

Estabrook and Coleman Place Community News

6:30 p.m. – January 16, 2024

6:30 p.m. -- February 20, 2024

6:30 p.m. – March 19, 2024

3612 Robin Hood Road Norfolk, VA 23513

"Promoting the safety and welfare of the community"

Website: estabrookcivicleague.org

Message from Civic League	MARK YOUR CALENDAR
<p>Happy New Year to All,</p> <p>Here we are into the new year. Last year was good. Working on a great 2024! Thank you Mayor Alexander, Councilwoman Mamie Johnson, Delk Koolman, Sheriff Joe Baron, Bob Batchner, CRO Tomko, Chief Mark Talbot, Michael Dematty, Toby Shorts, Daniel Barlow, Maureen Logan, Justin Geongon, Steven & Sweet Baker, Greg Norris, Ivan Salinas for helping us during the year.</p> <p>A special thank you to Jake Thomas (HVAC Dept.) and Marquis Chatman (Student Services Coordinator) from Tidewater Tech who presented us with our new Little Free Library on Oct. 24, 2023 that replaced our old one. What a blessing! Thank you so much.</p> <p>Thank you to all of our devoted officers of the Estabrook/Coleman Place Civic League. All of your hours of volunteering is much appreciated. It truly takes the whole community to make our area beautiful and prosperous. We need our advertisers to ensure our quarterly newsletter. Estabrook Civic League has been strong since 1934. I am very proud of our forefathers for their hard work to provide the meeting place for us that we have had for all these years. There are issues in our area that the city is working to correct for us. Everyone has to do their part as well to keep our community safe and beautiful.</p> <p>I love my community, my home since 1977 (57 years).</p> <p>Carolyn Foca, President</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">January</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 15th - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day • 16th - Civic League Meeting <p style="text-align: center;">February</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2nd - Groundhog Day • 14th - Valentine's Day • 14th - Ash Wednesday • 19th - President's Day • 20th - Civic League Meeting <p style="text-align: center;">March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10th - Daylight Saving Time Begins • 17th - St. Patrick's Day • 19th - First Day of Spring • 19th - Civic League Meeting • 24th - Palm Sunday • 29th - Good Friday • 31st - Easter <p style="text-align: center;">Street Sweeping: Jan. 11, Feb. 8, Mar. 14 2nd Thursday of each Month</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Recycling Days: Jan. 5 & 19 Feb. 2 & 16 Mar. 1, 15 & 29</p>

What's happening in the City of Norfolk and surrounding area?

Holiday Tree Collection

Waste Management will collect trees for composting at your curbside normal collection day from Dec. 26 – Jan.26. Trees must be free of all decorations. **FREE tree drop-off is also available 24/7 at 1176 Pineridge Rd. next to the recycling dumpsters.**

Artificial tree disposal should be scheduled for bulk waste pickup using the MyNorfolk app. Online at **MyNorfolk.org** or by calling Norfolk Cares at 757-464-6510.

Save the Date

Jam'n Jamz Fruit and Nut Tree Giveaway

Mark your calendars – Jam'n Jamz fruit and nut tree giveaway is returning on **Saturday, Jan. 27.**

Adopt fruit and nut trees such as blueberries, almond, or pomegranate.
Lafayette Park, Shelter 2 (3500 Granby St.)
10 a.m. -1 p.m.

Trees are available on a first come, first served basis. Giveaway is open to Norfolk residents only and limited to one tree per household.

Grow healthy fruits and nuts and increase Norfolk's tree canopy!

NORFOLK FIRE-RESCUE is hosting an **Open House Recruiting Event** before the application process begins in January. During the event, you can start an application, try the physical agility test and ask questions of current firefighters. The minimum age to apply is 18, and applicants must have a valid ID to complete the physical agility course.

Saturday, Jan. 27: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Norfolk Fire-Rescue Training Center

7120 Granby St.

Agenda - Jan. 16, Feb. 20, and March 19, 2024

Our CRO Officer Tomko will report on the neighborhood crime statistics and how we can stay safe and be good stewards of the neighborhood. In January we are having Camp Director Kat Boldin of Loving Neighbors Mission Camp (LNMC) a youth led, adult mentored mission that started here in Norfolk. She will show a video of their 2023 camp. We are planning for our February and March speakers and will let you know who will be speaking at the next meeting. Please join us for information, fellowship, and fun!

Check out our website: www.estabrookcivicleague.org

Holiday Party Recap

We had a wonderful time at our first holiday party since the pandemic. We want to say thank you to Doumar's on Monticello Avenue and Pawsnickety Pets on 21st Street for their generous donations for our raffle. Please help support these great local businesses.

We also want to thank our favorite Councilwoman, Mamie Johnson, and the best sheriff around, Sheriff Joe Baron, for their contributions as well. These two always bring joy and laughter to our events.

And last but certainly not least, we say thank you to all of our neighbors who showed up for the festivities. We appreciate your support, your presence, and your companionship. Estabrook/Coleman Place Civic League wishes everyone peace, joy, and good health in the new year, and we look forward to sharing more good times with all of you.

ARE YOU PREPARED FOR WINTER WEATHER?

Cold weather season is here. Make sure you're prepared before hitting the road and have these items in your car's emergency kit this season:

- A cell phone, charged and with the appropriate charging cord
- A plastic orange safety triangle and flares, which allow you to be seen on the side of the road
- A flashlight with extra batteries
- Ice scraper with brush for snowy and icy weather
- Jumper cables
- A shovel or foldable shovel to fit in your trunk
- A set of sturdy, warm gloves
- Basic safety/comfort items, such as: a blanket, water, energy bars, first aid kit, an extra sweatshirt or warm layer of clothing, a warm pair of socks and a raincoat/poncho.



Stay prepared by planning ahead this winter.

SHERWOOD FOREST/COLEMAN PLACE SCHOOL 2024 SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE
Our civic league will continue to collect school supplies for the schools this new year to help the students and teachers. We are accepting supplies or donations throughout the school year. A detailed list of supplies needed by grade is available at the donation boxes. Please do all you can to support the civic league's community project for the children and wonderful teachers who educate them. **BOTH SCHOOLS ARE IN NEED OF BOTTLED WATER.**

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We also support the **Foodbank of Southeastern Virginia**; a donation jar is at the President's table to drop off your donation. Please do all you can to support our community projects.

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RECYCLING SURVEY

The city of Norfolk's contract with TFC Recycling is expiring this year. City leaders want to know how residents and businesses use the current recycling program and get input and suggestions for improving and managing future recycling programs and services.

To take the survey go to the **norfolk.gov** website and find the link to the survey.

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### **PROPOSED CIVIC LEAGUE EVENTS FOR FY2024**

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| Chili Cook Off – Sat. Jan. 20th                           | Black History Month – Sat. Feb. 17th                 |
| Women's History Month – Sat. March 9 <sup>th</sup>        | Arts & Craft Show – Sat. March 23rd                  |
| Flower Pot Making Class – Sat. April 13th                 | Mother's Day Tea – Sat. May 4th                      |
| Father's Day – Sat. June 8 <sup>th</sup>                  | Civic League Yard Sale – Sat. Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup> |
| Wine Bottle Decorating Class – Sat. Oct. 19 <sup>th</sup> | Honor Our Vets – Sat. Nov 9 <sup>th</sup>            |
| Holiday Party – Tues. Dec. 17 <sup>th</sup>               |                                                      |

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Want to learn how to knit, quilt, scrapbook, crochet or other craft? Share your crafting skills, time and talents with your neighbors. Join us Sundays 2pm -4pm at the Estabrook Civic League building. All are welcome. Call Carolyn Foca for more information.

WELCOME To ESTABROOK/COLEMAN PLACE NEW HOMEOWNERS

Estabrook/Coleman Place Civic League 3612 Robin Hood Rd. Norfolk VA 23513

Athena Homes & Acquisitions Llc – 3900 Blk. Krick St.

Ashlee Briggs – 3700 Blk. Tait Terrace

Brian E. Corbin and Lilly D. Haley – 3800 Blk. Krick St.

Carlos Albanez Luna and Gregory Pietrocola – 1500 Blk. Rush St.

Alan Colt Sellers and Hallie Whitley-Sellers – 3400 Blk. W. Bonner Dr.

Mx3 Inc. - 3400 Blk. E. Bonner Dr.

Daniel Molina Tovar and Tania Maldonado – 3900 Blk. Krick St.

Kai Tadleigh Cahill – 3500 Blk. Buckingham St.

Athena Homes & Acquisitions Llc – 2700 Blk. Hurley Ave.

Leah Davis – 2400 Blk. Kennon Ave.

Lianne Marie Peterson – 3000 Blk. Oklahoma Ave.

James and Tammy Craig – 3500 Blk. Buckingham St.

Mary Debeus – 3100 Blk. Tait Terrace

Shelly L. and Ronald Paxton – 2700 Blk. Alder St.

Joshua R. Ortiz – 3100 Blk. Jersey Ave.

Newage Home Buyers Llc – 3600 Blk. Montgomery St.

Lv Realty Llc – 3800 Blk. Peterson St.

Dunia Esmeralda Cruz – 1500 Blk. Wyoming Ave.

Gazolla Construction Llc – 3800 Blk. Davis St.

Mx3 Inc. - 3700 Blk. Larkin St.

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- New inmate job skills partnerships
- New youth outreach programs
- Increased employee morale
- Managing COVID-19

The NSO Purpose:

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Our Core Values:

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<p align="center">CIVIC LEAGUE Membership Application 2024</p> <p>Date: _____</p> <p>Name: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>Zip: _____</p> <p>Phone: _____</p> <p>Email: _____</p> <p>Want to serve on a committee Yes _____ No _____</p> <p>Birthday: Month _____ Day _____</p> <p>Payment method: Cash _____ Check #: _____</p> <p>ECL meetings are the third Tuesday of each month @ 6:30 pm All are welcome</p> <p>Dues are \$10 per year per adult. Send a SASE if you want your membership card mailed to you. Fill in the application form and mail your check to:</p> <p align="center">Estabrook/Coleman Place Civic League 3612 Robin Hood Rd Norfolk, VA 23513</p>	<p align="center">Officers for 2024</p> <p>President: Carolyn Foca 757-386-1160 crffoca@earthlink.net</p> <p>Vice Pres: Avis McCann 757-855-9110 avismccann@yahoo.com</p> <p>1st Vice Pres: Diane Lionetti 757-407-0100 H1128mygirl@yahoo.com</p> <p>2nd Vice Pres: Fred Gallup 757-855-2642 Freddiethepenguin@aol.com</p> <p>Secretary: Janis Carney 757-855-1783 Jkcarney@cox.net</p> <p>Treasurer: Theresa Russell 757-855-0404 Nuuausala4@gmail.com</p> <p align="center">Board of Trustees Lisa Martin, Claudia Graham,</p> <p align="center">Sunshine Lady Claudia Graham 757-853-0499</p>	<p align="center">Important Phone Number</p> <p>Norfolk Cares: 757-664-6510</p> <p>Mamie B Johnson Councilwoman Ward 3 757-664-4268 mamie.johnson@norfolk.gov</p> <p>Police/Fire/EMS Emergency 911</p> <p>Police Non-Emergency: 757-441-5610</p> <p>Community Resource Officer: Officer D.W. Tomko 757-390-0406</p> <p>NBN Neighborhood Specialist</p> <p>Delk Koolman 757-664-4236</p> <p>2nd Patrol Division: 757-823-4433</p> <p>Public Works 757-664-4600</p> <p>Code Enforcement 757-664-6510</p> <p>Environmental Help 757-683-2712</p> <p>Bulk Waste 757-441-5813</p> <p align="center">Committee Chairs:</p> <p>Environmental: Jeanine Lindberg & Diane Lionetti</p> <p>Membership: Diane Lionetti</p> <p>Refreshment: Janis Carney</p> <p>Property Maintenance: Open</p> <p>Ways & Means: Fred Gallup</p> <p>Webmaster: Daniel Barlow, Avis McCann</p>
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2024 Civic League Dues are \$10/adult each calendar year. The **ECPL** meets 6:30 pm, 3rd Tues. of the month except in July and August.

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