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JANUARY HAPPY HOUR

Happy Hour at Churrasco's returns on January 10. Join your neighbors at 6:00 PM in the bar area. There will not be a speaker.

GRAFFITI REMOVAL

Meet your Vermont Commons graffiti removal committee (left to right): Kristina Ireland, Nancy Higgs, and Sheila Armsworth - with Kelvin, manager of Take 5 Oil Change on West Gray at Dunlavy.



We gathered this early December morning to conquer a large graffiti on their trash bin housing. We cannot repaint commercial properties without permission - but Kelvin, the new manager at this location, was thrilled to have our assistance!



UPCOMING EVENTS

January 10 - 6PM

- Happy Hour

January 19 - 2PM

- Book Club

February 2 - 10AM

- Monthly Coffee

February 7 - 6PM

- Happy Hour

February 16 - 2PM

- Book Club

REMINDERS

Renew your VCCA membership if you have not already. Visit vccahouston.org and click "Membership" to renew; or mail your check to Vermont Commons Civic Association with the address on top of this page.

CONSTABLE PATROL

This program contracts Harris County Constables to patrol Vermont Commons and Park Civic area, which is funded by residents joining the program. Please visit vcpatrol.com for information on how to join. United neighbors are safer neighbors, please consider taking part in it.

SUBMISSIONS

January 12 is the deadline for February newsletter's submissions. Send news, notices, photos, editorials, or advertising requests to both, hix@rmi.net and tiffanychung@hotmail.com

BOOK CLUB

The Book Club meets every third Wednesday from 2:00-3:30PM. The January date is the 19th. We read a variety of genres that often include a book we might not have read otherwise. This month we will read *The Last Thing He Told Me*, by Laura Dave. We welcome new members! Please contact Natalie Browne at nbrowne48@gmail.com for the January location and the report on book selections.

CITIZEN PATROL

We had 13 patrollers that did 230 hours of driving & walking in November. That's 8 hours per day of volunteering to keep us all safe! Many sincere thanks to all our patrollers and I hope everyone in the Vermont Commons area has a safe and prosperous 2022.

- David Hoyer, CP Coordinator

VERMONT COMMONS CIVIC ASSOCIATION (VCCA)

If you received this newsletter, it is sponsored by VCCA, as well as all the neighborhood activities. For information on how to join: vccahouston.org

VCCA OFFICERS 2020-21

Directors: Jeanette Hix (Lead Director), Stephanie Taylor, Nina Westerfeld, Janet Meyer, Lisa Meyer, Lillian Skogsberg, Ann Green Terrel

Treasurer: Chuck Randall

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RENAMING OF VERMONT COMMONS MOMS GROUP

We are excited to announce that the previous Vermont Commons Moms group has expanded to a family group for not only moms, but for all parents and caregivers of children! You can find the group on Facebook named, "**All in the VCCA Family**". The new email address is allinthevccafamily@gmail.com. All members of the VCCA Family group will hold an election in January for new officer positions, in order to expand the activities due to the increased involvement in recent months. If you are interested in a position or want to know more details, please check our Facebook group or send us an email.

VERMONT COMMONS HOLIDAY DECORATIONS

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, as the song goes! It's heartening to see so many homes being decorated for the holidays. Below are this year's winners of VCCA holiday decorations contest!



Best Decorated Single-Family House - 1506 Driscoll St

Best Decorated Bungalow
1806 Hazard St

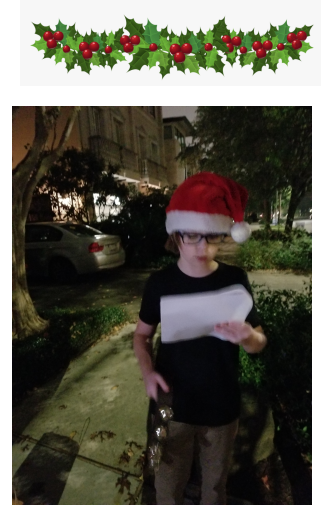


Best Decorated
Townhouse Group
Corner of Vermont &
McDuffie St

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CAROLING ON BRUN STREET



VCCA HOLIDAY DECORATIONS WINNERS (cont'd)



Most Uniquely Decorated House - 1935 Peden St



Best Decorated Townhouse - 1810 Driscoll St



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