BRUNSWICK HOUSING AUTHORITY

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Important Numbers

Resident Services 912-265-1334 Ext 104

Site Offices: Glynnvilla/Hopkins Homes 267-7076

Brooklyn Homes/ Mercer/ Abbott 265-8223

McIntyre/ Little Brooklyn 265-4294

On Call Line (after 5) 265-1334

> CAPAC 265-3052

BPD Non-Emergency Dispatch 554-3645

Now Hiring

For Painters and Cleaners

\$16.20 minimum per hour

Contact -I.L Fleming ,Inc.

912-996-1294





Mr. Curtis Thomas of Mercer-Altama recently graduated from the UGA Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program. The Food Talk curriculum teaches participants how to stretch their food dollars, improve nutrition practices, and prevent food-borne illness. The program graduates report an average savings of more than \$80 on groceries.

Participants also improve diet quality, increase physical activity, and more often follow food safety guidelines. We will have our next session in October and September. To sign up, please contact Resident Services.

BHA Brings In A New Commissioner



On July 12, Ms. Denise Haynes was sworn in as the new resident commissioner. Commissioner Hayes has been working diligently on organizing the Brooklyn Homes Residential Council. Commissioner Hayes and her son has participated in BHA programs, events, and workshops. As an active participant of resident services, she will continue to serve and to be a be an active voice for the residents of Brunswick Housing Authority.

GET INVOLVED AND STAY INFORMED....

Brunswick Public Housing residents are strongly encouraged to get involved with programs, workshops, and events that are hosted by BHA or it's partners. Each month, BHA has recurring events and programs available to empower and assist you.

Please take the time to engage yourself with the following upcoming events: Mandatory Resident Responsibility Workshops, Resident Empowerment Workshops, and Resident Advisory/Council meetings. Contact Resident Services for additional information. For Any Public Housing, Section 8 and Veteran Residents, please contact Reggie Jackson–Resident Services Director at 912-264-1334 ext. 141 or rjackson@brunswickpha.org

UPCOMING TRAINING, EVENTS, AND MEETINGS

8/28,29,30- Residents Responsibility Workshop 9a @ 900 Oglethorpe St

8/9-Commission Work Session 9a @ 1126 Albany St.

8/13 - Residents Empowerment Event 11a-1p @ 1126 Albany St

8/28- Board of Commission Meeting 6pm @ 1126 Albany St

Social Wellness Month - Resident Empowerment





Valerie Williams informed the residents of the importance of developing healthy relationships and noticing the signs of partner violence. Residents exchange different examples of how they ignored the signs prior to a violent act happening. Mr. Ed Williams, Facility Director spoke on updates on capital projects and answered questions pertaining to maintenance ticket responses.

Food Bank Coming Soon!

Job Plus Center at Glynnvilla (formally Glynnvilla Boys & Girls Club)

For more information 912-933-0545/912-482-2932 or

jobsplusinfo@brunswickpha.org



PARTNERS & PROGRAMS

Bibleway International (Summer Camp)

Boys & Girls Club

Coastal WorkSource

Coastal Outreach Soccer

Communities In Schools

Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS)

Goodwill Inc.- Clothes & Job Training

Job Plus

LoveSmart

P.A.C.E

Resident Opportunity Self-Sufficiency (ROSS)

Safe Harbor - Street Beat

Sparrow Nest-Food Pantry

UGA Extension Nutrition Program

Youth Enrichment Learning Center

A MESSAGES FROM YOUR LEADERSHIP

Board of Commissioners - "Be strong enough to stand alone, smart enough to know when you need help, and brave enough to ask for it "

Interim Executive Director - " Always do the right thing for the right reason"

Resident Services Director— "We must stay aware that our health is our first priority"

Maintenance On My Mind Maintenance Updates

The Brooklyn Homes bathroom renovating: 17 of the 72 Bathrooms have been complete

The Mercer–Altama renovation of burned units are currently installing electrical and interior finishing are being selected

The painter and cleaner company contract has been signed and they are hiring personnel currently.

The Brunswick Housing Authority is aware of the current bats situation and is dedicated to solving this issue. We understand many concerns our residents have about bats. Bats are federally protected animals and a vital part of the ecosystem (additional information can be found at https://batweek.org). If you see any bats entering any of BHA's structures please contact 912-265-1334, so we can relocate them humanely and safely. In the rare event you are bitten by a bat please seek immediate medical attention and also reach out to the local health department.

August

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 Commission– Work Session	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17 Resident Empowerment Event	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28 Residents Workshop Commission Meeting	29 Residents Workshop	30 Residents Workshop	31	1	2

Residents Council Corner



Brooklyn Homes Resident Council hosted a Community event for all of the BHA Residents on July 15 at the Brooklyn Homes' park. Resident Services and our new Job Plus employees were on hand to answer any questions regarding their services. An employment service agency was on hand to hire for several positions along with Care-Source insurance providers and other human service providers. Snow Cones, cotton candy, and games were provided for the children. The DJ services were provided by Care-Source and door prizes were giving out. If you are interested in starting your community's resident council please contact Commissioner Denise Hayes , at haynes-denise1986@gmail.com



To All Of Our August Birthdays!