

Camp Springs News

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Camp Springs Initiative

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Sewer Force Main Source Of Concern for Residents

A proposed sewer force main along Four Mile Road has raised concern among residents and resulted in a response by Camp Springs Initiative (CSI).

Sanitation District No. 1 (SDI) is preparing to install the main along Four Mile Road from Silver Grove to the pump station at the AA Highway. The force main will simply transfer sewage; it is not designed for access by residents, though easements along their lands may be required.

SDI has been surveying to determine the exact location of the main about which residents have expressed concern at a recent meeting with SDI representatives. At the meeting, the residents requested that the plan address accommodation of sewer problems along Four Mile Creek.

In a letter to SDI, CSI's President Bill Allender expressed residents' concern about the impact of construction on their land, the environment and the area's historical structures, and the inconvenience caused by this project without regard for the residents' welfare.

There is concern that the project might proceed without residents being fully informed in a timely manner of the steps being taken by SDI to establish the force main's path, its effect on historical structures, the necessary application for and the approvals and financing of the project.

CSI's Board of Directors requested that SDI "keep us informed in a regular and timely manner with a timeline of plans and progress including the final path of the force main, obtaining necessary easements, approvals and financing and other pertinent information. Results of the study to address current needs of sewage problems along Four Mile Creek will be appreciated."

CSI will keep affected residents informed of the project as information is received from SDI.

Residents are invited to attend CSI's January 17th meeting, scheduled for 7 p.m., at St. John Lutheran on Lower Tug Fork Road.

St. John Lutheran Celebrates 150th Anniversary

In 1861, St. John Lutheran Church on Lower Tug Fork Road was founded. Today's members plan to celebrate 150 years of the church's ministry with monthly events scheduled from January through September 2011. For more information on these events, please contact the church office at 635-5013.

- January 23, Kick-Off Celebration and Brunch, 11 a.m.
- February 12, Women's Tea, 2 p.m.
- March 20, German Heritage Event, time TBA
- April 24, Easter Breakfast, 9:30 a.m.
- May 15, Dedication of Memorial Garden, 11 a.m.
- June 12-16, Vacation Bible School
- July 8, Father-Son Bonfire, time TBA
- August 14, Church Picnic, 11 a.m.
- September 18, Special Worship Service, 2 p.m.

Farm Focus: Misty Ridge Farm

Misty Ridge Farm, located at 290 Owl Creek Road, is owned and operated by longtime Camp Springs resident Anna Kroger Zinkhon. In addition to the annual Live Nativity Scene, the farm offers two new additions. The Circle Z Tack and Gift Store, located in a cabin on the farm is open on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 2-6 p.m. The store is loaded with locally made art and gift items. Checks, cash and credit cards are accepted. An Over-55 Riding Club is forming at Misty Ridge. The club is for people who want to learn to ride. For information, call Anna Zinkhon at 781-5779.

Once again this year, Misty Ridge Farm will present a Live Nativity Scene on December 17 and 18 from 7-9 p.m. The Gift Store will also be open. We encourage you to support Misty Ridge Farm, this issue's sponsor.

For more information, visit www.mistyridgefarm.com

New Feature: Did You Know . . .?

According to local historians, our community has been called Camp Springs only since the early 1880s, when the Camp Springs Post Office was instituted. Even today the previous name, Four Mile, is used by many in our area.

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CSI Update

CSI Board Members

Carolyn Allender- President
Harriet Arrasmith- Vice President
Nancy Enzweiler- Secretary
Lonnie Enzweiler- Treasurer
Bill Allender
Phillip Garber
Chuck Heilman
Anna Zinkhon

If you are interested in serving on the board,
contact Carolyn Allender at 635-4600

Minutes of CSI meetings
and past issues of the Camp Springs News
are available at www.campsprings.com

Upcoming CSI Board Meeting (All are welcome!)

January 17-7:00 p.m. at St. John Lutheran

Upcoming Events

December

December 1—Soup Supper and Advent Evening Prayer, St. John Lutheran, 6 p.m.
December 8—Soup Supper and Advent Evening Prayer, St. John Lutheran, 6 p.m.
December 15—Soup Supper and Advent Evening Prayer, St. John Lutheran, 6 p.m.
December 17-18—Live Nativity Scene, Misty Ridge Farm, 290 Owl Creek Road, 7-9 p.m.
December 18—Euchre Tournament, St. Joseph Catholic, 7 p.m.
\$5 entry fee and bring a snack to share
December 21—A Silly Little Christmas Show, St Joseph School, 7:30 p.m.
December 24—Christmas Eve Worship
Oakland United Methodist, 7 p.m.
St. John Lutheran, 11 p.m.
St. Joseph Catholic, 5 p.m. and midnight
December 25—Christmas Day Mass, St. Joseph Catholic, 10 a.m.

January

January 15—Euchre Tournament, St. Joseph Catholic, 7 p.m.
\$5 entry fee and bring a snack to share
January 17—CSI Board Meeting, St. John Lutheran, 7 p.m.
January 23—150th Anniversary Kick-Off Brunch, St John Lutheran, 11 a.m.
January 30—Healing Service, St. John Lutheran, 5:30 p.m.
January 28-30—Winter Blitz, Oakland United Methodist
February
February 12—Women's Tea: An Ecumenical Event, St. John Lutheran, 2 p.m.
February 19—Euchre Tournament, St. Joseph Catholic, 7 p.m.
\$5 entry fee and bring a snack to share

Deadline

Calendar submissions for the next issue are due to the editors at 635-2925 by February 14, 2011.

Thanks to Don Wiedeman for his contribution to this issue of the Camp Springs News.

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