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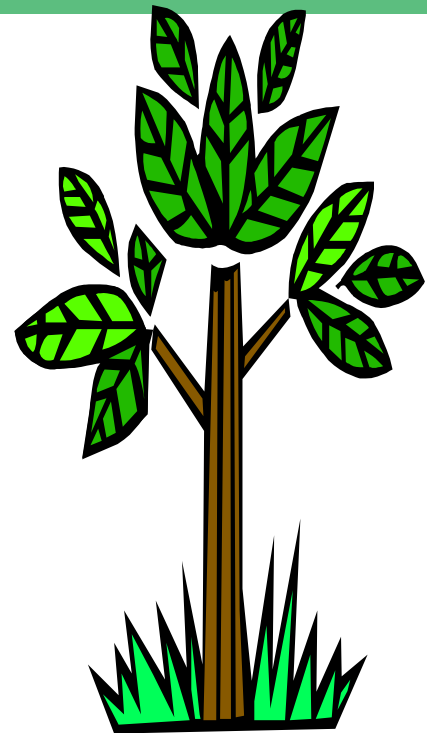
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# Our Next Meeting...

## June 7, 2007

### Wasena Elementary School multi-purpose room 7:00 PM.



We have been unable to hold an official meeting for the last several months due to low attendance. This is our last meeting of the school year so please join us to see what is happening in our neighborhood and what is planned for the immediate future. If you have any issues that are going on within your block or street, this is the place and time to find help or vent your concerns. Our neighborhood is absolutely awesome and there have been no real issues to "raise cain" about for quite some time, but we need to remain active. The WNF has been responsible for getting sidewalks and street lights installed, trees and flowers planted, worked as partners with police officials in problem areas in this community and many other things. As this is the neighborhood you have chosen to live in, you need to be aware of what is going on now and in the future. **We hope to see you at this meeting as it will also be a deciding factor in where we, as a neighborhood organization, will proceed for the future. Refreshments will be served.**

**Remember to water  
your new street trees  
during this current dry  
spell--and all summer!**

***Everyone in Wasena is an important  
piece of the puzzle!***



## Spring is Here: Windows Open, Barking Dogs & Loud Music

Now that spring is officially here, people will be opening their windows to let in much needed fresh air. Please don't spoil the your neighbor's enjoyment of this time of the year -- or for any time of the year -- by letting you dog bark all hours of the day and night or playing music or parties that could be disturbing your neighbors. Be courteous to your neighbors by letting you dogs bark or playing music or having loud parties at all hours of the night. Several sections of Roanoke City's code pertain to these two issues, which can be found at [www.roanokeva.gov](http://www.roanokeva.gov).



### Clean Valley Day

On March 31st, a "skeleton crew" consisting of James Settle, Kemper Fant and Dian Tapscott picked up 6 large bags of trash in the Main Street Village area.

### Neighborhood Notices

**Congratulations to Brandon Beck who married his high school sweetheart Stephanie Martin (also from Wasena) on May 12, 2007. Our best wishes to you both!**

**Upcoming events for Fall 2007: Neighborhood Spaghetti Dinner and Block Party!**

**Porch lights on for safety this summer!**

**Not sure if you are a member or not? Call any of the officers listed on the front of this newsletter. Better yet, come to the June 7th meeting! There are no dues to join, just come and sign up!**

### Wasena Bridge Improvements Nearing Completion

As every displaced skater can tell you, the Wasena Bridge is getting some much-needed repairs to its sidewalks. The City was able to fund the entire project, which may push construction further into the summer, but the end result will be worth it! This project will also implement a neighborhood plan recommendation to reduce the travel lanes from four to two and add bike lanes, much like the Memorial Bridge. For more information on the status of our neighborhood plan, go to the Planning, Building and Economic Development Department at [www.roanokeva.gov](http://www.roanokeva.gov).



## Clean Valley Council Sponsors River Cleanup October 7, 9a.m. - Noon

October 7th marks the day the citizen volunteers get together to "cover the waterfront". Last year they found cigarette butts, plastic, animal skull, bikes, sand bags, bait cans, bottles, diapers, TV's, toys and more. We count on volunteers.

Partners and Friends of the Event include Clean Valley Council, Roanoke Natural Foods Co-op, The Upper Roanoke River Round Table, Virginia's Explore Park, City of Roanoke, City of Salem, County of Botetourt, County of Roanoke, Town of Vinton, International Coastal Cleanup, Department of Environmental Quality, Virginia Naturally, Western Virginia Water Authority, Virginia Save Our Streams, Roanoke Valley Resource Authority, The Roanoke Times and VDOT.

Please join in by registering your team. You may choose "land or sea". We don't want small fries on the rivers, but in a park or by small stream. The registration page is at [www.cleanvalley.org](http://www.cleanvalley.org). Registration is due by Sept 15th. Thanks in advance for being a team player.

### Hey Kids!

Think there's nothing to do? Check out [www.roanokeva.gov/PLAY](http://www.roanokeva.gov/PLAY)

## Happy Birthday!!!



### March

Janet Blue	7
Terri Beck	10
Jeff Jansen	11
Nancy Morgan	17
Mae Leon	20
David Leaman	21
Mary Linn	27

### April

Kemp Fant	1
Wayne Stanton	5
A.B. Manning	16
Kimberly Tresky	17
Joe Easter	19
Sondy Shiplett	19
Mack Cooper II	25
Sharon Hall	27
Gordon Irby	27

### May

Angela Rowland	1
Velma Carroll	6
Leigh Locklier	7
Kathleen Cook	11
Rod Marston	17
Gina DeAngelis	24

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## June

Donna Aliff 6/2  
Linda Brammer 6/29  
Jacqueline Leaman 6/5  
Vickie Rife 6/30

## July

Kathy Adams 7/22  
Brandon Beck 7/3  
Richard Beck 7/22  
Martha Bensinger 7/7  
Darin Fralin 7/22  
Susan Funk 7/21  
Larry Howell 7/16  
Tina Koloda 7/14  
Joe Nash 7/30

## August

Halley Dean 8/20  
Autumn Hidaskey 8/28  
Donna Moore 8/22  
Tom Myers 8/30  
Wanda Pilkinton 8/22  
Steve White 8/5



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