

# The Radnor-Winston Newsletter

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## SAVE THE DATE! Saturday, January 23 RWIA General Membership Meeting & Annual Pancake Breakfast!

Plan to attend our annual morning of sticky food and great fun. Feast on the best breakfast of the year and catch up on neighborhood news. Meet the new members of your RWIA board of directors and VOTE on a proposal to fund our new Community Garden. Breakfast is FREE to members (\$10 for non-members). You can pay your annual dues at the door (coincidentally, \$10 per household).

Volunteers are needed! Please contact Daphne Page (see contact info at left) and let her know how you can help. The time and place of the Social Committee Pancake Breakfast planning meeting and volunteer opportunities will be announced on the listserv soon.

The feast begins at 8:30 AM and will be held, as in the past, at Govans-Boundary Parish United Methodist Church, 5175 Crowson Ave (just north of the CVS on York), enter from rear parking lot. See you there!!

The R-W Social Committee

### VOTE SCHEDULED FOR ANNUAL MEETING Funding for RW Community Garden

At the November meeting of the RWIA board of directors, we authorized the signing of an agreement with Loyola University to use their undeveloped land (behind 5000 York and Popeyes) for a Community Garden.

The board also approved spending some of RWIA's funds to support this neighborhood project, subject to approval by the general membership. At the January General Membership meeting, RWIA members will discuss and vote on the following motion: Resolved, that the Radnor Winston Improvement Association:

- Authorizes the Treasurer of the Association to expend funds for purposes directly related to the planning, creation, and maintenance of the Radnor Winston Community Garden in accordance with a budget approved by the Association's board of directors, in an amount not to exceed one-half of the Association's treasury as of December 31, 2009;
- Requires the Treasurer and the coordinators of the Community Garden to report actual expenditures and progress in relation to the garden budget at each of the Association's board and general membership meetings; and
- Requires an affirmative vote of the majority of Association members present at the January 2010 general membership meeting to ratify and give full effect to this resolution.

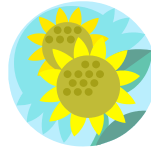
### Neighborhood Holiday Caroling Party

Join your neighbors for an evening of song and laughter, December 19th from 5:30 until 8PM. We will gather at Annick and Jeff's home, 342 Rossiter Avenue for pizzas and a potluck of desserts, snacks and beverages. Bring a light of some kind for reading the songbooks (provided), and wear a warm seasonal holiday caroling costume! We'll sing through the neighborhood and proceed to a final spot for an End Party and a "surprise" visit from Santa. Come out and sing the night away!

The R-W Social Committee

### Community Garden News!

The Radnor-Winston Garden Project has officially begun! An agreement with Loyola has been signed that allows RW to use the vacant lot for a dollar a year. We have plotted the site behind Popeyes with our Master Gardener consultant, tested the soil and Popeyes has granted parking lot access and water!



On Friday, November 27, a group of volunteers broke ground for the first group of beds, removing the sod from that area and spreading the first load of leaf mold to improve the soil. Stay tuned to the R-W listserv for more information; if you want to join the garden listserv (a new group dedicated to garden news), please contact Jenny Kaurinki at [jennykaurinki@yahoo.com](mailto:jennykaurinki@yahoo.com).

### Please Help Our GEDCO Neighbors

Each year, GEDCO arranges for their residents to receive gifts, made possible by the generous donations of community neighbors. GEDCO is looking for people who will provide gifts -- which will be in the \$30-\$40 range for Micah House/Harford House; and in the \$15-\$20 range for Epiphany House. The residents fill out cards with their gift wish list, which are then passed on to donors. You buy the gift and return it to GEDCO by December 18<sup>th</sup> (SOON); they will wrap and distribute them. For more information and to participate, contact Rosemary at [rthompson@gedco.org](mailto:rthompson@gedco.org) or 410.433.2442, extension 11. Thank you, in advance, for your participation.



FREE Trees from the Mayor's TreeBaltimore Initiative. Redbuds, Red Oaks and Red Maples in 3-gallon pots. Pick them up at 344 Rossiter. Just sign the sheet on the porch table, take the planting instructions and a refrigerator magnet to remind you how to care for them. Questions? Call Anne Draddy at 410.464.1576.

### NEW 2010 RWIA Board (effective Jan. 1, 2010)

#### Officers

- Nick Sheridan, President
- Karl Schillinger,  
1st Vice President
- Shelden Luz, 2nd Vice President
- Greg Derry, Secretary
- Jamie St. Onge, Treasurer

#### Block Captains and Alternates

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- Rodney & Amy Caslow, Radnor
- Annick Barker, Rossiter
- Melanie Berry, Rossiter
- Daphne Page, Whiteford
- Ruth Henry, Winston
- Jenny Kaurinki, Winston

#### 2010 Dumpster Dates

Tentatively set for March, June, September and December. Specific dates to come - watch the listserv and the newsletter for updates.

Harriet Felscher

#### IMPORTANT!

**Call 911** in case of emergency, INCLUDING CRIMES IN PROGRESS.

You can also call Loyola security at 410.617.5911 for incidents involving students.

By reporting crimes to the police that occur in our community, you can help the police and the judicial system combat crime.