

AGM - Chair's report - 2011-12

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At the BCA's Annual General Meeting on May 08, 2012, the Chair Eric G. Andersen pointed out the following achievements for 2011-2012:

1/ meetings continued to be held every second month (September, November, January, March and May).

2/ we had a number of guest speakers – Riverside Terrace development project, Harvest Project and Green Can program. Our traffic meeting was extremely well attended

3/ three newsletters (June 2011, November 2011 and April 2012) were prepared in 2011-2012 which reached every household in Blueridge/Seymour Heights (thanks strictly to volunteers). One newsletter is planned on going out in May/June 2012.

4/ the BCA hosted a very successful 14th Blueridge Good Neighbour Day in June, 2011, at the Blueridge Elementary School. We are working on the 15th BGND.

5/ the BCA general account has a surplus of \$XXX - in addition we have \$XXX earmarked as seed-money for the next Blueridge Good Neighbour Day and \$XXX from the Farmers' Market (Stephen Parker to adv the figures).

6/ the BCA has a website: <http://members.shaw.ca/blueridgeca/> and an e-mail address: blueridgeca@gmail.com. We have about 200 e-mail recipients in Blueridge/Seymour Heights.

7/ the BCA has notified its members of numerous meetings and events of potential interest to them.

8/ the BCA has representatives on the CMAC water committee, Community Advisory Panel, Canlan Ice-Sports Committee, the North Shore Waterfront Liaison Committee, the Highway Interchange working group and Seymour Local Plan Monitoring Committee.

9/ the BCA now also has a traffic committee (in addition to the Blueridge Good Neighbour Day committee)

10/ the BCA arranged a number of clean-ups in Blueridge Creek – jointly with Blueridge School

11/ the BCA arranged a clean-up of the trail entrances off Hyannis in late April and joined forces with 'Little Pickers' and the Boy Scouts for other clean-up projects

12/ the BCA co-hosted an All-Candidates meeting in November prior to the municipal election

13/ the BCA is offering a water purification plant tour on 05/18 thanks to one of our members

WE MUST THANK ALL THE RESIDENTS WHO VOLUNTEERED THEIR TIME TO THE BCA.

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