
PINE BROOK NEWS

THE PINE BROOK CIVIC ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

Winter 2015

Santa Claus Is Coming To Town

He's making a list, he's checking it twice, going to find out who's naughty or nice, Santa Claus is coming to Pine Brook! Make sure you greet Santa during his annual stop at Pavilion Park on Monday, December 7, 2015 shortly after 6:00pm. Santa will arrive via a Hampden Township Fire Department truck to greet all the good girls and boys of Pine Brook!

This event is free and open to all Pine Brook families. The Pine Brook Civic Association will provide some hot chocolate, but please feel free to bring a dessert to share. Warm up around a campfire and toast up some marshmallows too! This meet-and-greet with Santa will take place rain or snow since the Pavilion is covered.

PBCA Turkey Trot

Pine Brook will be holding the annual Turkey Trot on Thanksgiving morning (Nov. 26) starting and finishing at the Pavilion Park. It is a very informal 5k fun run starting at 9:30am and is open to all runners, walkers, strollers and pets. This event is free and is a great way to kick start your holiday!



Calendar

November 26, 2015, Pine Brook Turkey Trot 5k. Begins and ends at Pavilion Park starting at 9:30 a.m. Free and very informal fun run for all ages.

December 7, 2015, Santa visits Pavilion Park. Please arrive at 6:00 p.m. to get ready. Free to kids of all ages. Bring a dessert to share.

December 14, 2015, Monday, 7:00 pm PBCA Board Meeting @ 420 Lamp Post Lane.

December 24, 2015, Pine Brook Luminaries from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Thank you to Jacquie Kirby

In October 2015, Jacquie Kirby Hensel stepped down as President of the Pine Brook Civic Association as she was preparing to take over the helm of Harrisburg Meals on Wheels. Jacquie has served the neighborhood as President for nearly 7 years, and we all appreciate the work she has done for the neighborhood. We know that Meals on Wheels will benefit from her stewardship. Jacquie will remain on the PBCA board as former President.

In accordance with the Association bylaws, former VP Lee Morrison is now President of the Association and David Chajkowski was elected at the last Board Meeting as Vice President.

Under Jacquie's leadership, the PBCA accomplished many things, among which were:

- We successfully opposed a condominium development across the creek from Pine Brook
- We negotiated with PPL to solve most of the power interruptions we used to experience
- We repaired sidewalks around the neighborhood parks (which are owned by all Pine Brook residents)
- We instituted a regular schedule of general upgrades and routine maintenance of the parks
- Jacquie had regular conversations with the engineering firm planning the Orr's Bridge replacement to keep the neighborhood updated.

These and many other PBCA issues, which Jacquie tirelessly addressed, required substantial time and effort. The neighborhood owes her a great deal of gratitude. Please join the Pine Brook Civic Association in thanking Jacquie for her years of dedicated work on behalf of the residents of the Pine Brook neighborhood.

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Christmas Tree Sale

Boy Scout Troop 80 is holding their annual Christmas Tree sale beginning on November 27, 2015, and lasting until the last tree is sold. The sale will take place at the Mechanicsburg Presbyterian Church, 300 E Simpson Street. The troop is again offering Douglas Firs, Fraser Firs and Concolor Firs ranging from 4' to 8'

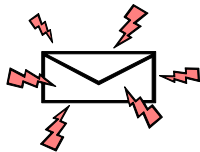
The sale hours are:

Monday – Friday: Noon to 8:00 p.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Sunday: Noon to 6:00 p.m.

Please come by and help support the Boy Scouts.



SUBMIT YOUR NEWS-BITS

Do you have news or birth announcements to make in the neighborhood? Or do you have a unique service you would like other neighbors to know about? To be included in the Pine Brook News, submit to:

Dave Fish, 405 Lamp Post Lane, Camp Hill, PA 17011

E-mail: PBCAmail@yahoo.com



Pavilion Yard & Craft Sale

Just in time for the holidays, Girl Scout Troop 11355 is holding a fundraising yard & craft sale filled with lots of bargains including new kids books, clothing, gift items, crafts and more. The sale will take place rain, snow or shine December 5, 2015 from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Pavilion Park. Stop by to stock up on holiday gifts and stocking stuffers. If you are interested in joining the event by having your own space to sell things or if you are doing holiday cleaning and would like to donate items for the sale, please contact Betty Fish at 737-6635.



Pine Brook Luminaries

Once again all residents are invited to join what is becoming a neighborhood wide event in Pine Brook, luminaries on December 24th. This is a voluntary event that all residents may participate in to celebrate the holidays.

Starting at 5pm on December 24th, please put luminaries on the curb in front of your house. One every five feet seems to work best. You can use white paper bags, brown paper bags, glass jars....whatever you like. You may use candles, flashlights or electric lights. Use sand or small stones to weigh the bags down. (If you use candles, please make sure you keep an eye on them. A fire could ruin the event for your household.)

As this event grows, imagine how pretty the neighborhood will look with each street lined with lights.

No matter what your faith, please consider joining in this neighborhood light show.