

PLEASE JOIN US

WHERE:

Trinity-Word of Faith
Baptist Church Social Hall
[Enter from 2807 Grandy Avenue
at Peterson]

WHEN:

Thursday, July 18
From 7:00 PM to 8:15 PM

WHO:

All area residents –
home owners, renters and
business owners.

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***** JULY 2013 NEWSLETTER *****

Ballentine Civic League Meeting: Thursday – July 18, 2013

PRESENTER:

Steve Romine, Attorney

TOPIC:

Plans for a WaWa and Wal-Mart Grocery Store at the intersection
of Ingleside and Princess Anne

Originally this nearly 8 acre site was Sears, Roebuck & Co. and they sold the property to General Foam Plastics Corp. in 1983. The buildings are currently used for storage. Wal-Mart plans to build its new store as a Neighborhood Market and is expected to employ 95 people. A WaWa will be included in the project. Please join us and learn about this exciting development in our community.

Please add our Community Resource Officer (CRO) – J. R. Berry to your phone list – 613-3296. If he is not able to take your call – leave a message and he will return your call.



Join Us on Saturday, July 20 at 8:30 AM

At the Ballentine School – 2415 Ballentine Blvd.

ADOPT A SPOT & ELECTRONIC RECYCLING EVENT

Please bring picker uppers and wear work gloves and laced up shoes or boots,

and if you have a wheeled cart – bring it along.

We will provide large plastic bags for trash and boxes for our recyclable items.

Bring your electronic items (TVs, phones, electric cords, cameras, printers, clocks, radios, camcorders, speakers, computers, laptops, household batteries, etc.)

We will have a truck waiting out front for these objects. If you have an item too heavy or bulky to bring – contact one of our officers for help.

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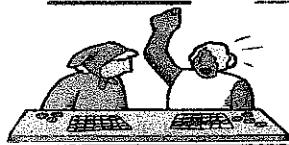
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Mark your Calendar: NOTE - DATE CHANGE:
Saturday, August 24 - Ballentine Community Picnic
This is a Members Only event - sign up now
and pay your dues at this meeting.
Help needed - see Karen or Bev to assist.

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Ballentine Civic League Mission Statement:

"To promote and advance the civic and community enterprises; the safety of the residents; protection of their property and investments; to cooperate with the police and other organizations for the best interest of this community."

STREET SWEEPING - REMINDER: AUGUST 6

Streets in our Community are scheduled for sweeping on the first Tuesday of each month - remind your neighbors to remove all vehicles prior to 7 AM.

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... For assistance and for specifics on how to apply and how to determine if you are eligible for help:
Human Services Locations in Norfolk: 830 Goff Avenue,
741 Monticello & 201 E. Little Creek
Call 664-4035 or www.commonhelp.virginia.gov
Applications accepted until August 15.
If you or a friend or a neighbor needs help - please call.

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TRINITY-WORD OF FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH

2808 Ballentine Blvd. - Norfolk, VA. 23509

Reverend Andre Salley, Pastor

Phone: (757) 853-5017

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10:45 AM Worship Services

Tuesdays - 6:00 PM Group Bible Study

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POLICE NARCOTICS UNIT - 664-7035

ANIMAL CONTROL (STRAY ANIMALS) - 664-PETS

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH - 683-2712

ILLEGAL DUMPING - 664-6604

UTILITIES - EMERGENCY (24 HOURS) - 823-1000

Ballentine Civic League was presented a certificate for \$550.00 to reward us for our ongoing commitment to having a cleaner and greener community. Thanks to our Members for your help.

PRESIDENT'S THOUGHTS JULY 2013

Hello Neighbors! It is a GREAT time to be in Ballentine!

I would like to thank everyone who came to our last meeting! We had a super turn out.

Our speaker, Stella Waltz of JES Foundation, gave us a very informative presentation on the American Flag, from its inception to today. This presentation was fabulous and if you were not at our meeting - you missed something wonderful. Hopefully, we can invite Ms. Waltz to present to us again in the future.

Our new CROs (Community Resource Officers) have been around our neighborhood. Officer J. R. Berry stopped by the shop recently to talk. He gave us his cell (757)613-3296. He was joined by Officer J. White. If you have any problems around the neighborhood - call and if he cannot answer - leave a message and he will return your call.

The Kroc Center is coming along quite nicely. It sure is impressive - won't be long now until it is operational.

City Council has voted on the acquisition of the old Hall Hodges Steel Building on Ballentine Blvd. just south of Princess Anne - behind Feather 'n Fin. This is the future site of the new anchor branch library which will be another wonderful addition to our neighborhood.

Also, coming soon to our community - at the corner of Ingleside and Princess Anne - a Wal-Mart Village Market and a Wawa. The attorney representing the developer is our presenter this month.

Major street developments are underway along Cape Henry and Tait Terrace. Much patience will be needed since this will be a big disruption in our daily lives - please bear with the contractors as this is much needed work and will greatly improve our community. New curbs, gutters, sidewalks, street paving and landscaping will be the end result.

Please mark your calendar for our Annual Civic League Picnic - Saturday, August 24 from 2 to 4 at the school grounds (rain date - August 25). All current members of our Civic League are invited - FREE. If you are not a member - dues are \$5.00 per adult. Come and meet your neighbors. NOTE DATE CHANGED TO 8/24.

Summer is HERE! And, with the onset of warm weather the crime is once again on the upswing. Please remember to keep all valuables locked up and out of sight. Bicycles, scooters and lawn mowers are easy targets for thieves - If you have a garage or shed - store these items out of sight. Most thefts in the area occur during daytime (working) hours. Please be vigilant in watching out for your neighbors. When in doubt - MAKE THE CALL!

See column to left for phone #s for Police and some other City departments. For other issues: Norfolk Cares Impact Center: 664-6510 (trash, tall grass, high weeds).

It's a GREAT time to be in Ballentine.

See you around the neighborhood.

Your neighbor - Greg

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PICNIC IN PARK – SAT., AUGUST 24 - MEMBERS ONLY

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NATIONAL NIGHT OUT AGAINST CRIME

Oakdale Farms/Denby Park Civic Leagues

"Growing a Stronger Community"

City wide Event – Tuesday, August 6 at 5:30PM

Location: 300 Block of San Antonio

(near Little Creek and I 64)

Represent Ballentine Community

A Parade through the area is followed by a Picnic – all are invited to participate in both events.

Come to our July 18 meeting and learn more about this event and how we can all help.

BE A HERO



Become A Registered Organ, Eye, and Tissue Donor:

Check the box at the DMV or online DonateLifeVirginia.org

BALLENTINE CIVIC LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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