



South Graylyn Crest
Civic Association

SGCCA NEWS

IMPORTANT MEETING TO ADD TO YOUR CALENDAR

March 2011

Your Civic Association

Our treasurer warns that since only **68 of 319** homes have paid their dues, there is a danger that we will not have enough money to pay for snow removal this calendar year. See column 4.

Dues are \$25/yr. and \$16 for homes on Wilson Rd.

Envelopes are attached for dues. Checks may be made out to the SGCCA and dropped off to Treasurer Pat Armbruster at 1017 Faun Rd. (478-7591)

Dues contest winners are in column 4.

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The next South Graylyn Crest Civic Association meeting will be on March 14, 2011 at 6 P.M at the Brandywine Hundred Library.

We have invited State Representatives Greg Lavelle and Bryon Short to discuss the new group home at 1812 Pan Rd. There will be 2 representatives of the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services at the meeting, Warren Ellis, Director of Community Services and Allan Zaback, Regional Program Director.

Community Systems Inc. has recently replaced the original operators of the home. They have been in operation in Delaware for a number of years and will be represented by David Paige, who is Director of services in Delaware.



We are also looking for an activities chairperson. The **Easter Egg Hunt** is scheduled for April 17 at 4 PM, with a rain date of April 23. However, we **NEED HELP** in order to run this event. Come to the meeting or call or Email an officer if interested.



ANIMAL SHELTER DRIVE

Your South Graylyn Crest Association organized very successful drive for the **Food Bank of Delaware** in October . See the back of this newsletter for our next effort, that of collecting for animal shelters. If you have a suggestion for a future community non-profit event, let Marc or Amanda know.

SNOW NEWS IS NOT GOOD NEWS

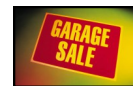
So far this winter we have spent over \$5000 on snow removal. Our balance is \$3652. We started out with \$8000. So far we have not received any refunds . All the paperwork has been submitted to the state. The state will pay on storms of 4 inches or more. they pay approx. 75% and also more for the cul-de-sac on Crestover. The payments will be automatically deposited in our checking account.

There is a danger we will not have enough to pay for next year if more residents do not pay their dues.



\$\$\$\$\$ Dues contest winners: \$50 gift certificates are going to the following families: Maull, 1014 Faun, Henley, 1021 Sedwick- Henley, 1804 Graywell, Sarmousakis, 1012 Crestover, Eck, and 1813 Jaybee, Stiller

Holiday Decorating Contest Due to lack of votes and getting homes posted in a timely manner, no prizes were given.



The **Spring Community Garage sale** will be May 21st with a rain date of the 22nd.

Real Estate Update

Presently, 2 homes are for sale in South Graylyn Crest, with prices of \$293,500 and \$255,000, both 4 bedrooms.

There were 15 homes sold in South Graylyn Crest in 2010, with an average price of \$280,500.

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Animal Shelter Drive



Our food drive in the fall was wildly successful and benefited many Delaware residents. This spring we would like to focus our community efforts on benefiting some local shelters. We are collecting items for our animal friends and hope you will participate! Below is the wishlist from Andy's Friends, Forgotten Cats, and Delaware Humane. **Please place your donation out on your doorstep by 10 AM on Saturday March 26th! One of the Association officers will be around to collect them.** We hope you will consider donating!

Clippers
Adhesive tape
Sterile and non-sterile exam gloves
Alcohol
Bleach
Paper towels
Cat Toys
Natures Miracle cleaner
Unscented Laundry detergent
Sponges (with scouring pad on 1 side)
Canned cat and kitten food (any brand)
Dry kitten and cat food (any brand)
KMR kitten formula
Kitten nursing bottles
Cat litter
Plastic or stainless steel litter pans
Litter scoops
Washable cat beds
Cat toys
Scratching posts or corrugated cardboard
Plastic cat carriers
Wire dog cages in all sizes
Metal or plastic food bowls
Used laundered towels and sheets
Gift cards to pet supply stores
Heating pads (without auto shutoff)

Nylon muzzles (small and large)
Sterilized bones
Nylabones large bones
New (unused) spray bottles
Nylon snap collars in all sizes
Nylon leashes in any size
Dog beds
Blankets and comforters (no electric blankets please)
Towels (new or used)
Dog sweaters/coats
Science Diet canned dog food
Stainless steel food bowls (various sizes)
Waste baggies
Dog training treats
Liquid hand soap
Hand lotion
Hand sanitizer
Blue Dawn dishwashing liquid
Tissues
Industrial mop heads
Microwavable heating discs
Humane traps
Heavy-duty trash bags