

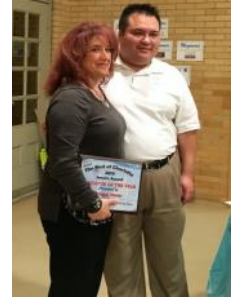
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Message from Jonathan Hardin, CCA President

Happy New Year! It has been very exciting to serve on the Board this past year. I have met too many new neighbors and friends to count and am deeply honored to serve as President of the Charlotte Community Association, Inc. (CCA) for the 2017-18 term. I commit to serving the best interests of this organization and diligently working with the Board of Directors to make our association even stronger. We are one of the oldest neighborhood associations in the City and we can proudly boast one of the largest.

I would like to thank the Former President of CCA, **Clare Stortini**, for her service to CCA and her guidance over the course of this past year. While watching her tireless work with the Board to establish a transparent organization, it sparked my interest to serve as Vice President during her final months. She shared everything with me from the history of Charlotte to a few great laughs and a trusted friendship.

I would also like to congratulate **Sue Roethel**, **Gini Weslowski** and **Tom Borrelli** on their elections this past November. Sue will serve a second term as Secretary and has been a valued member of the CCA Board. Gini brings a wealth of knowledge regarding 501(c)(3) preparation to her first term on the Board. Tommy previously served on the Board and is ready to share his previous experiences.

We would like to extend the offer to anyone willing and committed to serve on the Board. We have a large agenda awaiting us this year while continuing to honor our current commitments and committees. If you have a desire to serve the community, but not necessarily sit on the Board, consider starting a block club, a neighborhood watch program, or even joining a committee! The continued success of our association and neighborhood is a direct result of community involvement. Actions as simple as getting to know your neighbors by hosting a front-yard cookout or simply sharing a coffee with a neighbor are a great way of building relationships. We ask that everyone please commit to meeting someone new on your street this year and let's continue the spirit of the Village of Charlotte.

In closing, I would like to thank the Board and volunteers for their countless hours of devotion to our community! It does not go unnoticed! I would also like to thank the membership for your support and many kind words this past year. We need that support now more than ever as we tackle important issues like developing a *Charrette*, filing for 501(c)(3) not-for-profit status, establishing new income resources and building our block clubs street-by-street. These efforts are going to take all hands-on-deck! I'm confident we can count on your support!

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Best of Charlotte 2016!

Several local businesses (listed below) provided samples of their products and

Amatos Café prepared appetizers.

Nominations for community awards were submitted and the following awards were presented by Board President **Jonathan Hardin**:

Volunteer of the Year Awards:

***Brian Labigan**, President, Charlotte Youth Athletic Association

***Linda Paruta**, Chairperson, Charlotte Beautification Committee

***Patrice Rosati**, Assistant Editor, Charlotte Community News

Educator of the Year Awards:

***Mr. Lee Wingo**, Assistant Principal, Leadership Academy for Young Men

***Ms. Bridget Nanna**, Speech Pathologist,

Leadership Academy for Young Men

Police Officer of the Year Award:

***Officer Kevin Smith**, Rochester Police Department

Firefighter of the Year Award:

***James Liess**, Rochester Fire Department, Engine 19, Group 4

Community Team Award:

***Beatrice Place Volunteers** for CCA Newsletter

Special thanks to the Best of Charlotte event organizer, Charlotte resident and volunteer, **Claire Golden**, for her tireless efforts to contact sponsors and donations and all-around coordinator, to make this event a success. **Thank you Claire!**

A full set of photographs and nomination descriptions are available on the CCA website, <http://www.charlottecca.org/events/special-events/>

We are grateful to our amazing sponsors who provided financial support for this event:

Amatos Café, Brothers Collision & Mechanical, Charlotte HarborTown Homes - Jon D'Amico, Charlotte Social Club, Molly Clifford, Lakeside Farmer's Market, Pelican's Nest, Mt. Read Wegmans, , Windjammers, Kim's Woodshed

Thanks also to these generous businesses that provided samples and prizes: **Autumn Moon Winery, Black Button Distillery, Deer Run Winery, Five Sons Winery and RG Brewery, Glen Rose Spirits, Hedonist Chocolate, Honeoye Falls Distillery, Mead Works, Thousand Islands Winery.** We hope that you'll take an opportunity to visit them often in the coming year.

The Charlotte community is fortunate to have so many dedicated volunteers and supporters. Many thanks to everyone for your hard work and commitment!

CCA Membership Approves New By-laws and Certificate of Incorporation

By Gini Weslowski

At the December 5 meeting of the Charlotte Community Association, the membership voted to approve changes to our bylaws and certificate of incorporation. These changes were the result of over 250 hours of committee and board time over the past two years and reflect thoughtful compromises on many issues.

Special thanks go to the members of the Governance Committee, chaired by **Fred Amato**, for their tireless work and enthusiasm over the past year. Our new bylaws bring the CCA into compliance with New York State law and will allow the association to move forward in a more efficient and productive way.

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Beatrice Place is an independent senior apartment community in Northeast Greece and part of Episcopal SeniorLife

Communities. It is home to the Northeast Greece Neighborhood Program – a health and wellness program for seniors – which has three main components: physical fitness; nutrition; and education. The program's goal is to assist seniors in maintaining independence by increasing knowledge, activity levels and overall health by offering fun, social programs specifically designed for older adults.

For more information about the health fair or the Neighborhood Program, contact Mary Ellen VanAuker at 585.546.8439 x4410 or mvanauker@EpiscopalSeniorLife.org.



Beatrice Place Newsletter Volunteers

Winners of the Best of Charlotte 2016
Community Team Award



Christmas Tree Lighting!

The Charlotte Christmas Tree in the park near the Rochester Fire Department, Engine 19, was lit on Friday, December 2nd. A large crowd of residents withstood rain, sleet and snow to sing Christmas carols and witness the Blessing of the Crèche by **Father Wheeland** of Holy Cross Church and **Pastor Banks** of Abundance Grace Church. The countdown to the lighting of the Christmas tree was led by **Brian Labigan**. The **Leadership Academy for Young Men Gospel Choir** sang Christmas Carols despite the wintry elements! Everyone quickly moved inside the firehouse for warm pizza, and coffee and doughnuts that were provided by **Dunkin Donuts** on Lake Avenue.

Thank you to everyone for attending this annual event!

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The Leadership Academy for Young Men Gospel sang so beautifully.



President Jonathan serving pizza

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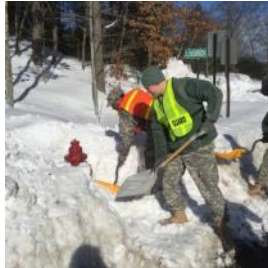
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New Snow Programs in the City

Mayor Lovely A. Warren announced that the City has launched two new programs to help city residents through the winter.

"Adopt-A-Hydrant" is a new tool to empower citizens to play an active role in snow removal and clearing operations in their neighborhood or near their business. Adopt-A-Hydrant, which is based on a similar program underway in the Corn Hill Neighborhood, uses an interactive online map that gives



visitors an opportunity to "adopt" a fire hydrant near their home or business and take responsibility to keep it clear of snow and ice. The interactive map displays all of

the City's fire hydrants and provides users an option to select one for adoption.

Another important tool is a web-based interface with the GPS-enabled Automatic Vehicle Locators in City

plow trucks called **"Plow Trax."** The interface will provide managers with better information to make real-time adjustments during a plow run. It will also provide customer-service agents in the 311 Call Center with better information to provide citizens who call to find out when their street will be plowed. Plow Trax will also be available to the public on the City website, so citizens can keep up with the progress of plow runs, as well.

For more information on City Winter parking rules and other snow-related programs go to the city website at <http://www.cityofrochester.gov/snowparkingrules/>.

Leadership Academy News

Celebrations and Congratulations -

To the eighty nine students achieving honor roll status during the first quarter. Please see the full list at the CCA website: www.charlottecca.org.

- Our choir received a standing ovation at their performance at Mt. Olivet on November 25th.
- Three Kings Barber Shop donated their time and resources to give our students free haircuts school pictures.
- Several of our young men participated in the Monroe County Race Relations Summit at Greece Athena in November.
- We celebrated the start of basketball season with a spirit week and a pep rally on December 2nd.
- Our second peer mentoring breakfast was a success!
- Leadership Academy High School Students took time to read to students at School #10 this month. Our students are enjoying the experience of working with younger students. Some are now planning to



become teachers!
•We are continuing our commitment to restorative practices with ongoing teacher development and a peer mediation program starting in 2017.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Wednesday, December 21st - the Leadership Academy Choir will be performing in their annual holiday concert at the school.
- Our 2nd Lions Night celebration will be Tuesday, December 20th. We will be celebrating Leadership Academy students who are making the commitment to a fresh start in 2017!
- Our Annual Recruitment Night is January 11th at 6 pm. We will be sharing information with new families about the unique offerings at the Leadership Academy.
- Basketball Season is starting! Schedule of home games are: January . 6, 10, 13, 31 and February 3. (See Calendars pg 11 and 12) JV

Games begin at 4:45 and Varsity at 6:15. All are welcome to cheer on the Leadership Academy Lions!

How the Community Can Help:

- Cold Weather Clothing Donations:** Many of our students are in need of warm clothing for the winter. If you have any gently used coats, hats or gloves, we are accepting donations for our clothes closet.
- Uniform Donations:** As a uniform school, all of our students are expected to wear a blue or white dress shirt, khaki pants, black/brown footwear and a tie. Some of our students and families need assistance obtaining parts of the uniform. If you have any of these items to donate to our Clothes Closet, please drop them off in our main office during the hours of 8:30 – 3:30.
- Donations for our Help Zones:** Our Help Zones are safe spaces where students can come to work out problems that come up during the school day. We are looking to make these spaces as comfortable and welcoming as possible. If you have any furniture, bean bag chairs, lamps, or area rugs that you are willing to donate, please contact Callie Andler at callie.andler@rcsdk12.org.

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**Update: New York State Senate
Joe Robach**
Tax Forms Available Through My Office!

I hope that you had a happy and healthy holiday season with your friends, family and loved ones; it truly is a wonderful time of the year. I'd like to thank the Charlotte community for their continued support; I look forward to continuing to serve as your voice in Albany throughout 2017.

Before you know, it will be time to your file income tax returns. The due date to file your 2016 tax returns is April 18, 2017. If you are completing your own taxes, I will have tax forms available at my office:

Office of Senator Joseph Robach
2300 West Ridge Road
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(585) 225-3650

If you request forms that are not readily available, my office would be more than happy to find what you are looking for and provide you with a copy. Should you have any additional questions, here are some helpful places to start:

Federal Tax forms and publications can be obtained:

Call: 1-800-829-1040 (general help) or 1-800-829-3676 (forms & publications)
Website: www.irs.gov
Local office at 255 East Ave.

New York State Tax forms and publications can be obtained:

Call: 1-518-457-5181 (general help) or 1-518-457-5431 (forms & publications)
Website: www.tax.ny.gov

More information will be available on my website at: robach.nysenate.gov. I hope you and your family have a happy, healthy and safe 2017!



**Update: New York State Assembly
Joe Morelle**
Happy New Year

As we start the New Year, I extend my warmest thoughts and best wishes for a year filled with health, happiness, and prosperity for all.

This past year has seen one of the most divisive election seasons in recent history, sparking resentment and bitterness across the country. However, despite these differences, 2017 presents us with a new opportunity to come together. New Yorkers are unique in our resilience; our great State has always found a way to unite to advance policies that uplift all New Yorkers. We are a community of neighbors and we help each other in times of need.

Now, more than ever, our work as legislators is critical to setting an example for future generations by focusing on hope, not fear. My colleagues and I will continue to work tirelessly to create opportunity and secure a brighter future for the hard-working families of Rochester and throughout New York State. Together, there is nothing we can't accomplish.



Senator Joe Robach

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**Best wishes
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Update: Molly Clifford Northwest City Council Member City of Rochester, 2016 Reflection

It's hard to believe that I am finishing up my first year on City Council! As I reflect on 2016 and look forward to the New Year, I wanted to take a moment to thank the Charlotte community for all of the support you've given me as I've taken on this new role! Your advice, questions and encouragement really kept me going as I tried to be as good an advocate as possible for the Northwest Quadrant.

We certainly had several significant issues in Charlotte this year! From the opening of the marina to the demise of the mixed-use development, we were able to celebrate a new chapter for the Port and regroup to plan for the next one. I am looking forward to working with all of you on a robust planning project to bring the kind of development to Charlotte that will be successful for residents, businesses and the area as a whole.

I was proud to be part of a team that introduced the new banners to Lake Avenue that celebrate Charlotte and all it has to offer; next year we will have even more up and now that the road reconstruction is complete, our entryway into the community is really looking great! Additional public improvements like the railroad and swing bridge overlooks continue to make Charlotte a terrific attraction.

Congratulations to the Charlotte Beautification Team and the Charlotte-Genesee Lighthouse Historical Society, Flower City Looking Good and Western New York Landmark Society award winners, respectively. They are just two examples of the many volunteer-driven, passionate and effective organizations that Charlotte has to be proud of.

I am planning to continue several community engagement events into 2017, including my first Saturday coffee breaks at the LDR Char Pit, mini-Clean Sweeps and outreach into our



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high rises. They are great ways for me to stay close to our neighborhoods and help address resident concerns. I hope you will join me whenever you can!

Again, my sincere thanks for the opportunity to serve you. Best wishes for a happy and healthy 2017!

More Christmas Tree Lighting Fun



Singing Carols



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Update on the Port of Rochester Development Process

Submitted by Sue Roethel

The City of Rochester provided an update on the Port of Rochester development process at the November 7th CCA General Meeting. On hand to present the topic were **Baye' Muhammad**, Commissioner of Neighborhood and Business Development and **Rick Rynski**, Sr. Economic Development Specialist. Commissioner Muhammad advised that the City has been working with the Community Design Center Rochester (CDCR) to devise a planning process that will closely involve community stakeholders to solicit their feedback and assist the City in crafting a new Request for Proposals (RFP).

CDCR has been working with the CCA for more than a year to secure funding for a *community charrette*, or planning day, that will bring multiple

stakeholders together to envision what is collectively desired for the Port. The charrette is just phase one of the planning process. Phase two involves capturing the collected ideas and designing a formal, comprehensive vision plan that can be communicated in the form of maps, text, drawings, list of priorities, etc.

The Commissioner announced on November 7th that, once the community completes phase one (the *charrette*) with the assistance of CDCR, the City will then contract with CDCR and provide funding for phase two (the vision plan). The entire process is expected to take about 12 months to complete.

Some citizens at the meeting still expressed concerns that this new process would be more of the same of

what the neighborhood has experienced in the past. Regarding what was planned before (by Edgewater Resources, LLC), the Commissioner stated, "Let's erase it."

The CCA Board feels this is the best possible scenario for the future development at the Port of Rochester because: 1) it underscores the City's commitment to allow stakeholders to help shape the new RFP and provide funding to do so; 2) utilizes a neutral entity like CDCR to facilitate the process; and 3) allows time for the process to be completed before proceeding with an RFP. In the meantime, the Board will continue its pursuit of fundraising for a *charrette* for the Port of Rochester and make plans for a *Charrette Day* in 2017.

Winter is just around the corner, is your home ready?

With the start of Winter weather here in the Finger Lakes, it's important to make sure your home is ready for the cold months ahead. Check your furnace filters to make sure they're clean as well as your smoke and carbon dioxide detectors to make sure they are working properly and not out of date. Most carbon monoxide detectors last for about 7-10 years so if yours is older you may want to consider replacing it. Wrapping your hot water pipes with insulation can also yield great savings for a very small investment.

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The New York State Energy Research & Development Authority has programs for all income levels to help make your home safer, more comfortable, and more energy efficient. The average savings for a family that goes through a home energy efficiency program in NY is \$700 a year! To learn how you can get free or reduced cost energy audit and get started towards a better performing home call us at PathStone at (585) 442-2030 ext. 213. We also offer workshops that help you learn about Home Performance with Energy Star, Assisted Home Performance with Energy Star, and Empower. At

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Charlotte Branch Library

January 2017 Events

By Paul Tantillo

PLEASE NOTE: The library will be closed on Monday, January 2 in observance of New Year's, and on Monday, January 16th for Martin Luther King Day.

Children's Services:

Science Fun - Thursday, January 5 at 6 pm. Try a quick and cool science experiment. Ages 4-12.

Tail Waggin' Tutors - Thursday, January 12, 6-6:45 pm. Kids can read to Fritz, a certified therapy dog. No registration necessary. Ages 4-12.

Face painting with Rachel - Saturday January 14, 10:30-11 am. Artistic fun before our 11am family movie. All ages.

Bingo Fun - Thursday, January 19, 6-6:45 pm. Play Bingo and win your choice of books and little prizes! All ages welcome.

Meet the Amerks - Thursday Jan 26, 6-6:45 pm. Charlotte Library is hosting the Rochester Amerks Moose and an Amerks hockey player. There'll be a story, a demo of hockey equipment, autograph session and a free hockey ticket for each child! Questions? Call 428-8248. Ages 4-12 (younger children welcome with parental supervision).

Parachute Play - Saturday, January 28, 10:30 am. A chance for little ones to burn off some energy before our 11 am movie. Ages 2-10.

Story Time with Kim - Tuesdays in January & February, 11 am.*; Fridays in January & February, 1:30 pm. Art, music and action mix with stories for a well-rounded program that includes fun with friends! All ages (*On Tuesdays, please knock at the front door to

enter, as story time starts before the library opens.)

Crafts with Rachel - Tuesdays in January & February, 3:30-5:30 pm. Come see what Rachel is creating in the wild world of crafts. Ages 4-12 (siblings welcome with parental assistance).

Family Movie Fun - Wednesdays in January & February, 5 pm.; Saturdays in January & February, 11 am.

Enjoy family time with a movie and popcorn at the library. We'll even make the popcorn. Call 428-8248 each week for upcoming movie title. All ages.

Fun Fridays - Fridays in January & February, 3-5 pm. Have fun with play dough, paints and Legos! We even bring out the Wii. Ages 4-12 (younger children welcome with parental guidance).

Adult Services:

Basic Computer Classes - Tuesdays in January & February, 10:30 am.; Wednesdays in January & February, 3 pm. 1-on-1 assistance with computer basics: internet, e-mail, basic Word, e-books. By appointment. Call 428-8216 to register. Adults.

Lost History - Photos That Tell Stories About Our Families (First Thursdays Local History Series) - Thursday, January 5, 2 pm. Have you ever looked at a family photo and wondered about the people you see there? Join local history buffs Mike Parker and Marie Poinan on a journey with family photos... photos that tell stories about generations gone by and buildings that no longer exist. Learn how looking through family albums can help you hunt down more of your history. Ages 14-adult.

Pollinator Gardens - Saturday, January 7, 10:30 am. Pollinators (bees, wasps, hummingbirds, butterflies and others) are essential to agriculture and a healthy environment, but are on the decline across the USA. You can help them thrive by making sure your garden is pollinator-friendly. A master gardener will be here to tell you all you need to know about encouraging these valuable members of our garden ecology. Ages 14-adult.

Food for Thought Book Discussion Group - Tuesday, January 17, 1 pm. After You by Jojo Moyes is on the agenda for our discussion this month. "For Lou Clark, life after Will Traynor means learning to fall in love again, with all the risks that brings. But here Jojo Moyes gives us two families, as real as our own, whose joys and sorrows will touch you deeply, and where both changes and surprises await." (Amazon review) Come enjoy a warm drink and some stimulating discussion! (Next month's book discussion group will meet on February 21 @ 1 pm. We'll discuss All the Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr) Adults.

Coloring for Adults - Friday, January 13, 1 pm. Come relax during this often hectic season by enjoying a time of simply coloring beautiful designs! Materials provided or bring your own (Next month's Coloring for Adults will meet on February 10 @ 1 pm). Adults.

Paper Craft for Adults - Tuesday, January 10, 1 pm. We'll be creating two different 3-D decorations out of paper. Weave a Finnish Star and twirl a Snowflake! Both are simple to make and stunning to see! Leave with a finished product and instructions to make more at home. Materials provided. (This is a repeat of December's program...demand was so great we had to run it again!). Call 428-8216 to register. Adults.

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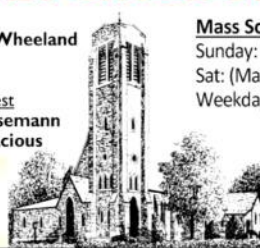
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January 17 th	Music Makers
February 14 th	Nostalgic Reunion (Valentine Dance)
March 7 th	Greece Jazz Band
March 28 th	Rochester Metropolitan Jazz Band


Sponsored by the City of Rochester Recreation

Cheer on the Leadership Academy Lions
at their
Home Games

JV Games at 4:45 pm
Varsity at 6:15 pm.

HOME GAMES


Friday, Jan 6
Tuesday, Jan 10
Friday, Jan 13
Tuesday, Jan 31
Friday, Feb 3




Leadership Academy for Young Men
4115 Lake Ave, Rochester, NY 14612
(585) 324-7760

PathStone Home Energy Workshops
(See Page 8 for details)

January 10 - 5:30 PM 404 East Avenue
February 14 - 5:30 PM 404 East Avenue
March 14 - 5:30 PM 404 East Avenue


Connecting You to Opportunities

 **GREECE HISTORICAL SOCIETY & MUSEUM**
595 Long Pond Rd.
585-225-7221

Museum open Sundays: 1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
or by appointment
Office Hours: Mon. 10:00 a.m. - Noon

The Greece Museum Closed
December 25 through January, 2017
Upcoming Events

Tuesday, January 10, 2017, 7:00 pm, Greece Public Library
The Italians of Greater Rochester
by Edward Albert Maruggi, Ph.D.

Thursday, January 14, 2017, 7:00 pm, Greece Museum
GHS Annual Meeting

Tuesday, February 14, 2017, 7:00 pm, Greece Public Library
Rediscovering Frederick Douglass
with City Historian Christine Ridarsky

Visit current featured exhibits
starting Sunday, February 5, 2017

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Ontario Beach Park Program Committee
Seeking Contestants for the 25th Annual Chilly Chili Challenge
at the
Lakeside Winterfest
Saturday, February 11th, 2017
1pm - 5 pm



Local restaurants - showcase your skills to over 500 attendees.
Not-for-profits - fun teambuilding activity.

All chili must be prepared in an approved kitchen and contestants are responsible for getting a temporary food service permit from the Monroe County Health Department. Besides the extreme honor and prestige related to winning the contest, there are also cash prizes for the winners in both the professional and amateur divisions.

Contact Pam Bialiszewski at 585-428-6135 or
bialp@cityofrochester.gov
for information and entry form.

Lakeside Winter Celebration
Coming
February 11th and 12th, 2017

* Music * Chilly Chili Challenge * Wine And Beer tasting * Indoor Interactive games for kids * Inflatables * Sleigh Rides * Sled Dog Demo * Ice Carving * Snow Sculpture Contest * Displays *

Check City of Rochester website for more information when it becomes available:
<http://www.cityofrochester.gov/wintercelebration/>



2017 Rochester Polar Plunge
February 12th
Register at 9am; Plunge at 12 Noon
<http://polarplunge.net/>

Charlotte Community Association Mission and Vision Statements

MISSION: To build a stronger community and to enhance the lives of our residents by providing a forum for sharing information, connecting neighbors and stakeholders, and fostering civic engagement while preserving and promoting the heritage of the Village of Charlotte.

VISION: A safe, vibrant, and inviting place to live, work and visit; a family-friendly community and a year-round destination celebrated for its rich history and natural resources.



Charlotte Community Association

"A Community That Cares"

2017 Membership and Sponsorship Form

Current Year Memberships Expire on December 31st

Name (s):

Company Name:

Email:

Address:

Membership Level

- ☐ Seniors (62+) & Students \$13.00
- ☐ Single Membership \$18.00
- ☐ Patron * \$30.00
- ☐ Sustaining * \$40.00
- ☐ Benefactor * \$50.00

Sponsorship Level

- ☐ Platinum: \$300.00
Double Ad (3 ½" X 3") Space on CCA Web Homepage and Sponsorship page.
- ☐ Gold: \$250.00
Double Ad (3 ½" X 3") Space on CCA Sponsorship page.
- ☐ Silver: \$135
Single Ad (3 ½" X 1 ½") Space on CCA Web Homepage and Sponsorship page.

Newsletter Delivery – Go Green Option:

- ☐ Check here if you would like your newsletter delivered **electronically to your email**, above.

Payment for Members and Sponsors:

Complete this form and mail to CCA Membership, PO Box 12768, Rochester, NY 14612 with your payment.

Make check payable to CCA and mail to: CCA Membership, PO Box 12768, Rochester, NY 14612

Sponsors: Please send us a high resolution jpeg (300 dpi) file with your ad. Send a message to ccanewsny@gmail with questions or request for help. Thank you!

February 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3 	4
5	6 CCA Meeting 7pm Robach Ctr	7	8	9 CCA News Articles March Deadline	10	11 Lakeside Winter Celebration @ OBP
12 Lakeside Winter Celebration @ OBP Polar Plunge Plunge @ Noon	13	14 PCIC Meeting 7pm. AQ Edgerton Community Center 7pm Nostalgic Reunion See Pg 10 	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28				Leadership Academy Basketball. See Pg 4 for details 

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January 2017

2017 CCA Membership Renewal Due Now!



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Bring on the NEW YEAR!	2	3	4	5	6 	7
8	9 CCA Meeting 7pm Robach Ctr	10	11	12	13 	14
15	16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	17 PCIC Meeting 7 pm. AQ Edgerton Community Center 7pm Musicmakers See Pg 10	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31 				 Leadership Academy Basketball. See Pg 4 for details