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# SAVE LAKE ACCOTINK

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Please take a public input Lake Accotink Community Survey: https://publicinput.com/a7178

Comments to the county can be submitted in the comment box at this link:

https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/publicworks/lake-accotink-dredging

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SaveLakeAccotink

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for additional information
or to volunteer.

# **Association Meetings & Deadlines 2023**

MONTH	BOARD MEETING/FARMER DEADLINE/FLYERS DUE	EVENTS
March	1	March 23 - General Membership Meeting - Taste of Ravensworth *
April	12	
May	3	May 25 - General Membership Meeting *

<sup>\*</sup> The March 23 and May 25 General Membership Meetings will be held in-person at the Ravensworth Elementary School cafeteria. (If these meetings will be streamed live, a link will be provided prior to the meetings on the Ravensworth Farm Facebook page and sent via email to those subscribed to the RFCA email list.)

All meetings are open to residents of Ravensworth Farm. Unless noted otherwise, all meetings are 7:30pm online. Contact Diwakar Sharma, Corresponding Secretary, at CorSec@ravensworthfarm.org for a link to join.



# MARCH 2023 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Join us for the Taste of Ravensworth at the next RFCA General Membership Meeting on March 23, 2023, at 7:30pm at the Ravensworth Elementary School cafeteria. The meeting will feature a sampling of food from the Ravensworth Shopping Center, an RFCA discussion about the future of the printed Farmer, and some words from our Braddock District Supervisor James Walkinshaw.

The Ravensworth Farm Civic Association Board is in search of members to participate on a committee responsible for searching out and nominating a slate of candidates for the RFCA Board positions. The election of board members occurs each May at the Annual Membership meeting, which, this year, will be on May 25, 2023.

The responsibility of the committee will be to review the responsibilities of each of the offices, search for candidates, and present the slate at the March General Membership Meeting, on March 23, 2023. As previously mentioned, the election will be at the May 25<sup>th</sup> meeting. The offices include: President, 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Treasurer, Corresponding Secretary, and Recording Secretary.

To assist in the search, the committee may review the responsibilities of each office, outlined in the By-laws on the Ravensworth Farm website, RavensworthFarm.org, under the tab Ravensworth Farm Membership > By-Laws. Also, each board member will provide the committee a description of their current Duties and Responsibilities.

For those interested in running for any of the positions, you may nominate yourself to the committee or at the May meeting. Once formed, the members of the Nominating Committee will be named and published on Facebook and the website. Also, anyone may nominate someone from the floor if the nominator has the nominated person's approval.

If you are interested in participating on this committee, please contact Ginger Rogers at RecSec@ravensworthfarm.org or by phone at 703 321-1151.



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# THE FUTURE OF LAKE ACCOTINK

Information Compiled by Shobha McConnell

On February 9, 2023, The Walkinshaw Advisory contained the following information about the future of Lake Accotink from Braddock District Supervisor James Walkinshaw:

"Lake Accotink Park is one of Fairfax County's most beloved resources. Its 482 acres of natural resources, trails, picnic areas, and waterfront activities draw hundreds of thousands of visitors each year. The 55-acre Lake Accotink, a man-made reservoir originally built by the U.S. Army in 1943, is a key feature of the park.

Because Lake Accotink is a manmade lake in the midst of a densely developed 40-square-mile watershed, it has required regular dredging in order to remove sediment and prevent it from returning to its natural state. The most recent dredge took place in 2008.

Unfortunately, stronger storms and wetter weather have increased the amount of sediment entering the lake in recent decades. This is due to many factors, including the fact that our older neighborhoods were built without modern stormwater controls. In fact, in 2014 -- just six years after the previous dredge -- the Board of Supervisors funded a study to explore ways to address increased sedimentation. A robust community dialogue led by former Supervisor John Cook, along with the initiative of hundreds of community members, revealed strong community support for preserving the lake with additional dredging.

In 2019, Fairfax County staff developed a dredging plan that was presented to the community and endorsed by the Board of Supervisors. That plan was to dredge 350,000 cubic yards of sediment, pump it to the Wakefield Park power line easement area to be dried, and remove the dried material by truck to a disposal site that was not yet determined, at a total cost of \$30 million. The intention was to also conduct periodic maintenance dredging to preserve the lake.

Unfortunately, additional analysis conducted since 2019 has determined that that plan is not feasible and that the costs and impacts of dredging are significantly higher than predicted at the time. Subsequent analysis has revealed that:

- 43% more sediment, totaling 500,000 cubic yards, would need to be removed in the initial dredge.
- The total cost for the initial dredge would be \$95 million, with estimated maintenance dredging costs of up to \$300 million over the following twenty years.
- The initial dredge would take three to five years to complete and subsequent maintenance dredging would take a full year every five years.
- The Wakefield power line easement area is not a suitable processing area. The remaining potential processing sites all entail significant community and environmental impacts such as tree clearing and dozens of truck trips per day through the nearby communities.
- A smaller lake separated from Accotink Creek would cost nearly \$200 million because more sediment would need to be removed and new fill dirt would need to be trucked in to construct the new dam. There is also a significant risk that the new dam would be eroded by the creek channel.

There are two key takeaways from this analysis. First, the annual cost to dredge and maintain Lake Accotink over the next twenty-five years would be roughly \$16 million per year. Second, the initial three to five-year base dredge and subsequent year-long maintenance dredges conducted every five years mean that the park and surrounding community would endure significantly more disruption than originally anticipated. I know I and my colleagues are disappointed in this result as our first choice has always been to restore the lake to as close as possible to its original condition.

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As a result of this analysis, Fairfax County Department of Public Works and Environmental Services (DPWES) staff will present a new staff recommendation at the upcoming meetings. That recommendation is that the lake is not dredged due to excessive costs and significant community and environmental impacts. Instead, staff recommends restarting the Lake Accotink Park Master Planning process with an emphasis on engaging with the community to develop a sustainable vision for the lake and the park, which could include converting the open water of the lake to a managed wetland environment.

I know that this new recommendation will come as a shock after the years of work and community engagement that has gone into the plan to dredge the lake. But my priority is to ensure that we are fully transparent and share with you the unvarnished reality of the situation, disappointing as it may be.

Staff have prepared a <u>detailed storyboard</u> outlining the history that has led us to this point and the results of the analysis described above."

Two public meetings were held on February 15 (virtual) and 16 (in-person) to share the results of the additional analysis on the lake dredging and smaller offline lake management options. The technical presentations from those meetings can be accessed through the links under **Presentations to the Community** found here:

https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/publicworks/lake-accotink-dredging#presentations

According to the county, dredging of Lake Accotink would cause significant environmental and social impacts and cost approximately \$400 million over the next twenty-five years. The Fairfax County DPWES staff recommends that Lake Accotink not be dredged and that a smaller offline lake not be constructed.

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BACKGROUND: On October 29, 2019, the Board of Supervisors voted unanimously to fund the plan to Save Lake Accotink. The Board approved an initial wet dredge of the lake to an average 8-foot depth with regular dredging on a much smaller scale to continue in future years. The initial dredge will cost a total of \$30.5 million to complete and \$2.013 million annually to maintain. This is much less than the \$50 million the county expected in 2018. The sediment collected in the dredging will be brought by pipe to an unused area of Wakefield Park under the power lines for dewatering. Once it dries, the dirt will be trucked out of the county via the I-495 beltway. No truck will need to use neighborhood roads. The Wakefield dewatering area gives direct access to Braddock Road, and a minimal impact on wetlands in the area. Further study found trucking was the best way to move the final dirt. The motion by Supervisor Cook also committed the county to continue to work with the community to mitigate any adverse environmental impacts caused by the dredging and dewatering. (Source: Former Braddock Supervisor John C. Cook social media post on October 29, 2019)

County officials advised that they will be posting all questions, answers, and comments on the public website from the virtual meeting and submitted online.

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### HELP SAVE LAKE ACCOTINK BY GETTING INVOLVED AND SPREADING THE WORD:

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# ODD-JOBS, YARD WORK, AND MORE

If you're looking for a bit of help around the yard or house or someone to walk your dog, remember to check the Youth Services listing in the Ravensworth Farm Directory. It contains a list of your younger neighbors who would like to help out and earn some money, too. Kids 12 and up, if you would like to be included in the Youth Services section of next year's directory, email directory@ravensworthfarm.org with a parent's phone number and in which categories you would like to be listed.



<u>CLASSIFIED ADS</u> may be placed in The **Farmer** at no cost to Ravensworth Farm residents. Classifiedads may be placed by sending them to <u>rfcafarmer@ravensworthfarm.org</u> or to PO Box 1733, Springfield, VA 22151. The classified ad section is a service to Ravensworth residents and is not intended for business or commercial use. Ads for house sales, commercial services, etc. will be run in this section once. If you wish to repeat your ad, you will need to purchase advertising in The **Farmer**.

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DONATIONS ACCEPTED	Good condition used clothes, baby gear (not cribs), and small, useful kitchen items for Immanuel's Hope and good condition clothes, winter outerwear, new socks, and small toiletries for Central Union Mission in DC. Drop off at Immanuel Bible Church lobby (Braddock Rd entrance #1) or the Ortiz home in Ravensworth Farm. Ortiz Family – 571-331-9138
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# FRIENDS OF LAKE ACCOTINK PARK (FLAP) NEWS & EVENTS

## QUESTIONS ABOUT ELECTRIC BIKES AND OTHER CONVEYANCES ON THE TRAIL?

Commonwealth of Virginia law allows the use of electric powered bicycles (e-bikes), skateboards, scooters, e-skateboards, hoverboards, e-scooters, electric personal assistive mobility devices" (such as Segway's and wheelchairs), and electric personal delivery devices, wherever regular bicycles are allowed. Virginia Code sections §10.1, §15.2, and §46.2 regulate e-bikes, motorized skateboards, motorized scooters, and hoverboards with a top powered speed of 20 mph; electric personal assistive mobility devices with a top speed of 15 mph, and electric personal delivery devices with a top speed of 10 mph as bicycles that can be used on trails and shared use paths. Furthermore, Virginia Code §15.2-5704(17) grants the Park Authority the ability to adopt rules and regulations concerning the use of properties under its control, only if those rules and regulations are not in conflict with the laws of the Commonwealth.

As e-bikes and other electronic conveyances are becoming more popular, chances are that you, a friend, or neighbor will own or rent one in the near future. These devices allow users to carry heavy loads, climb steeper hills, commute further, and keep up with more fit riders. As such, they provide inclusive riding opportunities for the less fit and mobility impaired, providing an opportunity to address health equity issues; thus, improving parks and communities for the population. The following guidance is provided for novice and experienced riders wishing to ride within Fairfax County's parks.

Questions? Heather Lynch heather.lynch@fairfaxcounty.gov

## VOLUNTEER FOR MONTHLY FLAP CLEAN-UP

WHEN: 2nd Sunday of every month TIME: 9:00 am to Noon

WHERE: Lake Accotink Marina (at the sign-in tent)

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Register: https://volunteer.fairfaxcounty.gov/custom/1380/#/organization\_details/71653

Questions? Contact@flapaccotink.org

### FLAP BOARD POSITIONS

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### DONATE TO FRIENDS OF LAKE ACCOTINK PARK - FLAP

Online: <u>www.flapaccotink.org</u>

Mail: FLAP, P.O. Box 1203 Springfield VA 22151 (Make check out to FLAP)

## KUNDALINI YOGA AT RAVENSWORTH FARM

The free Kundalini Yoga classes offered Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1-2 pm at the Community of Christ Church on Inverchapel Road have been a huge success for many residents of the Ravensworth Farm community. Look at all of those

happy faces.



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The idea of these Yoga classes began by long-time Ravensworth Farm resident, Kate Alleman, wanting to give back to her community. As a certified professional trainer and yoga instructor, Kate wanted to offer free classes to our community but needed a venue. No better place than the centrally located Community of Christ Church. After some coordination, the classes were approved and advertised.

Many residents of Ravensworth Farm quickly spread the word and have coordinated ride sharing or are meeting up to walk together to class. Residents are not only getting exercise, meditation, they are having fun and laughing while also enjoying other health benefits. The classes have been attended - on average by ten members. Each class brings new members, many who are meeting each other for the first time and often sharing contact information.

Kundalini Yoga uses breath, movement, mantra, and meditation to heal the mind, body, and spirit. Class will last one hour and consist of tuning in (creating sacred space), a warmup, a breathing exercise, a kriya (a series of exercises or postures held, taught in a sequence) followed by a deep relaxation and a meditation.

Kundalini Yoga is designed to help us deepen our awareness, stimulate the immune, glandular, and nervous system, and balance the chakras. We connect with our creative energy, open our hearts, and let go of what no longer serves us, in order to be our best selves, always in the service of others. This class is open to students at all levels of experience. Just come with an open mind.

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Registration is OPEN NOW, and the Early Bird Discount is now available through April 7th. Don't wait! Visit the pool website to renew today: https://www.ravensworthfarmpool.com/

We hope you'll join us for another exciting summer of swimming, relaxation, and fun! We've made some great upgrades – including the new tilework and finish for the entire pool – and have even more planned to make Ravensworth your favorite summer spot. See below for everything you need to know.

### **Membership Details:**

- We will use the same membership portal and swim/dive websites for registration this year. Please pay for your pool membership first.
- Check-in process will also be the same. We will need your photos to check you in, so please remember to update your account with new photos.
- Family Memberships include 2 adults and their non-adult children (under 22) in the immediate family/ household. Two-Person Membership includes two people in a single household. Children under age 2 by June 1st may be added to a two-person membership at no cost. Senior Memberships include a maximum of two adults, one age 65+.

### Rates & Dates:

Our rates have been adjusted to account for rising costs in supplies, daily operations (including lifeguards), pool maintenance as well as improvement projects for the pool grounds.

There will be three membership tiers again this year:

Early Bird Deadlines	Family	Two Person	Seniors
Until April 7	\$590	\$410	\$305
April 8 - May 5	\$610	\$425	\$315
May 6 and later	\$635	\$440	\$325

### Swim & Dive Team:

Swim and Dive team registrations, including Fledglings, will be available in mid-March. Check out the swim team and dive team Facebook pages for updates including the summer meet schedules.

### **Pool Operations & Upgrades:**

- The white coat and the tile work on the pool interior will be complete by opening day. This was a major investment that will upgrade the look and experience of the pool!
- We are planning to increase pay for lifeguards starting this summer to stay competitive and retain our great team.
- Our next round of upgrades will include improving the diving boards, deck chairs and umbrellas, as well as repairs to the fence and tennis courts.

We look forward to a great summer and can't wait to see you on the pool deck!

If you would like more information about joining the pool or have any questions, please contact Erin Grace (Ravensworth Pool Membership Director) at:

membership@ravensworthfarmpool.com

# WHY JOIN THE CIVIC ASSOCIATION?

Your \$15 membership (what a bargain!) helps cover the cost of writing, printing, and delivering this newsletter to all 858 homes in Ravensworth Farm eight times per year.

It also covers the cost of updating and printing the Ravensworth Farm Community Directory each year. **The Directory is only available to members.** In addition to providing the names, addresses and phone numbers for your neighbors (so you'll know where to go to pick up those items being offered on the Ravensworth Farm Facebook page), the Directory also provides you with emergency numbers (for when your internet is dead), and useful non-emergency numbers. It contains the history of Ravensworth Farm and other historical information. It even contains contact information for youth looking to work! If you need a teen to babysit, pet sit, shovel, rake, or wash your car, just \$15 gets you a copy of this coveted list.

In addition to The Ravensworth Farmer and the Ravensworth Farm Directory, the Civic Association also funds:

- three informative general meetings per year,
- community-wide Fall Festival,
- holiday decoration judging,
- summer picnic/BBQ/bash,

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- maintenance of the plants and signs at the three community entrances,
- donations to the Scouts and the school,
- coordination and advertising of the fall and spring community-wide yard sales,
- community large-trash-items clean-up day every spring, and
- many other activities and community-care needs.

If you aren't a member, join now via RavensworthFarm.org, contact Elissa Myers to become a member - 703-321-7590 or <a href="elissa@elissamyers.com">elissa@elissamyers.com</a>, or answer the door when your Block Captain comes knocking. It would be great to welcome every one of our 858 households into the Civic Association!

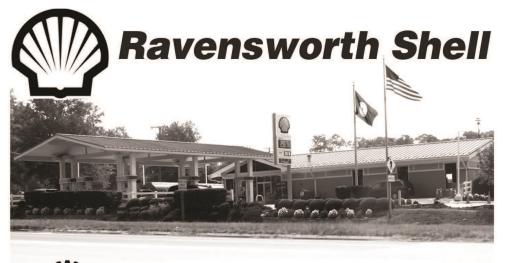
# MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS - BE A BLOCK CAPTAIN

Block captains deliver pre-paid Directory orders and sign up new Civic Association members and deliver Directories on the spot. Forty of your neighbors volunteered last year. However, many streets didn't have active block captains, so membership was down- resulting in a significant reduction in the budget for Civic Association activities. Sign up for a block near you or be adventurous and visit the other side of the neighborhood! Contact Elissa Myers to be a block captain at 703-626-9087 or elissa@elissamyers.com.

# HELP WANTED: FARMER DELIVERY

**THANK YOU** to all of the volunteers helping us deliver the Farmer for the last few months. We really appreciate your help getting these to the doorsteps of all of our neighbors!

The RFCA continues the search for a few organizations interested in delivering the Farmer to every house in the neighborhood (8 issues between September - June). If your organization would like to take part in this paid service opportunity (\$150 per issue) or if you are a student interested in volunteering for service hours, please contact: Farmer@ravensworthfarm.org





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Submit your testimonial by emailing membership@ravensworthfarmpool.co m

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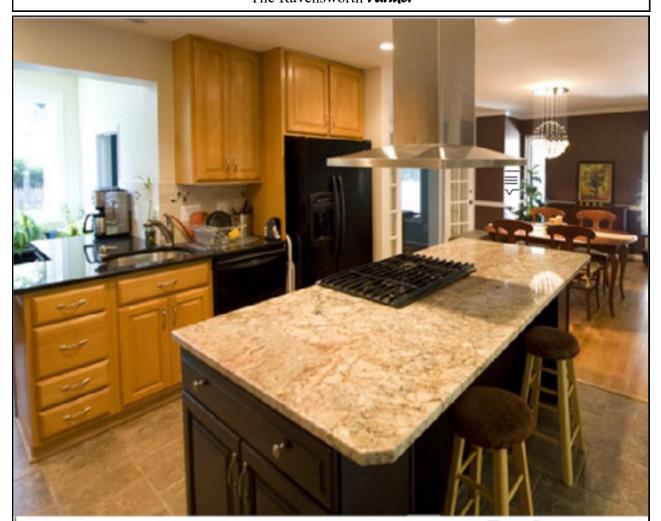
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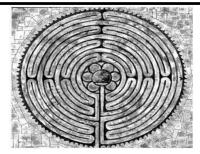
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