

# HEDINGHAM COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

## SPRING/SUMMER 2016 NEWSLETTER

### GET READY FOR POOL SEASON!!

The Pools will be opening on May 28th, 2016 with schedules posted on the Community Website: [www.hedingham.org](http://www.hedingham.org) and you can get further information regarding nanny passes and guest fees.

**IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU HAVE YOUR SCAN CARD PRIOR TO GOING TO THE POOL.**

Scan cards can be obtained at the Hedingham Athletic Center with proof of residency. Everyone 12 years of age or older will need a scan card.

Please ensure that your dues are current, if you are behind on your dues you will not be admitted.

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**THE HEDINGHAM SHARKS TEAM HAS REGISTERED OVER 100 SWIMMERS FOR THE 2016 SEASON.**

If interested the last day to register is May 3rd at [www.hedinghamsharks.org](http://www.hedinghamsharks.org);

In addition, the swim team is holding a BBQ fundraiser on June 11th from 11am to 1 pm at the Athletic Center. Please see a swim team member for advance tickets. BBQ plates are \$9. GO SHARKS!

**THERE ARE MANY ACTIVITIES GOING ON IN THE COMMUNITY FOR YOUNG AND OLD ALIKE. GO TO [WWW.HEDINGHAM.ORG](http://WWW.HEDINGHAM.ORG) TO FIND OUT WHAT GREAT THINGS ARE GOING ON.**

### From one of our Residents:

Raleigh has many miles of paved greenway and it's right here in Hedingham along the Neuse River. The Greenway is ideal for bike riding. One can ride for hours and not be in traffic. My name is Pete C. And I am an event organizer for a meetup group called **Cycle for Health** and rides are posted constantly. All levels of cyclists are welcome. Some rides are more for beginners which are shorter and slower and some rides are for intermediate riders and are longer and a bit faster.

One can start with short, slower rides and work up to longer and faster rides or just get out and ride. This meetup is not about racing. **Cycle for Health** is about riding bikes and making friends. Groups stop as often as necessary to re-group and keep everyone together. No one is dropped or left behind. Many group rides start from Linville Ridge Drive right here in Hedingham. Come Join us!. Come visit our website at: <http://www.meetup.com/cycling-for-health> and sign up!

And as always, please remember to pick up after your pet when out for a walk and don't leave home without a bag. Your Neighbors Thank You

### **HERE IS SOMETHING WE ALL CAN BE PROUD OF PLEASE HELP IN ANY WAY YOU CAN**

Every year residents of Hedingham have shown their support for the community's young scholars. Please help to continue this wonderful event as we send our young people off to college.

The **Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament** is scheduled for May 21 with a 10 AM Start. This event includes a catered lunch and prizes with your entry. It is a wonderful fun day and if you do not have a team, don't worry, we will help you to find new friends to play with.

If anyone is interested in serving on the Golf Committee, or wishes to help sponsor this event, please contact Lee at [leethayne@nc.rr.com](mailto:leethayne@nc.rr.com)

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### SPEAKING OF VOLUNTEERS!

It takes volunteers to make Hedingham the wonderful community that it is. We are looking for volunteers to help make it even better.

There are various committees and many activities that we have going on in Hedingham, all thanks to volunteers. We would love to have you on board as your input and skills can be very beneficial. For example, we are looking for volunteers with analysis experience to help review all of the Bylaws, Covenants and Rules and Regulations and make recommended changes that will help our community evolve and get even better.

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### SUMMER PROJECTS BIG IMPROVEMENTS ARE HAPPENING

This summer we will be reroofing many townhome units in the area. We will also be redoing the tennis courts and installing lighting at the both the tennis courts and Willow Oak Pool. In addition, shade structures will be installed over some of the playground equipment at both playgrounds.

With this being brought to your attention please be aware that there will be a lot of construction vehicles on the roads and in areas that don't normally have construction vehicles and this will mean a need for vigilance in our day-to-day activities.

The inconvenience will be temporary but will certainly be a big improvement to our community.

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### HELP TO DO YOUR SHARE

**BY MAINTAINING YOUR LANDSCAPING, GRASS, SHRUBS AND OVERALL LOOK OF YOUR PROPERTY TO HELP HEDINGHAM REALLY SHINE.**

**HEDINGHAM COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**  
1250 Southall Road  
Raleigh, NC 27604



**SAVE THE DATE**  
**TUESDAY, AUGUST 2ND**  
**NATIONAL NIGHT OUT!**

We have been asked by the Raleigh Police Department to participate in a nationwide program where residents take back the night by having community festivities. More to come on this and, yes, we are looking for volunteers to help plan this event. Remember: [www.Hedingham.org](http://www.Hedingham.org) and **Facebook** are the places to go for the latest information.

**LIKE OUR GREENWAY?**

**CONSIDER THE**  
**CITY OF RALEIGH'S**  
**GREENWAY VOLUNTEER PROGRAM**

The Raleigh Police Department and Parks and Recreation Department are coordinating efforts to have Volunteers to patrol the greenway and to offer assistance to people who may not be familiar with the trail system.

Like walking or riding? Then join your Hedingham residents who have already signed up for this program. All it requires is 8 hours a month during the nice weather months. It is a win-win for the community and yourself. Exercise and safety.

If interested contact police non-emergency number 919-831-6311 and ask for Bruce Embry who is the RPD Volunteer Coordinator..

**NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH NEWS**

We are lucky to live in a relatively safe neighborhood and there are people in the community that work hard to help keep it that way.

You can help too. Neighbor looking after neighbor. See something suspicious? The police have told us to call 911 and they will determine how to handle the situation.

**Keep informed: go to [www.spotcrime.com](http://www.spotcrime.com)**  
**Use the suspicious activity reporting system at**  
**[www.hedingham.org](http://www.hedingham.org)**

**HUNGRY? THIRSTY?**  
**WANT TO MAKE CONTACT WITH HUMANS?**

**TRY THE**  
**SAND TRAP AT HEDINGHAM**  
**Located in the Golf Course Clubhouse**  
**TEL: 919-578-7051**

The Sand Trap is a great place to come and unwind nestled right in the neighborhood! Grab a quick bite to eat or a cool beverage. Wine, beer, soft drinks plus a full food menu are available. With a pet friendly patio that has been revamped with new furniture and a new look!

Friday night is a great time to come out and socialize with friends and neighbors. Go to their Facebook page and check out the updated information including current hours, food specials, and ongoing events.

Mention Hedingham.org or this newsletter on your first visit and get 10% off!

**IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS YOU**  
**MIGHT WANT TO SAVE**

<b>Community Manager</b>	<b>919-231-9050, ext. 24</b>
<b>Assistant Community Manager</b>	<b>919-231-9050, ext. 23</b>
<b>Athletic Center (Front Desk)</b>	<b>919-231-9050, ext. 22</b>
<b>York Security</b>	<b>919-828-7677</b>
<b>Golf Club</b>	<b>919-250-3030</b>
<b>Police non-emergency</b>	<b>919-831-6311</b>
<b>Duke Energy (power outage)</b>	<b>919-508-5400</b>
<b>Duke Energy (street light outage)</b>	<b>1-800-419-6356</b>
<b>PSNC Energy (gas)</b>	<b>1-877-776-2427</b>
<b>NC One Call Ctr (call before you dig)</b>	<b>1-800-632-4949</b>

**Solid Waste Services** **919-996-6890**  
**Trash, recycling, bulk pickups (for what you cannot put in your garbage can) Do not leave garbage at curbside that you cannot get into your trash can without calling and getting an appointment.**

**ONE LAST PLEA FROM YOUR NEIGHBORS**

There are not many of you but we ask that you help to keep Hedingham safe and good looking by not speeding, putting trash in receptacles and not on the ground, and clean up after your pets.

**Thank you in advance.**