



Camp Springs Civic Association

Community News

P. O. Box 1071, Camp Springs, MD 20757

CSCA Meetings

2nd Wednesday

- Nov. 14, 2018
- Jan. 9, 2019
- Mar. 13, 2019
- May 8, 2019

Web Site: Campspringsca.org

September Community Meeting

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE SEPTEMBER COMMUNITY MEETING

Date: Wednesday September 12, 2018
Time: 7:00 pm
Location: Thurgood Marshall Middle School
4909 Brinkley Road, Camp Springs, MD 20748

Note: If Prince George's County Public Schools are closed for any reason on the meeting date, go to the CSCA website or contact a Board of Director listed on the newsletter, for an update on the scheduled meetings.

Feature Topic: Newly Elected Prince George's County Councilwoman (District 8), Monique Anderson Walker, will be the guest speaker at the Sept 12 CSCA Community Meeting and give her vision and plans for Camp Springs and Prince George's County and answer your questions. Also, representatives from the Police and Fire Departments will give updates.

CAMP SPRINGS CIVIC ASSOCIATION HARD AT WORK

The 2018 Year in Review:

- ✓ Hosted Shred/Community Day.
- ✓ Regularly communicate/meet with County/State officials on variety of issues related to Camp Springs, Prince Georges County & the State. Attend/testify at public hearings representing our community.
 - ❖ Attend County's Community Partners quarterly meetings with Dpie, DPW&T & DoE.
 - ❖ Participate in District 4 South County Community Roundtable meetings bi-monthly.
 - ❖ Attend Community in the Courthouse monthly meetings.
 - ❖ Attended State of the District 8 Community Meeting.
 - ❖ Met with Business Developers to discuss economic development for Camp Springs.
 - ❖ Protested at the County Administration on the zoning law. Our advocacy was instrumental in getting County Council to increase the distance marijuana dispensaries can locate near schools and parks.
 - ❖ Petitioning against adult entertainment in Camp Springs.
- ✓ Provide community service hours for student volunteers.
- ✓ Instrumental in WSSC renovating water tower on Allentown & Kiddminster Ave.
- ✓ Participated in comprehensive clean up for Camp Springs and Adopt-A-Road.
- ✓ Holds regular community meetings to share important information and hear from our community police. We invite guest speakers who address community concerns.



Prostate Cancer Awareness

By Leon Turner

September is Prostate Cancer Awareness Month. Prostate Cancer is a malignant tumor in the prostate, the male gland that makes fluid for semen and found just below the bladder. Most prostate cancers are slow-growing and may be present for years before there are symptoms.

The American Cancer Society estimates that in 2018 there were about 164,690 new cases and 29,430 deaths from prostate cancer. Prostate cancer develops primarily in older men and African-American men, who are 1.6 times more likely to be diagnosed with prostate cancer compared to white men, and 2.4 times more likely to die from this disease.

Please see your doctor if you have these urinary symptoms: need to urinate often, especially at night; painful urination; have less urine flow; and blood in the urine.

Early detection and screening tests are key factors in controlling prostate cancer (and most other cancers). Two tests may be used to detect prostate cancer: PSA Blood Test and Digital Rectal Exam.

There are many organizations available to help and provide support: American Cancer Society, Prostate Cancer Foundation, American Institute for Cancer Research, National Cancer Institute, and Cancer Care, to name a few. Also, there is a Cancer Helpline: 800-227-2345.



Shred Day

The CSCA partnered with the Ft. Washington Alumni Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. to bring the Camp Springs residents a free Community Day & Paper Shred. The event was held on May 12 at the First Baptist Church of Camp Springs. Residents enjoyed free activities and services. Infuse Restaurant grilled free food. We appreciate all of our sponsors, supporters and volunteers.



Get Your CSCA T' Shirt



DANCE

Fall Clean Up Green Up – Come One, Come All.

Meet us in the Village Thrift Store parking lot, 6307 Allentown Rd., on October 20, 2018 at 8 am. We will have supplies. You may want to bring gloves. Contact Arlene Wilson for more information 301-899-3903.

Show others in the community that you're a proud member and contributor to Camp Springs. T-shirts \$17, Polo shirts \$20 Contact Monique Taylor, 240-472-1739 or mctboop@gmail.com



Exercise Your Right to Vote

Here is what our community needs to know about the 2018 Gubernatorial General Election.

Election date:	Nov. 6	7 am - 8 pm
Early Voting:	Oct. 25 – Nov. 1	10 am – 8 pm
Following are results from the primary election with a list of candidates:		
Democrat (D)		Republican (R)
Governor		
Ben Jealous (D)		Larry Hogan (R)
County Executive		
Angela Alsobrooks (D)		
County Council At Large - 2 Seats		
Mel Franklin (D)		Felicia Folarin (R)
Calvin Hawkins (D)		
District 8 County Council		
Monique Anderson-Walker (D)		
Attorney General		
Brian E. Frosh (D)		Craig Wolf (R)
State's Attorney		
Aisha Braveboy (D)		
Sheriff		
Melvin C. High (D)		
Clerk of the Circuit Court		
Mahasin El Amin (D)		
Register of Wills		
Cereta A. Lee (D)		

Want to be a Tree Champion?



Pictured above from left: Maria Garcia Diaz, Monique Taylor, John Bailey, and Khaliah Denney of the Denney House. They spent the day drumming up volunteers for the Tree Giveaway program.

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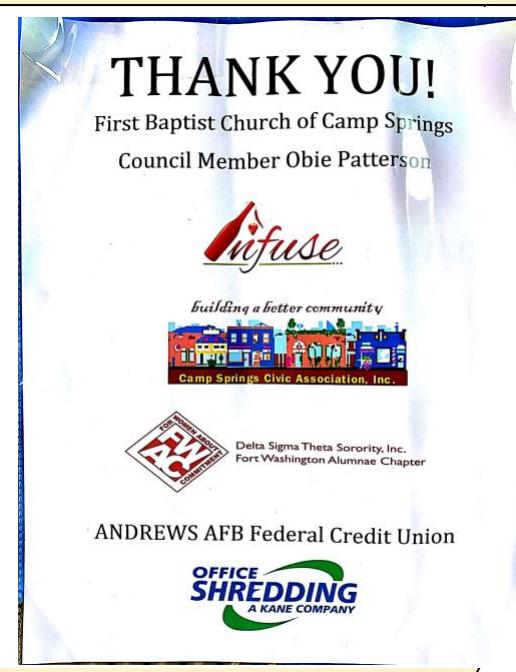


Alliance for the
Chesapeake Bay

Have you heard about the Tree Giveaway program in our community? In partnership with the Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay and the Neighborhood Design Center, I am recruiting people in the community who want to get a FREE tree for their home.

That's right, it's FREE. You'll be helping us raise funds for The Denney House, helping out the environment and your community at the same time! If you're interested in becoming a Tree Caretaker, fill out an online pledge [form](#). The Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay will then contact you to schedule a site visit. For questions, contact Maria Isabel Garcia Diaz at mgarciadiaz@ndc-md.org or at (301) 830-8251.

Online links: English – <https://bit.ly/2jO7Zkg>; Spanish - <https://goo.gl/forms/NDXEfCmecgW4ZwC73>





IMPORTANT NUMBERS TO KNOW

Prince George's County Police Non-Emergency Emergencies only.....	311 for general PG Gov. info 301-352-1200 9-1-1
Police, Fire, EMS or Sheriff	9-1-1 is NOT equipped to accept text messages.
District IV Police Station	301-749-4900
District V Police Station	301-856-3130
WSSC Emergency	301-206-4002

Shred Day



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Renew your membership now! Select membership, enter your debit or credit card information along with your home address. **It's that easy!**

MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION AND RENEWAL

Please complete the following membership form and send it along with your check payable to the Camp Springs Civic Association, Inc. Attention Membership Chair, P.O. Box 1071, Camp Springs, Maryland 20757.

Membership Period: September 1, 2018 – August 31, 2019

Membership Dues: \$15.00 (per residential household)

Name

Date

Address

Camp Springs, MD Zip

Phone:

Email

If you would prefer an electronic version of the newsletter (improving our eco-friendly efforts) please check the yes box.

Yes

No

I am already a member but would like to volunteer for one of the committees: Yes _____ No _____

I am interested in volunteering for one or more of the standing committees or activities listed below (check all that apply):

- Education**
- County Svcs**
- Adopt-A-Road**
- Neighborhood Watch**

- Public Works/Transportation**
- Senior Citizen Concerns**
- Newsletter/Communications**
- Local Business/Economic**

- Public Safety**
- Zoning**
- Distribution of Flyers**
- Neighborhood Watch**

- Membership**
- Environment**
- IT/Social Media**