

## SGCCA NEWS

#### ALL KINDS OF MEETINGS AND EVENTS COMING UP

#### October 2011

Civic Association Dues

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)

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We have a new website, which will be adding local activities and resident-owned businesses:

Website: http://www.sgcca.org/web/

Thanks, David!



The next South Graylyn
Crest Civic Association
meeting will be on October
11, 2011 at 6 P.M at the
Brandywine Hundred Library.

We have invited New Castle County Police officer Amy Kevis, who covers our area, to discuss current happenings and answer questions.



We will also hear from a representative of the Malcolm Pirnie firm, who are doing the engineering on the sewer rehabilitation project in our neighborhood.

#### **ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

The Association meeting on October 11 will open the floor for nominations for officers for the 2011-2012. All current officers are standing for reelection.

#### **YARD SALE**

Clean out your attic, basement, garage, spare room, and closets, because we are going to be advertising a yard sale to be held on Saturday, October 16, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Price it low and let it go! That's the key to a profitable sale.





#### **FOOD DRIVE**

Your South Graylyn Crest Association organized a very successful drive for the Food Bank of Delaware last October . See the back of this newsletter for our next effort, which will be held on October 22 at 11 a.m. Additional donations accepted at Halloween event, If you have a suggestion for a future community non-profit event, let Marc or Amanda know.



#### **HALLOWEEN PARTY**

We are again partnering with Chatham to hold a Halloween event in Chatham Park on October 30 at 4 PM.



Holiday Decorating Contest
Judges will be looking at decorations and choosing winners
on December 20. Anyone
could win!



#### **Be Alert and Report**

There have been reports of BB gun damage to windows in South Graylyn Crest. Please report all suspicious activity to New Castle County Police. The non-emergency number is 573-2800.

<u>Leaf Blower Request</u>: Please do not blow leaves into the street. They are YOUR responsibility.



#### **Real Estate Update**

Presently 3 homes are for sale in South Graylyn Crest, two 3 bedroom homes with prices of \$259,900 and \$279,000, and one 4 bedroom at \$299,000. There is one pending sale which was listed at \$229,900.

There have been 6 homes sold in South Graylyn Crest this year, with an average price of \$257,865 versus last year's average sale price of \$280,500.

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### **South Graylyn Crest Food Drive**



South Graylyn Crest, in conjunction with The Food Bank of Delaware, is running a food drive to help our neighbors who the economy has impacted. Many of us do not think where our next meal comes from but 241,600 Delaware residents depend on emergency food assistance each year. That's every 1 in 4 residents of our state who are food insecure.

The Association will be running this food drive from October 16<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> with a pick up on <u>October 22nd</u>. All you need to do is leave your donation outside your door and it will be picked up and delivered to the food bank. <u>If you cannot put out your food on this date we will also be collecting at the Halloween party!!</u>

Canned Vegetables

**Canned Fruits** 

Tuna

**Canned Meats** 

Pasta

Pasta Sauce

Peanut Butter

Cereal

Soup

Long grain rice

Hominy/Grits

**Dried Beans** 

Sazon & Adobo Seasoning

Microwave meals

Juice Boxes

Juice Boxes

Shelf stable milk

Individual cereal bowls

Fruit & applesauce cups

Toothpaste

Toilet Paper

Paper Towels

Soap

Pet Food (don't forget our furry

neighbors!)

Nonfat dry milk

Canned juices

Personal Hygiene products (adults

and kids)

Home Cleaning

Reduced Sugar items

Reduced Sodium items

<u>Can't get to the grocery store?</u> We are also offering the ability to donate online. Please go to <u>www.fbd.org</u> and select the Donate Now button.

If you or someone you know are hungry or in need of assistance, please contact the Delaware Helpline by dialing 211 or visit the Delaware Helpline website at <a href="http://www.delaware211.org/">http://www.delaware211.org/</a>.