Summer 2023 Newsletter

Georgetown Village

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Welcome to summer! As usual, we are sending one newsletter to cover our July and August programs, any updates will be found in our weekly emails. Georgetown Village stays open all summer and we hope to see those of you staying in town at some of our programs. For those of you who will be away, we do have a CCC program scheduled for August 9. We have scheduled our favorite annual summer activity, the Ice Cream Social for August 1. Mark your calendars and join us at Thomas Sweet!

We have some very exciting news to share with you this month! As you know, we often work with other Villages in the DC area and share our programs and resources. After two years of meetings and planning, we have now formed a formal collaborative with the other Villages, that will be known as DC Villages Collaborative (DCVC). All 13 Villages in DC are joining, and we know that this new organization will benefit our members, volunteers, and community. Watch for more news about this organization and new Village benefits in the months ahead.

We are offering another opportunity for drop in tech assistance this Summer, bring your portable electronics and your questions to the Village Square. We also offer "Tech Tutors" for our members. These are volunteers who will work with you on a regular basis to help you learn new skills or master computer programs that you find challenging. Contact the office with any questions or sign up for a Tech Tutor.

We hope that you have noticed we are looking for new board members as some of our board members will be rotating off in September. If you are interested in getting more involved with Georgetown Village, please let me know and I will be happy to share information about board responsibilities, terms, and opportunities for further involvement. If you are not ready to become a board member, but you would like to join a committee and get further involved in Georgetown Village we would also love to hear from you!

Have a wonderful summer,

Lynn



Mondays

July 3,10,17,24 31 August 7, 14, 21 & 28-11:30 am 11:30 am Basic Training 4 Your Body-Georgetown Village

Square-1801 34th Street
4 pm-Stronger Memory Online

Tuesdays

July 4-INDEPENDENCE DAY-GV OFFICE CLOSED

July 11-5:30 pm-Movie Night See email for info

Aug 1-2:30 pm-Summer Ice Cream Social @Thomas Sweet 3214 P Street NW

Aug 8-2-4 pm-Drop-In Tech August 15-5:30 pm-Movie Night

Wednesdays

Drop by the Square 11-4
July12 1-3:30 pm-Puzzle Swap
& Play
July 19 & August 16-12:00 pm
12:00 Men's Lunch-City Sliders
1529 Wisc. Ave NW

<u>August 9-5:30 pm</u> CCC Program-Today's Supreme Court w/ Penny Hansen

Thursdays

July 6-1 pm

Online Volunteer Training
July 13 & August 10-12 pm-

Women's Lunch

Group-City Sliders-1529

Wisc.Ave

July 20-11:30 am

Trip to Rubell Museum

July 27 & August 24

4:30 pm Wine, Cheese & Seltzer

Social Hour-GV Square

August 17- 2 pm -

Board Games in the airconditioned Village Square

Trip to Rubell Museum 65 I Street SW, Washington DC 20024 July 20-11:30 am

The Rubell Museum brings the Rubell Family's extensive contemporary art collection to the nation's capital. Shortly after Mera and Don Rubell married in 1964, they started visiting artists' studios and collecting art in New York. Their son, Jason Rubell, joined them in 1982 in building the collection, creating the exhibitions, and developing the museums, reflecting the multi-generational family passion for engaging, and supporting many of today's most compelling artists. The collection is distinguished by its unprecedented range and depth that has enabled the Museum to organize over 50 exhibitions during the last three decades drawn entirely from its holdings in painting, sculpture, photography, video, and installation.

Georgetown Village members and volunteers will be given an introduction to the museum and then have time to wander and view the collection on their own. Please rsvp by July 17 by calling or emailing the office.

CCC Program-Today's Supreme Court Presented by Penny Hansen August 9-5:30 pm Meeting ID 870 5969 5336 PW 094975

Penny Hansen will lead us in exploring the important cases and decisions made by the Supreme Court recently. The presentation will focus on the major Constitutional issues being decided by a clearly activist and divided court: election reform, health care, gun control, religion and presidential power, etc. She will focus on the historical and political background of these issues and the legal philosophies of the justices along with the procedural mysteries of this, the least well-known of our three branches of government.

We are sure this will be an interesting and enlightening presentation and hope you will zoom in to join us from wherever you might be on August 9!

Upcoming Summer Programs

We are offering some new summer programs this year and we hope you will be joining us in our Village Square. We have decided to schedule our movie nights and social hours on a monthly basis, join us to meet other members and cool off at the Village Square.

Our popular Summer Ice Cream Social is scheduled for August 1, and we look forward to treating you to the ice cream dessert of your choice! Meet us at Thomas Sweets on P Street.

Another idea we had for cooling off in the Village Square is a board game afternoon. We will have some fun games, or you are welcome to bring your favorite. Let's get together to play!