# Stockdale Community News

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## **WELCOME ABOARD!**

As Summer kicks off we would like to get to know a larger part of our community. Our meeting this time is **Wednesday**, **June 24, 7:00 pm** at our usual place, **the Naamans Room in the Claymont Community Center.** We have good times, good talk and good friendship, so please try to attend. You won't regret it.

#### WE NEED YOU!

Membership is still just \$25.00. That covers what we try to do over the year for our community and snow removal when the time comes. We're still a bargain and a real Stimulus Package when the white stuff falls! Become a member; you won't regret it.

## Looking Out for Each Other: Steps taken with CPAW

At our last meeting, a representative of the **Crime Prevention Awareness Watch (CPAW), Dee Whildin,** clued us in as to what can be done as a community to look out for one another. Matt has initiated steps to utilize CPAW as our community watch group. Details will be gone over at the meeting. Block Captains will be issued identification and will be around the neighborhood in the near future to introduce themselves and the program to everyone. CPAW began in the Newark area and has spread through Northern New Castle County, mainly as a form of neighborhood watch, and becoming an information network for all NCCo communities. More information will be available at the meeting and later on the Stockdale Community website: www.stockdalecivic.org.

#### **Discount Trash Removal Service**

The quarterly rate is \$52.50 (\$17.50/month). It is currently due. We are trying to get everyone on the same payment schedule (quarterly). Response has been favorable member-wide. Checks are made payable to Stockdale Civic Association and sent to Kathy Deemer (phone 792-2476) @ 23 Manor Avenue.

For those 60 years of age or older, a separate home trash service is available for \$16/month. You don't need to take your waste bin to the curb, Home Service will get your bin for you. However, you will have to work through Home Service directly; we do not handle this as an account. For more information contact 475-6401.

### **Upcoming Events**

<u>Community Barbecue:</u> Saturday, June 27; 12-4pm in the Holy Rosary Parking Lot. If you have received the Evite invitation via email please RSVP asap. Otherwise RSVP @ 610-505-8344 as soon as possible.

<u>Annual Block Party:</u> Saturday, September 19; 12-5pm at the Woods Haven Kruse Park on Darley Road. More to come on this event.

#### Items of Interest

- More of the sidewalk along the Governor Printz will be repaired. The targeted area this time is by the Custom Frame Shop and will happen sometime mid-Summer.
- Holy Rosary is working with your Stockdale Civic Association to protect pedestrian traffic in the area behind the school parking lot. A barrier is to be installed protecting Cathedral from vehicular traffic that have been using the lot as a shortcut....a rather speedy shortcut! Holy rosary has also agreed to better enforce their Philadelphia Pike gates being closed.
- A traffic study by DelDot is being utilized to determine the need for a stop sign at the intersection of Forrest Ave. and Temple St. as another aid to curbing speeding in the area.

#### The Stockdale Community Website

Yes, it's official! We are ON THE WEB! To keep up on all the latest, ask questions, and just be a part of our great community, join us at; <a href="https://www.stockdalecivic.org">www.stockdalecivic.org</a>

New and non-members, please do not forget to send us your email to be on our mailing list. Thanks, and see you around town.