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From the Seatack Community Civic League "Happy Father's Day"! A strong and important part of the Seatack community has been and the men who stepped up as role models to the youth. Past and present, we salute them all for providing the perfect combination of love and discipline that has brought the community thus far—200+ years. This salute is for the Seatack village, not just the biological Dads but to everyone who nurtured a child in the village of Seatack. We all know it takes a village to raise a child. Enjoy your day Dads and here's a little poem we dedicate to all of you.



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!

2016 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

- Pre School Eye Screening, July 6 @ 11:30am to 2pm, Ages 3-5
- Microsoft Word 2013 Intermediate, July 11th @ 9 -11am
- Movie Mondays 4:30—6pm
July 11th—The Intern
July 18th—Point Break
- John Kingry Magic Show, July 13 @ 10:30am
- Bricks on the Beach, July 19 @ 11am—1pm (K - 5th)
- Teeny Tiny Farm, July 27 @ 10:30am
- Pawsitive Reading with Therapy Dogs, July 30 @ 3pm, Grades K - 5th

Please contact the library directly for registration information and requirements.



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

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.

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

SEATAACK COMMUNITY CIVIC LEAGUE

Presents:

JET NOISE PAYMENT ATTORNEY CONSULTATION

One Time - Group Meeting

**FOR ALL PROPERTY OWNERS
INTERESTED IN JET NOISE PAYMENTS**

July 13, 2016 - 6:30 p.m.

Location:

New Jerusalem Church

118 Bishop Thoroughgood Avenue

Virginia Beach, Va. 23451

Seataack Community Group Consultation Attorneys:

Wayne Marcus Scriven, Esquire - Scriven Law Firm

Pastor - Attorney Bernard T. Holmes, Esquire

For Information Contact: E. George Minns, SCCL Presiding Officer

Email: georgeminns1952@yahoo.com

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SAVING SEATAACK

Comprehensive Plan Project

Purpose: [1] To reinforce sustainability [2] To stabilize community by recommendations to improve the quality of land use [3] To bring together the full force of supporting City Departments such as Planning and Community Development, Zoning, SGA Office, Economic Development, Housing & Neighborhood Preservation, and Parks and Recreation.

- * This will bring to light civic and property issues that have gone neglected and undone
- * It will make Seataack a “Suburban Focus Area” to ensure a position of attention

[4] One of the strategies is to push for the city to make Seataack a point of historical reference to both locals and in particular, the tourist.

To date, two important meeting events have taken place. The first was general meeting with the Planning Department Director and his alternate staff member, and two members of the Planning Commission. A Seataack Board member (Mr. Wesley Haynes), Mr. Jackson, and a AA Leadership Forum member attended.

The second meeting, recently held, was a tour of the Seataack area specifically as an indoctrination of the boundary to boundary area and to look at some of the issues property-wise, possible zoning corrections and limitation of entry of certain kinds of business. This van tour brought the Planning Dept. Director, his alternate, the Planning Commission Chair and two commission members, four Seataack residents/board members [Ms. Mills, Ms. Snowden, Mr. and Mrs. Haynes], Mr. Jackson and one of the members of the AA Leadership Forum.

Both the initial meetings were to get members of the Planning Department and Commission to look outside their “window” and see the view of issues from a Seataack point of view. THESE ARE HEART TO HEART MEETINGS OF THE MIND AND PASSION.

A detailed look at recommendations, how the Seataack Community will be enter into the plan and recommendations to improve areas, needed support, and resolution. We are pushing for a presentation to the full Planning Commission sometime in July and recommendation to City Council in August for approval.

Note: Right now we are looking at two entries into the Plan. (1) Entry in the policy manual as a Suburban Focus Area (SFA) and (2) A “full history” of Seataack into the Technical manual of the Plan. The full Comprehensive Plan has three sections [Policy, Technical, Reference]



Above Photo Left to Right: Barry Frankenfield, Director, VB Planning Department, -Elizabeth "GG" Mills, SCCL 2nd Vice-President, Seataack Historian, Chris Langaster, Zoning, VB Planning Department, Karen Beardslee-Kwasny, VB Planning Commission, Andrew Jackson, VB City-Wide Advisor, Dee Oliver, VB Planning Commission, -Wesley Haynes, SCCL BOD, Historic Seataack Fireman Station #12 and Melvine Haynes, Spouse, Not in photo, but attended: Jeff Hodgson, Chairman, VB Planning Commission, Jeff Bates, and Cheryl Snowden, Photographer, SEATAACK Historian SCCL BOD



Left Photo -Left to Right: Jeryl R. Phillips, Coordinator VB Comprehensive Planning; Chris Langaster, Zoning, VB Planning Department; Wesley Haynes, SCCL BOD, Historic Seataack Fireman Station #12, and Seataack Landowner; Barry Frankenfield, Director, VB Planning Department Not picture: Photographer; Cheryl Snowden, SEATAACK Historian, SCCL BOD



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July 15th, 16th and 17th

\$10 per table for each day

Register Early for Best Selection!

You Want It! We've Got It!

Where: Corner of Birdneck and
Sea St.

For More Information:

Call (757) 831-7362 GG Mills/

Doug Harris

Historic 200 Plus Seatack
“Worldwide Community
FAMILY REUNION”

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH

September 5, 2016

LABOR DAY

On the church properties of
New Jerusalem Church of God In Christ
118 Bishop Thoroughgood Avenue—23451
and

Rehoboth Baptist Church

Celebrating all historic churches and families of Seatack

Time to come home and
HELP SAVE SEATACK

- Put YOUR**
- . SEATAACK FAMILY AD**
 - . CHURCH AD**
 - . CLUB AD**
 - . COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION**
 - . BUSINESS ADS**
 - . POLITICAL ADS**

In our "2016 Seataack Year Book":

All Full Page ADS only \$ 100.00

All Half Page ADS only \$ 65.00

All Quarter Page ADS only \$ 45.00

All Business Card ADS only \$ 35.00

Call (757) 575—8109



Pre-Kindergarten Program

Beginning with the 2016-17 school year, Virginia Beach City Public Schools (VBCPS) will manage the school division's program for at-risk pre-kindergarten students. The program is made possible through the *Virginia Preschool Initiative*, and the school division currently contracts with the YMCA of South Hampton Roads to offer the program known as Early Discoveries. The YMCA will maintain the [Early Discoveries program](#) through the remainder of the 2015-16 school year. Program services will not change, and student eligibility will continue to be in accordance with the *Virginia Preschool Initiative*. It is a full-day program that follows the VBCPS school calendar and hours.

The pre-kindergarten program provides children with purposeful learning experiences to prepare them for a successful transition to kindergarten while also creating a strong educational foundation for life. Through implementation of a developmentally-appropriate, hands-on curriculum, students will be engaged in learning literacy and numeracy that reinforces academic and social development with a focus on phonemic awareness, language enrichment, letters/sounds, decoding and beginning reading and writing. The program develops students' communication, collaboration and problem-solving skills and integrates technology to support learning. Here's the website link: <http://www.vbschools.com/curriculum/prek.asp>



50TH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY & 30th Pastor Anniversary

FAMILY & FRIENDS HOMECOMING WEEKEND

Friday, Aug 5 @ 7pm Throwback Evening Service

Saturday, Aug 6 @ 2pm-Church Picnic

Tickets \$12

No tickets will be sold after July 31.

Sunday Aug 7 @ 2 pm Church Anniversary Service

Pastor Kerry Smith

Discipleship Tabernacle

FORMAL BANQUET-Oct 2, 2016

Grand Affairs

2036 Pleasure House Rd, Virginia Beach, VA 23455

Tickets will be on sale this month

\$50 per ticket for a table of 8 or \$55 per person

\$65 per person from September 1-September 25

No tickets will be sold after September 25th NO Exceptions.

7th ANNUAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

REGISTRATION FORM

Workshop(s): Leadership, Job Preparation, Dressing the Part (how to tie a tie and bow-tie), Education, Promoting a Positive Image for Tomorrow's Leaders; Women in Leadership; Financial Planning (credit, credit cards, bank accounts, bill paying); Community Responsibilities; Parent workshop: (Raising a child in a contaminated village)

Theme: "Charting the Course for Future Leaders"

Ages: 9-18 years old (males and females)

Date: July 16, 2016 from 9:00am– 4:00pm

Where: LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING ACADEMY (LETA), 411 Integrity Way,
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452

Meal: Lunch and snacks will be served.

Cost: FREE!

Mail to: Men of Faith, P.O. Box 56671, Virginia Beach, VA 23456

Email to: mofvb.org

Fax to: 757.306.4217

For more information contact: Ron Taylor at 757.237.6257



REGISTRATION DEADLINE: July 12, 2016

Youth name: _____ **Age** _____

Parent name: _____ **Parent signature:** _____

Parent contact number: _____

Youth T-Shirt size: _____ **School name:** _____

Sponsored by Men of Faith of Virginia Beach

Car Wash

Date: 07/23/16

Time: 9AM



Please support this fundraiser for the youth of Rehoboth, come out and have your car wash for a donation and fellowship with Rehoboth.

**The Car Wash will be held at:
Rehoboth Baptist Church
182 S. Birdneck Road,
Virginia Beach, VA 23451**

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS

It is that time of year again when pink is everywhere, from illuminated buildings to NFL football teams to the countless walks and runs across America. And despite all the media attention surrounding Breast Cancer Awareness Month, women may be asking themselves, **“Do I really need to have a mammogram?”** Consider the following reasons why this could be the single most important test you get this year.



1. **Mammography saves lives.** Women who get screened decrease their chance of dying from breast cancer by 30 percent. Despite all the controversy surrounding screening mammograms, there is universal agreement in the medical community that it saves lives. It is the single most important thing a woman can do to lessen her chances of dying from breast cancer.
2. **Early detection is the key to the cure.** Mammography can detect cancer at early stages before women can feel a lump. When breast cancer is detected early, at a localized stage, the survival rate is 98 percent. Once breast cancer has metastasized and spread throughout the body, the five-year survival rate drops to 25 percent.
3. **Risk of breast cancer increases with age.** The [American Cancer Society](#) advises all women beginning at age 40, to have a mammogram performed once a year as long as they do not have serious or chronic health problems. Age alone should not be the reason to stop having mammograms.
4. **It doesn't take much time.** Mammograms are a quick procedure, only taking about 20 minutes.
5. **Be a role model.** Encourage women in your life to get their annual mammogram by having yours. Do it for yourself and for those you love. Remember this test may save your life.

The [American Cancer Society](#) estimates that in 2014 nearly 232,000 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer and 40,000 women will die from the disease. Early detection is the key to the cure. No more excuses. Go get yours today!

For more information locally, contact:

Susan G Komen Tidewater at komentidewater.org

**THE FILIPINO AMERICAN COMMUNITY ACTION GROUP
(FIL-AM CAG)**

REQUESTS THE HONOR OF YOUR PRESENCE TO ITS

25th Silver Anniversary



Celebration



AT 6:30PM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2016

VIRGINIA BEACH CONVENTION CENTER

1000 19TH STREET, VIRGINIA BEACH, VA

****PRE-PAYMENT HIGHLY ENCOURAGED. \$50.00 PER PERSON ON OR
BEFORE AUGUST 17, 2016. IF PAID AFTER - \$60.00 PER PERSON. MAKE
YOUR RESERVATIONS NOW!**

FORMAL ATTIRE~COAT AND TIE~BARONG TAGALOG

LIVE MUSIC BY THE ORIGINALS

AND DJ MARIO ESPINOSA

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT ANY OF THE INDIVIDUALS BELOW:

DR. LAARNI BIBAY—757-472-5367

MERLIE TENGCO—757-647-1553

LINDA ABRAJANO—757-407-5269

MEDY DAYAO—757-515-8609

CHIE SANTANDER—757-641-1231

LINDA LAZO—757-621-2382

****Note: All payments payable to Fil-Am CAG. Mail your reservation form and check to:**

Fil-Am CAG, Attn: Andy Lazo, Treasurer, 4012 Riverside Court, Virginia Beach, Va 23456



Seatack Community Civic League
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, July 11, 2016

6:30pm at Seatack Recreation Center

Join us Today!

Email: seatackcivic@gmail.com