DEERHURST DIGEST

OCTOBER 2013

Deerhurst ... A Wonderful Place to Live

HALLOWEEN PARADE & CANDY HUNT Saturday, October 26th, 11:00 a.m.

Wear your costume and meet at the intersection of York & Peirce.

We will parade to Gardner Park for a candy hunt.

Bags for candy collection and drinks will be provided at the park.

Please call Jennifer Strickland (655-9075) if you would like to help.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to serve on the DCA Nominating Committee. This committee will work to fill a slate of new officers and even-numbered District Reps for the March election. Please contact Susan Holton (seholton@verizon.net) or John Bird (LJohnBird@gmail.com) if you are willing to help.

Deerhurst Civic Association Monthly Meeting Tuesday, October 15 at 7:30 p.m. Lombardy Elementary School cafeteria.

DelDOT has proposed a reconfiguration of Murphy Road that addresses issues of speeding and rear-end collisions. In brief, the plan reduces travel to one lane in each direction, adds a dedicated center turn lane from Inglewood to Bybrook, and incorporates new bike lanes on both sides. A subcommittee of residents has been studying the plans and seeks your input. A favorable review by the DCA could advance the construction date, and DelDOT welcomes our comments. Please attend October's meeting to see detailed plans and talk to subcommittee members.

SNOW REMOVAL/ICE TREATMENT

We have again contracted with JC Improvement Services for snow removal (4 inches or more) and ice treatment. Prior to the snow season, hazards will be identified and staked by the contractor. Please monitor the position and condition of the stakes. Residents may also wish to stake any obstacles they feel need more visibility. Should any property damage occur, please report it immediately. Where possible, please remove vehicles from the street in anticipation of adverse weather.

The Deerhurst Community Yard Sale held in September was a great success. Thanks to Sally Kelter for her work in coordinating the event.

CIVIC ASSOCIATION DUES

The Deerhurst Civic Association dues for this year have been set at \$20.00. If you have not yet paid your dues for this year, please forward them at your earliest convenience. Dues may be paid by check, payable to the Deerhurst Civic Association, or in cash, and delivered to your district representative, the Association President, Susan Holton, or the Treasurer, Jane Owen.

DEERHURST WEBSITE

We have a community website, <u>www.deerhurst.org</u>, where you can obtain general community information, current postings and contact information for officers and district representatives. Any resident not receiving e-mail communications regarding Deerhurst should contact the webmaster at <u>webmaster@deerhurst.org</u>. Thank you to Kerry Annos for her help in updating and maintaining the website.