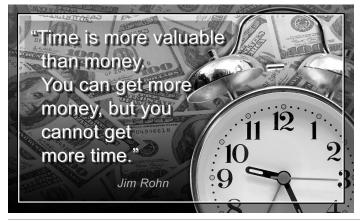
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# **Board Meeting Information**

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at 6:00 p.m. on January 25, 2011 at the Lakes Recreation Center, 44078 Cheltenham Circle.

An agenda is posted on the website, www.ashburn village.org and at both the Ashburn Village Sports Pavilion and AVCA office on Courtland Drive at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

Homeowners with Board business should arrive in time to sign in and will be asked to adhere to a 3-minute speaker's limit. Contact the AVCA office at (703) 723-7910 if you have any questions.

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# **Committee Meetings**

Check Village message boards and our website for any last minute changes and for important information. Message boards are located on Ashburn Village Boulevard at the Farmwell entrance of the Village near Fultonham Circle (northbound lane) and at the Rt. 7 entrance to the Village at Courtland Drive (southbound lane), as well as near the pool areas of the Mills, Lakes, and Woods Recreation Centers.

# **Upcoming Meetings**

# Board of Directors (BOD)

Tuesday, January 25th, 6:00 p.m. Lakes Recreation Center, Cheltenham Circle

### Architectural (AERC)

Tuesday, January 4, 6:00 p.m. AVCA Office, Courtland Drive

# Budget & Finance (B&FC)

Monday, January 17, 6:30 p.m. Lakes Recreation Center, Cheltenham Circle

# Competitive Swimming Committee (AVCSC)

Thursday, January 13, 7:30 p.m. Lakes Recreation Center, Cheltenham Circle

# Facilities & Grounds (F&GC)

Monday, January 10, 6:00 p.m. Mills Recreation Center, Grottoes Drive

### Lakes & Ponds (L&PC)

Wednesday, January 19, 7:00 p.m. Mills Recreation Center, Grottoes Drive

# Neighborhood Watch (NHWC)

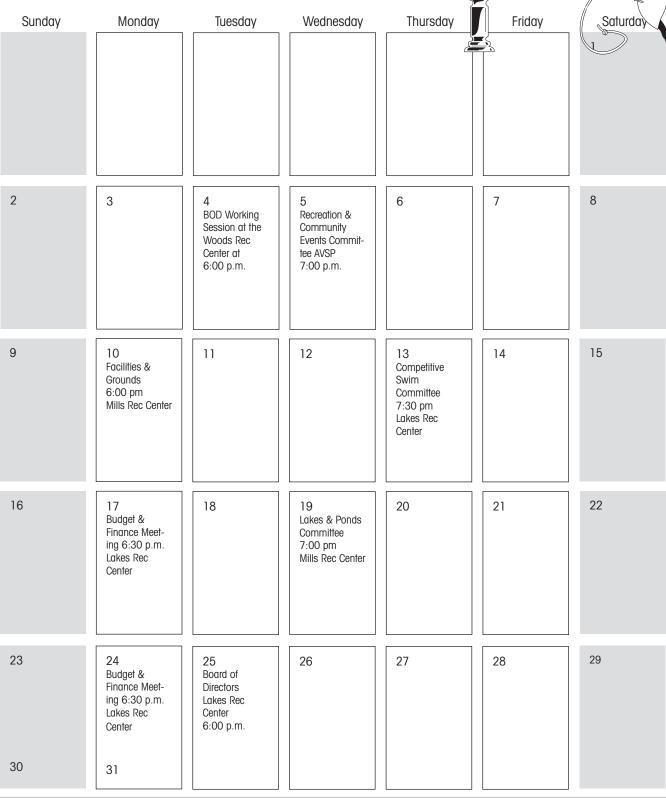
\* Meeting Date/ Location Change- Meetings to be held every other month Next meeting Tuesday, February 8, 7:00 p.m. Mills Recreation Center, Grottoes Drive

### Recreation and Community Events (R&CEC)

Wednesday, January 5, 7:00 p.m. Ashburn Village Sports Pavilion

### Tennis (AVTC)

Tuesday, January 4, 11:00 a.m. Woods Recreation Center, Louisa Drive January 2011



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# **Happy New Year Ashburn Village!**

Have you made your New Year's resolutions yet? Most of us make some sort of personal resolution to eat better, take better care of ourselves, stop smoking or start an exercise plan. This year why not make a resolution to get more involved in your community? Many of our committees are in desperate need of new members, with new ideas and a fresh point of view. This year resolve to get involved!

2011 will bring some much needed changes to the Village -starting off with a new and improved website. For years our website has been a little on the lackluster side and not very user friendly. By the time this edition of the Villager hits your mailbox it should be up and running. I invite you to take a tour and stop and visit all of the new interactive areas. Speaking of the Villager – in 2011 we will only publish hard copies of the Villager (the ones that get delivered to your mailbox) four times a year. The rest of the year the Villager will be available on-line – to view or print. In an effort to contain rising print costs and to help keep our budget in line the Board decided it was in our best interest to go in this direction. Additionally this generates less paper – a greener philosophy – and takes advantage of the fact that more people are going the digital route for their daily dose of information.

Have you seen the new benches around Pavilion Lake? Several of our seniors asked that more benches be made available around this lake to make their walking exercise program more attainable, by giving them areas to stop and rest before continuing the lap around the lake. Our Facilities crew installed several more and now there are a total of five surrounding the lake. In 2011 we are looking to add more features such as these benches – not just around our lakes, but in strategic areas to further beautify our Village. Face it – we all need a comfy seat now and then

to stop and take in our community. You made have also noticed the landscape work being done up and down the median strips – so far – things look great! In the coming year we will continue our landscape revitalization program that was started a few years ago. It has already made such an impact on the look of Ashburn Village. The Board is also continuing to tweak the Sports Pavilion revitalization plan – look for more info on that coming soon.

There is so much more to come, but if I tell you everything now I'll have nothing to write about later. For now I'm looking forward to working with the rest of the board, our staff and our wonderful volunteers to bring Ashburn Village BACK to its rightful place of being THE place to live in Loudoun County. But, as I always say it takes all of us working together for a common idea for it to really work.

"Another fresh new year is here . . . Another year to live! To banish worry, doubt, and fear, To love and laugh and give! This bright new year is given me To live each day with zest . . . To daily grow and try to be My highest and my best! I have the opportunity Once more to right some wrongs, To pray for peace, to plant a tree, And sing more joyful songs!"

- William Arthur Ward

# Ashburn Classics

The Ashburn Classics will hold their next meeting at the Mills Recreation Center in Ashburn Village starting at 10:15am on January 8, 2011. The business meeting will start promptly at 10:30am. Our guest speaker will be a representative from the Area Agency on Aging who will discuss MEDICARE and associated topics. If you are 50+ and live in the Ashburn area, please attend and learn more about MEDICARE and how it affects all of us. Delicious refreshments will be served. Please call 703-729-3531 for more information.

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# **January 2011 Report**

Submitted by Bob Ohneiser Esq., School Board Representative for the Broad Run District

By the time this is published we will be past the holidays so I can only offer a belated hope that all had sufficient quality time with their families to at least last until the next holiday or Facebook photo update. We are now in the midst of another controversial budget period which in terms of capital has a large effect on the Broad Run District. Our schools are the most crowded in the county. I'm told we represented over 22% of all the positive votes toward building ES15 in Leesburg next year. The Broad Run District has been more than fair in its support of school needs across the county and now we are overdue for some new school capacity in our own backyard. The Board of Supervisors has already planned to support another elementary school, middle school and high school for our area so stay tuned. Formal efforts have been made already to provide for locations for each of these schools on a very reasonable basis. Even though we handle and discuss the operating budget and the capital budget separately, they need to be considered jointly. The rating agencies that dictate whether we continue to have a AAA rating look at both our debt to revenues and our operating costs. In order to maximize our ability to continue to provide for excellent schools I've initiated a few efficiency studies to improve bus services as there are almost 500 routes with very low bus utilization rates. I also submitted for consideration to the joint BOS and School Board committee of which I am a member a series of ideas that could increase the amount of non-tax related funds that could flow into the county to support our schools. BOS members said they would follow up on the marketing concepts provided by me during the meeting and I hope they do. When carefully reviewing the polcies of tax collection it should be noted that not all entities pay the same property tax that we do as residents of Ashburn Village. I've suggested numerous times that Supervisors should make sure they collect what is fair before they claim they can't afford a top notch school system. I continue to appreciate the great support I get from the neighborhood and always welcome comments or concerns. OhneiserLaw@Verizon.net



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# **November Meeting**

The November 9, 2010 scheduled monthly meeting of the 2009-2010 Board of Directors was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President M. Doug Carlson.

Among other business:

- The formal seating of the 2010-2011 Board of Directors was as follows:

  Jennifer Horvath President

  M. Doug Carlson Vice President

  Samantha Bailey Secretary

  Chris Hettinger Treasurer
- Approved the minutes of the September 28, 2010 Board of Directors meeting. Approved: Bailey, Carlson, Hettinger, Horvath, Nutwell, Ryan Abstained: Guthrie
- A homeowner expressed concerns regarding the Board's efforts to reach out to the entire constituency of Ashburn Village.
- A homeowner expressed concerns regarding the Board not approving the nomination of Karen Guthrie for President of the Board of Directors.
- A homeowner expressed concerns regarding the use of the AVSP by non-residents.
- Moved to cancel the December 2010 Board of Directors meeting.

  Approved: Bailey, Carlson, Hettinger, Horvath, Nutwell Opposed: Guthrie, Ryan
- Received the President's Report. Highlights included welcome remarks to new Board members and BOD liaison committee assignments.
- Received the Treasurer's Report. Highlights included Village Fest expenses and 2011 Budget.
- Received the Finance Manager's report. Highlights included a review of the Budget and Finance Committee meeting held earlier in the month. The report represented in all material respect the financial condition and results of operations of the Ashburn Village Community Association as of, and for the periods January 1-September 30, 2010.

Old Business consisted of the following:

Reviewed 2nd draft of AER Guideline revisions. No formal action taken.

New Business consisted of the following:

- Approved the use of the Pavilion indoor by the BWST for an Olympian Clinic in February 2011.

  Approved: Bailey, Carlson, Hettinger, Horvath, Nutwell, Ryan Opposed: Guthrie
- Received the General Manager's Report. Highlights included an Action Item List of various tasks discussed at the BOD meeting and status of said tasks to report to the BOD on a monthly basis.
- Received the Facilities and Grounds Manager's Report. Highlights included the status of maintenance projects within the Village.
- Received the Resident Services Manager's Report. Highlights included the status of lot by lot inspection process, AER Guidelines revisions and the electronic file conversion into the AIMS system.
- Received the AVSP Management Report. Highlights included recap of Village Fest 2010.
- Approved the use of five lanes at the indoor Pavilion pool for BRHS swim team practices Monday-Thursday, 7:00-8:00 a.m. beginning November 2010 through February 2011.

  Approved: Bailey, Carlson, Guthrie, Hettinger, Horvath, Nutwell, Ryan
- Reviewed committee reports and minutes.
   Ms. Horvath provided a detailed synopsis of the NHWC meeting on Internet Safety.
- Adjourned into Executive Session to discuss personnel matters at 8:05 p.m.
- Reconvened regular meeting at 9:12 p.m.
- Approved the pay increase for FY 2011 for AVCA staff of up to 2.5%. Approved: Bailey, Carlson, Guthrie, Hettinger, Horvath, Nutwell, Ryan

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.



# **Finance Update/ Reminders**

Treasurer chettinger@ashburnvillage.org 2009-2011 term

It is that time of year when the Finance Department is closing the month, the 4th Quarter, and Year End 2010. They will also be getting ready for the association's annual audit conducted by The Goldklang Group, CPA's, and P.C. The audit is scheduled for the end of February and should be presented to the Board of Directors no later than the April 2011 meeting.

I would also like to take the time to remind everyone to update your bill pay or automatic bank payments as the rates for 2011 have changed. The rates can be found in the center of this addition of the villager. If you are on the Association's direct debit program there is no need to contact the association as it will automatically revise the amounts accordingly. Please remember that all payments must be made electronically to avoid the \$25.00 processing fee. The electronic address and information needed for those not on the Association's Debit program is the following:

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To date the association continues to see an increase in Finance fees and Legal income as well as a decrease in expenses for Utilities, insurance, pool expenses and general facility maintenance.

Hope everyone's holidays were joyous and we look forward to another great year in the Village.



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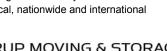
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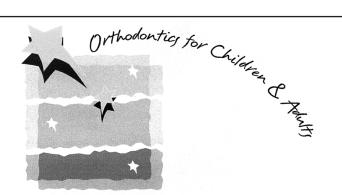
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# **Board of Directors Meeting**

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# The January 2011 Board of Directors meeting will be January 27, 2011 at 6:30pm in the Lakeshore Condominium Clubhouse

# **Electricity in Vacant Units**

If you have a unit that is vacant it is critical that you keep the furnace set a reasonable temperature to avoid pipes freezing, bursting and causing a great deal of damage. Do keep in mind that there are also water pipes located in the utility closet where the hot water heater is located.

# **Decks and Patios (Snow Removal)**

Please clear off snow from decks and patios.

### **Bulk Trash**

Please be reminded that bulk trash pick-up is every Wednesday. Any items for bulk trash pick up must be placed outside the dumpster enclosure on Tuesday night. As a reminder, when throwing your regular trash into the dumpster as a courtesy to your neighbors please pick up any trash that may fall on the ground and place it in the dumpster.

### **Window Treatments**

Please be aware that window coverings visible from the exterior must be white or off-white. Please note the following Lakeshore Condominium By-Law: Article

XI, Use Restrictions on Units and Common Elements, Section 1:

(u) Windows in each Unit shall be kept free of any metal bars of the type used for protection and all window treatments (curtains, blinds, shades, etc.) visible from the exterior of the Unit shall be white or off-white in color unless amended by rules promulgated by the Board of Directors.

# **Current State License Plates, County Tags and Current Inspection Stickers in Lakeshore Parking Lot**

All vehicles parked at Lakeshore Condominium must have current state license plates, county tags and a current inspection sticker. Any person in violation will receive a notice from the Site Manager and if the problem is not taken care of the car will need to be towed off the property. Please note the following Lakeshore Condominium By-Law: Article XI, Use Restrictions on Units and Common Elements, Section 1:

(g) ...No vehicle shall remain on the Condominium premises unless it has current state license plates, county tags and a current inspection sticker...

# Please Help Claude Moore Rec Center Serve You

With winter weather upon us, it's time to rediscover the recreation and fitness opportunities of the great indoors. At Claude Moore Rec Center that includes all kinds of activities in two pools, a gymnasium, track, fitness room, and even a thirty foot climbing wall.

We're very proud of this beautiful county facility, and want your help to make sure that it meets the public's needs and surpasses expectations. Please take a moment to complete the survey at the following link.

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We want to hear from everyone; those who have been coming regularly, infrequent or lapsed users, and people who just didn't know we're here. Claude Moore Rec Center is your place for indoor recreation. Your response will help us fill it with the services, programs and equipment that best meet your needs.

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# A New Year - Time to Try Something New

Does the thought of heading to the gym to face the cardio machines make you cringe as you begin your quest to get in shape?

Finding a form of exercise that works for you is key to finding something that 'works for you' long term. Many people find themselves sticking with what they know best - the local gym, where they spend time on the elliptical, treadmill or bike! Sound familiar?

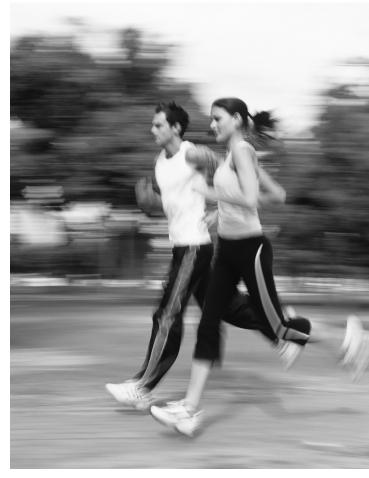
I was recently asked about why I created livefitandsore. com and blog daily about my workouts and what it takes to live healthy and fit — For me, I like to have a record of the work I have done and track my progress. But I share it with others because I think it's important for those people out there on a similar journey know they aren't alone. I am not some superhero or have extra help that allows me to do this – the group I workout with every morning at 5A, including me, are full time parents, have full time jobs, manage stresses, illnesses, successes, and challenges just like everyone else—it's a choice, a commitment and an awareness of the importance of being fit and healthy. And the benefits of leading this life present themselves in so many unexpected ways — that's one of the best parts!

So, how about starting the new year by stepping outside of your comfort zone and trying something new? That's exactly what I did 2.5 years ago and it led me to where I am today. I bet that there are probably a few training strategies out there that you have not even heard of, like High Intensity Interval Training (HIIT), that will challenge your idea of a traditional workout.

# What is High Intensity Interval Training (HIIT)?

HIIT consists of short bursts of maximum effort followed by longer intervals of low to moderate intensity exercise. Most HIIT sessions last around 20 minutes. Now - don't get too excited by the 20 minute time frame – it's not an easier workout just because it's shorter! In fact, HIIT is physically demanding and requires you to go at full steam effort during that time.

HIIT is the training I have been doing—but my workouts don't last 20 mins if I am being honest. What I like about it is it constantly challenges you by having you try things you never would have imagined - EVER! During one of my workouts - I had to pull one of those gigantic tires with a rope! How fun is that? This approach can also be applied to everyday exercises – even a neighborhood run can be made into a HIIT workout – sprint, then jog, sprint, then jog. HIIT is the approached used by many



local boot camps (http://bit.ly/findabootcamp) and Crossfit (http://www.crossfit.com/) gyms locally and it's perfect for both men and women!

So use your new year's resolution to get out of your traditional gym workout rut. Explore different training approaches, do some research, and most importantly, try something challenging, different and completely outside of your norm! There isn't a doubt in my mind that you can find one that 'works for you'.

Visit my weblog, Live Fit and Sore to find more information on training strategies and ideas for healthier living for you and your family: http://www.livefitandsore.com. Please leave a comment when you do visit, letting me know you are finding my information helpful. While opinions and information provided at livefitandsore.com, are my own, my hope is that you find what you need to ignite and inspire you as you make progress on your own fit and healthy journey. I enjoy the company!

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# Stories In-Creasing with Megan Hicks, the Origami Swami

Many Voices, Many Stories **Tuesday, January 11, 4:00 pm**A storytelling paper magic show
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Andy Offutt Irwin – Storyteller z Extraordinaire – Many Voices Many Stories Saturday, January 15, 3:00 pm Andy's silly putty voice, astounding nar-

ratives, hilarious heartfelt songs, and astonishing mouth noises have made him one of the most adored touring storytellers in the United States. An award-winning artist and educator, Irwin has appeared at venues such as the Library of Congress, the National Storytelling Festival, and at the International Storytelling Center. Four of his CDs have won Storytelling World Awards, and he has received two Just Plain Folks Music Awards. He thinks he's funny.

### **TEENS: FOR AGES 12-18**

**It's All Write** – short story writing contest – Many Voices Many Stories

**January 7 – March 4** – Entries to be submitted

Sunday, April 10, 6:00 pm at Ashburn Library – Winners will be announced There will be 1st (\$200), 2nd (\$100), and 3rd (\$50) place prizes in two categories: Grades 6-8 and Grades 9-12. Prizes will be presented by Chris Crutcher, award

winning young adult writer. For more information go to library.loudoun.gov/short-storycontest

The short story contest is sponsored by the Branch Library Advisory Boards, Branch Friends, and the James Horton for the Arts Trust Fund.

Teen Book Club
Thursday, January 20, 6:00 pm
Create reviews of the books we read in the

# **ADULTS**

ESOL - English Conversation Group Thursdays, 10:00 am & Tuesdays, 7:00 pm

An informal conversation group for non-native speakers to practice speaking English

One-on-One ESOL Tutoring
February - March, by Appointment
Starting January 24. Visit the Information
Desk to sign up for English for Speakers of
Other Languages tutoring during February
and March. ESOL learners will be partnered
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# **Graphic Novels Book Club**

If you think all comics are muscular men in tights, you may be surprised. Join us on the first Wednesday of every month to discuss "graphic novels" for grown-ups.

Copies of the books will be available at the Information Desk.

Wednesday, January 5, 7:00 pm Laika by Nick Abadzis

Adult Book Club Monday, January 3, 7:00 pm

Recommended Reads. Talk about some of your favorite books with the group. Share your recommendations and hear what others like to read.

The Path to "Published": Creating Your Personal Plan with Author David Hazard Monday, January 10, 7:00 pm

Map your way into print by creating a personal plan to getting published.

One-on-One Foreign Language Boot Camp

February - March, by Appointment Starting January 17. Visit the Information Desk to sign up for foreign language tutoring. You will be partnered with a volunteer for a one-hour session each week for two months. \*Availability of languages will vary.

Every Child Ready to Read: Parent Workshop – REGISTRATION Monday, January 31, 7:00 pm Learn age-specific pre-reading skills to prepare your 0-5 year old child to learn to read.

# Tips for Reducing Waste

Being careful about what you buy, consume, and throw away may not seem all that exciting even for the most committed environmental steward. But efficient daily practices and a little old fashioned common sense are good for the environment and your bottom line.

Use this checklist to see how many waste management and recycling practices you've implemented. Then make a plan of action to expand your efforts.

- Make waste reduction a priority in your home.
- Evaluate the waste you generate to identify and reduce your greatest sources of waste.
- Measure the volume or weight of the garbage you generate and set measurable reduction targets.
- Reject wasteful consumption by carefully considering what you need and buying products that last.
- Purchase products with minimal packaging or packaging that can be recycled, or buy in bulk.
- Use cloth napkins, cloth lunch bags, sponges/dish rags, reusable plates, and reusable coffee filters instead of paper alternatives.
- Repair or donate older or unwanted equipment and household goods to local charitable groups, rather than dispose of them.
- Purchase durable furniture and equipment or products made of recycled material to reduce waste from inferior products.
- Purchase recycled paper products, such as office paper, bathroom tissue, etc.
- Set up an area to collect recyclable of paper, glass, cardboard, aluminum, tin, and plastic.
- Compost outdoor wastes such as grass clippings, leaves, and kitchen waste (no meat or onions).

# **Avoiding Conflict with the Neighbors**

We all *can* just get along. The key? Communication. It's often the best way to prevent and resolve conflict before it reaches the legal system. You don't have to be friends or spend time together to achieve a peaceful coexistence, but you should try to be a good neighbor and follow these tips:

**Say hello.** At the mailbox, while walking the dog or when you see a moving van arrive, introduce yourself. Learn your neighbors' names and regularly offer a friendly greeting.

**Provide a heads up.** If you're planning a construction project, altering your landscaping or hosting a big party, contact your neighbors beforehand.

**Do unto others.** Treat neighbors as you would like to be treated. Be considerate about noise from vehicles, stereos, pets, etc.

**Know your differences.** Make an effort to understand each other. Differences in age, ethnic background and years in the neighborhood can lead to different expectations or misunderstandings.

**Consider the view.** Keep areas of your property that others can see presentable.

**Appreciate them.** If the neighbors do something you like, let them know. They'll be pleased you noticed, and it'll be easier to talk later if they do something you don't like.

**Stay positive.** Most people don't try to create problems. If a neighbor does something that irritates you, don't assume it was deliberate.

**Talk honestly.** Tolerance is important, but don't let a real irritation go because it seems unimportant or hard to discuss. Let your neighbors know if something they do annoys.

**Be respectful.** Talk directly to your neighbors if there's a problem. Gossiping with others can damage relationships and create trouble.

**Remain calm.** If a neighbor mentions a problem they have with you, thank them for the input. You don't have to agree or justify any behavior. Wait for any anger to subside before responding.

**Listen carefully.** When discussing a problem, try to understand your neighbor's position and why he or she feels that way.

**Take your time.** Take a break to think about what you and your neighbor have discussed. Arrange to finish the conversation at another time.



# Homeowner Resources Available...At Your Fingertips

The Internet is full of information for homeowners—if you can find what you're looking for. Google searches can pull up thousands of sites, most of them irrelevant, and it's your task to weed through them. Now there's a way around information overload. Community Associations Institute (CAI), a national membership group that works on behalf of communities like ours, has created a site specifically for homeowners and potential homebuyers.

The site includes links to several free CAI documents, including An Introduction to Community Association Living and Community Matters—What You Should Know Before You Buy. It also features links to a number of government and nonprofit websites on topics such as:

- Buying and selling a home
- Making a home affordable
- Home foreclosure resources
- Talking to a housing counselor
- Disaster information
- Emergency preparedness for families
- Fair housing laws
- Fair lending practices
- Tax information for homeowners
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# SQUARE-FOOT GARDENING

**January 6, 2011** 

7:00 p.m.



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Linna is a "LOCAVORE" who supports her local food producers and believes in encouraging people to grow their own healthy food. She has been growing her own food for over 10 years and her focus is to show people CREATIVE ways to grow food in their back yards, no matter how little time or space they have. She is a full time wife, mother, and friend and has found techniques that allow her to do it all. She grows food for her family as well as manages a full time job, life, and quality family time. She is always looking for opportunities to share her message. Visit her website to learn more and for links to her blog at <a href="http://www.foodscaper.com/">http://www.foodscaper.com/</a>.

For more information visit the Loudoun County Master Gardener website:

www.loudouncountymastergardeners.org or call
the Loudoun Extension Office if you have questions at 703-777-0373.

Debbie Dillion coordinates the Master Gardener Volunteer program.

"If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services or other accommodations to participate in this activity, please contact Debbie Dillion, Loudoun Extension Office, at (703-777-0373/TDD\*) during business hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. to discuss accommodations 5 days prior to the event.

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# **January**

Loudoun County Library Board of Trustees

**Scott Steward** 

Happy New Year! It has been an amazing year with lots of challenges, some wonderful memories, and now a bright new year awaits us. I want to call your attention to the Ashburn Library Advisory Board (ALAB) Annual Used Book Sale. This sale is the main fundraiser for the ALAB throughout the year. ALAB helps fund the Summer Reading Program and dozens of extra programs each month throughout the year. These programs make the Ashburn Library the special place it is and enhance the experiences of all who visit the

library. ALAB relies on you to contribute your used books, CDs, DVDs, and software to the sale to make it a success. Plus, during the sale it's a great way to find amazing bargains on terrific books and entertainment for your family during the winter months! Please donate and visit the sale this year!

# ASHBURN LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD BOOK SALE

Friday, January 28, 10:00 am - 9:00 pm Saturday, January 29, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm Sunday, January 30, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Books, movies, music and more – all at great prices! Proceeds directly benefit the Ashburn Library.

**Donations:** Paperback and hardback books, CDs, DVDs and software will be collected during regular library hours from Wednesday, January 12 to Wednesday, January 26

In 2011 the Loudoun County Public Library will be celebrating MANY VOICES – MANY STORIES. Look for Many Voices Many Stories highlights here in the Library Corner every month, in the LCPL publication Pages, on the website library.loudoun.gov or visit your Ashburn Library branch to learn more about the programs the Loudoun County Public Library has to offer. Stories are at the root of every community, every family and every culture. Join us throughout the year as we bring together a variety of storytellers, authors and artists to celebrate the many voices and many stories of our world. We start out the year with Andy Offutt Irwin, storyteller extraordinaire! See what else is coming up:

# STORYTIMES:

Babygarten Storytime\* (0-18 months)

Mondays & Wednesdays, 10:00 am Saturdays, 11:00 am

\*based on Babygarten curriculum

**Toddler Storytime (18-24 months)** 

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:00 am

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Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:45 am

Preschool Storytime (3s-5s)

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 11:30 am

Family Rhythm, Rhyme and Storytime (2 & up with a caregiver)

Wednesdays, 1:30 pm & 7:00 pm Saturdays, 10:00 am Sundays, 1:00 pm

# KIDS BOOK CLUBS

**Ashburn Kids Book Club – REGISTRATION** For ages 8-11.

Monday, January 10, 7:00 pm Chicken Feathers by Joy Crowley

Capital Mysteries Book Club - REGISTRATION

For ages 6-9. Books by Ron Roy **Wednesday, January 19, 4:00 pm** Who Broke Lincoln's Thumb

### Junie B. Jones Book Club - REGISTRATION

For ages 6-9. Books by Barbara Park

Thursday, January 20, 4:00 pm

Junie B. Jones Loves Handsome Warren

# MATH & SCIENCE PROGRAMS 123 Math & Science – REGISTRATION

An exploration of math and science concepts For ages 8-11

Monday, January 24, 7:00 pm

Calculator riddles, puzzles, tricks and games

### **PROGRAMS**

## Teen Reading Buddies Storytime Mondays, 4:30 pm

Encourage your child's love of books by pairing them with a teen reading buddy for one-on-one reading time. For ages 3-6

# Musical Storytime - REGISTRATION Friday, January 21, 10:00 am

Sing, chant, play instruments and move creatively as we explore the sounds, rhythms and patterns that make up our language. For ages 0-4 with a parent or caregiver

# Family Movie Matinee Saturday, January 8, 3:00 pm

Spy Next Door, Rated PG, 94 minutes Sadako and the 1,000 Cranes – REGISTRATION Friday, January 7, 3:30 pm Learn about Sadako Sasaki and the paper cranes. For ages 6-9

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Dr. Steve Velling THE CRITTER CORNER

# **Pinching Pennies on Your Pets**

With the economy the way it is, we're all watching where our dollars go. That goes for pet care, too. By focusing on prevention, you will keep your pet healthy and avoid expensive procedures without sacrificing Fluffy or Fido's health.

Here are some tips:

- Keep pets fit and trim Many pets we see are overweight, and that extra weight increases the chance of some serious health threats such as arthritis, diabetes, or cancer. To help maintain a normal weight on your pal (you know when you can feel the ribs on your dog, or see a waist line on your cat), make sure to measure your pet's food (with an actual measuring cup – not a "coffee can"!), minimize the treats, and work in a daily exercise regimen.
- **Do It Yourself** You can learn basic grooming at home, from bathing to nail trims. Don't know how? Ask your groomer or vet how they do it and you can save some money! Also, learn to brush your pet's teeth, or find the right chew toys to use to lengthen the time between potentially pricey cleanings.
- Buy Smart You can still buy toys for Shadow or Sadie, but you don't need to get designer clothes, collars or

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pillows. Also, when getting food or litter, buy in bulk to take advantage of the savings, and store the product in airtight containers.

- Work with your Vet Ask your vet if Bowzer or Brenda need all the shots that they are recommending (but don't stop going in at least once a year). Wellness exams can spot problems when they are smaller and usually easier to treat. And ask your veterinarian to write prescriptions for expensive medications that can be filled at wholesale places like Costco, or to prescribe the generic form when possible. Finally, take advantage of monthly specials that some veterinarians offer.
- **Be Prepared** Pet insurance is growing in popularity because many people don't want the cost of treating their four-legged friend to dictate whether they seek veterinary care or not. There are many different plans and options (I like Pets Best Insurance personally), so check them out before deciding.

I hope you all are weathering the financial storms we're going through, and I wish all of you a happy and healthy holiday season, and all the best for 2009!

# Two Fires Attributed to Woodstoves: **Fire Marshal Urges Safety Precautions**

FIRE MARSHALL PRESS RELEASE

Although we have had a relatively mild fall, it won't be long before the winter cold will be knocking at our doors. As temperatures grow colder, furnaces, space heaters, woodstoves and fireplaces will be fired up to keep us warm and cozy.

The Loudoun County Fire Marshal's Office urges everyone to use safety precautions when using alternative heating sources, such as woodstoves, fireplaces, or portable heaters. According to the United States Fire Administration (USFA), wood stoves cause over 4,000 residential fires every year.

Between Friday, November 12 and Saturday, November 13, 2010, fire and rescue personnel in Loudoun County responded to two fires that were directly related to woodstoves.

On Friday, November 12, an accidental fire which displaced several residents and their pet cats was due to a failure of a woodstove system. Around 3:40 a.m., Loudoun County Fire, Rescue and Emergency Management received a 9-1-1 call for a structure fire at 24213 Corktree Lane in Aldie. Fire and rescue personnel from Aldie, South Riding, Arcola, Middleburg, Leesburg and Prince William County responded to the scene. Arriving fire and rescue companies discovered an extensive fire that eventually destroyed the home.

The American Red Cross coordinated long-term relocation assistance

for the residents who were displaced as a result of the fire. No injuries were reported.

Mary L. Maguire, Department of Fire,

Rescue & Emergency Management

703-777-0333

The second fire occurred on Saturday, November 13. Around 9:40 p.m., Loudoun County Fire, Rescue and Emergency Management received a 9-1-1 call for a house fire at 19270 James Monroe Highway. Fire and rescue personnel from Leesburg, Aldie, Hamilton, Lansdowne, Purcellville and Loudoun Rescue responded to the scene. Arriving fire and rescue companies discovered a fire in an upper bedroom of the home. Crews were able to extinguish the fire quickly, bringing it under control in minutes, containing the majority of

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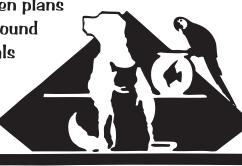
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the fire damage to the bedroom. Other areas of the home received water and smoke damage.

Two adults, one dog and one cat were displaced as a result of the fire. The American Red Cross was on hand to provide assistance for the displaced family. There were no injuries reported as a result of this incident.

The Loudoun County Fire Marshal's Office stated that the second fire, which resulted in estimated \$75,000 damage, was accidental due to the failure of a woodstove system.

"Through proper maintenance and upkeep of alternative heating sources, fires such as these, could be prevented," reported Fire-Rescue Chief W. Keith Brower.

According to the USFA, heating is one of the leading causes of residential fires in the United States. The USFA reports that over one-quarter of these fires result from improper maintenance of equipment, specifically failure to clean the equipment.

The Loudoun County Fire Marshal's Office and the USFA recommend taking a few simple safety precautions to prevent many of the fires caused by heating equipment.

### **Wood Stoves**

Carefully follow the manufacturer's installation and maintenance instructions. Look for solid construction, such as



plate steel or cast iron metal. Check for cracks and inspect legs, hinges and door seals for smooth joints and seams. Use only seasoned wood for fuel, not green wood, artificial logs, or trash. Inspect and clean your pipes and chimneys annually and check monthly for damage or obstructions. Be sure to keep combustible objects at least three feet away from your wood stove.

# **Electric Space Heaters**

Buy only heaters evaluated by a nationally recognized laboratory, such as Underwriters Laboratories (UL). Check to make sure it has a thermostat control mechanism, and will switch off automatically if the heater falls over. Heaters are not dryers or tables; don't dry clothes or store objects on top of your heater. Space heaters need space; keep combustibles at least three feet away from each heater. Always unplug your electric space heater when not in use.

### **Kerosene Heaters**

Buy only heaters evaluated by a nationally recognized laboratory, such as Underwriters Laboratories (UL), and check with your local fire department on the legality of kerosene heater use in your community. Never fill your heater with gasoline or camp stove fuel; both flare-up

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# **Notes From Your Neighbors...**

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# **Preparation: The Best Winter Defense**

We found these tips on move.com and wanted to share them with you. They are common sense but often overlooked ways to defend your health against the vagaries of winter.

- Stay dry: Immediately change out of wet clothes to avoid feeling chilled.
- Drink wisely: Stay hydrated, but avoid alcoholic and caffeinated beverages, which can alter perceptions of actual body warmth.
- Know your medicines: Prescription drugs can interfere with the body's circulatory system, causing cold-related health problems. Check with your doctor(s) about possible side effects from drugs.
- Get a flu shot: Flu season peaks in January.
- Check safety devices: Make sure smoke and carbon monoxide (CO) detectors work. Fires are more prevalent during the winter and CO is a potentially dangerous gas emitted by fuel-burning heaters and appliances.
- Watch the appliances: If using a space heater, keep it 3 feet from furniture, drapes and other combustible items. Never leave heating equipment unattended.

# **Volunteer Opportunities**

LOUDOUN COUNTY

The Ashburn Volunteer Fire & Rescue Department is always looking for dedicated and hardworking members. We not only have opportunities for firefighters and EMTs, but also for administrative members who support our firefighters and EMTs. **Come join** our team and discover the volunteer in you! Visit our website for more details or contact us at recruitment@ashburnfirerescue.org.



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# **Upcoming Events** For full details, please visit

http://www.ashburnfirerescue.org/events/



# **Pancake Breakfast**

Ashburn Firehouse, 20688 Ashburn Rd.

8 a.m. until noon. February 6 and March 6.

# **Southern States to Match Your Donations** for Diesel Fuel

Help us fill our fuel tanks on three fire engines and three ambulances. Southern States (our fuel supplier) will match all donations, up to 312 gallons per month. You can buy a gallon (or more) at our Pancake Breakfast. We thank you, and Southern States, for the support.



We are currently accepting sponsorship for all our events. Sponsorship opportunities are detailed on our website, or contact us at sponsor@ashburnfirerescue.org.

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# **Symptoms of a Vision Problem**

- Head tilting, closing or blocking one eye when reading
- Avoidance of near work
- Frequent loss of place when reading
- Red, sore or itchy eyes
- Omits, inserts or rereads letters and/or words
- Headaches, dizziness or nausea after reading
- Poor handwriting, mis-aligns numbers
- Slow, difficult line reading
- Behind grade level in reading
- Letter/word reversals after the first grade

- Jerky eye movements, or one eye turning in or out
- Failure to recognize the same word in the next sentence
- Difficulty copying from the chalkboard
- Confuses similar looking words
- Poor reading comprehension
- Short attention span
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easily. Only use crystal clear K-1 kerosene. Never overfill any portable heater. Use the kerosene heater in a well ventilated room.

# **Fireplaces**

Fireplaces regularly build up creosote in their chimneys. They need to be cleaned out frequently and chimneys should be inspected for obstructions and cracks to prevent deadly chimney and roof fires. Check to make sure the damper is open before starting any fire. Never burn trash, paper or green wood in your fireplace. These materials cause heavy creosote buildup and are difficult to control. Use a screen heavy enough to stop rolling logs and big enough to cover the entire opening of the fireplace to catch flying sparks. Don't wear loose-fitting clothes near any open flame. Make sure the fire is completely out before leaving the house or going to bed. Store cooled ashes in a tightly sealed metal container outside the home.

Above all else, the Loudoun County Fire Marshal's Office reminds residents of the importance of having a working smoke alarm on every level of your home, including one in every bedroom and one outside each sleeping area.

"In a fire, seconds count. Properly installed working smoke alarms can help provide the extra seconds needed to escape safely in the event of a fire," reported Chief Assistant Fire Marshal Jan Mitchell. "We were very fortunate in both of these incidents, since neither of these homes had working smoke alarms. The outcome could have been devastating."

Safety is of the utmost concern. Take a few minutes to insure that you and your family are protected. Install smoke alarms, carbon monoxide detectors and stock your home with a dry-chemical fire extinguisher. Practice a fire escape plan, and keep emergency numbers by the phone.

Should you like further information regarding fireplace, or other alternative heating source safety, please feel free to contact the Loudoun County Fire Marshal's Office or Joy Dotson, Public Education Manager at 703-777-0333. If you need a smoke alarm, they are available for free by calling 703-737-8093.

# Be Aware of Winter Dangers: Falls, Hypothermia and Frostbite!

You think it couldn't happen to you, that you're too smart to get frostbite or hypothermia, and you never fall down. But that's thinking about history rather than today's winter weather.

Even tough guys and strong ladies can fall to the pavement when it's iced over. And the step outside your front door could be your biggest downfall.

Staying on your feet

Your foot gear makes a difference. Tennis shoes and shoes with leather soles are out. Wear shoes or boots with some tread on them.

Take your time. Just as when you drive on an icy road, go slow.

Balance yourself with your arms when you walk. That means keeping your hands out of your pockets.

Walk flat-footed on glazed sidewalks and take short, shuffling steps.

Beware of wet, slippery floors when you enter a building.

Hypothermia and frostbite

When your body's core temperature drops, you experience hypothermia, a serious and life-threatening situation.

In frostbite, cell damage occurs from the cold as a result of a lack of circulation, usually to the fingers, toes, ears or nose.

It doesn't take extremely cold temperatures to bring about either condition. Moderate cold, when combined with wind and moisture, can cause them.

Symptoms of hypothermia include violent shivering, disorientation and exhaustion. Get the person to the emergency room right away.

Frostbite progresses from a pins and needles sensation to numbness, hard-ened skin, blisters and worse. It can lead to gangrene, so if you have the pins and needles sensation, get inside and get warm.

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# **Registration Form**

PLEASE FILL OUT AND DETACH REGISTRATION FORM. SUBMIT TO AVSP FRONT DESK WITH PAYMENT TO AVSP.

Student's Name		Age
Parent/Guardian		ember No.
Email Address		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Home Phone	Cell Phone	
Any Physical Limitations or Allergies?		
To the best of my knowledge, my child is physically able to partic		

To the best of my knowledge, my child is physically able to participate in this program. I give my permission for my child to be photographed (without compensation) during the course of CDC activities with the understanding that these photograph(s) and / or videotape(s) may be used by CDC for promotional and advertising purposes as defined and authorized by CDC, Inc. I hereby waive, release, and hold harmless Creative Dance Center, Inc., Creative Dance for Children, Inc. and its employees from liability or claims resulting form any injury to me or my child (children) due to our participation in these programs.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Ashbum Villago Holiday Sight Jour 2010







# Single Family Homes:

1st place: "Snowman's Delightful Place", 43860 Delightful Pl.
 2nd place: "Santa Visits the Griswold's", 43861 Cowgill Ct.
 3rd place: "Holiday Hodge Podge", 20591 Broadnax Pl
 Other streets not to miss: Shy Beaver, Rainsboro, & Merrywood

# Townhoues:

1<sup>st</sup> place: "Santa Wonderland", 21033 LaPorte Ter

2<sup>nd</sup> place: "Santa Land", 44292 Silkworth

3<sup>rd</sup> place: "Snowman & Lights", 43906 Chloe Ter Other streets not to miss: Aberdeen Ter & Kings Arm Sq.







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**Location: Friends of Taylor Love** 

Ashburn Village Sports Pavilion 20585 Ashburn Village Blvd

Ashburn, VA 20147

**Date:** Saturday, January 29th

**Time:** 10 am—2 pm

# To schedule an appointment, contact:

Patti Park at 703-724-1724 or patti.park@comcast.net

For more information about the Bloodmobile, visit: www.childrensnational.org/donateblood.

Donate blood for all the little reasons.

# **Volunteer for an Association Committee**

Committees are an important part of our association operations. Committee members help keep our community vibrant; and, by augmenting paid staff, they save the association thousands of dollars each year. The association just wouldn't be what it is without our active and effective committees. They deserve our sincerest thanks.

However, to be successful, our association needs to cultivate fresh ideas and encourage additional resident involvement in our committees; so, we'd like your help on one of our committees.

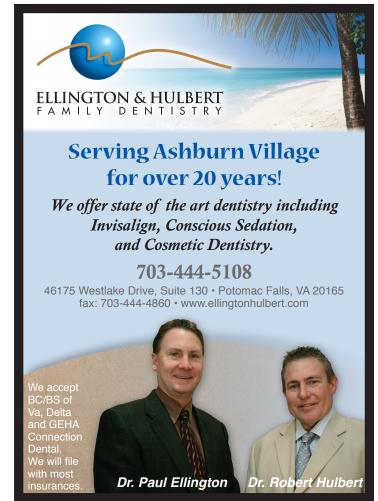
Committees give the board a way to gather information, offer new ideas and opinions and provide a training ground for future board members. All committees are advisory to the board unless given specific decision-making authority by the board or the Association's governing documents.

The board provides each committee with a job description, goal and mission statement to help it succeed as a community resource.

Our association has three types of committees:

- Administrative committees, like our architectural control committee, are set out in our association's bylaws and declaration. They are ongoing, permanent and often have clearly defined power and authority.
- Standing committees, such as our finance committee, are established by the board for an ongoing and specific purpose. These committees generally make recommendations to and act under the supervision of the board.
- Ad-hoc committees are established by the board as needed for specific projects and tasks. When the task is complete, the committee is disbanded.

If you want to learn a little more about association operations, or if you're interested in helping improve your community or just want to get out and meet neighbors, we would be thrilled to talk to you about our committees and how you might be able to help. Contact the Association office for more information.









# Happy New Year!

**Hoops and Hustle:** Basketball Training Progran

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Winter/Spring Racquetball Leagues

# January 2011

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9 AVSP Volleyball Tournament	10 Biggest Loser Challenge Begins	11	12	13	14	15
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# Biggest Loser Challenge

This new fitness program will offer 8 weeks of personal training which is geared towards anyone interested in decreasing inches from their waist! We welcome everyone as our training program is designed to accommodate all levels of fitness. You will be paired up with a partner or bring your own partner. The person who has lost the highest percentage of body weight at the end of challenge is crowned the Biggest Loser and awarded a prize.

Challenge Begins January 10!
Cost: \$250 Residents;
\$275 Non-Residents

For available days and times, contact Fitness Director, Tracy Faber at 703-729-0581 ext. 114 or email at tfaber@ashburnvillage.org

# SAVE THE DATE:

Ashburn Village 5K, 10K, & Fun Run



Sunday, May 22nd

Look for *Couch to 5K* registration to start on March 19.



# TENNIS TIP

"When you finally see what your opponent's weaknesses are, you must first check with yourself whether your level of play realistically allows you to play certain shots. If you your opponent moves very slowly towards the net, is you drop shot reliable enough to use it?

Don't change your game too much or into areas that you don't master. Adapt your game so it is very difficult for your opponent, but stay in your limits."



Come and check out our re-vamped Cardio Tennis workout!

As a recently certified Cardio Tennis facility, we are proud to offer this tennis class with a fitness flare! Coach Albert, Adult Tennis Director, will lead the New USTA approved Cardio Tennis format. Weekly sign up required.

Tuesday 9-10am Thursday 7-8pm Friday 10:30-11:30am

Cost: Residents \$21/per class; NRTM \$23/ per class



# Tennis Social

Join AVSP for a Tennis Social on Friday, January 28th from 7pm-9pm. Enjoy an evening of social tennis with a hint of professional help. Bring your fellow player, try new Wilson demo racquets and have a great night of tennis. Sign up at the front desk.

Cost: \$20 Residents; \$22 NRTM

# Winter/Spring Racquetball Leagues

Registration opens January 3 for Winter/ Spring Racquetball Leagues. Play will begin on January 31! Sign up for one or more leagues! Players must be residents or non-resident tennis members. These leagues are available this Winter/Spring:

### **Individual Competitive Flex**

- Separate Mens/Womens
- Separate skill levels
- Flexible match schedule

## Individual Non-Competitive Flex

- Play without pressure
- Flexible match schedule
- Points by number of matches played

### **Doubles League**

- For players of all levels
- Men, women, or mixed
- Matches played Saturdays 9am

Cost: \$15 Residents; \$25/NRTM Registration Opens: January 3 Registration Closes: January 17

> The Winter II Junior Tennis session begins on February 21st. Registration opens: January 17 for Residents and January 24 & 25 for NRTM's



# Aquatic Stroke Clinics Get Ready for Summer Swim Team

AVSP will be offering Stroke Clinics in two 8 week sessions: Feb/Mar and Apr/May. Stroke Clinics will meet once a week. Individuals registering for the stroke clinics should be able to swim 25 meters of both freestyle (front crawl) and backstroke. Also, they should be able to swim 15 meters of either breaststroke or butterfly. Stroke Clinics will be offered on both weeknights and weekends. The cost is \$85 Residents / \$100 Non-Residents for each 8 week session. Stroke Clinics are limited to 8 students and one stroke clinic section per student.



group swim lessons

Registration dates for the Group Swim Sessions are as follows:

### Winter Session 3

Session Runs: Feb. 14 –March 11

- Resident registration opens on Wednesday, February 2 @ 7pm
- Non-Residents registration opens on Sunday, February 6 @ 7am
- Registration closes February 10 @ 9pm
- Classes meet twice a week for 4 weeks.

# Aqua Jets Registration

Aqua Jets Registration Information is coming soon! The registration packet will be available online and at the Sports Pavilion on or before February 1.

AVSP Indoor Pool Closed from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm on Jan. 9 and Feb. 27, for Blue Waves Swim Meet.



Sundays, 6:30pm

Utilize deep water running exercises to strengthen and tone muscles, improve your cardiovascular system, and allow you to enjoy a refreshing and challenging workout with less stress and strain on your joints.

Day/Time: Sundays @ 6:15pm Dates: January 16 - February 20 Cost: \$80 Residents: \$110 Non-Residents

Drop-In: \$15 Residents;

\$20 Non-Residents

# Belly Dance

Belly Dance is a cardiovascular and strength workout. It teaches participants how to isolate muscles and work them independently.

LEVEL I

Days/ Times: Wednesdays @ 8:30pm Dates: January 12-March 2

LEVEL II

Days/ Times: Mondays @ 8:30pm Dates: January 10-February 28

Cost: \$65 Residents; \$87 Non-Residents

Drop-In: \$10 Residents: \$15 Non-Residents **Instructor:** Stephanie Niday

# Power, Agility & Speed

This is an intensive 8 week training program for youth ages 12-17. Power, Agility & Speed training will help your movements become faster and more powerful. This program is designed for boys and girls who desire to improve their performance in a sport or just become more athletic. The workout uses explosive jumping movements and quick transitioning footwork

Day/Time: Thursdays @ 6:15pm Dates: January 20 - March 10 Cost: \$65 Residents; \$87 Non-Residents

Instructor: Coach Adam Jones

# **Creative Dance**

Sign your child up for Hip Hop/Jazz Dance classes at AVSP!

Day: Fridays

Dates: January 14 - March 20 **Ages/Time:** 5-6 years 3:45-4:30pm

7-11 years 4:30-5:15pm Location: AVSP Group Exercise Room

Cost: \$140

Registration now open! Spaces are limited, sign up today!

# **ABC Tennis Conditioning**

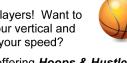
AVSP will be offering an ABC Tennis Conditioning class for youth ages 12 to 17. ABC Tennis Conditioning is a Sport-Specific Training program designed to improve your footwork through agility drills as well as strength and conditioning drills to improve your balance and coordination.

Day/Time: Tuesdays @ 5:00pm Dates: January 18 - March 8

Cost: \$60 Residents; \$75 Non-Residents

# **HOOPS & HUSTLE**

Basketball Players! Want to increase your vertical and improve your speed?



AVSP will be offering *Hoops & Hustle* for youth ages 11 to 15. Hoops & Hustle is a Sport-Specific Training program designed to specifically condition each fitness component to meet the physical demands of basketball. The class will incorporate agility drills to improve your footwork as well as strength and conditioning drills to improve your balance and coordination.

Day/Time: Thursdays @ 5:00pm Dates: January 20 - March 10

Cost: \$60 Residents: \$75 Non-Residents



Fitness Tip from Fitness Director, Tracy Faber:



"So, what's the secret to successful resolutions?"

- Choose an obtainable
- Create a game plan
- Reward yourself with each milestone
- Don't go it alone! Get professional assistance.
- Limit your number of promises.





Kid Fit is a 45 minute class

designed for youth ages 10-14. The class combines cardio, resistance and core training into one fun filled, energetic class.

Days Tues. & Thurs. **Time:** 4:15pm Dates: Jan. 18 - Feb. 10 Cost: \$60 Residents;

\$84 Non-Residents



# **Kids Night Out** Pajama Jam!

ASAP will be hosting a Kids Night Out Pajama Jam for children ages 6 to 12 years. Come join the fun Saturday January 8, 2011 from 8:00 pm to 11:00 pm! Kids The cost is \$30 for residents and \$35 for nonresidents. There is a discount for additional siblings!





Join this 45-minute Core Conditioning class with an emphasis on strengthening and stretching the muscles of the abdominal, pelvic and lower-back regions. Core training is helpful in sustaining the ability to perform the activities of daily living. This class will help you improve both your physical form as well as your ability to function. This class is recommended for intermediate levels and above.

Day/Time: Tuesdays @ 5:30pm Date: January 18 - February 1 Cost: \$40 Residents: \$45 Non-Residents **Drop In:** \$10 Residents:

\$15.00 Non-Residents Instructor: Laura Newell







# FREE Polar™ Body Age **Assessments**

Let the AVSP Personal Trainers help you determine your body's age verses your biological age. Assessments will be offered on the following days and times:

# Tuesday, January 11 at 9-11am and 5-7pm

There is no cost, however registration is required. Please wear comfortable, loose-fitting clothing.

# Volleyball Tournament

AVSP is hosting a Volleyball Tournament Sunday, January 9 starting at 10 am! Multiple ages brackets available. \$200 cash prize to the winning team. Contact Chris Cabrera for more information at ccabrera@ashburnvillage.org.



# FIRST AID + CPR CERTIFICATION



# American Red Cross: First Aid & CPR/AED Training

Gain the skills and confidence to act in an emergency. Pre-registration is required for this course.

Date: Monday, February 7

Time: 6-8pm First Aid; 8-10pmCPR/AED Location: Lakes Recreation Center

44078 Cheltenham Cr. **Instructor:** Heather Purk

Cost per course is \$25 for Residents and \$30 for Non-Residents. If you need both courses the cost is \$50 for Residents and \$60 for Non-Residents.



**TEEN WEIGHT TRAINING** 



This course gives a general introduction to the "do's" and "don'ts" of fitness and weight training, emphasizing safety, proper technique, weight selection, as well as gym etiquette. This is a two-day course and teens must demonstrate competency on the equipment and pass a written quiz. After completing this course teens ages 12-15 may use the fitness center with parental supervision. Please note, participation in both days of the session is required. Course is the following days/times:

**January Session 1:** 

Dates: Mon., Jan. 3 & Wed., Jan. 5

**Time:** 4:30pm Cost: \$15

January Session 2:

Dates: Tue., Jan. 18 & Thurs., Jan. 20

**Time:** 4:30pm

**Cost**: \$15

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# FISCAL YEAR 2011 BUDGET

# Individual Dwelling Unit Charges per Month (PUPM) Assessments

Homeowners should adjust all assessments to be paid beginning January 1, 2011 to reflect the new approved amounts according to their dwellings.

Dwelling Type 9 Acces Evpenses	Units	2010 Monthly	2011 Monthly	Assessment Differential
Dwelling Type & Assoc. Expenses	Units	Assessment	Assessment	Dillerential
Single Family				
General LCE	5,071	\$48.13	\$54.12	
General S/U LCE	5,071	\$4.49	\$4.67	
Recreational LCE	4,255	\$12.30	\$11.05	
Recreational S/U LCE	4,255	\$0.62	\$0.75	
RF AVSP S/U LCE	4,255	\$3.00	\$2.86	
RF AVSP LCE	4,255	\$23.82	\$21.95	
Single Family Detached LCE	1,505	\$1.82	\$1.54	
Single Family Detached R/R LCE	1,505	\$20.05	\$19.00	
Total Single Family Monthly Assessment		\$114.23	\$115.94	\$1.71
<u>Townhome</u>				
General LCE	5,071	\$48.13	\$54.12	
General S/U LCE	5,071	\$4.49	\$4.67	
Recreational LCE	4,255	\$12.30	\$11.05	
Recreational S/U LCE	4,255	\$0.62	\$0.75	
RF AVSP S/U LCE	4,255	\$3.00	\$2.86	
RF AVSP LCE	4,255	\$23.82	\$21.95	
Townhome LCE	2,424	\$7.22	\$8.21	
Townhome R/R LCE	2,424	\$15.03	\$13.81	
Gala Circle Utilities	88	\$10.75	\$10.42	
TH Age Restricted Grounds Fee	108	\$15.33	\$15.32	
Total Townhome Monthly Assessment		\$114.61	\$117.42	\$2.81
Total Gala Circle Townhome Monthly Asses	ssment	\$125.36	\$127.83	\$2.47
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Total Age Restricted Townhome Monthly As	ssessment	\$129.94	\$132.74	\$2.80
Condominium				
General LCE	5,071	\$48.13	\$54.12	
General S/U LCE	5,071	\$4.49	\$4.67	
Recreational LCE	4,255	\$12.30	\$11.05	
Recreational S/U LCE	4,255	\$0.63	\$0.75	
RF AVSP S/U LCE	4,255	\$3.00	\$2.86	
RF AVSP LCE	4,255	\$23.82	\$21.95	
Total Condominium Monthly Assessment		\$92.37	\$95.40	\$3.03
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Total Age Restricted Condominium Monthly	\$92.37	\$95.40	\$3.03	

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# FISCAL YEAR 2011 BUDGET

The Village is comprised of a total of 5,071 units.

1505 Single family dwellings
 326 Condominium dwellings
 816 Multi-Family units

# **Single Family Dwellings:**

The General Limited Common Expenses (LCE) and General Sewage/utilities Limited Common Expenses (S/U LCE) are paid by all 5071 units. These expenses are the Administrative and General Operational Expenses such as newsletter, web site, Facility and Grounds, legal, and the portion dedicated to the General Reserves.

Recreational Limited Common Expenses (LCE) and Recreational Sewage/Utilities Limited Common Expenses (S/U LCE) are paid by 4255 units. Multi-Family units do not share this item as they have no use of the facilities (outdoor pools and the three Recreational centers: Lakes, Mills and Woods.)

The Ashburn Village Sports Pavilion (AVSP) Limited Common Expenses (LCE) and AVSP Sewage/utilities Limited Common Expenses (S/U LCE) are paid by 4255 units. Multi-Family units do not share this item as they have no use of the Ashburn Village Sports Pavilion without paying for an outside membership.

The Single Family Detached Limited Common Expenses (LCE) and The Single Family Detached Refuse/Recycling Limited Common Expenses (R/R LCE) are paid by 1505 Single family units. This expense covers the trash contract and the Single family portion of reserves.

### **Townhome Dwellings**

The General Limited Common Expenses (LCE) and General Sewage/utilities Limited Common Expenses (S/U LCE) are paid by all 5071 units. These expenses are the Administrative and General Operational Expenses such as newsletter, web site, Facility and Grounds, legal, and the portion dedicated to the General Reserves.

Recreational Limited Common Expenses (LCE) and Recreational Sewage/Utilities Limited Common Expenses (S/U LCE) are paid by 4255 units. Multi-Family units do not share this item as they have no use of the facilities (outdoor pools and the three Recreational centers: Lakes, Mills and Woods.)

The Ashburn Village Sports Pavilion (AVSP) Limited Common Expenses (LCE) and AVSP Sewage/utilities Limited Common Expenses (S/U LCE) are paid by 4255 units. Multi-Family units do not share this item as they have no use of the Ashburn Village Sports Pavilion without paying for an outside membership.

The Townhomes Detached Limited Common Expenses (LCE) and Townhome Refuse/Recycling Limited Common Expenses (R/R LCE) are paid by 2424 Townhome units. This expense covers the trash contract, the Townhome portion of reserves and a portion of the snow removal.

**Gala Circle** Utilities are paid by the 88 Gala Townhomes for exterior lamp gas.

**Townhome (TH) Age restricted Grounds fees** are paid by 108 units for the monthly Grounds contract to that section.

# **Condominiums**

These 326 units only participate in the General LCE, the General S/U, Recreational LCE, Recreational S/U, RF AVSP LCE and the RF AVSP S/U as describe above.