

## Annual Meeting

Dec. 5, 2011  
6:00 pm

Hampton House  
Community Room



## Show You Care!

The CARE Center Holiday Shop is now open:

5451 Main Drive in downtown New Hope

Also accepting donations for Thanksgiving and Christmas!

The CARE Center Christmas Store serves our under-resourced neighbors by allowing them to purchase brand new toys for their children at half the retail value and allowing them the dignity to purchase gifts for their family. They can use their own hard earned money or they can work in our Thrift Store and earn a voucher to spend in the CC Christmas Store. We appreciate your Brand new and unwrapped toys for all ages, which are being accepted now for this amazing ministry.

"Bags of Blessings" not only provides food to children who are participating in the free lunch program at school, but also over Holiday Breaks. Please consider donating easy to open non-perishable food items, for example, cereal, pop top ravioli, juice boxes, granola bars, pop tarts.

## HCOA Office

*is located in Suite F of the Hampton Town Centre at 180 Old Highway 431. This is the complex behind Publix. Look for HCOA in large green letters.*

**Phone: 256-533-6005**

*For email addresses, resident forms, community-wide standards, the covenants and other documents, log on to*

**[www.hamptoncove.com](http://www.hamptoncove.com)**

For fitness center, tennis & pool information visit Hampton House's website: [thehamptonhouse.info](http://thehamptonhouse.info)

## Mark Your Calendars!

*Remember that the Homeowner's annual dues invoices will be sent out in December. Dues are \$355 due January 1, 2012.*

*A \$100 late fee will be charged on checks that arrive after Jan. 31st... so be sure to put your check in the mail or drop in the mail slot at our office!*

*A friendly reminder to put the Hampton Cove Annual Meeting on your calendar!*

*We will be meeting on December 5th at 6 pm in the Hampton House Community Room. We hope to see you there!*

Here are a few of the accomplishments that will be reviewed at the annual meeting:

- Waterfall repair and maintenance
- Drainage repair at on Lakes and Waterways
- White fence redesign; repair; and landscaping
- Changed Community Wide Standard for mulch/pine straw and pergolas
- Arbor Woods stone columns erected

Remember:

Huntsville City has a leash law for dogs!



Don't miss

**Mr. & Mrs. Claus**

**at Constitution**

**Village**

**11/25-11/30**

**5-9pm!**



## Galaxy of Lights

Galaxy of Lights is a holiday light extravaganza featuring larger-than-life animated light displays.

See Santa soaring over a delightful winter village. Nursery rhyme characters dance and frolic among traditional scenes of the season. And, best of all, experience the magic of the twinkling icicle forest.

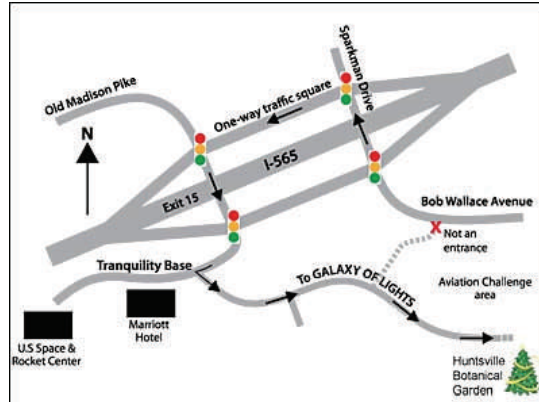
Galaxy of Lights is the perfect holiday treat for the young and young-at-heart.

**Drive-Through Nights**  
**Thanksgiving through December 31,**  
**5:30-9 p.m.**

Passenger Car - \$20 per car  
Vans - \$20 for 10 people and \$3 for each additional person

We will accept your donations of toys, canned goods, paper products, dog/cat food and warm coats for our local charities; \$1 off the price of admission with a donation.

Galaxy of Lights was named a Southeast Tourism Top 20 event for 2009. Galaxy of Lights made the American Automobile Association's "GEM" list for 2010!



## New Route for 2011!

## Garden Tip of the Month

It's not too late to plant spring flowering bulbs. You might find some on sale. It's time to cut back fall blooming perennials and remove clippings and winterize all outdoor plants, fountains, and hoses.



Remember to **bag** your leaves. The City will not pick up loose leaves.

## Yard of the Month

Carter & Nancy  
Haley  
2008 Treyburne

John & Pat Franks  
2938 Eastern Shore Drive

Doris & Jimmy  
Rodgers  
2907 Kincaid Way

Bill & Ann  
Clingempeel  
3106 Brook Park

Charlotte & Ron  
Nichols  
2905 Davenport Way



The FAQ section of hamptoncove.com has been updated.

Look for a list of important phone numbers and general information!

## A friendly reminder for Saturday, Dec. 10th:

Please try to have leaves, trash cans, and brush out of the curb area for Luminary Night in Hampton Cove. If at all possible, park all cars in your garage or driveway so the luminaries can be seen on the curb. Thank you for helping to make Hampton Cove even more beautiful **Saturday, Dec. 10th.**



Hampton Cove Residents,

The recent email regarding burglaries reported numbers that were City wide, not for any specific neighborhood. It is good to know that HPD already has arrested some suspects.

In 2010 the Hampton Cove community experienced significant vandalism, mostly related to holiday decorations. This is a good time to review safety habits with your family. Don't let the over activity of the holidays leave you vulnerable to those looking for an opportunity.

Safety tips and hints:

- Turn your alarm system on (all the time) and teach everyone in the family how it works
- Install an alarm system and/or cameras (these tapes become great tools for police)
- Keep your doors locked and garage doors closed
- Never leave valuables in plain view
- Put your cars in your garage
- Don't park on the street
- Post the emergency numbers on your refrigerator and put them in your cell phone
- 911 is for a real emergency— ie: a burglary in progress  
256.722.7100 is for suspicious activity that you should notify the police about. Give as many details as you can: car description, tag numbers, people, etc.

Be a good neighbor— help each other, pay attention to the surroundings & share phone numbers. Huntsville is one of the safest cities in the area, partly because its residents are involved and helpful. The Golf Course is still offering a reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the golf course vandals....call 53-CRIME if you have information.

Sincerely,

Cindy Norton, HCOA Director

## Luminary Night

### 2011

\$10 per kit

Presented by

The Hampton Cove Garden Club

**Saturday Dec. 10th**

**4:30 until 10 p.m.**

Profits will go to the beautification of Hampton Cove and to local charities.

Please consider an extra donation to support the placement of luminaries for the common areas.

Recruit a neighbor to put out your kit if you will be out of town.

Questions? Contact  
Kathy Jones at 256.683.8365 or  
easternshore@comcast.net

Please check the HCOA website (hamptoncove.com) between 3:00-4:30 for further instructions if bad weather prevails on Dec. 10th.

Please cut out and mail the luminary order form below with a check (payable to HCGC) to: Marcia Miller  
2820 Eastern Shore Drive

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Neighborhood (ie: Arbor Woods) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

No. of kits \_\_\_\_\_

Cost for kits (\$10 each) \_\_\_\_\_

Donation for common areas: \_\_\_\_\_

Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_