

Lynnfield Community Meeting
Brandywine Hundred Library
May 19, 2025
6:30-7:30pm

Agenda

- Welcome (Callye Morrissey, LCA President, 15 mins)
 - Introduction
 - Thank you, Cathy
 - Welcome Arlene Trapuzzano, LCA Vice President
 - Board Member Introductions
 - Board opening for street rep, Bette Rd
 - Community Yard sale Saturday, May 31, 8am-1pm
 - Cpl. Hester, our former NCCPD community liaison has retired.
 - Raffle
 - Snow Plowing update. No expenses incurred for 2025. Dues: no increase for next year
- Lynnfield Park cleanup, June 1 (Katelyn Smigo, Secretary, 2 mins)
- Treasury update (Mary Jo Lobosco, Treasurer, 10 mins)
- Updates from Dan Cruce, DE Senator, District 1 (15 mins)
- Updates from John Cartier, NCC Councilman (15 mins)
- Questions

Lynnfield Community Meeting Notes 5/19/2025 Start time: 6:30pm

Callye Morrissey our LCA President introduced herself and then thanked previous president Cathy Curry.

Callye also introduced our new Vice President Arlene Trapuzzano and board members.

We are in need of a street rep for Bette Rd.

Community Yard Sale is 5/31/25 8am-1pm (we are trying a spring one, we will continue to have our fall yard sale as well)

Cpl Hester our former NCCPD retired, and Cpl Pierce was there to give us an update on our community crime report. He reminded us to stay vigilant, lock doors always, and stay hydrated. Also informed us of 4 wheelers and atv issues and to please call 911 or non-emergency line to inform them. Our community service unit phone number is 302-395-8050.

Raffle for showing up to the meeting for Harry's Savoy, Nicks Pizza and Starbucks for all attendees.

Snow Plowing was not needed this past winter so our dues will continue to stay at \$25

We are hosting a Park Clean up on Sunday June 1,2025 9am raindate to be June 8,2025. If you are able to show up and help bring shovels, rakes, gloves, yard waste containers. We are doing this as a community since NCC Parks seem to still be short staffed and our park conditions have suffered for the past couple of years.

John Cartier thanked Callye for all that she does. He says he is always here to help out and handed out a trifold of phone numbers that are helpful in our community. This budget year he states there will be no tax raise. The property reassessment suggested property value has gone up but our new tax rate has dropped from 80 cents/\$100 down to 16 cents/ \$100. He also states our police force has 30 new enrollments. We have 360 police officers currently employed but there will be some retiring as the retirement age is 55 years of age and they are trying to change that. Police hiring is critical. He wished us a safe and happy summer.

Mary Jo updated us on our financial report. Checking account May 2024 \$7096.41

Expenses we had: Delmarva \$585.37, CCOBH \$191.00, Printing costs \$471.45, Franchise tax \$25.00 (Total Expenses \$1272.82) Dues collected in 2024 \$2707.33 (112 households and 31 were venmo). Due collected so far for 2025 \$296.01. Checking account May 19, 2025 currently has \$9073.08 in it.

District Senator Dan Cruce, thanked for all who voted regardless of status and is focused on building relationships. They are working on a budget for the year and needs to be voted on 6/3/25. He stated we have some money set aside the state does for certain purposes aka a rainy day fund. Someone asked If the Septa line stops what happens- Senator stated it will give us some extra money which would go to another substitute for transportation alternative. He has no idea on federal cuts. Senator will take on issues and try to work with John Cartier if possible. Residents brought up concerns of streets being in terrible conditions, power lines in back of a couple properties that are hanging extremely low, creek erosion and overflow. Callye will get list and send directly over to him to start working on the list and getting the issues worked on by the correct departments for some help. Senator thanked us all and the elected officials at how efficient our meetings are run.

Callye gave conclusion thank you for everyone attending.

Judy then pulled all of the 3 raffles and gave to our civic members who won.

Meeting included residents as follows:

Elaine Smith, Ann McSorley, John Stehl, Elaine Field, Lauren Janusz, Alice Collins, Judy Peterson, Rick & Cathy Thomas, Ann Phillips, Arlene Trappuzano, Rebecca Reed, Mary Jo Bosco, John Galindo, Weisia Wooten, CeCe Bednasano, Christine Marshall, Mike Edwards, Mary Lou Lynch, Kate Smigo, Callye Morrissey

Meeting concluded 7:45pm and notes taken by K. Smigo