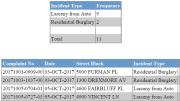
## Welcome / Recognition of Visitors / Membership Reminder

#### Announcements

- Local elections will be held on November 7th. If you don't know where your polling place is, go to meckboe.org and find enlightenment.
- CMS is having tours of the schools that will be affected by the 2017 Bond Referendum. The tour of Montclaire Elementary is scheduled for Wednesday October 11 from 10:00 to 11: 00 am.
- We are planning a group bike ride from Madison Central Park to Open Street 704 on Sunday October 15th. Matt Magnasco has agreed to lead the ride. Meet at Madison Central Park at 1:00 pm.
- The next 2nd Friday Social will be held at Lucky Lou's in the Park Selwyn Shopping Center, 5124 Park Road, on Friday October 13th starting at 6:00 pm
- There will be a Madison Park Pumpkin Painting Party in Madison Central Park on Sunday October 22nd from 2 PM - 4 PM.
- The Madison Park Book Club (now Mad Book Club) is reading *When the Moon* Is Low by Nadia Hashimi. They will meet to discuss the book on Tuesday, October 24th at 6:30 pm at The Mad Greek Cafe, 5011 South Blvd. For more info, contact Gay Hurst at <u>gav.hurst@gmail.com</u>
- Everyone is invited to our Annual Madison Park Trunk or Treat, Sunday October 29th from 5:00 6:00
  pm in Madison Central Park, 805 Seneca Place. Please have your car parked in the front parking lot
  by 4:55 pm

#### **Community Reports**



Lookout for your neighbors. If homes are being renovated stay vigilant. Of the 13 vehicles broken into recently all were unlocked and 1 gun was listed as stolen (Murrayhill). **Do not** leave valuables and weapons in your vehicles.

## **Treasurer's Report**

October 1-October 31

4-Oct	Public Storage -62	
25-Oct	Tree Banding Deposit	840
31-Oct	Monthly Service Fee	-14
MP Balance	7	639.58
WF Balance	7	639.58

## **President's Report**

- Traffic @ Montford and Park Road.
- Coffee With A Cop Day
- · Pinewood Open house for Madison Park Residents
- Pinewood and the park
- Tree Banding

#### **Speakers**

- Bridgette Schuch; Community Partnerships and Family Engagement
  - Bridgette works with Pinewood Elementary to bridge the gap between the community and the

school.

- She understands that there has been some reluctance from the community to get involved with the school and she's hoping to change that. There is an Open House scheduled for October/November for families in Madison Park to come and get familiar with the school and the staff there.
- Fall Festival is scheduled for October 28. They need help with volunteers if you're able to help please reach out.
- You can contact Bridgette at 704.609.0983 or via email at bridgettem.schuch@cms.k12.nc.us.
- Eric Davis, CMS 2017 Bond Referendum
  - \$922M bond referendum calls for rennovations to existing schools and new schools. Collinswood, Ardrey Kell and others from our district are on the list. Please support these bonds. Our district as 5 of the top 15 projects on the list.
- Mecklenburg Parks and Rec, Keystone ct. to Manning Dr. greenway
  - Work at Keystone is expected to start in 2019 as part of the FY2020 plan. This has been identified as part of the capital improvement plan, however it isn't considered a "real thing" until the FY2020 vote comes up and it's approved. There will be a public meeting when approved and work begins. Trail will more than likely be on the Marion Dheil side of the creek; not the Madison Park side.

# **November Meeting reminders**

The next MPHOA meeting will be on Monday, November 13th at 7:00 pm. Speakers will include Bill Nichols from Queens University, talking about community use of the Queens University Sports Complex.

Our October 13th, The 2nd Friday Social will be at Lucky Lou's in the Park Selwyn Shopping Center, 5124 Park Road starting at 6:00 pm.