

JANUARY 2012

# The Medfielder

Medfield Community Association  
Newsletter



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## Community Notes

### NEXT MEETING

**Mon., Jan. 9, 2012**

**7 p.m.**

Christian Love  
Baptist Church Hall  
Falls Rd. & 42nd St.

**Board Meeting:**

**Next meeting: Thurs.,**

**Jan. 19, 2012, 7 p.m.**

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Baptist Church hall  
Falls Rd. & 42nd St.

### NOW ON FACEBOOK

The Medfield Community Association is now on Facebook! Add us as a friend for an up-to-the-minute update of what is going on in and around Medfield. Or if you don't have Facebook, check out our website at [www.Medfieldmd.com](http://www.Medfieldmd.com), or join our ListServ by emailing [medfieldmd-subscribe@yahoo.com](mailto:medfieldmd-subscribe@yahoo.com).

### CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

The Bureau of Solid Waste will be collecting discarded Christmas trees on trash collection days in January. Place your trees at your trash collection spot on your normal trash collection day. Mulching services are also offered Monday through Saturday from 9am-2pm, at 701 Reedbird Ave. in Brooklyn.

### JANUARY GENERAL MEETING RESCHEDULED

The January MCA meeting has been moved to Monday, January 9, 2012 in observance of the New Year's holiday. The meeting will be held at its usual time – 7 p.m. – at the Christian Love Baptist Church Hall at the corner of 42nd Street and Falls Road.

### HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM THE MEDFIELD COMMUNITY ASSOC.

The MCA Board of Directors would like to wish everyone in Medfield and our surrounding neighborhoods, a very happy and eventful 2012! We are really looking forward to a busy and active year, and are working to make Medfield an even greater place to live in 2013.

Gary Seever  
*President, MCA*

### BUENA VISTA DOG PARK

The Buena Vista Dog Park Discovery Committee had a great first meeting, and will reconvene Tuesday, January 10, 2012 at 7 p.m., at the Christian Love Baptist Church (in the same room as the MCA meetings). Come by and share your thoughts. For more details visit <http://www.hampdendogpark.com> or email [hampdendogpark@gmail.com](mailto:hampdendogpark@gmail.com).

### GREENERY PROJECT

Henderson Properties, owners of 3901 Buena Vista, has given Medfield the green light to submit a proposal for a greenery project on part of their property. The land in discussion sits directly behind ABC Supply Company at 40th Street and Edgell Avenue, across from National Roofing Company. Residents of 40th Street have expressed an interest in a greenery project at this location. Initial discussions will be held at the January meeting of the MCA – anyone interested in being involved is encouraged to attend.

### LOYOLA STADIUM NOISE

Representatives from the Loyola Stadium in Woodberry will attend the **February** general MCA meeting (**February 6th at 7 p.m.**) to address residents' complaints concerning the noise and lighting levels of the games and events held there. Anyone with concerns is encouraged to attend the February meeting to voice your concerns with the administration of Loyola University.

### MEDFIELD CRIME NOTES

The holiday season is one of the best times of the year; unfortunately we are also more vulnerable to crime during this time. Here are some Holiday crime prevention tips for around your home:

- Keep the outside of your home well lit with doors locked and window curtains closed
- Don't display gifts beneath the Christmas tree if it can be seen from windows or doors
- After the holidays, don't advertise gifts received by the boxes left for the garbage collection. Destroy boxes and place them in sealed, non-clear garbage bags.

For additional crime prevention tips, please visit our website: [http://www.medfieldmd.com/crime\\_tips.php](http://www.medfieldmd.com/crime_tips.php).

### FLAG POLE

The flag pole at Weldon Circle is in need of halyard and flag arrangement assembly repairs. The community will review possible repair solutions and approve any expenses if necessary. For those who are not familiar, the halyard is the rope used to raise and lower a flag on a flagpole, and flag arrangements provide the method of attaching the flag to the halyard and act as an excellent method for changing flag sizes or quantity of flags flown without having to replace the entire halyard.