

REGENT SQUARE

CIVIC ASSOCIATION
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RSCA October

Meeting Minutes

RSCA Board Meeting Recap

Monday, 1 October 2007, 7 PM

- ✓ Update on 2008-2010 Board Elections
- ✓ Annual Open House/ Membership Mtg.
- ✓ Upcoming Halloween Party
- ✓ Adding a Supporting Member category
- ✓ Underwriting Newsletter issues
- ✓ Braddock Avenue improvements

Join us in November

- ✓ Update on 2008-2010 Board Elections
- ✓ Annual Open House/ Membership Mtg.
- ✓ 2008 Board Retreat planning
- ✓ "Welcome to Regent Square" Directory revisions
- ✓ Update on business district improvements

All this and more at the RSCA Board Meeting, Monday, November 5, 7 PM at the Wilkins School Community Center, 7604 Charleston Ave.

2007 Members:
Vote in
RSCA Board Election
(See Ballot inside)

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The voice of the Regent Square Civic Association (RSCA),
a not-for-profit 501(c)4 all-volunteer community organization,
serving Regent Square's diverse residential and business community.

Holiday Decorating Contest

Win a Contribution to Your Favorite Charity

The Regent Square Holiday Home Decorating Contest will take place again on Sunday, December 16th. Houses need not be extensively decorated to win. Past winning decorations include the lavish, the simplistic, and everything in between. Everyone living within the boundaries of Regent Square, as defined by the Regent Square Civic Association by-laws, is eligible to win. First, second and third prizes are \$75, \$40, and \$40 respectively. There is also a \$25 prize for "most creative" use of lights.

In observation of the holiday spirit, awards will be donated to the selected charity of each winner. All Regent Square houses are eligible, so if you do not want to be included, please contact Pat DiRienzo by phone (412-731-4456) or email (pmdirienzo@verizon.net). If you want to participate as a judge, please call or e-mail Pat by December 9th. We will notify winners by December 18 and issue checks to the selected charities by December 30th. Bring out your snowmen, deer, wreaths, sparkling lights — and your holiday creativity! ■

Regent Square Toy Drive

Collecting Gifts for the Holiday Season

It's time to start thinking about the seventh annual RSCA Holiday Toy Drive in the Regent Square community. Community residents are asked for donations of new, unwrapped toys for distribution to a local agency that serves children of need in our area. This year, the toy drive will run from November 23rd through December 14th, and we will have two drop-off locations: Neighborhood Realty, 1028 S. Braddock Avenue (across from the movie theatre), and United Studios of Self Defense, 1115 S. Braddock Avenue. We offer many thanks to these local businesses for their help with this very worthy effort.

The success of the toy drive depends on the generosity of the local community. Last year we collected over 160 toys and books — together with other community organizations, these donations helped make holiday dreams come true for hundreds of children.

NEW this year! Want to participate, but don't have the time or energy to shop? We'll do the shopping for you. Send or drop off a check (made payable to "RSCA") or cash to Kip Kilpack (1305 Richmond Street, Pittsburgh 15218) no later than December 7th and we'll brave the crowds in the toy and book departments instead! ■

Attend the RSCA's Open House

Family Friendly Meeting, December 3rd

Plan to attend the annual RSCA Open House this year. The Square Café will serve refreshments while Marijke Hecht, Executive Director of the Nine Mile Run Watershed Association, presents an update on the state of Nine Mile Run. Remain afterward and meet other residents and their families, business owners and the RSCA Board, including newly elected Board members. The Square Café will host the Open House on Monday, December 3rd at 7:00 PM. Come, be our guests! ■

Safety for the Season

Safety Concerns for Regent Square Residents

With the oncoming change of seasons and weather, RSCA is reminding residents and property owners of some safety concerns. The first of these is the removal of fallen leaves on the sidewalks from the many trees that adorn our streets. Sweeping wet leaves off sidewalks can eliminate a dangerous slippery surface. Each municipality has its days to remove the leaves. Swissvale will continue to employ the leaf machine from the first week of November to the end of the first week of December (weather permitting).

When winter arrives, snow and ice become the removal problem. Usually, the mandate is to remove snow and ice within 24 hours. Wilkinsburg adds: "after the snow has stopped."

Besides keeping sidewalks clean from leaves, snow and ice, any overgrown vegetation such as hedges and plants that impede the free access of a sidewalk are considered an obstruction, are prohibited, and must be cut back. The code enforcement of Swissvale even states (Ordinance 91-12) that hedges should be no higher than 3 feet in the front of your property or 6 feet in back.

Taking these precautions will make Regent Square a safe neighborhood, with residents strolling about and enjoying the great outdoors no matter what the weather throws at us.

NOTE: For more information on your respective municipality's regulations, contact your Municipal Code Enforcement Officer or search on-line through your Municipal Code – visit the Community Resources page on the RSCA website (www.regentsquare-RSCA.org) for contact information and hotlinks. ■

Community Spirit with the WSCC

The Square Fair

The 2007 Holiday Gift Shop at the Wilkins School Community Center (WSCC) is ready to go. There are new homemade crafts and good food this year. The shop will be open everyday from 10AM to 9PM during the first two weeks in December with our usual boutique-style shop and fresh-daily treats. A quartet and a harpist from the Edgewood Symphony Orchestra will be the highlight of the Opening Night Party and help get us in the community and holiday spirit. Put it on your calendar: Friday, November 30th; 7-9PM.

In addition, this year, you can:

- Use your credit card
- Get your pictures taken with Santa (call 412-241-8126 for an appointment)
- Recycle left-over craft materials and treasures
- Get free gift wrapping (donations of wrapping paper will be appreciated).

The WSCC can also use your help. Would you like to sell your crafts? Run or help in the food department? Demonstrate a craft? Be a salesperson? Handle the neighborhood's signs? Decorate? Check in crafts? For more information, visit www.wscppgh.org or contact Judy at 412-241-8126 or heyjudewern@aol.com. ■

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| • Pat DiRienzo – Decorating Contest | • Pat DiRienzo – Toy Drive |
| • Cathy Brennan – Business News | • Dorothy Rescher – Season Safety |
| • Judy Werner – WSCC Fair | • Wrenn White – Business Spotlight |
| • Mary Louise Travers – WSCC items | • Barbara Peterson – Parkway Clean-up |
| • Kathryn Griffin – Race Planning | • Carrie Weaver – Open House, Yard Sale |

The RSCA welcomes the submission of articles and calendar events to this Newsletter. Deadline for submission is the first Monday of each month for the next month's issue. Submission does not guarantee publication. The RSCA reserves the right to decline any submission or to edit it for style, length and/or content. For detailed submission guidelines, visit www.regentsquare-RSCA.org, or email newsletter@regentsquare-RSCA.org or call 371-2010 for a copy.

Events Calendar

Mon. November 5 | 7PM

RSCA Community Meeting

Regular monthly meeting

Location: Wilkins School Community Center
7604 Charleston Ave

Info: To request an agenda item,
412-371-2010 or president@regentsquare-RSCA.org

Mon. November 5 | 9AM-12PM

Food Drive

Non-perishable food donations collected for the
Wilkinsburg Community Ministries Food Pantry.

First Friday of every month. Drop off items at
church.

Location: Mifflin Avenue United Methodist
Church, 905 Mifflin Avenue

Info: 412-731-2511 or www.mifflinave.org
RSCA.org

Tues. November 20 | 5:30-6:30PM

RSCA Business Networking

Group Meeting

Regular monthly meeting for all storefront and
home-based businesses and nonprofits in Regent
Square.

Location: Edward Jones
1133 S. Braddock Avenue, 2nd Floor

Info: Cathy Brennan, 412-242-7785,
cathy@acappellamktg.com

Fri. November 30 thru Fri. December 14
10AM - 9PM

WSCC Holiday Gift Shop

Homemade crafts and good food for sale.

Location: Wilkins School Community Center,
7604 Charleston Avenue

Opening Night Party: Fri. Nov. 30th 7-9PM
Info: Judy, 412-241-8126, heyjudewern@aol.com

Mon. December 3 | 7PM

RSCA Annual Open

House/Meeting

All residents and business owners are invited.

Presentation: the State of Nine Mile Run

Location: Square Café, 1135 S. Braddock Ave.

Info: To find out more about it, contact
412-371-2010 or president@regentsquare-RSCA.org

A Millions Thanks to our 2007 RSCA Members

We Look Forward to your Continued Support in 2008

A special thanks goes out to all the Regent Square residents, business owners and nonprofit organizations who made the many activities of the RSCA possible this year. We look forward to your continued support in 2008. (List as of Oct. 1 – for questions or corrections, contact 412-371-2010 or membership@regentsquare-RSCA.org. Members: Only 2007 RSCA Members may vote in this year's Board Elections. Your vote is needed. Please, complete and send in your ballot. Thanks!

Resident Members:

Andrea Abbatico	Joel T. Downey	Evan Hirsch	Pete Lewis	Caroline O'Nan	Eli Silk
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John Brunner	Patricia W. Foerster	Linda Jeub	Alice Mentzer	Jean Pletcher	Ross Thibault
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Thomas Burk	Thomas Fogarty	Sandy Joyce	Christine Michaels	Earl J. Price	Rachel Thompson
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RSCA Board of Directors: 2008-2010 Term Election

Mail Your Ballot by November 26, 2007

The Board of Directors of the Regent Square Civic Association (RSCA) consists of 12 elected members. RSCA Bylaws permit one-third of the Directors to be elected each year for a three-year term. To learn more about this year's nominees, please read their bios in the October 2007 issue of the RSCA Newsletter at www.regentsquare-rsca.org/newsletter.htm.

Provided that votes are cast by a least 10% of the Members, the four individuals receiving the most votes will be elected to the Board for a three-year term beginning January 1, 2008. To make sure that this election is valid, your participation is needed.

Only members of the Regent Square community who are 18 years old and over and have paid their 2007 RSCA Membership Dues as of October 1, 2007, may vote in this election. (You may duplicate this form for multiple voters.)

Please note that you have three opportunities to vote. Complete this ballot and:

- Mail it in by Monday, November 26, 2007 to:
RSCA Elections,
7604 Charleston Ave
Pittsburgh, PA 15218
- E-mail your vote by Monday, November 26, 2007 to:
president@regentsquare-RSCA.org (PDF available at www.regentsquare-RSCA.org)
- Turn in your ballot at the Monday, November 5, 2007, RSCA Board Meeting at 7PM.

The RSCA will accept unsigned ballots submitted in person, but please note that your name must be checked off against the 2007 Membership Roster for your ballot to be accepted. Ballots received after November 26, 2007 cannot be counted.

2008–2010 Term Ballot: Election of RSCA Directors

Submit Your Ballot by November 26th!

I, _____, being a member in good standing of the Regent Square Civic Association
(print first and last name)
hereby vote for the following named persons to serve as Directors for a three-year period from January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2010. I am signaling my selection by checking up to four (4) of the following candidates.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Liz Caplan | <input type="checkbox"/> Andrew Lang | <input type="checkbox"/> Frank Ruffing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kathryn Griffin | <input type="checkbox"/> Daryl Rapp | <input type="checkbox"/> Matt Suffoletto |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Write in: _____ |

RSCA Member's Signature _____

Mail to: RSCA Elections • 7604 Charleston Avenue • Pittsburgh, PA 15218

Business Spotlight: Bach Choir of Pittsburgh

Fresh Approach to Choral Music

The Bach Choir of Pittsburgh was founded in 1934 to perform the works of Johann Sebastian Bach exclusively. Under the leadership of Conductor and Artistic Director Thomas Douglas since 2003, the Choir has evolved from a small, narrowly focused ensemble to a larger, more inclusive choir that performs major choral works by composers from the Renaissance through the contemporary period. Since its inception, the Bach Choir has grown from 60 singers to over 100, and now includes a 16-person core of paid professional singers. Douglas has brought a fresh approach to choral music through his dramatic vision of both choral and theatrical performances. The Pittsburgh Tribune Review recently raved, "Douglas is shaping the Choir into a Pittsburgh musical force."

The Bach Choir is proud to present another season of choral music with a twist. The season opened the end of

October with "Voices on the Wind," a collaboration with the Carnegie Mellon wind ensemble under the direction of Denis Colwell. On December 8th and 9th at the Hunt Armory in Shadyside, "MESSIAH in Space" will literally surround you with the beloved music and a twist only the Bach Choir can provide. Closing out the season will be "The Promise of Freedom". This program combines a cappella singing with the intrigue of steel pans and a depth of feeling in the music of servitude. Traditional spirituals, music performed in the concentration camps, even the reggae of Bob Marley, all combine to form a body of musical literature that speak from the soul of the oppressed.

The Choir offices moved from Lawrenceville to 1108 S. Braddock here in Regent Square in October 2006. As Managing Director, Wrenn White had the responsibility of finding an appropriate office space and was attracted to

the area for several reasons. Wren absolutely loved the unique office space, complete with fireplace. Plus, landlord Kathy Cauley was very accepting of Wren bringing beloved dog Bogart, a once skinny but now thriving Katrina rescue pup, to the office - a wonderful perk. The unique shops and easy parking were also extremely attractive. Having been here going on one year, Wren loves the wonderful restaurants and pubs and returns many evenings with family and friends. It's always nice to expose them to new places. ■

For more information on the Choir or the season, visit:
www.bachchoirpittsburgh.org
or call 412-241-4044.

Run Around the Square

Planning Begins for 2008

The 2007 Run Around the Square Race Committee is already looking for neighbors to help with next year's race. The current Race Committee worked very hard this year to divide the various tasks involved to make the race a success. To make the race an even greater success in 2008, the following committees will need help as follows:

Volunteer Committee

(About 5 hours in June & July and 5 hours in August):

- ⌚ Make phone calls to Race volunteer and stuff Volunteer Instructions Packets for race day,
- ⌚ Meet with the Volunteer Committee Head in June and in August for about one or two hours to get started, and then,
- ⌚ Work the rest of the time at your own pace.

Sponsorship Committee

(About 5 hours per month, January thru end of May):

- ⌚ Contact local businesses to secure sponsorships to help with race donations,
- ⌚ Each person is responsible for 5-10 businesses.

Race Day Committee

(New for 2008; July start-up):

- ⌚ Coordinate different race day areas (e.g. setup for 5k finish area, setup for 1.5k finish line, clean up crew for the hollow, and hanging up signage throughout the neighborhood).

The Run Around the Square is a community event which takes a lot of people and time to produce. The Race Committee volunteers recognize that everyone has families, jobs and activities; and because of that and the fact that everyone worked very hard this year to divide these tasks among themselves, they all enjoyed the race as well as their lives outside the race. They are now looking for neighborhood people who want to see this event continue by donating some of their time. To join in, please email runaroundthesquare@yahoo.com. Planning may start in January. You do not have to donate time each month though, only a couple of hours for a couple of months. ■

Bookmarks

Book Groups Aren't Square

Adult book discussion groups are popping up all over Regent Square. If you are looking for a venue to talk about great literature with like-minded people, here are some suggestions. These groups are open to everyone. Come once or come every month; there's something for everyone.

The C.C. Mellor Memorial Library at One Pennwood Avenue in Edgewood hosts two monthly adult book groups. The Drop Dead Book Club meets each second Wednesday at 7PM. The focus is mysteries and thrillers. The Genius Book Group concentrates on thought-provoking nonfiction with meetings each third Wednesday from 6:30 to 8:00PM. Call the library at 412-731-0909 for December titles or check the website at www.ccmellorlibrary.org for more details.

The Wilkins School Community Center Book Discussion Group is celebrating 17 years of reading and talking. They meet every first Thursday at 7:30PM at the Carnegie Free Library of Swissvale. December's book is "Dear Zoe" by Pittsburgh author Philip Beard. A \$1 fee is collected at each meeting. Call 412-351-4540 for more information.

The adult book discussion sponsored by the Carnegie Free Library of Swissvale meets every second Thursday at 3PM. The December 13th meeting will discuss "The Guy Not Taken", a collection of short stories by Jennifer Weiner. Call the library at 412-731-2300 for details. ■

Trash Talk

Parkway Interchange Clean-up

It was a good year for trash. Even though the interchange was under construction most of this year, the Parkway Interchange Litter Clean-up volunteers still picked up lots of trash. This is not a task to be done solo – the more people on the team the better. So, thanks to all who came out and helped with the litter. Like we said, it was a good year for trash... To volunteer, contact Babshiker@aol.com or 412-371-2010. ■

Regent Square Businesses

Be Informed and Be Known

Business owners (both store-front and home-based) and non-profits in Regent Square are invited to join the Business Networking Group every third Tuesday of the month. The group meets from 5:30 to 6:30PM at a different location each month to learn about what's happening in one another's businesses (visit RSCA's website's calendar for each month's location). We also discuss improvements to the business district and work on ways to make them happen. This year, we are working on adding lighting in the main business area on S. Braddock Ave. We look forward to seeing you there soon!

To stay informed about the goings-on in the business district, please subscribe with the Business Mailing List on the RSCA website (www.regentsquare-RSCA.org). You will receive monthly meeting notes and reminders as well as notices of business-related happenings in the area.

Also, please note that the RSCA has been revising its website to include a listing of all local storefront and home-based businesses and nonprofits. Make sure that you are listed and, if so, that your listing is correct, by visiting the Business District page on the RSCA website. Then, contact the Civic Association at 412-371-2010 or info@regentsquare-rsca.org with your information or any corrections needed. ■

Nine Mile Run

Rain Barrel Initiative 2007

One of the main goals of the Nine Mile Run Watershed Association (NMRWA) this year is a study of the effectiveness of rain barrels as a method of controlling wet weather runoff that carries pollutants into Nine Mile Run.

Watershed residents residing in one of the study neighborhoods (three of which are in Regent Square) can receive free rain barrels including installation and technical support. All Nine Mile Run Watershed residents are encouraged to purchase their own barrels from NMRWA below cost.

To see if your neighborhood qualifies for a free rain barrel and for details on the rain barrel program and pricing, visit www.ninemilerun.org or call 412-371-3095. ■

Yard Sale Chairperson

Needed: Apply Now

Though the RSCA Neighborhood Yard Sale is months away, the planning process begins in January or February. This year a new chairperson is needed to spearhead the event. Fortunately, substantial help is available from past chairs, but a new leader is required. If you're interested, contact Carrie Webber for more details about what is involved: Call 412-371-2895 or email clwebber8@verizon.net. ■



To contact the RSCA:

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