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The Current



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IT'S OFFICIAL: "HISTORIC SEATACK"

Suburban Focus Area No.9 in the City of Virginia Beach!

Finally recognized by approval of the Virginia Beach Planning Commission 11-0 Vote on December 14, 2016. The first historical black community area in the City of Virginia Beach to ever be so recognized; the first step towards city recognition of "Historic Seatack" as a **Historic Cultural District**.

Thanks to the hard work of the Seatack Community Civic League!

PLEASE CONTRIBUTE TO THE "SEATACK DEFENSE FUND"

The Board of Directors of the over 100 year old Seatack Community Civic League (1908-2016), the oldest African American community civic league in the City of Virginia Beach have established a "Seatack Defense Fund" to defend and protect this American Historic Community. We need your regular contributions and support in this regard. We ask that you make your regular \$ 5.00, \$ 10.00 monthly contribution at any civic league meeting on the first Monday night of each month, except July and September, or online at www.seatackcivic.org, using Donation button at the bottom of the Home page.

Your membership helps support the community of Seatack. Membership dues are accepted at each meeting in the form of cash or checks.

Membership—Join Today!

2017 Renewals are Now Due!

The Seatack Community Civic League Needs You!

Membership is open to all residents, friends and children of Seatack. Support our children's educational and reading programs. Annual membership dues are \$12 per person. Life membership is available to individuals, business, church, club, family and community groups or organization. SCCL Life Membership is \$250. The fiscal year runs from January 1 to December 31.

Special Note: Senior Citizens who are 75 years of age or older, who have resided in Seatack for 50 years or more, are exempt from paying yearly dues and are still recognized as members in good standing of the civic league. For more information on membership, contact Elizabeth "GG" Mills, 2nd Vice President at ggluckygirl@yahoo.com or 757-831-7362.

Oceanfront Area Library Activities

- Pawsitive Reading, Jan. 14th @ 10:30—11:30am, Grades K - 5th
- Bricks on the Beach, Jan. 17th @ 4:30—5:30pm (ages 5-12)
- Combined Preschool Storytime, Jan. 23rd @ 9:30—10:15am
- Just 2's, Jan. 24th @ 9:30—10:am
- Drop-in Just 2's, Jan 24th & 31st @ 10:15am—10:45am
- Combined Rhyme Time, Jan. 25th @ 9:30—10:am
- Preschool Science, Jan. 26th @ 2pm—2:45pm



700 Virginia Beach Blvd Virginia Beach, VA 23451
(757) 385-2640

Please contact the library directly for registration information and requirements.

Attention Seatack Churches

This is your space to announce upcoming community events and programs. Please submit your information by the third Wednesday of each month via email to the newsletter editor. Pictures or fliers need to be in jpeg format.

NAACP Elections

The Virginia Beach Branch of the NAACP will hold election of officers at its Headquarters located at 868 N. Newtown Rd., Bldg. 870 Suite A, on January 9th, at 7 pm to 9 pm. Members of the Virginia Beach branch are encouraged to participate with their vote. Committee Chair contact: [757-472-0901](tel:757-472-0901)

SEATAACK COMMUNITY CIVIC LEAGUE

Membership Application

Membership is open to all residents and friends of the Seataack Community.

SCCL Membership is \$12 per person per fiscal year. The fiscal year is January 1 – December 30.

Name: _____

FIRST

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LAST

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Employer: _____ Position: _____

Please list other community organizations, civic leagues and clubs that you belong to:

Check all that apply:

- ☐ I currently reside in Seataack
- ☐ I own property in Seataack
- ☐ My family resides in Seataack

☐ I am a former resident of Seataack

☐ I work in Seataack

☐ Other: _____

I am interested in:

- ☐ Serving on the Board
- ☐ Public Relations/Marketing
- ☐ Newsletter
- ☐ Youth Committee
- ☐ Serving as a Street Captain

☐ Fundraising

☐ Neighborhood Beautification

☐ Membership Drives

☐ Other: _____

Return application and payment to any SCCL Board member or mail to
PO BOX 4252, Virginia Beach, VA 23451. Please allow 2 weeks for processing.

Membership cards and copies of the SCCL By-Laws and Constitution are available for pickup at
regularly scheduled SCCL meetings. There is a charge to replace lost membership cards.

For more information you can email seataackcivic@gmail.com or
call E. George Minns at 757.575.8109



Sponsors 5th Annual Dream Big Essay Contest

OPEN TO ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS!

Essay Deadline: January 31, 2017!
(Limit 100 Entries)

Contest Rules

Essays typed, double-spaced, contain 500 words or less, be original, and include a cover sheet with the following information (name, grade, age, school name, school address, telephone number and church, if applicable). Judged essays based mainly on thought and content; however, spelling, correct grammar, and punctuation is considered. The contest theme for the essay: ***In your own words, explain the importance of the “I Have a Dream,” speech by Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and its relevance for today. Also, talk about your own personal dream and how it will impact the world.***



1st Place
Apple iPad



2nd Place
Gift Certificate



3rd Place
Gift Certificate

Email all typed essays by January 31, 2017 to oliverralph@hotmail.com by 11:59pm

Seatack Recreation Center Upcoming Events

- **Rock Wall Fun: Get Hooked on Climbing**, Jan. 20, 5:30pm-7:30pm



More information on each activity can be found in the Virginia Beach Parks and Recreation program catalog.



American Association of University Women: The Virginia Beach Branch of the American Association of University Women offers a \$500.00 scholarship to a female resident of Virginia Beach who returned to school after a period of time and is 23 or older.

Applicants must be currently enrolled in an undergraduate program and have completed a minimum of 15 credit hours at an accredited institution with a grade point average of 3.0 or better. Application forms are available at <http://virginiabeach-va.aauw.net/scholarship/>, or by sending a self-addressed envelope to AAUW Virginia Beach Scholarship Committee at 1010 Barnacle Court, Virginia Beach, VA 23451.

The deadline is April 15, 2017.

REMINDER:

**2nd POLICE
PRECINCT
CITIZENS'
ADVISORY
COMMITTEE**

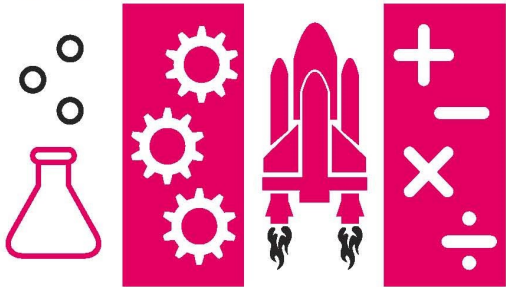
**Next meeting
January 11th
at 7pm**

Virginia Beach Triad—Seniors & Law Enforcement Together

Monthly Meetings are held on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 10am at Marian Manor located at 5345 Marian Manor, Virginia Beach

757-456-5018

STEM



4 GIRLS

A hands-on STEM exploration for 6-8th grade girls and their significant adults

Featuring local women who make a difference through creativity and problem-solving in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM)

Saturday, March 11, 2017

8:30 a.m. – 4:45 p.m.

TCC's Advanced Technology Center (Virginia Beach Campus)

• Lunch included in registration • Only \$30 per girl/adult duo

For more information about the workshops offered and how to register, go to:

virginia-beach-va.aaupw.net/programs/stem-4-girls

Registration dates: January 16 - February 18 2017



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Advertise in Our Newsletter !

The Current is the official newsletter of the Seatack Community Civic League

(SCCL). **The Current** is published and distribute monthly to the residents and members of the SCCL.

If you are interested in advertising in "**The Current**" quarterly prices are as follows: (check your ad size)



FULL PAGE (8 X 10) \$100.00



QUARTER PAGE (4 X5) \$ 45.00



HALF PAGE (5 X 7) \$65.00



BUSINESS CARD \$35.00

ADVERTISER/COMPANY NAME: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

You can pay by check made payable to Seatack Community Civic League

Ads are to be sent in the jpeg format and 150-300dpi.

Ads must be submitted at least 2 weeks prior to the date the newsletter is published.

Questions? Please call Tammie Rice at 757.630.7097 or email seatackcivic@gmail.com

Ad placement is based on AVAILABILITY of space. SCCL has the right to refuse any ad submitted. Members of the SCCL can post announcements in "**THE CURRENT**" free of charge. Call Tammie Rice for member postings Criteria are as follows:

- Announcements are to promote events, give information and notification
- Announcements must not promote the sale of any item to include Event Tickets, Tangible Items, Etc.

Ad postings are not guaranteed and are subject to approval by the SCCL Executive Board. The SCCL Executive Board has the right to refuse any announcement that has been submitted that is not in line with the above mentioned criteria or the Mission of the Seatack Community Civic League. Additional questions can be directed to Tammie Rice, Editor of "**THE CURRENT**" at 757-630-7097 or email seatackcivic@gmail.com

Payment of the Full Amount of the Ad is due upon execution of this agreement.

Please mail/email this form to:

Mailing address: P.O. BOX 4252, Virginia Beach, VA 23454

or scan and email to seatackcivic@gmail.com



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PO Box 4252
Virginia Beach, VA 23454

We're on the Web www.seatackcivic.org

Who?: The Seatack Community Civic League

What?: Are meeting and accepting new members!

When?: The 1st Monday night of the month at 6:30pm

(Exception Monday Holidays—2nd Monday night of the month)

Where?: Seatack Community Recreation Center

Membership is open to all residents, friends, and children of Seatack

Next Meeting is Monday, January 2, 2017

6:30pm at Seatack Recreation Center

Join us Today!

Email: seatackcivic@gmail.com