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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

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COVENANTS COMMITTEE MEETING

The next covenants committee meeting will be at 7 p.m. on March 4, 2008, at Jennie Dean Elementary School at 9601 Prince William St. Manassas, VA 20110.

Thanks to all who participated in the recent Neighborhood Watch Meeting. The next meeting will be held on Monday, February 25, 2008 at 6:30 p.m. in the conference room at the City of Manassas Police Department, at 9518 Fairview Ave. Manassas, VA 20119. Bring your surveys with you!

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Update & Survey

s some of you may know, the Wellington Community Center was damaged on January 21, 2008 due to a frozen pipe and sprinkler system malfunction. The damage is extensive and the center, which was already under repair, will now be closed until the work can be completed. The Fire Marshall and the Building Inspector have

asked us to remove our office until the center is repaired and inspected for safety.

The Board of Directors is working closely with Legum & Norman, Inc. and with the Contractors to insure a smooth transition from repairs to completion. The insurance carrier has met with us on site and the center was fully covered. We are not able to operate out of the building right now; however, you will be happy with the new and improved center upon completion I am sure!

I am currently working by phone and email. If you need to see me please call me and I can arrange to meet with you. I have transferred the phones to roll over to my cell phone. Please continue to call 703-330-5019.

Diane Hartman CMCA

Neighborhood Watch Survey and Important Meeting

nclosed you will find surveys for both Prince William County and City of Manassas for the Neighborhood Watch Program. In view of the many break ins in the area we are asking you to BRING YOUR SURVEYS TO THE NEXT MEETING ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2008! The meeting will be held at the City of Manassas Police Station Conference Room at 9518 Fairview Avenue, Manassas, VA 20110. Scott Stallard, of the City of Manassas Police Department will be in charge of training for this session. You will come away from this meeting with some very valuable information on keeping your home, family and community safe.

The meeting will start promptly at 6:30 pm. Please come out and support this important meeting. Everyone who is interested in combating crime in our neighborhood should attend this meeting. Suzanne Seaberg, Secretary/Treasurer of the Wellington Community Homeowners Association is the Chair Person of this event. If you would like to contact Suzanne, please call 703-368-8435 or email her at sseaberg@wellingtonca.org.

Thanks and we hope to see you there!

Wellington Community Association

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Visit Wellington on the Web!

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The site includes useful information for Wellington members about the Association's policies, procedures, services, schedule of meetings and events, as well as various contacts. Comments and suggestions from the

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The deadline for submission of ads is the 15th day of each month preceding the month of issue.

Covenants Talk

hanks to everyone who has complied with the rules and regulations of the community and cured the violations. We will be doing an annual inspection within the next few weeks, be sure to check your home for deficiencies. Please make sure your home has been cleared of any holiday decorations. These are supposed to be removed no later than January 31.

Just a reminder, if you have received a letter please respond within the time allotted or you may be assessed violation charges. If you have completed the repair on your home or lot, please send this information into the Covenants Coordinator in writing to 9700 Wellington Road, Manassas, VA 20110.

Thank you!

Jennifer Sibbett Covenants Coordinator 703-330-5019



Wellington Condominium Residents

The condominiums are managed by SCS. They can be reached at 703-631-2003. Please direct any questions regarding condo parking and permits, landscaping, snow removal or other issues relating to the condominiums to SCS Management Company.

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Covenants Committee Meetings

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The deadline for Design Review Applications is the 15th of the previous month for all applications to be submitted.

All residents are welcome to attend the Covenants Committee meetings!

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eorge C. Round Elementary's PTO will hold their 9th Annual 5K Run and 1 Mile Fun Walk on Saturday morning, March 8. Come on out and join the fun... or cheer from your front porch as the runners speed by. Please watch for runners/walkers as they traverse the neighborhood down Bens Way, Flowerden, Strawflower, Gloxinia and Amaryllis. Rest assured, everyone should be off the course by 11am and a clean up crew will follow the runners to ensure that no litter is left behind. Round Elementary PTO thanks you for your support!

Warm-up with Just Fitness for Kids at 9:30 am

1 Mile Fun Walk 9:45 a.m.

Shamrock 5K Run 10 a.m.

G. C. Round Elementary School 10100 Hastings Drive, Manassas.

Cost \$20 for 5K; \$15 for Walk.

Please register online at www.active.com

Register by February 22nd to guarantee a long sleeved T-shirt. Information: 703-257-8069 or shamrockrun@comcast.net



Crime in your Neighborhood and Neighborhood Watch

We are conducting a survey in your area to determine if sufficient interest exists to start a Neighborhood Watch Program. Police statistics indicate that in the past six (6) months (July 1, 2007 to December 1, 2007); there were a total of 82 calls for service (CFS) in this area. This includes all of Magenta, Basilwood, Peachwood, Clematis, Thistlewood, Perennial, Flametree, Pennycress, Felicia and Cerise. Below is the breakdown of CFS:

Child Abuse/Neglect		Firearms Violation	
Domestic	5	Noise/Loud Party	9
Fighting		Trespassing/Loitering	1
Auto Theft		Unconscious Person	
Burglary	1	Warrant Service	10
Larceny	1	Missing Persons	
Prowler		Abandoned Auto	5
Throwing Missiles		Parking Violation	1
Vandalism / Tampering		Suspicious Vehicle /	5
		Persons	
Alarms / 911 Hang-up	14	Traffic Accidents	1
Animal Calls	10	Traffic Related	3
Disorderly	4	Other (non-specific)	11
Drug Related		Service Request	1

This document only reflects calls for police service. It does not reflect whether the report of criminal activity was FOUNDED or UNFOUNDED. It also does not reflect whether any police reports or enforcement were taken during any incident.

If you are interested in helping to start a Neighborhood Watch in your area please complete the attached survey form and return it to Suzanne Seaberg or drop in the box at the community center. If you have any questions, please contact me. A coordinator will be chosen from those interested and become my point of contact.

The Neighborhood Watch Program can have a great effect on the safety of your family, home and community and it receives tremendous support from the Police Department. However, the program is dependent upon citizen commitment. If there is not sufficient response, I will make no further effort to start the Watch program in your area at this time. Please help us to make your community a safer place to live.

Sincerely,

APO Chara Hyduke

Prince William County Police

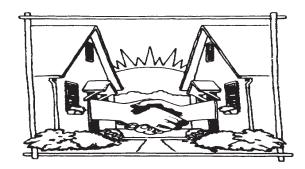
Crime Prevention Unit

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH SURVEY

A survey is being conducted in your neighborhood to determine if sufficient interest exists to start a Neighborhood Watch Program. The program is sponsored by the Manassas City Police Department. A minimum level of interest must exist to proceed with the program. Your support is needed to make this possible.

CIRCLE ONE				
1. Would you be willing to attend a 4-hour training session	on?	Yes	No	
2. Would you be willing to attend some regularly schedul in your neighborhood to learn more about crime preven		Yes	No	
3. Would you consider upgrading your home security if y your current hardware is inadequate?	ou find that	Yes	No	
4. Would you be willing to participate in theft prevention some of your belongings with your driver's license number of your belongings with your driver's license number of your belongings.	, ,	Yes	No	
5. Would you be willing to leave on your outside lights at	night?	Yes	No	
6. Would you be wiling to take a variety of slow routes on the community during your normal daily routine as time.		Yes	No	
7. Would you be able to participate in community patrols	?	Yes	No	
If yes, select a time:	Weekdays	Daytime	Evenings	Weekends
How many participants (18 yrs old or older) can patro	l from your hou	ısehold?		
8. Would you consider serving as a Block Captain? (point of contact for 5-10 homes around you?)		Yes	No	Maybe
NAME:				
ADDRESS:				
PHONE NO.:				
Please return this survey to: Diane Hartman, Wellington 20110	Community Ce	enter, 9700 Welli	ngton Road, Ma	nassas, VA

Neighborhood Watch Survey



This survey is being conducted in your neighborhood to determine if sufficient interest exists to start a Neighborhood Watch Program. The program is free and is sponsored by the Prince William County Police Department. A minimum level of interest must be established before we can proceed with the program and your support is needed.

1. Wou	ld you be in favor of a N □ Yes	Neighborhood Watch F	Program in our community? □ No
	(Patrol options are very		nce every 2 or 3 months by car bservation only– no
	□ Maybe	☐ Yes	□ No
	ld you consider serving oint of contact for 5 – 1		needed? (Block Captains
	□ Maybe	☐ Yes	□ No
NAME			
ADDRESS			
HOME PHO	ONE	WORK PH	HONE
E-MAIL			
Please retur	n to you Coordinator		

City Information		Prince William Information	
Animal Control	257-8009	Administration Center	792-6000
City Hall	257-8009	Animal Control	792-6465
City Police	257-8000	County Police	792-6500
Fire	368-6211	Fire/Rescue	792-6500
Garbage/Trash Collections	257-8252	Landfill	791-3660
Giant Food Shopping Carts Spotted	331-2310	Permit Information	792-6924
Neighborhood Coordinator	257-8240	Personal Property Taxes	792-6710
Parking Enforcement	257-8198	Recycling	792-4670
Permits/Property Maintenance		Street Name Signs	792-6666
Hot Line	257-8322	Street Light Problems	792-6825
Street Light Problems	257-8353	Zoning Information	792-6830
Street Maintenance	257-8378		
Tax Payments	257-8244		
Utilities	257-8219		

Wellington Home Values

Written by Leslie Punzi Realtor, Long and Foster



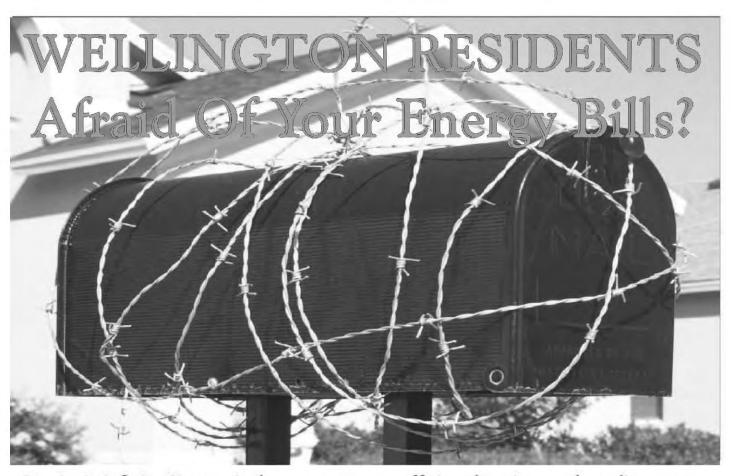


The market is beginning to pick up! As of January 15th, there are 11 properties under contract: 2 condos, 5 town homes and 4 single family. The following sold in the month of December.

Address	Date Sold	Listed/Sold/Seller Subsidy	DOMP
9132Verbena Court	12/21/07	239,900/238,000/6,915	190
10341 Butternut Circle	12/20/07	282,000/288,000/12,700	250
10327 Oconnell Court	12/19/07	269,900/260,000/15,600	167
9255 Fawnlily Court	12/17/07	284,900/237,930/6,930	178
9378 Cloudberry Way	12/17/07	399,900/399,900/23,994	188
10278 Butternut Circle	12/17/07	270,000/250,000/5,000	221
9013 Coriander Circle	12/14/07	253,900/220,000/0	116
10310 Butternut Circle	12/12/07	209,000/200,000/0	107
10266 Magnolia Grove	12/01/07	295,000/297,050/13,062	109

Seller Subsidy=What the seller is paying towards purchaser's closing costs DOMP=Days on the market for this property
The above information provided by recent MLS data

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Snow Removal Procedures

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Single Family Homes within the City of Manassas

Department of Works Street Maintenance: 703-257-8378

Single Family Homes within Prince William County

VDOT:703-366-1960

Wellington Town Homes

Wellington Community Association has contracted Tru Green Landcare for the snow removal services for the common areas of the community. The Association does not provide snow removal to individual parking

spaces nor for sidewalk. Snow removal for sidewalks is the responsibility of adjacent lot owners.

Please be courteous and do not park in a space where an owner has shoveled.

Snow removal will start when snow accumulation reaches 2" or more.

Please Note: City of Manassas residents are required by Code to remove snow from their sidewalks within 12 hours after a snowstorm has ended or by 5:00 p.m. when snowfall is at night. Please be considerate of those who walk on the sidewalks and clean the walk in front of your home.

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Curt Hoeckele	703-368-7572	Mow lawn, rake leaves, shovel snow, misc. yard work
Shannon Betancourt	703-368-0783	Pet sit/walk, snow shoveling, babysitting
Alicia Chamness	703-530-8703	Babysitting, pet sit, shovel snow
Peyton Tucker	703-368-4600	Yard work, baby sitting, general helper
Scott Ahlers	703-361-4406	Mow lawn, shovel snow, misc. other work
Sheila Reilly	703-257-4181	Pet sit/walk
KJ Black	703-369-0483	Yard work, pet walking, misc. chores
Jason Cameron	703-257-9915	Mow lawn - Wellington/Hastings area
Melissa Burstein	703-361-7424	Babysitting, pet sit/walk, misc. gardening
Diana Ness	703-335-2140	Babysitting, rake leaves, snow shoveling, misc. work
Brad Wilson	571-214-9131	Mow lawn, rake leaves, pet walk, snow shoveling
Crystal Coats	703-361-0312	Rake leaves, pet sit/walk, snow shoveling
Ashleigh Herbert	703-330-0726	Pet sit/walk, snow shoveling, rake leaves
Jesse Coffin	703-393-9366	Mow lawn, pet sit, water plants, shovel snow
Katie Leatherman	703-369-6717	Pet sit/walk, baby sit, rake leaves, shovel snow
Ryan Seitz	703-369-3692	Snow blowing - Wellington/Azalea Grove
Cassie Whiting	703-369-6872	Baby-sit, pet sit/walk - Wellington/Strawflower area
Brendan Brown	703-409-0352	Hand wash & wax cars, trucks, boats - Wellington area
Corinne Meyer	703-330-3960	Pet sit/walk, play with pet - Wellington/Saffron Hill Ct.
Kaitlyn Boothby	703-330-8276	Pet sit/walk, bathing pets, pulling weeds
Jeff Hill	703-330-2075	Mow/rake, pet sit, snow shovel, yard work
Brittany O'Brien	703-509-7020	English/writing tutor (Middle-High School only)

If you are interested in being on a list of Wellington young people who would be willing to baby sit, mow lawns, shovel snow, etc., for pay, please fill out and return the form below to the Wellington Community Association at 9700 Wellington Road, Manassas, VA 20110. We will run the list in the monthly Wellington Defender.

Name:	
_	
Phone (Only 1 phone number will be	
listed):	
What	
Jobs:	
Area:	

Neither the Wellington Community Association, nor the Management Company endorses or accepts responsibility for any helpers listed in this Neighborhood Helper List. Helpers are listed in order received.



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COVENANTS COMMITTEE VOLUNTEER FORM

Date:
Name:
Address:
Please drop off at the community center and if you have questions, call Diane Hartman at 703-330-5019 or fax to 703-330-6982.
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