



BCAnews

BAYBERRY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.

The brightest stars of Bayberry

Homes all throughout Bayberry were decked out with bright lights and beautiful displays to celebrate the 2016 holiday season. The BCA Holiday Decorating Contest Committee, impressed by the participation (whether or not aware of the annual event!), recently announced the winner for the Most Outstanding Display as well as the six section winners.



The Most Outstanding Display goes to the Spernyak family at 1 Lark Path. Section winners include:

1. 4081 Bel Harbor Drive
2. 16 Elderberry Lane
3. 1 Lark Path
4. 15 Nectarine Lane
5. 28 Lorraine Crescent
6. 203 Riverdale Road

Thank you to all our judges: the Haase family, McGlory family, Schantz family, Hardy family, Graser family, Richardson family, Fairbanks family, Farino family, Schloop family, John Erikson, Joe & Joyce McMullen, Bob & Joanne Stella, Mike & Sheree Banks.

Santa visits more than 100 children

The 2016 BCA Santa Visit to Bayberry provided happiness and joy to a near record number of residents, homes and families. The three Santa's helpers, with the assistance of the Moyers Corners Fire Department and their drivers, stopped at 43 homes dropping off gifts to 114 children.



The longest running event of the BCA was made possible through the effort of some amazing volunteers. Thanks go to the morning intake and sorting crew Abigail & Christine Moen, Joanne Stella, Suzanne Fairbanks and Judy McVity. A special thanks "Santa's Helpers" and drivers Kevin and Anne Dudash, Joe Cavataio and Bob Stella, and David Boyce and Mike Banks.

Mark your calendar for 2017—Saturday, Dec. 16!

NEXT BCA MEETING:

Sun., Feb. 12
at 7 p.m.
United Church of Christ
215 Blackberry Road

*Meetings open to all
residents!*

UPCOMING EVENTS

BCA Officer Nominations
Sunday, April 2

Earth Day Cleanup
Saturday, April 22

Spring Garage Sale
Saturday, May 20

SCHOOL AFFAIRS

See page 2 for updates
on potential modified
school start times

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President's corner

By Mike Banks

Happy New Year and welcome 2017! We hope that everyone had a great holiday season!

Although it might look like spring (at least right now!) we are still in mid to late January with more rain than snow—take a look near the drainage grates to make sure they are clear. When the snow returns and if you live near a fire hydrant, please keep it clear in the event Moyers Corners Fire Department needs to use them.

During the recent Santa visit with the volunteers from MCFD, even with the full spot lights shining on some of the homes of Bayberry, it was very difficult to see the house numbers. Please take a look at the number that is on your home or mailbox and think about getting a larger number, and if your house number is written out, please consider getting a numeral or numerals to replace it to assist the fire department and NOVA.

We are looking for some help! On Friday, Dec. 30, a vehicle ran over the curbing onto the median at the Blackberry Road entrance to Bayberry hitting the median wall and moving the slab of limestone. There have been reports of a dark/black vehicle, possibly a Chrysler product that did this damage, wrecking its undercarriage before hitting the wall. If anyone may have seen this accident or see the vehicle towed away that day, please contact me at 652-2657 or michaelsbanks1@gmail.com with any information so we may attempt to reach out to the driver and have their insurance cover the repairs.

Lastly, we are looking for some volunteers who are interested in being on a Nominating Committee for the upcoming Executive Board elections: President, 1st VP, 2nd VP, Treasurer and Secretary. Ideally, we are looking for residents who are not currently officers to help in this process. If you are interested in being on this committee, know of any potential candidates, or are considering being an officer, please contact me at 652-2657.

Here's to a great 2017!

BCA 2016-17 meetings and events

Throughout the year, the BCA holds meetings and events for our residents. All residents are welcome and encouraged to attend our meetings. Our special events are open to all residents who have paid their dues for the year. Our dues collection campaign begins in May! Below is a schedule of meetings and events for 2017:

Meetings: Feb. 12, March 5, April 2, May 7, June 4

Events: 4/2 BCA Officer Nominations, 4/22 Earth Day Cleanup, 5/20 Spring Garage Sale, 5/21 Spring Planting, 6/4 Candidate Ballot Collection, 8/5 Family Picnic

More information on meetings and events will be posted on our website, Facebook page, and Nextdoor as the dates draw near.

School affairs

Options for the Modified School Start Times have been announced:

Option 6A

Tier I: 7:45 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.;
Four elementary schools (Long Branch, Nate Perry, Donlin Drive, Morgan Road)

Tier II: 8:25 a.m. to 3:10 p.m.;
Liverpool High School and two elementary schools (Willow Field and Elmcrest)

Tier III: 9:05 a.m. to 3:50 p.m.;
Complexes

Option 6B

Tier I: 7:45 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.;
Complexes

Tier II: 8:25 a.m. to 3:10 p.m.;
Liverpool High School and two elementary (Willow Field and Elmcrest)

Tier III: 9:05 a.m. to 3:50 p.m.; four elementary (Long Branch, Nate Perry, Donlin Drive, Morgan Road)

The board is looking into these options and reviewing information. Communication with the community is considered an important part of the process.

The next two board meetings are scheduled for 7 p.m. Mondays, Jan. 23 and Feb. 13 in the District Office at 195 Blackberry Road.

Quote of the Month

“ I have never let my schooling interfere with my education. ”

- Mark Twain

Cookies!



PHOTO COURTESY OF SUSAN WILLIAMS

Our Annual Cookie Drive was a big success! Over 17.5 pounds of cookies and holiday treats were collected for our civic volunteers: Moyers Corner Fire Department and N.O.V.A. EMTs. Special thanks to the BCA contributors: Rachel Broedel, Kristine & Mark Davoli, Dolly & Kevin MacMasters, Debbie Samuels, Marge Sebastian, Joanne & Bob Stella, Louise Benfrey, Patrick O'Toole and coordinator Susan Williams.

Dues due

We would like to request that all area reps please turn in any dues collections you may have to our Treasurer, Judy McVity, as soon as possible so we can update our list.

If you have any questions, please email us at bcaexecboard@gmail.com.

Thank you!

Town affairs

The Town Affairs Committee is looking for volunteers to help attend meetings throughout the month. Town and Zoning boards typically meet on Mondays and the planning board usually meets on Wednesdays. If you are interested, please contact Mike Banks at 652-2657.

Seeking volunteers

There are some new opportunities for residents to assist the BCA—for full descriptions of each position, check out our website, www.bayberrycommunity.org.

Currently, we are seeking to fill the following positions: Part Time Representatives (several), Area Representative Coordinator, Data Management Coordinator, Events and Recreation Coordinator, Community Infrastructure Coordinator, Member-

ship and Dues Committee Chair and Volunteer Coordinator.

If you are willing to lend your Community Association a little of your time, please reply to bcaexecboard.com@gmail.com. You are also welcome to attend our next monthly board meeting at 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 12 at the United Church of Christ, 215 Blackberry Road for additional details regarding these positions.

Did you know? *Fun little facts*

Did you know? Reindeer like bananas.
 Did you know? The longest recorded flight of a chicken was 13 seconds.
 Did you know? Birds need gravity to swallow.

Did you know? The most commonly used letter in the alphabet is E.
 Did you know? The three most common languages in the world are Mandarin Chinese, Spanish and English.

Did you know? The Hawaiian alphabet has 13 letters.
 Did you know? 'Topolino' is the name for Mickey Mouse Italy.

Source: www.did-you-knows.com

OFFICERS AND CHAIRPERSONS

Position:	Name:	Phone #
President	Mike Banks	652-2657
1st VP	Nicole Farino	622-0326
2nd VP	Tim Scott	652-9405
Secretary	Marge Sebastian	622-3866
Treasurer	Judy McVity	652-6093
Rep at Large	Bob Stella	652-6145
School Affairs	Mary Eidt	652-8610

Position:	Name:	Phone #
Town Affairs	Mike Banks	652-2657
Historian	June Baycura	652-6971
Comm. Coordinator	Kristine Davoli	409-4241
Newsletter Editor	Tami Scott	652-9405
Newsletter Distribution	Debbie Countryman	652-5309
Welcome Chair	Laura Oberlander	430-7072

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<p>United Church of Christ "Centered in Christ, Welcoming All God's People" Sunday Worship 8:30 & 10:30am Sunday School 9:15am office@uccbayberry.org UCC Nursery School nurseryschool@uccbayberry.org</p>	<p>edge Federal Credit Union 315-451-0105 7545 Morgan Road edgefcu.org</p>	<p>Antonio's PIZZA, PASTA & WINGS Located in Bayberry Plaza \$9.99 Large Cheese Pizza Pickup Only All Day Every Day! (315) 622-0045</p>	<p>Bin There Dump That Residential Friendly Dumpsters 750-4150 Office 715-5176 Cell</p>
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