

Hello from Your Chairperson

Dear Neighbors;

November is here already, time to decorate our neighborhood for Thanksgiving and start our preparations for our Family gatherings to give Thanks! My husband and I have a lot to be grateful for, as I'm sure most people do. We wish you all a very Happy Thanksgiving filled with love, joy, peace, family and friends.

As I was driving around showing a potential buyer some homes in our neighborhood I noticed something that was a bit disturbing. It was trash, such as soda containers, fast food bags and etc... thrown out along Heights Blvd., and some other streets. I'm sure that some of the trash was due to being blown around from trash put out by the street. However regardless of the method of the trash appearing, it was very trashy looking. It gives the appearance of us not taking the time or caring, which I know from living here **is far from the truth**. But I do ask that each of us when putting out are trash make sure the cans are sealed and if using bags please close them so that animals can not get in them and scatter the contents. When bringing in your trash containers take a couple of minutes to pick up what was scattered as a result of garbage pickup. *Just a reminder:* The Town of Jupiter does have code enforcement officers that will issue warnings and/or fines for people that do not follow the code regarding acceptable time frames for placing and removing your trash containers. Any container placed out prior to noon the day before or not removed by midnight the day of- is in violation!! Need help on complying with this time frame? Ask a neighbor if they can help!! If you have any questions regarding the codes regulating trash pick up please call the Town of Jupiter Code Enforcement Officer at 746-6201.

We had our "Friends of The Heights" Meeting Thursday, October 12th at 7:00pm. It was held at The Jupiter Town Hall. I want to thank all that attended and welcome the new residents as well. We hope that each of you will make a point of attending upcoming meetings and bring a friend as well.

Our next "Friends of the Heights" Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 9th at 7:00pm. It will be held at the Jupiter Town Hall.

As I mentioned in my last column, we are trying to get a group of neighbors involved in our "Phase II Beautification" project. I am sad to say, that **NO ONE** e-mailed or called to step up to the plate and volunteer any of their time to help with this project. I do understand that everyone has a lot of responsibilities and demands on their time, but it is all of our responsibility to help improve, preserve and maintain the quality of our neighborhood! **Please help us improve the appearance of our neighborhood by donating 15 or 20 minutes of your time once or twice a month!** If you would like to volunteer to be on the committee please call or e-mail me. We need HELP and ideas!

As Katie, our editor of the "North Palm Beach HEIGHTS" paper mentioned in her last editorial we would like to have a **neighborhood web site**. A place where you can advertise a yard sale, baby sitting services and so on. Is there anyone in our neighborhood that can provide us with the knowledge to help set up the site? I will be happy to maintain and update the site if there is. If so please call or e-mail me and we will make it happen!

If you haven't signed up for the advertising in our "North Palm Beach Heights" newspaper, please get with our editor, Katie Shepherd. The purpose is for Heights residents to be able to advertise their business and for Heights residents to use Heights owned businesses. Let's support our neighbors!

I want to extend a welcome to all of our new residents and invite you to become part of "The Friends of The Heights" group. It is a great way to meet your neighbors and to feel a part of our neighborhood.

Please mark your calendar now with the dates for our next meetings!

December – none, January 11th, February 8th, March 8th, April 12th, May 10th, June – none, July – none, August 11th.

What are your thoughts on a "Picnic in The Park" in May? Would you and your family attend? Would you like to help organize the picnic? Please respond to me with your ideas via E-mail or fax. E-Mail ginarealtor@adelphia.net Fax: 776-4754.

As always please feel free to contact any of our board members with your concerns, questions or suggestions.

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Respectfully,
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The Friends of the Heights