

THE FAIRVIEWER

Newsletter of the Fairviewers Neighborhood Crime Watch

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MAY MEETING

The March meeting will be held in the 1st floor meeting room of the Fairview Fire Co. All attendees are to enter through the club entrance along Wyoming Street. Press the door buzzer and the steward will let you in.

APRIL MEETING MINUTES

- Attendance- 6 members, 2 police officers, & 3 guests
- Renee Smith introduced herself. She is an Assistant District Attorney running for Judge of Common Pleas. She has been in the DA's office for 25 years and current prosecutes all of the DUI cases. She also helped create the Central booking center so that police can return to their districts faster.
- State Representative Doug Reichley is also running for the Judge of Common Pleas. He currently serves on the State Sentencing Commission. He served in the DA's office in Lehigh County and Philadelphia. Currently practicing law in Lehigh County while serving as a State Representative.
- District Magistrate David Howells Jr was also present. As we all know, Dave has been to many of our meetings while he was in the Allentown Police Department. He is currently our District Magistrate. Many of his cases are emergency PFA's and truancies for South Allentown. He is a life long resident of South Allentown.
- Captain Hendricks introduced Officer Mark Dean. Mark is a 4 year veteran of APD. Captain Hendricks also informed us that violent crimes (part II crimes) are down 20% year-to-date.
- Captain Hendricks also reported that the city's camera system is being extended to our neighborhood. The first camera will be located at 8th & St. John Sts. The camera should be installed by this summer.
- We discussed problems with people performing major vehicle repairs on the property at 526 Rye St. Both Captain Hendricks and Ken will investigate this since Ken states the Allentown Redevelopment Authority owns this property, it is city owned.

JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The new "NO PARKING" signs have been placed along Wyoming St. at the school. These signs state "No parking 7:00 AM- 4:00 PM school days". This will make the no parking much easier to enforce.

TROUT CREEK PARK

Allentown Police Reserve has been assigned to Trout Creek Park this year. As a result of our request after the amount of vandalism that occurred at the park last year, an officer will be there Saturdays & Sundays and holidays from 9:00 PM to midnight beginning Memorial Day weekend until Labor Day. The police will still have to enforce the rules during the remainder of the time.

PHONE NUMBERS

Police Emergency/Fire/Ambulance	911	Police Non-emergency	610-437-7751
Police Vice (drugs)	610-437-7726	Noise Violations (Police)	610-437-7751
Neighbor Disputes (Police)	610-437-7773	Parking Authority	610-437-3366
Building Safety & Standards	610-437-7697	Health (garbage)	610-437-7759
Animal Control (Recycling Dept)	610-437-7535	Recycling Office	610-437-8729
Water Resources	610-437-7642	Allentown Graffiti Busters	610-437-8729
Allentown Mayor Pawlowski	610-437-7546	State Sen. Pat Browne	610-821-8468
Shopping Cart pick-up	1-800-244-2278 or K-mart @ 610-791-3033	State Rep Justin Simmons	610-861-5201

NEXT MEETING DATE: MONDAY, April 18, 2011

TIME: 7:00 PM

PLACE: FAIRVIEW FIRE COMPANY

1st Floor Meeting Room

7th & Wyoming Sts.