2015 BAYCLIFF CIVIC LEAGUE DUES

It's time to pay your 2015 Civic League Dues!

We need EVERYONE to pay their dues, including renters. Dues provide the funds necessary to keep Baycliff a premiere address and our community well maintained and attractive. Please send in your contribution today. Thank you very much!

Please work with us to keep Baycliff a great place to live. Your dues help pay numerous community expenses. These include the electric bill for our entry lighting and irrigation system, upkeep of acres of common land (mowing, plants, mulch, tree trimming, boat ramp clean up) and liability insurance. Dues also provide seed funds for Baycliff repairs and renovations, community events, our biannual Baycliff Resident Directory and this newsletter.

Name:_____ **Address:** _____

_____ **Enclosed is $50.00 for my Civic League Dues.**

_____ **Enclosed is $35.00 for my Yacht Club Membership and Boat Ramp Key. (To obtain a boat ramp key, first pay $50.00 dues and add $35.00 for key.)**

_____ **Enclosed is my DONATION toward: FAMILY SPONSOR, Dredging, Egg Hunt, Spring Flowers, or General Capital Improvements Fund.** ***PLEASE SPECIFY.***

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION: The Civic League Membership Year is January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015. Please make your check payable to Baycliff Civic League.

Mail to John Mark Serré, Treasurer, 2004 Seafarer Cove. Thank you!

NEW 2015 BAYCLIFF RESIDENT DIRECTORY

20% of our residents have not yet responded. ***WE NEED TO HEAR FROM YOU, even if it is only to confirm that you have no changes!***

Your prompt cooperation will help ensure that this new edition is up-to-date and accurate. This is important to Baycliff's participation in Neighborhood Watch, as well as the City of Virginia Beach 911 system.

As a cost control and conservation measure, the civic league is in the process of switching to electronic communication. *PLEASE BE SURE TO INCLUDE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS FOR BAYCLIFFWATCH*, which is used to quickly disperse crime and safety alerts, as well as civic league and community notices. To respect your privacy, your e-mail address will not appear in the directory unless you have given us express consent to share. You can learn more about Baycliffwatch at www.baycliff.net

We also need a current telephone number, either your landline or cell. Since the 2013 Directory was published, many families have switched to exclusive cell phone use so if that is the case for you, please let us know if your old landline number should be deleted and provide your cell phone numbers. This will also facilitate neighbor- to-neighbor texting.

If you are moving, we would be very grateful if you would notify us ASAP and give this form to the NEW RESIDENT. THANK YOU!

2015 BAYCLIFF RESIDENT DIRECTORY INFORMATION

Please promptly return to Christine Westendorf, 2028 Sunset Point, by e-mailing cwestendorf@verizon.net or calling 481- 5589 with your information. Thank you!

MAIL ADDRESS (Baycliffwatch): _____ ◄

Please share my e-mail address in the new directory. ☐ YES ☐ NO

FIRST & LAST NAME of Man of the House: _____

Occupation: _____ Place of Employment: _____

FIRST & LAST NAME of Lady of the House: _____

Occupation: _____ Place of Employment: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____ Telephone #:_____

CHILDREN IN THE HOME AGE ON *JANUARY 1, 2015* SCHOOL / OCCUPATION
Birth Date for Infants

Name: _____ Age: _____ _____
Name: _____ Age: _____ _____
Name: _____ Age: _____ _____
Name: _____ Age: _____ _____

OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS IN HOME

Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Name: _____ Relationship: _____

SPECIAL INTERESTS OR HOBBIES: _____
_____

The Baycliff Resident Directory includes a "Services Directory" with services (lawn mowing, yard work, vacation pet care, tutoring, music lessons, etc.) offered by our neighbors. We also have a BABYSITTER LIST, and parents are encouraged to list the names of their teens who babysit. This list is an invaluable resource for our families with young children!

BABYSITTERS: _____
SPECIAL SERVICES: _____

BAYCLIFF SANITARY SEWER PUMP STATION REPLACEMENT

The City of Virginia Beach Department of Public Utilities has undertaken a project to replace the Baycliff Sanitary Sewer Pump Station 209 located at 1527 Bay Point Drive. In addition, the discharge piping along Stephens Road, Baycliff Drive and Bay Point Drive will be replaced. This essential project is needed to replace and upgrade key sanitary sewer infrastructure serving our neighborhood and will ensure the future reliability of our sanitary sewer system.

The pump station project is currently in the design phase, and construction is scheduled to begin this summer. Construction typically takes twelve to eighteen months. Additional information will be forthcoming once the pump station design is completed and a contractor has been selected. Should you have questions or concerns about the replacement plan, please contact Project Engineers Don Piron (dpiron@vbgov.com, 385-8478) or Marcy Garnett (mgarnett@vbgov.com, 385- 4910).

In addition, Public Utilities has contracted with Best Repair Company, Inc. to rehabilitate the sanitary sewer pump station located at 1403 Mill Dam Road, on the street's south side and near the Baycliff entrance. This project is necessary to heavily clean and install a protective lining system for wet well, as well as to update some of the piping and electrical work within the pump station. This project began the last week of November 24, 2014 and will last approximately three months, weather permitting.

As part of this project, the contractor will install a temporary bypass pipe to connect to a sewer manhole on Mill Dam Road, requiring a temporary lane closure on a section of Mill Dam Road. Once all the work at the pump station is complete, the contractor will go back in the street to remove the temporary bypass pipe and restore the pavement permanently.

EXITING BAYCLIFF

John Mark Serré , Chairman of Safety and Improvements

Elsie Serré at the Cox generator box recently pruned by her father.

Neighbors have expressed concern about the obstructed view as drivers exit our neighborhood. This poses a problem for all of us, but particularly for our newest drivers that are just learning the skills of yielding to oncoming traffic. This past winter, the City of Virginia Beach Landscape Management Division was contacted and made aware that the hill and curve on Mill Dam Road, combined with the heavy vegetation, made it difficult to see traffic heading westbound on Mill Dam Road. An inspector investigated and determined there was overgrown vegetation surrounding Cox Cable's emergency generator. Cox Cable sent out one of their engineers to discuss the situation just after Christmas. He stated that the City of Virginia Beach requires Cox to maintain shrubbery around the generators to obscure them from public view, but he agreed to have Cox trim the vegetation closer to the generator due to the obstruction it was creating. You may have noticed it got a little easier to see around the generator earlier last year, but the heavy vegetation grew back once spring arrived. Vegetation was trimmed back more aggressively this fall and now affords the least obstructed view that can be obtained.

The Cox engineer also proposed moving the generator further back off Mill Dam Road. He estimated that this would cost about $4,000 and would be the sole responsibility of Baycliff. This is a significant expense that is not in the civic league budget and would require a community vote. Moreover, the power supply is on the city's right of way, and if Cox moves it back, they will have to submit a new easement to the city to ascertain they maintain that status. If the new location is not in the city's right of way, this will require that the home owner of 1909 Crestview Landing give Cox an easement to set the power supply on their property.

Coincidentally, the same day the Cox generator vegetation was trimmed, the City painted a street crosswalk at our entry. Please be alert to pedestrians and joggers crossing Baycliff Drive from the Mill Dam Road sidewalk, and remember that pedestrians have the right of way while in the crosswalk.

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The Virginia Beach Council of Civic Organizations
2015 Annual Citizens' Recognition Banquet

The Virginia Beach Council of Civic Organizations (VBCCO) will hold its annual Citizens' Recognition Banquet on Friday, April 17, 2015 at the Westin Hotel, Town Center. At this banquet, volunteers city-wide, who have made exceptional contributions to their community in the past year, will be recognized by special awards from the Virginia Beach Council of Civic Organizations (VBCCO) and treated to a delicious dinner. Baycliff residents are encouraged to nominate one or more individuals to be considered for the **2014 Baycliff Civic League Adult and Youth "Volunteer of the Year"** awards. Each award recipient should either have a history of active volunteerism within our community or have made a significant contribution of time and energy to at least a single project over the past year. All nominations must be received by Saturday, March 7th. The Baycliff Civic League Executive Board will review all nominees and select several award winners to be recognized for their service during the 2014 year. Our Baycliff adult and youth award winners will also be entered into competition for the city-wide adult and youth volunteers of the year.

Please take a moment to recognize your neighbors. Show your appreciation for their hard work and dedication on behalf of us all!

Baycliff Civic League "2014 Volunteer of the Year" Nomination

Please return form to Corresponding Secretary Kat Coughlin, 1516 Bay Point Drive, before Saturday, March 7th.

Baycliff Nominee's Name: _____

Circle One: **BAYCLIFF ADULT AWARD** **BAYCLIFF YOUTH AWARD**

Description of Individual's Volunteer Work / Contributions to Baycliff in 2014: _____

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Past Contributions:_____

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Additional Comments About Nominee: _____

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Monthly Activities

Meetings are the second Thursday of each month September through May.

January Meeting: Raffle & White Elephant Silent Auction
Thursday, January 15, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.
Home of Pam Fox, 2028 Bay Breeze Cove, 496-0827
Please drop off your "white elephants" at Pam's home ASAP.

February Meeting: Second Annual Valentine Buffet Dinner
Husbands and friends are invited to celebrate with us.
Thursday, February 12, 2015 at 6:30 p.m.
Home of Missy Friske, 1411 Cherry Court, 496-0520
** Please bring an appetizer or dessert and a side dish to serve 8 - 10. Party is B.Y.O.B.**

March Meeting: Make and Take Miniature Garden Workshop lead by Susan Killion
Thursday, March 12, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.
Wycliffe Presbyterian Church, 1445 Great Neck Road

For further information, please call Janice Ray at 481-7799 or Kathleen Kinlaw at 481-4828.

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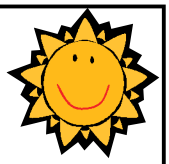

Annual Meeting: We will hold our Annual Meeting in late February (TBA), at which time we will review last year's financials, present next year's budget for approval, elect officers and the board, and set dues for next year. We welcome members' questions, and we have space for one to two new board members. If you are interested, contact any board member. Please support the new slate of officers.

Annual Dues / Registration: Registration will begin immediately thereafter, and payments are due by April 1, 2015, after which there will be a late fee. Please register on time as doing so greatly assists us in knowing that our budgetary predictions are accurate so we can fund purchases early.

Pool Manager: We have appointed a selection committee of current and former board and pool members to accept applications and interview for a pool manager. We hope to complete this process by March. If you know anyone who may be interested, please ask them to contact a board member immediately. Application deadline is January 15.

Maintenance: We have a good start on the wall repairs, but will be hosting several work weekends between now and Memorial Day. Please contribute a few hours of your time and help us reduce expenses and maintain what we believe are the lowest dues of any summer swim club in Tidewater by far.

Social: The Fall Oyster Roast was a successful end to the pool season, and we'll be hosting one in the spring as well. If you are interested in organizing a social event (kid, family, or adult) in 2015, please let a board member know, and we'll get you started. We welcome volunteers to assist in setting up events!

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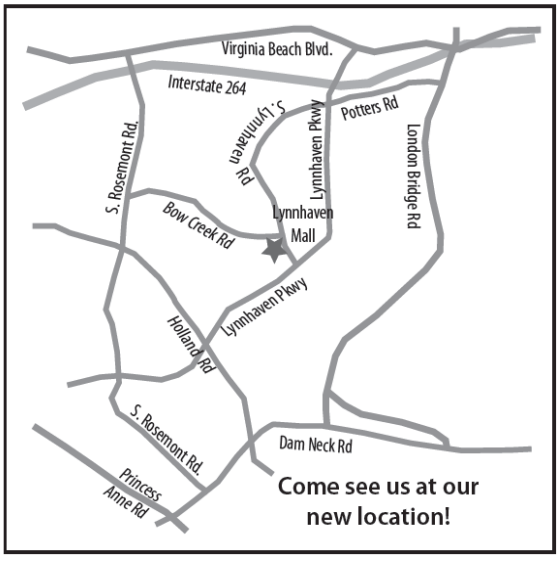

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Sharon Haring, Neighborhood Watch Coordinator

If you notice suspicious activity or a crime in progress, please call the police at 911 immediately! Your quick action may save you or a neighbor from being victimized. If you discover you are a victim of crime, but an immediate response is not indicated, please call the police as soon as possible at **385-5000, Option #1**. This is the Virginia Beach Emergency Communication Center, and you will speak to a dispatcher who will have a police officer call you back. *It is very important that you file the brief crime report.* This allows police to determine area crime patterns, validates the need for additional patrol cars to prevent future incidents and is needed for property loss insurance claims. Once you have spoken to the police, notify Neighborhood Watch Coordinator Sharon Haring at **481-5508 or sharonharing7@gmail.com** so she can broadcast a Baycliffwatch message to alert residents to take protective actions to prevent further incidents.

BAYCLIFF READING CLUB CELEBRATES ITS 12TH YEAR!

Our Baycliff Reading Club, founded in 2003, is moving into its 12th year and is still flourishing. We enjoyed the entrance of several new members this past year and welcome anyone who would like to join us in our reading adventures. We meet at 6:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday evening of each month, with most meetings being held in the Westendorf home, 2028 Sunset Point. Our reading choices are eclectic, including current fiction, non-fiction and biographies, with a classic thrown in now and then. If you would like to attend a meeting and find out what we are all about, please contact Leader **Mary Daddio** at **375-0504**.

We are all looking forward to Mary Moayery again generously hosting our annual, delicious Persian dinner at her home, 1625 Bay Breeze Drive, in February. Our upcoming reading schedule includes:

January 13: Illusion of Separateness by Simon Van Booy
February 10: The Invention of Wings by Sue Monk Kidd (meeting at Mary Moayery's home)

Our 2014 reads included:

- February: Defending Jacob by William Landay
- March: The Silent Wife by A. S. A. Harrison
- April: Inferno by Dan Brown
- May: I Am Malala by Malala Yousafzai and Christina Lamb
- June: All the Living by C. E. Morgan
- July: Gone Girl by Gillian Flynn
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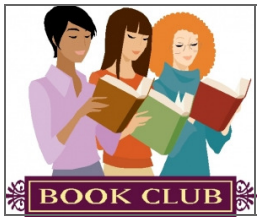

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BAYCLIFF EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, MARCH 28TH

4:00 PM at BAYCLIFF ENTRY

Raindate: Sunday, March 29th

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TODDLERS THROUGH 5TH GRADE ARE INVITED.

ALL CHILDREN MUST REGISTER AHEAD...

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EGGS MUST BE TAPED SHUT so candy will not spill out! Please attach completed registration form below to your bag. Drop your bagged eggs off Saturday, March 14th through Friday, March 27th at Jill Frazier's home, 1500 Baycliff Lane. Use DROP BOX on her front porch... please don't ring her bell. Questions? Call Jill at 481-0088 or Meredith Hills at 692-8627.

2015 BAYCLIFF SPRING EGG HUNT REGISTRATION

Please fill out a form for EACH CHILD and attach it to the bag of 24 EGGS. Make extra copies of this form, if needed. Please drop off your eggs NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, MARCH 27TH at 1500 Baycliff Lane.

Child's Name_____ **Age:** _____

Address: _____**Phone:** _____

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<u>You do not have to be present at the egg hunt to win.</u>

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WONDERFUL HOLIDAY DECORATIONS

Janie Cecelic, **Eileen Genzler**, **Janice Ray**, **John Mark Serré and his children Jean-Marc (age 8) and Elsie (age 6)**, and **Christine and Bill Westendorf** decorated the Baycliff front entrance for the holidays, and the Westendorfs took down the display for storage at the season's end. Our lighted garland, red bows and center wreaths were beautiful! Everyone entering Baycliff during the holiday season was treated to our lovely holiday display, and we sincerely thank these generous volunteers!

STREET LIGHT OUT ON YOUR STREET?

KEEP BAYCLIFF SAFELY LIT! REDUCE VANDALISM, CRIME AND ACCIDENTS.

There are many long winter nights ahead; don't keep Baycliff in the dark! Go to **www.vbgov.com**, click **Services**, and then click **Report a Problem**. Now complete the short form. Enter the address (either house number or nearest intersecting streets), and report **Street Light Outage**. Be sure to include the pole number (located on metal placard on pole).

BAYCLIFF CRIME REPORT FOR 2014 FROM ePRO

From January 1, 2014 until December 31, 2014, Baycliff households made twenty-four reports to the Virginia Beach Police Department regarding neighborhood crimes. This included: ten destruction of private or city property by graffiti, two destruction of private property, seven larcenies from a motor vehicle, two unspecified larcenies, two overdoses, and one unspecified, reportable crime.

This information comes from ePRO (electronic Police Reports Online), an interactive web application that allows FREE public access to reported crime and traffic accident reports. It can be accessed online at the city website **vbgov.com** and by searching for **ePRO** in the search box on the home page. Three kinds of reports can be generated:

- Neighborhood Crimes Report - create citywide crime summary reports and detailed crime reports for a neighborhood, street, precinct, or police zone based on user selection criteria
- Incident Reports – create a public copy of a police incident report based on case number (preferred) or date and street user selection criteria
- Traffic Accident Reports – create a public copy of a police accident report with case number

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- **Aluminum & Metal Food and Drink Cans**
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- **Flattened corrugated boxes**
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The Baycliff entrance was especially spectacular, and there were many solid stretches of illumination throughout the neighborhood and full participation on numerous streets. Thank you to every family who participated in our awesome Luminary Lighting, and to all of you who strolled or drove around Baycliff to enjoy the beautiful light display. We were especially thrilled to see so many neighbors make time in their own busy holiday schedules to prepare and put out luminary bags for neighbors who were out of town or otherwise unable to participate. This is the true spirit of being a good neighbor, and it's very heartening to see what can be accomplished when we work together. **GREAT JOB, BAYCLIFF!!**

VBCCO REPORT

John Hogan, Baycliff VBCCO Representative

Founded in 1959, the Virginia Beach Council of Civic Organizations (VBCCO) represents nearly 100 member civic organizations, including Baycliff, and its mission is to connect local neighborhoods and their citizens to city government so that citizens are well informed, united and empowered to more effectively advocate for their needs. Monthly meetings are held the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Libris Room at the Meyera Oberndorf Virginia Beach Central Library. An exception is the February 26th meeting, which is the fourth Thursday and meets in the auditorium. All meetings are open to the public. All Baycliff residents are encouraged to come hear speakers discuss key issues affecting our neighborhoods. To learn more about winter meeting programs, please go to **www.vbcco.org**

MAKING A DIFFERENCE: BECOME A PEARL HOME

LYNNHAVEN RIVER NOW's Program to Reduce Storm Water Pollution

Four years ago, environmentalists working to clean up and restore the Lynnhaven River launched a new program to encourage individual environmental responsibility. This program, called **Pearl Homes**, asks us to adopt greener behaviors at home to protect our watershed. Participants consider a wide array of possible actions they can take, and check off those that they have accomplished. If you are a Virginia Beach resident and can check off fifteen of the measures, you qualify as a Pearl Home and will receive a special yard flag bearing the image of an oyster and a pearl to display proudly on your front lawn.

Over 2000 homes have already received the "Pearl Home" designation. Learn more at **http://www.lynnhavenrivernow.org/Pearl-Homes.aspx** and also download an application. If you're environmentally conscious, it's likely you already qualify! Here is just a sampling of some of the initiatives you can check off that you are doing: picking up pet waste, not feeding ducks and geese, driving a fuel efficient vehicle, helping with a Lynnhaven Now clean up, planting trees, using refillable water bottles, installing a rain barrel, using kitchen grease cans, getting a soil test before applying fertilizer, buying locally made products when possible, creating a backyard habitat for wildlife, redirecting roof downspouts into planted beds and away from pavement, keeping street gutters clean in front of home, raising mower blades to 3 inches, composting kitchen waste, pumping out the holding tank on your boat, installing a programmable thermostat, turning off lights and appliances not in use, growing your own produce, and many more. You can make a difference in so many ways, and only fifteen are required for a "Pearl Home" award. Help restore our waterways! Apply to be a Pearl Home today!

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- NEVER hit "Reply to All" or comment on Baycliffwatch messages!
- Please do not post political, religious or commercial messages.
- Baycliff Forum at www.baycliff.net is for expressing opinions or chats.
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- Those who persist in misusing the system will be deleted.

PLEASE RECOMMEND CONTRACTORS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS!

Michelle Baker

A list of "Recommended Contractors and Service Providers" is being prepared for the new 2015 Baycliff Neighborhood Directory. Many neighbors have already submitted businesses they believe have served them well. Thank you for your time and support in creating this valuable resource for our neighborhood!

If you have had a first-rate experience with a contractor or service provider and believe they should be included on the list, please email the requested information below to Michelle Baker at meb02@cox.net or call 460-1108 as soon as possible. Please provide the following information:

- Name of Company
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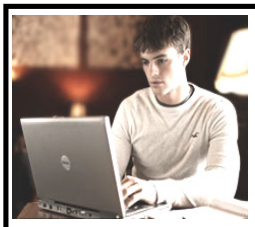


HIGH SCHOOL TUTORING, REASONABLE RATES!

college application essay assistance, SAT preparation, English instruction

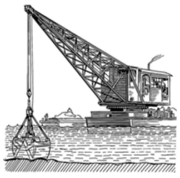
First Colonial High School English teacher with 35 years of experience is willing to come to your home or student can come to mine (1561 Bay Point Drive).

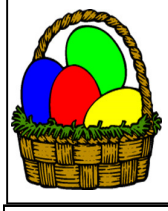
Please contact Sharon Haring at 481-5508.

CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21ST, 7 PM IN ALANTON CAFETERIA

YOUR VOTE IS NEEDED ON FUNDING CANAL SURVEY!

If you cannot attend, please be sure to return Absentee Ballot on page 5.



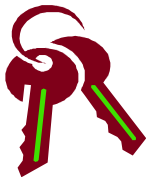


MARK YOUR CALENDAR TODAY!

BAYCLIFF SPRING EGG HUNT, SATURDAY, MARCH 28TH, 4 PM

BAYCLIFF COMMUNITY YARD SALE, SATURDAY, APRIL 25TH

PLEASE NOTE: The Boat Ramp lock will be changed the beginning of February 2015! New boat ramp keys are available for an additional $35.00 after residents have paid their annual 2015 Baycliff Civic League dues. Once Treasurer John Mark Serré receives your payment, Yacht Club Chairman Weaver Wrenn will promptly mail you your key!



CITY LAWS ON PARKING RV'S & BOATS

Section 205 (Major Recreational Equipment)
Appendix A - Zoning, Virginia Beach City Code

Recreational Vehicles (RV's), boats, campers, and trailers must be parked within a building or behind the nearest portion of the building to the public street. They cannot be parked on an empty residential lot. They cannot be parked in the public street or right-of-way for more than *three hours*. You may not use recreational equipment for living, sleeping, or house keeping, except in locations lawfully established for such use. The information below comes from Section 205 (Major Recreational Equipment) of Appendix A, Zoning Ordinance of the Virginia Beach City Code.

- No major recreational equipment shall be parked in any public street or public right-of-way for more than three (3) hours.
- No such equipment shall be used for living, sleeping or housekeeping purposes except in locations lawfully established for such use.
- In AG-2 Districts, no such equipment shall be parked or stored in any required yard adjacent to a street nor closer than three (3) feet to any lot line.
- Where the principal use of a building is residential, major recreational equipment shall be stored only as a use accessory to a permitted principal use, and subject to the following limitations: Such equipment shall be parked or stored on any lot only within a building or behind every plane of a structure that is substantially parallel to and facing the public right-of-way. On through lots, such equipment may also be parked or stored on the portion of the lot that is clearly and physically the rear of the lot *provided that it is substantially screened from the public right-of-way with a six-foot solid fence or equivalent vegetation or landscaping.* On corner lots, such equipment may also be parked or stored on the portion of the lot that is clearly and physically the rear of the lot and behind the plane of the house parallel and closest to the public right-of-way. Such equipment may be parked entirely within a driveway for a period *not to exceed twenty-four (24) hours during loading or unloading.* For purposes of this section, the term "driveway" shall include any portion of a lot, surfaced or otherwise, that constitutes an approved parking area or provides access to an approved parking area.

Virginia Beach Lions Club
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BAYCLIFF NEWS NOTES

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR NEW BAYCLIFF FAMILIES!

- ☆ Fernando and Mindi Mancuello, and their son Zeller (9), 1324 Baycliff Drive, who have moved here from Florida
- ☆ Sergiy Kuramshyn and Iryna Aberkorn, and son Mikhail (12), who now live at 1999 East Road
- ☆ Bernard and Judith Lewis, 2000 Bay Breeze Circle
- ☆ Erik and Kimberly Vap, and sons Tyler Jordan (20) and Jude Xander (2) and baby daughter Vivienne Isla, 1584 Bay Point Drive, who have moved here from Ohio

CONGRATULATIONS! BAYCLIFF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HONORED BY INDUCTION INTO NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

New members were recently inducted into First Colonial High School's chapter of the National Honor Society. This year's Baycliff honorees include: **Tripp Uroskie**, son of Susannah and Theodore Uroskie; **Mackenzie Hohman**, daughter of Theresa and Perry Hohman; and **Zachary Trafton**, son of Rhonda and Rob Trafton. The National Honor Society (NHS) is an organization created for students who excel academically and who are proven leaders at school. An obligation to uphold stringent standards of scholarship, leadership, character, and service to others accompanies this honor, and outstanding students are selected for membership in their Junior or Senior years. Our hats go off to these commendable students!!

Adrienne Czerlinsky, **Braxton Faggert**, **Shane Hohman**, **Garrett Scott** and **Kevin O'Shaughnessy** were honored by induction into the National Honor Society last year. This accolade represents years of hard work, and we are extremely proud of all of you!

About 2-1-1 VIRGINIA

2-1-1 is an easy to remember phone number connecting everyone with free information on community services. A trained professional suggests sources of help in your community and statewide using one of the largest databases of health and human services in Virginia. All referrals are confidential, and you can also search for these same services at the **211virginia.org** website.

Referrals provided include: physical and mental health, employment, education, legal and consumer services, volunteering, housing, government, economic assistance, public safety, disaster relief, and a vast array of additional services.

WHY AM I NOT RECEIVING BAYCLIFFWATCH MESSAGES?

- **Did you enroll? If not, go to www.baycliff.net and click on the crime dog icon (e-watch) for quick, easy registration instructions.**
- **Once enrolled, watch for an e-mail asking you to *confirm your membership* and do so.**
- **Some servers or e-mail programs initially direct e-mail from new senders into Spam folders. Right click on message and identify it as not Spam.**

Be Red Cross Ready

Winter Storm Safety Checklist

Winter storms can range from a moderate snow over a few hours to a blizzard with blinding, wind-driven snow that lasts for several days. Some winter storms are large enough to affect several states, while others affect only a single community. Many winter storms are accompanied by dangerously low temperatures and sometimes by strong winds, icing, sleet and freezing rain.

Know the Difference

Winter Storm Outlook
Winter storm conditions are possible in the next 2 to 5 days.

Winter Weather Advisory
Winter weather conditions are expected to cause significant inconveniences and may be hazardous. When caution is used, these situations should not be life threatening.

Winter Storm Watch
Winter storm conditions are possible within the next 36 to 48 hours. People in a watch area should review their winter storm plans and stay informed about weather conditions.

Winter Storm Warning
Life-threatening, severe winter conditions have begun or will begin within 24 hours. People in a warning area should take precautions immediately.

What should I do?

- ❑ Dress in several layers of lightweight clothing, wear mittens and a hat (preferably one that covers your ears).
- ❑ Wear waterproof, insulated boots to keep your feet warm and dry and to maintain your footing in ice and snow.
- ❑ Minimize travel. If travel is necessary, keep a disaster supplies kit in your vehicle.
- ❑ Listen to a NOAA Weather Radio or other local news channels for critical information from the National Weather Service (NWS).
- ❑ Winterize your vehicle and keep the gas tank full. A full tank will keep the fuel line from freezing.
- ❑ Insulate your home by installing storm windows or covering windows with plastic from the inside to keep cold air out.
- ❑ Maintain heating equipment and chimneys by having them cleaned and inspected every year.
- ❑ Bring pets/companion animals inside during winter weather. Move other animals or livestock to sheltered areas with non-frozen drinking water.
- ❑ Running water, even at a trickle, helps prevent pipes from freezing.
- ❑ All fuel-burning equipment should be vented to the outside and kept clear.

Cold-Related Emergencies

- ❑ **Frostbite** and **hypothermia** are two dangerous and potentially life-threatening emergencies. Learn how to care for these emergencies by taking a first aid class.

What supplies do I need?

- ❑ Water—at least a 3-day supply; one gallon per person per day
- ❑ Food—at least a 3-day supply of non-perishable, easy-to-prepare food
- ❑ Flashlight
- ❑ Battery-powered or hand-crank radio (NOAA Weather Radio, if possible)
- ❑ Extra batteries
- ❑ First aid kit
- ❑ Medications (7-day supply) and medical items (hearing aids with extra batteries, glasses, contact lenses, syringes, cane)
- ❑ Multi-purpose tool
- ❑ Sanitation and personal hygiene items
- ❑ Copies of personal documents (medication list and pertinent medical information, proof of address, deed/lease to home, passports, birth certificates, insurance policies)
- ❑ Cell phone with chargers
- ❑ Family and emergency contact information
- ❑ Extra cash
- ❑ Baby supplies (bottles, formula, baby food, diapers)
- ❑ Pet supplies (collar, leash, ID, food, carrier, bowl)
- ❑ Tools/supplies for securing your home
- ❑ Sand, rock salt or non-clumping kitty litter to make walkways and steps less slippery
- ❑ Warm coats, gloves or mittens, hats, boots and extra blankets and warm clothing for all household members
- ❑ Ample alternate heating methods such as fireplaces or wood- or coal-burning stoves

What do I do after a storm?

- ❑ Go to a designated public shelter if your home loses power or heat during periods of extreme cold.
- ❑ Avoid driving when conditions include sleet, freezing rain or drizzle, snow or dense fog.
- ❑ Before tackling strenuous tasks in cold temperatures, consider your physical condition, the weather factors and the nature of the task.
- ❑ Protect yourself from frostbite and hypothermia by wearing warm, loose-fitting, lightweight clothing in several layers. Stay indoors, if possible.
- ❑ Help people who require special assistance such as elderly people living alone, people with disabilities and children.
- ❑ Check on your animals and make sure that their access to food and water is not blocked by snow drifts, ice or other obstacles. If possible, bring them indoors.

Caution: Carbon Monoxide Kills

- ❑ Never use a generator, grill, camp stove or other gasoline, propane, natural gas or charcoal-burning devices inside a home, garage, basement, crawlspace or any partially enclosed area. Locate unit away from doors, windows and vents that could allow carbon monoxide to come indoors.
- ❑ The primary hazards to avoid when using alternate sources for electricity, heating or cooking are carbon monoxide poisoning, electric shock and fire.
- ❑ Install carbon monoxide alarms in central locations on every level of your home and outside sleeping areas to provide early warning of accumulating carbon monoxide.
- ❑ If the carbon monoxide alarm sounds, move quickly to a fresh air location outdoors or by an open window or door.
- ❑ Call for help from the fresh air location and remain there until emergency personnel arrive to assist you.

Let Your Family Know You're Safe

If your community experiences a severe winter storm, or any disaster, register on the American Red Cross Safe and Well Web site available through **RedCross.org** to let your family and friends know about your welfare. If you don't have Internet access, call **1-866-GET-INFO** to register yourself and your family.

American Red Cross

For more information on disaster and emergency preparedness, visit **RedCross.org**.

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President: Janie Cecelic	**2005 Inland Cove**	**481-5465**	**jcece@verizon.net**
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Second Vice-President:	***SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT IS NEEDED!***		
Rec. Secretary: Kat Coughlin	**1516 Bay Point Drive**	**422-4288**	**kat1304@cox.net**
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Treasurer: John Mark Serré	**2004 Seafarer Cove**	**496-2810**	**lizandjm@gmail.com**

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Advertising Design	**John Hogan**	**1537 Seafarer Lane**	**481-3581**
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Fall Festival	**Anne Wright**	**1509 Bay Point Drive**	**636-2468**
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BAYCLIFF NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH BLOCK CAPTAINS

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Jane Waters	**1600 Bay Pont Drive**
Chris Sabo	**1628 Bay Point Drive**
Susan & Michael Lutte	**1649 Bay Point Drive**
Sandy Parsons	**1552 Bay Point Drive**
Emily McCrory	**2001 Seafarer Cove**
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Mary Daddio	**1617 Bay Breeze Drive**
Julie & Brett Keller	**1520 Bay Point Drive**
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Tina Henry	**1900 Crestview Landing**
Joan Fowler	**1516 Baycliff Lane**
Bob Swink	**2004 Echo Cove**
Mary Leidy	**1549 Hidden Cove**
Rosemary Hogan	**1537 Seafarer Lane**
Cindy Lackore	**2020 Seafarer Cove**
Greg & Donna Duvall	**1349 Stephens Road**
Chris Westendorf	**2028 Sunset Point**
George Cox	**2016 Sunset Point**
Dale Browning	**2004 Wood Hollow Cove**

Bugle Briefs - Upcoming Meetings and Events

Participate, build friendships and work with us to make <u>your</u> community the best it can be!

2015 CIVIC LEAGUE GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING DATES

Wednesday, January 21, 2015, 7 PM
Wednesday, March 18, 2015, 7 PM
Wednesday, May 20, 2015, 7 PM

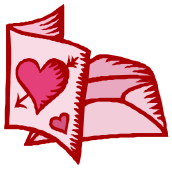
BAYCLIFF SPRING EGG HUNT, Saturday, March 28, 4 PM
BAYCLIFF COMMUNITY YARD SALE, Saturday, April 25, 8 AM– 2 PM

JANUARY

1	HAPPY NEW YEAR 2015!
5	Virginia Beach City Public School Classes Resume
13	Baycliff Reading Club Dinner, Tuesday, 6:30 PM
15	Alanton-Baycliff Garden Club, Thursday, 10 AM
21	CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING, Wednesday, 7:00 PM
19	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - Monday, No Public School

FEBRUARY

10	Baycliff Reading Club, Tuesday, 6:30 PM
12	Alanton-Baycliff Garden Club Dinner, Thursday, 6:30 PM
14	HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY! - Saturday
16	President's Day - Monday, No Public School



MARCH

10	Baycliff Reading Club, Tuesday, 6:30 PM
12	Alanton-Baycliff Garden Club, Thursday, 10 AM
14	Egg Drop Off Begins at 1500 Baycliff Lane - Saturd
17	HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY! - Tuesday
18	CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING, Tuesday, 6:30 PM
27	Last Day to Drop Off Eggs for Egg Hunt - Friday
28	BAYCLIFF SPRING EGG HUNT, Saturday, 4 PM

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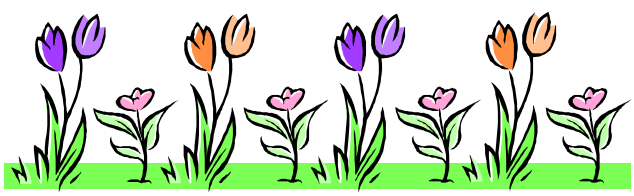
3-12	Friday - Sunday, April 20 (VBCPS Spring Holiday)
	Friday is VBCPS Staff Day, No School for Kids
5	HAPPY EASTER! - Sunday
9	Alanton-Baycliff Garden Club, Thursday, 10 AM
14	Baycliff Reading Club, Tuesday, 6:30 PM
25	BAYCLIFF COMMUNITY YARD SALE, Saturday, 8 AM