

NATIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD NIGHT OUT!

EVERYONE PLEASE COME TO OUR NEIGHBORHOOD NATIONAL NIGHT OUT!

IT'S OUR ANNUAL PICNIC/COOKOUT AND SUMMER GET-TOGETHER WITH ALL OF THE BEST NEIGHBORS!!! BARBEQUE, ICED TEA AND BOTTLED WATER PROVIDED!

WHEN: TUESDAY, AUGUST 1st

TIME: 5:30

WHERE: BIG TRIANGLE ON SCHOOL ROAD at the corner of Clarendon Road and Houghton Place

WHAT TO BRING: A SIDE DISH OR DESSERT TO SHARE AND CHAIR FOR YOURSELF.

BE READY TO HAVE LOTS OF FUN WITH YOUR NEIGHBORS!

Last year, we were honored by visits with the Mayor, the Police Chief, Our Police Resource Officer and more APD Officers... hmmm...wondering who will drop by to see us this year???

The City of Asheville will set-up barricades to block the streets for safety for the evening

SEE YOU AT THE PICNIC!!!!

DUES

Ah, the time has rolled around again for us all to pay our membership dues for our Malvern Hills Community Club. What a bargain! The cost is the same as last year...\$10.00 per household...and.... there are still a few directories left! If you need a directory, pay your dues and see Elaine Poovey! Our dues are used for community projects like printing the community directories and buying mulch for the triangles. And....if we do the math, like Russ Davis did, we would find out that the \$640.00 for the mulch translates into roughly the amount of dues collected for one year. So...please help our community and bring your \$10.00 dues to the National Neighborhood Night Out!!!

BEAUTIFUL TRIANGLES

About a month ago, several of our very safety conscious and thoughtful neighbors started a conversation on our Malvern Hills Community Club Facebook page about trimming the trees and bushes on the three triangles. In the midst of the conversation, Jesse Ross of Brothers Ross, LLC volunteered to trim up the triangles. He also brought a proposal to the Board of Directors to volunteer Brothers Ross' time and equipment to spread mulch on the triangles. The purchase of 25 cubic yards of mulch by our Community Club weighed in at \$640.00. The Board of Directors voted unanimously to invest in the mulch. Thank you so very much to Jesse and the Brothers Ross for doing this terrific landscaping project!

NEIGHBORHOOD YARD SALE

By Suzanne Klonis

This year's yard sale, held on Saturday, May 13 was hampered by the rain and somewhat cold weather. We had about 10-15 households interested in participating, but the bad weather either cut short our sales or prevented us from setting up entirely. If you have suggestions for increasing traffic to the sales, or increasing household participation in the sales, please let Suzanne Klonis know (email to sklonis@gmail.com). Participation in the yard sale has been declining over the past several years and an infusion of new ideas would be a good thing!

TRAFFIC MEETING

By Pat Bass

July 10, Glenn and Pat Bass met with David Hazzard, Planning Dept., Jeff Moore, Traffic Engineer, and Vaidila Satvika, Urban Planner. We discussed speeding, volume of traffic, lack of pedestrian crosswalks, and the intersection of Bear Creek, Wendover and Sand Hill roads. Sand Hill is a state DOT-controlled road. David Hazzard will try to get that intersection turned over to the city so they can install a stoplight there.

Speed and traffic volume data will be monitored on Wendover and Bear Creek Rds. in September. That data will give a baseline for conditions before the completion of the 28-home Bear Creek Homes development. Speed humps may be added to the south half of Bear Creek Rd. The Fire Dept. has ruled

out installing speed humps on Wendover Rd. due to its narrow width.

Residents can contact the Community Resource Officer, Kevin Skonieczny, to request a team on their street and to offer a driveway for the squad car. Residents should call the DOT with concerns regarding traffic and speeding on Sand Hill and problems at the intersection.

THANK YOU FLOWER FOLKS!

Thank you Niki Irving for sharing your lovely flowers with everyone. We have made many beautiful bouquets to enjoy at home. Thank you!

Thank you Glenn Bass for giving daffodil bulbs and mums to us. We will all welcome the pretty daffodils in the early spring and enjoy the mums while they last. Thank you.

