

Social Committee Notes
July 11th 2018

Next Social Committee meeting Monday, August 13 at 7:30 p.m.
All are welcome to attend!

The Greenway Downs Block Party

When: Saturday September 15th, 4-7 p.m.
Where: Custis Parkway cul de sac at John Mastenbrook Park
Theme: Greenway Downs Backyard Games

This year we are asking each street/block captain(s) to organize and host a backyard game on the cul de sac. (e.g. corn toss, Frisbee, Kanjam...)

We will set up 4 communal tables and ask for block party attendees to bring either appetizers or desserts to share.

We are inviting Jefferson Village to attend this year. We will ask them to contribute to the food tables.

The Greenway Downs Board members will set up a table to sell t-shirts koozies and hold a raffle.

The social committee 's current to-do list

- Finding a source for music/speakers
- Securing a face painter
- Exploring the idea of a moon bounce
- Buying sidewalk chalk for a kids activity
- Procuring raffle items (Sara)
- Looking into having a food truck at the party. If this doesn't work out we are considering hot dogs or pizza

Greenway Downs Newsletter

Greenway Downs is publishing a hardcopy newsletter for a late Aug. distribution to all households in Greenway Downs. It will include a 1 page insert to advertise the Block Party.

The deadline for submissions to the newsletter is August 15th.
Submissions go to Sara at sararaekelly@gmail.com

Future Calendar Items (GD & JV)

Halloween Kids Party, Saturday Oct. 27th Party in the Custis cul-de-sac.
Jefferson Village organized, Greenway Downs invited

Halloween Pup Parade proposed date Sunday, Oct. 28th
Greenway Downs organized, Jefferson Village invited

Winter Fest, Friday Dec. 21 (replaces the past caroling events)
we will have s'mores, hot chocolate and luminaries to celebrate the season

Holiday House Decorating Contest will run from Dec. 15 to Dec. 19th.
The winners will be announced at Winter Fest on the 21st.

Items Needed for the Block Party

Tables for the food:

please email Jen or Ashley if you can help with this
rankin.jennifer@gmail.com or tistadt@yahoo.com

Volunteers Needed

a) To decorate and set out the two GDCA sandwich board signs to advertise the Block Party. Usually set out 1 week before the event.

b) Street/block captains for West George Mason, Bolling, Woodlawn and Cavalier.

Note: Monroe street has 3 volunteers this year and have offered to adopt Woodlawn if no one else steps forward.