

April, 2020

President's Message

As Haw Creek residents face the challenge of maintaining life in the face of the pandemic, your community association is here to help. The new board of directors is trying to navigate our way to usefulness. This newsletter listing community resources is our first effort. We recognize more will be needed. We invite you to contact us with suggestions.

Thank you,
Chris Pelly

Update on New Haw Creek Sidewalk:

Asheville voters approved a bond referendum in 2016. One item is funding for a sidewalk on New Haw Creek Rd. between Beverly and Bell Rds. Lora Sepion, Project Manager with the City of Asheville, reports design work is 50% complete. Once design work is 80% complete, a meeting will be scheduled to seek public review. A change under consideration is keeping the sidewalk on the west side, same side as Haw Creek Elementary, the entire length, instead of multiple crossings of New Haw Creek Rd.

Dear Haw Creek Neighbor

With the coronavirus pandemic bearing down, and many of us taking shelter at home, here are suggestions to ensure basic needs of Haw Creek residents are met.

Food support:

Haw Creek Elementary School is serving breakfast and lunch to residents 18 and under. Breakfast is served from 7:30 to 8:30am and lunch from 11:30 to 1:30. On Fridays weekend meals provided as well. Please use the Bethesda Rd entrance for drive-up/pickup service. No charge for meals being provided by the Buncombe County School System. Big thanks to Lisa Ballew, Cafeteria Manager, for her leadership of this program.

Meals on Wheels provides home delivery hot meals to home-bound seniors ages 60+ Monday to Friday. Requested donation of \$3 a meal. For info or sign up call (828) 253-5286. Ask for Becky or Scott.

Beverly Hills Baptist Church is hosting a food pantry open 4-6pm on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays available to anyone living in zip 28805. In coalition with five churches, the pantry offers fresh fruit and vegetables and dry goods. No charge for food. Contributions graciously accepted. Please call 298-4623 with questions or to help.

MANNA food bank: Call 800-820-1109 Monday-Friday 9am to 4pm for food resources help.

Rendezvous restaurant is serving take-away or delivery meals 2-7pm daily from their location at 184 New Haw Creek Rd. These meals are not free but they are delicious. To order call (828) 348-0905

Other needs? Dial 211, a service of United Way. Always a live person to answer your question.

Want to help? Some residents of the Spruce Hill Apts off Waters Rd need food support. Please drop any contribution in the box outside the management office, 201 Spruce Hill Court. Call 298-1193 if you have any questions.

Stay connected with neighbors:

Join Next Door to hear and share neighborhood information. Here's the link:

<https://nextdoor.com/neighborhood/hawcreek--asheville--nc/>

Tips On Neighborhood Resilience

Keep handy the phone number of immediate neighbors, especially the elderly or anyone with special needs, and check on them regularly.

Help with food shopping for home bound neighbors, help with lawn care, cook extra and share with a neighbor.

A useful social distancing activity? Collect litter on your street.



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Sign of the times



New Leaders Haw Creek Community Association

Elected at the March 2nd annual meeting of Haw Creek Community Assoc. are the following community members.
 Thank you for your support.

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Officers:

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MEMBERSHIP: Membership in the Association shall be available to residents, as well as property owners, in the Haw Creek community and there shall be one class of membership.

DUES: Twelve dollars (\$12) paid once annually in January.
 Make your check to HCCA and mail to: HCCA; P.O. Box 9193; Asheville, NC 28815
 Please include: member names, postal address, phone number, and e-mail address.