

# December 2019

#### Membership

Dues remain at \$12 per year per family/household, and support local church food pantries, Samaritan House, holiday meals for families in our area, the publication of the newsletter and more. Your continued support and membership renewal are appreciated!

### League's Annual Christmas Dinner

This year's civic league dinner on December 10 will begin at 7 p.m. with the main dish and drinks provided by the league. If you can, please bring your favorite covered dish to share with others, but this is not a requirement for you to attend. Be sure to ask a neighbor to come with you!



#### Did You Know...

The Winter Solstice marks the shortest day

and the longest night of the year as the Northern Hemisphere is angled the farthest away from the Sun on this day. The Winter Solstice in the Northern Hemisphere happens every year around December 21 or 22.

### PRINCESS ANNE PLAZA CIVIC LEAGUE

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General meetings are the **SECOND Tuesday** 

#### **Dates**

November 12, 2019 December 10, 2019 January 14, 2020 February 11, 2020

#### Place:

Bow Creek Recreation Ctr., Rm. 2 3427 Club House Road

<u>WWW.PAPCL.ORG</u> <u>WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/PRINCESSANNEPLAZA/</u>

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The Princess Anne Plaza Civic League Executive Board wishes everyone a Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, Happy Kwanzaa and a safe, healthy and Happy New Year!



#### January 14, 2020 Speaker

Our January civic league program speaker will Linda Young, be Recruiting Assistant, U.S. Census She will Bureau. provide the membership with information about the temporary jobs available during the coming census. Pay ranges from \$14.50 to \$18 per hour.



## **Local Crime Reports**

If you are interested in finding out what's happening in your neighborhood, check out the Va. Beach Police Department's ePRO (electronic Police Reports Online). It is an interactive web application that allows public access to reported crime, traffic accident reports, active warrants, and you can also report an offense. Note: You must be over 18 years of age and making a false report is a crime.

Use the following link to get you to the start page:

https://eprodmz.vbgov.com/MainUI/Home/HomeDefault.aspx

By Bob Elms

#### 2020 Winter Wildlife Festival

Virginia Beach Parks & Recreation is celebrating the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Winter Wildlife Festival, January 24-26, 2020. The annual festival is a celebration of the rich landscape and abundant, unique wildlife that can be found in our coastal community during the winter months.

Registration began last month and several of the tours are already full; however, the festival's exhibit hall at Princess Anne Rec Center is open to all with environmental exhibitors and vendors, walk-up workshops, live animals, a photo booth, children's activities and raffles! Admission, parking and workshops are free for the exhibit hall activities. Local food trucks will also be onsite. There will be additional, free children's activities next door at Princess Anne Library from 10:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Find more information about the festival and to register for tours at: <a href="https://www.vbgov.com/government/de">https://www.vbgov.com/government/de</a> partments/parks-recreation/special-events/Pages/winter-wildlife-festival.aspx

## The Night Sky and Our Planetarium

In December, the Va. Beach City
Public Schools Planetarium, located at
Plaza Middle School, has shows on
Dec. 3, 10 and 17. Planetarium
director Chuck Dibbs also provides a
primer on the current night sky.
Admission is only \$3 per person. For
more info on this facility and upcoming
shows, visit:

http://www.planetarium.vbschools.com/public\_programs.htm

## Drop-In Child Care Now at Bow Creek Rec Center

Drop-In Child Care is now available at all recreation centers (with the exception of Seatack). Enjoy your workout knowing your child is well-supervised and having fun!

### Eligibility

- Open to children ages 2-8 y.o.
- Both parent and child will need a valid membership or day pass (twoyear olds are exempt from membership)
- Parent must remain in the center

#### **Rates**

- \$5 per child per visit; or
- \$20 per child for a monthly pass; requires a credit/debit card written notice to cancel

#### Hours

- Monday Thursday 8 11 a.m.
   & 4:30 8:30 pm
- Friday: 8 11 a.m.
- Saturday: 9 a.m. 12 noon
- Children can stay in Drop-In Child Care up to 2 hours per day.

Support the Bow Creek Rec Center by joining! Membership is comparatively inexpensive, plus, join for a year and you'll save with lower rates! *Note: Annual fee due at time of purchase*.

## Annual Membership

Youth	Ages 3 – 17
Resident	\$39
Adult	Ages 18 – 64
Resident	\$104
Adult Senior	Ages 65+
Resident	\$84

Non-resident Ages 3 & up \$396

#### **Drop-in Child Care continued**

Month to Month Membership (Renews automatically until canceled)

Adult	Ages 18 – 64
Resident	\$14 / month
Senior	Ages 65 +
Resident	\$11 / month
Non-resident	Ages 3 & up \$36 / month



# City Council Information

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City Council is the City's governing body. Council members serve four-year terms and are elected on a staggered basis. General elections are held the Tuesday following the first Monday in November in even-numbered years. All registered voters are eligible to vote for all members of City Council.

Three council members and the Mayor serve "At Large" with no district residency requirement. All other council members are required to live in the districts they represent: Bayside, Beach, Centerville, Kempsville, Lynnhaven, Princess Anne, and Rose Hall.

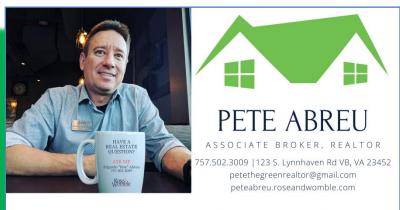
## City Council Formal Session Meeting Schedule

First and third Tuesdays, 6:00 p.m. Council Chamber, Bldg 1 - 2nd Floor

In July and December, meetings will be held on the first and second Tuesdays.







## Thinking of Moving?

I can help take the confusion out of the real estate process and put you in control. Let me guide you on the sale or purchase of your home with confidence.

To discuss your options, Call/Text Pete at 757.502.3009 to schedule a consultation.

Windsor Woods Resident since 2013 Princess Anne Plaza Civic League Member since 2015



#### Advertise with the PAPCL!

Our rates have not changed in more than 20 years. Your ad will appear online at our website and in our newsletter which is also distributed to City officials, the school board and schools. Rates per newsletter issue:

1/8th printed page - \$10,

1/4th printed page - \$20

½ printed page - \$40

Full printed page - \$80

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Renewal & New Member Form Enclose this form with your payment of \$12		
Last Name	First Name	
Street Address in ZIP Code 23452		
Telephone #	Cell Phone #	
E-Mail Address For Newsletter Delivery. Please print clearly.		
Can you help the League by serving on the Executive Board or a Committee		
Yes	No	
Mail to: Treasurer Sarah Johnson 937 Carriage Hill Rd. Virginia Beach, VA 23452		

#### **Princess Anne Plaza Civic League**

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