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## GEORGETOWN HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2017

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### Regular Office Hours:

Tues. & Thurs. 10-5, Closed 1:30-2:00  
Wed. 3-7.



## ANNOUNCING

UPCOMING DATES

**Mon., Jan. 15 – Deadline for  
resident's request to the Board**

**Thurs., Jan. 25 – Regular Board  
Meeting – 7 PM – Clubhouse**



### HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

Office hours will remain as usual  
during the holidays.



### GARBAGE ENCLOSURES

The holidays create extra garbage and packaging. Please recycle the packing materials from your gifts. **Boxes should always be broken down and not placed in the regular dumpsters.** If not collapsed, the boxes take up so much extra space that could be used for regular garbage. **BE SURE THAT ALL GARBAGE IS BAGGED AND PLACED SECURELY IN THE DUMPSTER AND THAT THE LID IS CLOSED!** If you send your child out to dispose of the garbage, be sure he/she understands what receptacle to use. If the child is not tall enough to reach the dumpster lids, take the garbage out yourself. Please be considerate of the garbage carriers and your neighbors!!

### CHRISTMAS TREE DISPOSAL

Christmas trees may be disposed of by placing them inside the garbage enclosures (NOT INSIDE THE GARBAGE BINS) and our garbage carrier will take them.

### SNOW BAN & ROTATIONS

Georgetown removes snow from sidewalks only when there is more than 1 inch of snow and from parking bays and driveways only when there is more than 2 inches of snow. The township is responsible for the streets. Please move your car from the parking bays when you see the crew coming to remove the snow. If you live on Arlington or Charleston, do not park in the street so the Township can plow. No snow removal will begin until the snow has stopped falling. If you have concerns about snow removal on the streets or other concerns about the conditions of our streets, you will need to contact the Emmet township supervisor, Jeff Lee at 837-2188.

With each new snow, Georgetown rotates which sidewalks, driveways, and parking bays will be cleared first. This year, the rotation starts with

Charleston, Arlington, Jamestown, North Yorktown, Richmond, South Yorktown, and Carriage Hill.

### HODGEPODGE

#### FOUND SNEAKERS

A pair of black (dirty) AirNike adult sneakers were found. If you're missing a pair, please come into the office to claim.

#### DOG WASTE

A young toddler, walking to the car, unknowingly stepped in dog waste; carrying it into the car with her shoe. Needless to say, the parents weren't happy. Please be sure to pick up after your dog. If your child walks the dog, be sure your child knows how to pick up the waste and dispose of it properly. No one wants to track this into our homes and vehicles!

#### SAFETY FOR OUR CHILDREN

Now that it's getting dark early, drivers please, please beware of children playing outdoors! There was a recent incident when 8-12 children ran out in front of a car turning off of Quail Walk road and onto Jamestown. These children ran, without looking, from between parked cars onto Jamestown Road and directly into the path of the oncoming car. There was a witness who felt the children were very lucky to not have been hit. If your children are going to play outdoors in the dark, please be sure they are wearing reflective clothing. **MORE IMPORTANTLY** - teach them to respect traffic by looking both ways before crossing the street, anticipate which way a car might drive, and wait until the car has passed!

**Happy Holidays from the  
Georgetown Board and  
Staff!**