

**NOVEMBER MEETING**

**Monday Nov. 8**

**Doors open at 6 pm  
Meeting at 6:30 pm**

**Suburban Park  
Elementary School**

**Program:**

**Plank Owners' Chat**

**History of the  
neighborhood and early  
days of the civic league  
and**

**Food Drive & Donation  
Presentation to Suburban  
Park School**

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## **Message from the President**

*Editor's Note: Membership Committee Chair Steve Collins pinch hits for Tim this month with our cover message.*

It is November again and I would be willing to make a modest wager that many of us are already planning our holiday gatherings. Do you remember last year's celebration? Do you have some great memories? Can you almost smell the turkey cooking in the oven? Taste the pumpkin pie? For us the holidays just seem to bring the spirit of family, community, and joy right into our homes. On the other hand, many are wondering where 2010 went. It is November already and the year has just gotten past us. So, are you getting ready for the holidays?

The way I see it, we tend to decide how the Holidays are going to go in November and we either let it happen or focus for "maximum impact".

The calendar sends us a sequence of holidays each year to frame our attitude for Thanksgiving and Christmas as the year's crescendo.



**These neighbors seemed to be having a great time at SACL's Third Annual Harvest Fest on October 23rd.**

Through the summer we have Memorial Day to be grateful for those that have fallen to defend or enable our way of life. We celebrate Independence Day to remember the leadership that stood up at great risk to establish this republic. Labor Day, Columbus Day and Halloween (Harvest Festival) tend to be a "quick breath" of activity for family and community celebration that transition us to the autumn season with thanks.

do not have a place to be for Thanksgiving have an appointment at our home. After all, Thanksgiving is about sharing in our blessing.

I hope that being thankful is something that we do every day and when the Holidays arrive we are prepared to make a memory of gratitude with maximum impact. Happy Thanksgiving! See you at the next meeting.

*Steve*

**Nov. 2nd, 2010** Suburban Acres residents will be voting for our 3rd Congressional District Representative and three state ballot questions. The neighborhood polling location is **Suburban Park Elementary School; polls are open from 6:00 am to 7:00 pm.** Disabled voters may vote in their car if they are not able to come into the school. (Story page 6).



**Nov. 8th, 2010**  
Suburban Acres Civic League annual election of officers and board of directors 6:30 p.m. Suburban Park Elementary School. (See story page 3).



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# Suburban Acres Civic League

## Meeting Minutes for October 11, 2010

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m. at Suburban Park School. Attendance – 36 (quorum present)

### Pledge of Allegiance

Welcome to new neighbors

September meeting minutes (as published in the newsletter) were approved.

### PACE Report - Officer Odell Davis

Larceny - 15, mostly on Cromwell - spare tires, laptop and cameras on seat. Tires are also being stolen from autos. Securing your personal items, when possible, is paramount to less larceny.

Copper pipe is being stolen from homes. Keep your access to the crawl space secured. Truancy has been a problem at times. The police can pick up the truant student but must take him/her back to their school. Only if there is a continued truancy can the police turn to the courts for disciplinary action.

Officer Davis reports there has been an increase in the use of radar enforcement in the neighborhood, particularly on Thole Street.

### Guest Speakers -

#### RIVERFEST - Amy Cox

Announcement by Ms. Cox that private citizens and nonprofits are looking at the watershed issues and how they effect the 56 Norfolk neighborhoods around the rivers. They have decided that good way to get this information out to the community is to dedicate a day to celebrate the Lafayette River. River Fest is planned for Saturday April 30 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Mayflower Road in Colonial Place. An environmental-themed block party, there will be family activities, food and hopefully some local talent like art, crafts, choirs, and musicians.

#### NORFOLK STORM WATER MANAGEMENT DIVISION - Fleeta Jackson

Ms. Jackson spoke to the members about issues surrounding the distribution of storm water into our community, river and bay. (See related story on page 3 of the newsletter). Ms. Jackson applauds our civic league for coordinating the upcoming rain barrel class (Contact JoDee Cook if you would like to participate).

### Neighborhood Watch - Robert Lain - not in attendance.

### Communications Committee - Kevin Janney. Nothing to report.

### Meetings/Events - JoDee Cook

- Recognition event for volunteers of the league for the past year at the December meeting
- Vote for the new officers at the November meeting.
- Presentation of the civic league's donation to Suburban Park Elementary for Thanksgiving will also be at the November meeting

### Membership Committee- Steve Collins – not in attendance.

### Treasurer's Report - Lester Cavagnaro

Ending Balance (August)	\$ 2039.85	Revenue (Sept)	\$ 195.00
Expense (Sept)	\$ 222.94	Ending Balance (Sept)	\$ 2011.91

### Nominating Committee

Beth Clark and Claudia Cary are preparing the full list of proposed nominees for the election (slate of officers for 2011).

### New Business

Claudia Cary made us aware of the need for clothing for some of the children that attend the school. Some families cannot afford to buy the uniforms that are worn by the students. She proposes that our board and membership seriously consider creating a donation to help the school meet the needs of our local families during these hard times.

### Announcements

- Food Drive: last chance to bring in your non-perishable food donation as the presentation to the school will be at our November 8, 2010 meeting.
- Norfolk Fire Department pamphlets that stress the need for smoke alarms in the home were made available. They will be available at the next meeting also
- Next General Meeting - November 8, 2010 at Suburban Park Elementary at 6:30

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Eric Heard

## Civic League and Community News

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### October 11 stormwater topic is league's first EARNN presentation of new fiscal year

The Guest Speaker for the October SACL Civic League meeting was Fleta Jackson of Norfolk's Division of Stormwater Management.

According to Jackson storm water basically has three options for leaving your property, the best of which is directly back into the



Fleta Jackson, Norfolk Division of Stormwater Management, provides information at the October SACL meeting

ground replenishing the water table. The second way storm water leaves your property is the storm drain system. The third way water can leave property is through ditches that drain into waterways.

Leaves and debris clog the storm water drain system, and turns into sediment that smothers the habitat of marine life in the Lafayette River and Chesapeake Bay. Fertilizer runoff impacts dissolved oxygen in the river and bay. Homeowners should test their soil and make sure fertilizer is actually needed. If fertilizer must be applied, Jackson says not to fertilize if rain is in the forecast, and to measure carefully and apply the correct amount. Picking up after pets is also important to the health of the river and bay since pet droppings add to harmful bacteria levels in the water.

Jackson says that if you notice that the storm water system is not draining properly, or notice any illegal or strange discharges,

call the Storm Water Division at 823-4000. Jackson noted that during deluge downpours the storm drain system and pumps do become overwhelmed. Also, because Suburban Acres contains wetlands, some of those designated wetland areas and State waters cannot be altered, which may affect drainage. Much of the neighborhood's runoff goes directly into the Lafayette River watershed.

Jackson noted that the city of Norfolk operates under a storm water discharge permit. As of January 1<sup>st</sup>, tougher discharge regulations designed to help the health of the Chesapeake Bay kick in. A new "pollution diet" will reduce the amounts of nitrogen, phosphorus, and other substances in the City's allowed discharge.

*Continued...See "Stormwater" page 8*

### SACL officer ballot at Nov. 8 meeting

The Suburban Acres Civic League membership will select a new slate of officers for 2011 at the November 8th meeting. The nominating committee has proposed the following slate:

President: Timothy Fox

Vice President: JoDee Cook

Treasurer: Deidra Rayder

Secretary: Dee Adams

Board of Directors: Jeb Clark, Ray Henson, Kevin Janney, and Angeleck Nance

Nominations will also be taken from the floor prior to voting. Beth Clarke and Claudia Cary served as this year's nominating committee.

*-The Suburban*

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## Norfolk CrimeView statistics Suburban Acres, Sept. 28—Oct. 27, 2010

Description	Date	Time	Location
BURGLARY-RESIDENCE	20101025	0715	7400 BLOCK WEST KENMORE DR
LARCENY-PARTS FROM AUTO	20101018	2230	7300 BLOCK EAST KENMORE DR
LARCENY-FROM AUTO	20100929	0740	7300 BLOCK GRANBY ST
LARCENY-PARTS FROM AUTO	20101002	0200	7400 BLOCK EAST KENMORE DR
LARCENY-PARTS FROM AUTO	20101004	0810	7300 BLOCK GRANBY ST
LARCENY (ALL OTHERS)	20101011	1800	100 BLOCK SUBURBAN PKWY
LARCENY-FROM BUILDING	20101009	1230	7100 BLOCK GRANBY ST
LARCENY (ALL OTHERS)	20101023	0830	7000 BLOCK SUBURBAN ARC
NARCOTICS VIOLATIONS (FELONY)	20101006	1639	100 BLOCK THOLE ST
ROBBERY-INDIVIDUAL	20101022	0150	7300 BLOCK YORKTOWN DR
VANDALISM	20101014	1500	300 BLOCK SUBURBAN PKWY

## Clothing, Angel Tree support needed for Suburban Park Elementary School

In addition to providing food baskets to needy families at Suburban Park Elementary School, the Civic League will undertake a clothing drive for our December meeting. The school converted to uniforms this year, and maintains a clothes closet for students who cannot afford to purchase the required clothing, and for the younger children who have "accidents." Here's how you can help:

Uniform Closet/Clothes Closet: There is a need for both boys and girls underwear in sizes 4 – 8 for the Pre-K and kindergarten children. The underwear should be new in the packaging (unwashed). There is also a need for khaki bottoms (pants or skirts) in these same sizes for the "accidents."

The school uniform is khaki colored pants, skirts, and jumpers and royal blue polo shirts. The uniform closet needs all of these clothing items in all children's sizes. (No "cargo" type pants, please.)

*If you would like to contribute any of these items, please bring them to the December Civic League meeting. (This can be an ongoing action on your part any time of the school year.) Claudia Cary (583-8165 or [cdcary@cox.net](mailto:cdcary@cox.net)) and Karen Mayne (587-1287 or [KarenLMayne@aol.com](mailto:KarenLMayne@aol.com)) are coordinating this project.*

Christmas Angel Tree: The school sponsors an Angel Tree for children who are homeless or in difficult circumstances. The tree is located in the school and will have an "angel" with the sex, age, clothing size, and toy request for a child. *You can go into the lobby of the school and pick up an angel.* The gifts should be unwrapped in a bag with the student's Angel Tree number. The school will wrap and deliver the gifts.

For more information on these programs and school uniforms, call Mrs. Dalmida at the school at 531-3118, ext. 3001, or [cadalmid@nps.k12.va.us](mailto:cadalmid@nps.k12.va.us).

-Karen Mayne

## Assistance for seniors

Linwood Kay has recently become an affiliate for both the Senior Navigator and Senior Services of Southeastern Virginia programs for assistance for seniors. These programs are in place to assist seniors and disabled persons to remain in their homes during and before they have health problems, and cover a wide area of services too numerous to cover here. Seniors who have concerns about staying in their home because of health problems can contact Linwood at 423-8857 or by e-mail at [bettyandlinwood@aol.com](mailto:bettyandlinwood@aol.com). The program is co-sponsored by Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church.

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Clockwise from left: Dee Adams; children with the Tooth Fairy Godmother (aka Phyllis Rawls); back-to-back Chili Contest winners Arty & Marie Ray with daughter Melina

**Harvest Fest 2010** Neighbors gathered at the Suburban Park Elementary School cafeteria on October 23rd for the 3rd annual SACL Family Harvest Celebration. Delicious food, featuring the annual chili contest and first ever dessert cookoff, were featured as well as entertainment for the kids by Suburban Acres' own professional juggler Tim Nolan. Arty & Marie Ray captured their second win in a row in the chili contest; Dee Adams won the dessert contest with her jack-o'-lantern cake: pound cake with marshmallow fondant icing. Neighborhood children enjoyed making caramel apples and a costume contest.

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## No local races for Suburban Park voters; tight congressional race and constitutional questions on ballot

The November 2<sup>nd</sup> statewide election has only one local race for Norfolk voters, the Superward 7 City Council seat vacated by Duan Hester. Hester was required to give up her council seat as a result of her unsuccessful bid for Mayor in the May 4, 2010 City election. Just across Tidewater Drive residents in Norview and Chesapeake Gardens will choose between Earl Fraley Jr., Phillip Hawkins Jr., Angelia Williams, and Jimmie Wilson to replace Hester. No other local offices are due for election.

Suburban Acres lies within Virginia's 3<sup>rd</sup> Congressional District. Incumbent Bobby Scott (D), Newport News is opposed by Norfolk Republican Party candidate C. L. "Chuck" Smith, New Kent independent John D. Kelly, and Libertarian Party candidate James J. Quigley of Hampton.

A much tighter race in the nearby 2<sup>nd</sup> Congressional District, which also covers portions of Norfolk features first term incumbent Democrat Glenn Nye. Nye is opposed by Republican Party Candidate Scott Rigell and former Republican operative Kenny Golden, who is running as an independent. All three candidates in the 2<sup>nd</sup> District race reside in Virginia Beach.

Three State constitutional amendments are on the ballot. The first proposed amendment concerns real estate tax exemptions for those over age 65. Currently the State constitution allows the General Assembly to give localities the power to completely or partially waive real estate taxes for property owners over age 65 who have "an extraordinary tax burden". If approved by voters the Constitution will be amended to allow the General Assembly to grant localities the leeway to establish their own income criteria for granting exemptions to those over age 65 in

owner-occupied properties.

Along the same lines ballot question number 2 would allow the General Assembly to enact legislation granting localities the ability to grant real estate tax exemption for veterans of any age who have a 100% service-connected disability.

The third proposed constitutional amendment increases the size of the Commonwealth's Revenue Stabilization Fund, or "rainy day fund" to 15% of the average annual tax revenue from income and sales taxes for the past three years. The fund is currently limited at 10% of revenue by the constitution.

-Kevin Janney

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## Precinct 215 - Suburban Park SAMPLE BALLOT

### Member of House of Representatives, District 03 SELECT ONE (1)

<input type="checkbox"/>	C. L. "Chuck" Smith, Jr.,	Republican
<input type="checkbox"/>	Robert C. "Bobby" Scott,	Democrat
<input type="checkbox"/>	James J. Quigley,	Libertarian
<input type="checkbox"/>	John D. Kelly,	Independent

### Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 1 Vote YES or NO

Question: Shall Section 6 of Article X of the Constitution of Virginia be amended to authorize legislation that will permit localities to establish their own income or financial worth limitations for purposes of granting property tax relief for homeowners not less than 65 years of age or permanently and totally disabled?

Yes       No

### Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 2 Vote YES or NO

Question: Shall the Constitution be amended to require the General Assembly to provide a real property tax exemption for the principal residence of a veteran, or his or her surviving spouse, if the veteran has a 100 percent service-connected, permanent, and total disability?

Yes       No

### Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 3 Vote YES or NO

Question: Shall Section 8 of Article X of the Constitution of Virginia be amended to increase the permissible size of the Revenue Stabilization Fund (also known as the "rainy day fund") from 10 percent to 15 percent of the Commonwealth's average annual tax revenues derived from income and retail sales taxes for the preceding three fiscal years?

Yes       No

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# SUBURBAN ACRES

## GREEN

By Karen Mayne

Autumn is in full swing and the cooler weather means it's time for fall chores and preparing for the holidays. Here are some things you can do to help keep Norfolk green and make fall chores a little easier.

**Give Leaves a Second Life as Fertilizer.** Put leaves to work as nature's free fertilizer. Not only does raking and bagging require a lot of time and effort, hauling those leaves away requires the community to spend tax dollars needlessly and takes up limited landfill space. If your lawnmower is the mulching type, keep mowing your lawn weekly to chop up the leaves right back into the lawn, where they will add nutrients and improve the water retention of the lawn's soil. Or, if your lawnmower has a bagger, bag the leaves and use them as mulch on your flower and vegetable beds. Reduce the size of your lawn by creating mulched flower or shrub beds around your

trees. You will have less lawn to mow next year and the beds will be a place for the leaves to fall, so you are getting a twofer! Never rake leaves into the street – it's illegal and the leaves clog storm drains when it



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rains, or end up in creeks and ditches. This leads to street flooding, which makes more work (and tax dollars) for the City to clean out the storm drains and ditches.

**Put Your Pipes on a Diet.**

Did you know that the biggest week for calls to plumbers to fix clogged drains is the week of Thanksgiving? The City of Norfolk has an initiative to get us all to "Trash the Fat." When fat, oil, and grease (FOG) go down the drain, they stick to the walls of the pipes, restricting the flow of water. Clogged drains are expensive for you to fix, and when FOG gets into the sanitary sewers, our tax dollars are used to clear the blockages. Instead of pouring fatty liquids down the drain, pour them into a metal can (a soup can, pet food can, etc.), refrigerate or freeze until hard, then put the can in the trash. Food scraps should go into the trash rather than down the garbage disposal. Wipe off frying pans and plates with a paper towel to absorb the grease before washing. For more information on how to keep our sewers fat free, go to [www.FatFreeDrains.com](http://www.FatFreeDrains.com) where you will also find information on proper disposal and recycling of fryer oil (for that deep fried Thanksgiving turkey).

**Have Your Heating System Checked.** And that goes for gas logs, too. An annual inspection by a qualified professional is



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## Norfolk News Briefs

### Stormwater *Continued from Page 3*

One way of minimizing water runoff and lowering your water bill is by using rain barrels to catch and save water for garden use and irrigation. JoDee Cook is taking the names of people interested in a rain barrel class for the neighborhood; she currently needs two or three more interested persons in order to schedule a workshop for the neighborhood.

The presentation by Fleta Jackson was the neighborhood's first EARNN (Environmental Awards for Recycling in Norfolk Neighborhoods) presentation for the City's new fiscal year: since more than 30 adults attended the presentation the civic league earned five points toward this year's EARNN contest. Last fiscal year SACL was the only civic league in the City to earn enough points for the maximum cash award of \$750.

*-The Suburban*

### Notes from Mayor's Wards Corner Task Force

The Wards Corner Taskforce met on October 14, 2010 at the Fitness and Wellness Center; Councilmen Barclay Winn and Andy Protogyrou were present. Issues reported on or discussed included:

- Pulse has opened up where the old Nutty Buddy's was located. It is a bar/club with DJ's playing "European" and "house" music. It is under the same ownership as Nutty Buddy's and owner Annette Stone gave a short presentation on her new concept.
- Elite Fitness 365 has opened in the northeast quadrant of the Corner. They have purchased new equipment and leased over 7500 square feet.
- The parking lot in the shopping center of the northwest quadrant is in need of repairs. The City is reaching out to the property owners and will report back.
- There are 114 active property maintenance cases reported in Denby Park (PD 38) through October 10th: 36 Code Enforcement Cases; 1 Code Enforcement Placard, Grass Abatement and Inoperable Vehicle; 65 Rental Inspection Cases; 7 Legal Notices for Trash and Debris; and 3 Legal Notices for Tall Weeds and Grass.

The next Taskforce meeting will be November 11, 2010 at 8:30am at the Fitness and Wellness Center.

*-Wards Corner Now*

### Ways to provide financial support to Suburban Park Elementary

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- Shop at Kroger & link your store card to Suburban Park.
- Shop at Food Lion & link your store card to Suburban Park.
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## October 2010 Yard of the Month

Richard and Deanne Torlone on 7523 Yorktown Drive were awarded Suburban Acres Civic League Yard of the Month honors for October, 2010 and receive a month-long visit from Flora, the SACL Yard of the Month Mermaid. Congratulations Torlones!

*Photo by Jeb Clark*

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important. It will ensure that your heating system is running at peak energy efficiency, which is important for good air quality inside and outside your home and for the safety of your family.

And don't forget to change batteries in smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors. Fire departments recommend that you write a schedule on your calendar for replacing the batteries once a year. Some suggest replacing batteries when we

change the time from daylight savings to standard time each November. Others suggest you use the New Year as your reminder. It doesn't matter when you do it – the important thing is that you do it! There have been too many fire related deaths and injuries due to smoke detectors with bad batteries or no batteries. Don't become another statistic. We want you to enjoy the upcoming holidays!

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## News Briefs & Events

The 2nd annual Dogs Gone Swimming event on September 18<sup>th</sup> raised \$6,383 for the animals at the Norfolk Animal Care Center; sponsorship of free community spay/neuter clinics; enhancing public awareness about the Shelter and its animals.

Over 1,000 people attended the pool and field events and 300 dogs enjoyed the pool at the Norfolk Fitness and Wellness Center (The pool was closed to people for the season and was cleaned following the event).

### Volunteer Opportunities at Suburban Park School

Volunteers are needed at Suburban Park Elementary School in many capacities including as Mentor, Classroom Helper, Accelerated Reader Helper, and with Career Fair, Field Day, and Curb Appeal.

All volunteers must have a TB test on file with the nurse and attend volunteer orientation. All volunteers must have a background check. Background check can be done at the Police Precinct on Virginia Beach Blvd.

For more information on volunteer opportunities, call Mrs. Dalmida at 531-3118 or [cadalmid@nps.k12.va.us](mailto:cadalmid@nps.k12.va.us).

### Fuel Assistance Program Applications Open

Families who need help with their heating costs this winter may apply for the Fuel Assistance Program from October 12 through November 12 at any Norfolk Department of Human Services location. Fuel Assistance is available to Norfolk residents with heating expenses and monthly gross incomes that meet eligibility guidelines. Call 664-6035 for more information.

## Announcements

Send your announcement to [suburbanacres@gmail.com](mailto:suburbanacres@gmail.com)

If you're not currently receiving email updates from Suburban Acres Civic League, send us a brief email to let us know you'd like to be added to our distribution list! Birthdays? Anniversaries? Lost & found? Let us know!

**Hopekeepers Chronic Illness group** meets 10 am-noon, second and fourth Wednesdays at Primeplus Senior Center inside the Norfolk Fitness and Wellness Center, 7300 Newport Ave. Facilitator Rev. Patricia Bain. Free. Contact 625-5847 or [crandolph@primeplus.org](mailto:crandolph@primeplus.org).



Danielle Hartman

Danielle Hartman graduates from the **Norfolk Sheriff's Department Academy** on November 18th. Her class is selling Sheriff's Academy class tee shirts, and 2011 Chick-Fil-A calendars to raise funds for their graduation ceremony and reception. She can be reached at [seamansykes@yahoo.com](mailto:seamansykes@yahoo.com), or drop by 7538 Virginian Drive to buy a calendar or tee shirt. Keep your nose to the books, Danielle!

**Norfolk First Citizen nominations** are being accepted by the Norfolk Cosmopolitan Club

through Nov. 11. Go to [www.NorfolkCosmo.org](http://www.NorfolkCosmo.org) for criteria and nomination form or write Norfolk First Citizen, 1800 Fleet Terrace, Virginia Beach, VA 23454.

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**Neighborhood Food Drive**

Each year civic league members collect food and provide a cash donation to the Food Basket Project for less fortunate students at Suburban Park School. The league will present its donations to the school at the November 8th meeting. If you can contribute non-perishable food items, they may be dropped off at the home of Lester Cavagnaro and Eric Heard at 7016 Suburban Arch.

If you have transportation challenges but would still like to donate, please contact Steve Collins at 416-6158 or Kevin Janney at 869-3204. Kevin or Steve will be happy to come by and collect your donation.



**We need your involvement  
in the Suburban Acres  
Civic League. The larger  
our membership, the  
louder our voice will be  
heard! Please join today!**

**NOVEMBER**

**WORD**

**SEARCH**



Berkeley	Feast	Scorpio
Black Friday	Mayflower	Thanksgiving
Chrysanthemum	Native	Turkey
Citrine	November	Woodleaf
Eleven	Pilgrim	Yellow Topaz



The **RECYCLING RATE** for Suburban Acres is measured by how many blue bins are put out on the curb. A high recycling rate helps the league earn points and cash in EARNN (Environmental Awards for Recycling in Norfolk Neighborhoods).

**Please put your blue bin on the curb on recycling day whether or not it is full.**

**Suburban Acres Civic League Membership Form 2010**

Individual \$5.00

Family \$10.00

Name (Please print. For Family Membership, list head of household and all eligible voting members)

Street Address

E-mail

Phone

Please make check payable to **Suburban Acres Civic League**. Bring to the next meeting or mail this form to Lester Cavagnaro, Treasurer, Suburban Acres Civic League, 7016 Suburban Arch, Norfolk, VA 23505. **And thank you for your support!**

## Neighborhood Calendar

### Calendar Notes...



Street Sweeping  
Friday Nov. 5.



Recycling Pick  
Up (Blue Bins)  
Nov. 11 & 25

**NOV 4-5** Norwegian Tall ship HNoMS **Statsraad Lehmkuhl** visits Norfolk waterfront. Public welcome Nov. 4 9:30 a.m. Public tours Nov. 5 noon to 4 p.m.

**NOV 8** Suburban Acres Civic League Refreshments at 6 pm, meeting at 6:30 pm Suburban Park Elementary

**NOV 11** Mayor's Wards Corner Taskforce Norfolk Fitness & Wellness Center, 8:30 a.m.

**NOV 11** Norfolk Federation of Civic Leagues Lake Taylor Hospital Cafeteria, 1309 Kempsville Rd., 7 p.m.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Election Day 2:30 pm City Council Mtg.	3	4		5
7 <b>DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS</b>	8 <b>SACL Meeting 6:30 pm</b>	9 7 pm City Council Mtg	10		11 <b>Veteran's Day</b>	12
14	15	16 2:30 pm City Council Mtg.	17	18	19	20 8:30 am Wards Corner Now meeting
21	22	23 7 pm City Council Mtg.	24		25 <b>Thanksgiving</b>	26
28	29	30 2:30 pm City Council Mtg.				

## NOVEMBER 2010



### Community Resources and Contacts



Norfolk Commissioner of the Revenue

664-7860

Norfolk Treasurer

664-7800

Animal Control, Lost & Found Animals

441-5505

#### Norfolk Public Works

Accessibility issues, potholes, streetlights in need of repair, curbs and sidewalks  
823-4050

#### E-waste recycling (common household electronics)

Computers, TV's, wiring, printers, small appliances (no smoke detectors or refrigerators)

Free to Norfolk residents at waste management facility:

1176 Pineridge Road  
MON-SAT 10 am-2 pm

For complete list of recyclable e-waste items call 441-5813

Virginia Office of Consumer Affairs (investigation of consumer complaints)  
1-800-552-9963

Five Points Community Farm Market, 2500 Church Street  
640-0300

Norfolk Public Libraries  
664-7328

Norfolk Neighborhood Design & Resource Center  
664-6770

PRIME PLUS Norfolk Senior Center, 7300 Newport Ave  
625-5857

**Norfolk Cares...**City services, citizen complaints & concerns

Mon-Fri. 8 am-6 pm, 664-6510

#### Norfolk Department of Utilities

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