



# Bayview Village Association

## Newsletter

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### **ALL CANDIDATES MEETING – PROVINCIAL ELECTION MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 8PM TO 9:30PM at BAYVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL**

Bayview Village Association is once again organizing an All-Candidates Meeting for Village residents. This will be your chance to meet and ask questions of the candidates for the upcoming provincial election.



BVA has hosted All-Candidates meetings for every election since 1956!

Your membership fees at work!

#### **DOUG'S NOTES**

First, THANK YOU to all who volunteered this past year for the BVA. Whether helping out at events or on our Executive– these good people help to make (and keep) Bayview Village a safe and vibrant community. Also a big thanks to all who have volunteered to be on the BVA Executive for 2011-2012 – we're looking forward to another terrific year!

It was great to see so many people at our BVA Annual General Meeting and Strawberry Social in June. We updated you on our progress and plans for the future and spoke to community concerns. You elected your new BVA Executive (names and contact info on page 3). And we all enjoyed hearing from our guest speaker, MARTIN REGG COHN, Toronto Star Queens Park columnist giving a timely overview of the provincial political scene.

So many of you attended our 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Bayview Village Garden Tour. It was again a big hit with many new features which have gotten many of us to try out new ideas in our own gardens. It won't surprise you that Mary Anderson, our Garden Tour Coordinator, is already working on next year – please contact her if you want to get involved.

Due to the demand for the BVA Membership Directory we are starting our 2012 membership campaign early – to help please fill out and return the form in this newsletter. Your membership is important to YOU – to help maintain a safe, healthy, and informed community – that has a voice!!

Construction News: A new bridge is being installed in Bayview Village Park – over the narrow creek that runs along the park to Bayberry. There are construction signs up! The city has responded to our request for a handrail down into the ravine from Forest Grove. We'd like to thank Councillor David Shiner for the prompt action on this matter. And finally, the demolition of Page Ave PS is taking place shortly. Hoardings will be in place to ensure safety. Once completed the new development of 21 houses can begin. And we can welcome new families to the Village.

I hope everyone is enjoying a safe and happy summer and ready for the coming season.

Cheers, Doug **DOUG STEPHENS** President – BVA 416-221-4335 [stephens@rogers.com](mailto:stephens@rogers.com)

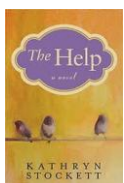


## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH – BY RON CHOI

### CRIME IN YOUR LOCAL HEALTH/FITNESS CLUB

Toronto Police have asked us to share news of thefts and locker break-ins at health & fitness clubs around the GTA. Thieves are looking for wallets, cell phones, credits cards, cash and other valuables from both locked and unlocked lockers or clothing that has been left unattended. Valuables should be securely locked in the trunk (not the glove box) of your car, or left at home. Also, always lock your locker with a good quality lock when the locker is unattended, even if for just a few seconds.

## You Won't Believe What Goes On In and Around Bayview Village!



### BAYVIEW VILLAGE BOOK CLUB – Mon, September 12 at 8 pm

The BVA Book Club is up and running. Join us for our first session in September. We will be discussing 'The Help' by Catherine Stockett. For more details contact Jane Robertson 416-226-1390 or [jrobertson@rogers.com](mailto:jrobertson@rogers.com)

### BAYVIEW VILLAGE BRIDGE CLUB

#### 2011 season starts in October.

New players welcome! Please call Lillian Rowley, 416-225-6140, or June McKey, 416-221-3160, for more information. Former players please call to confirm your return for another year.



### BAYVIEW VILLAGE MAH JONGG CLUB – 2 GROUPS!

We now have two Mah Jongg groups who have started playing. One is the Traditional version – the other group is playing the North American version. If you want more details please contact Jane Robertson 416-226-1390 or [jrobertson@rogers.com](mailto:jrobertson@rogers.com) Mah Jongg is a game of skill, strategy and calculation and is terrific to way to keep work on your analyst skills.



## TORONTO PUBLIC LIBRARY

### TEA AND BOOKS – BAYVIEW VILLAGE BRANCH

Wed Sep 28, 2011 from 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Join a lively discussion of new books and old favourites, while sipping some tea and nibbling on biscuits.

## NORTH YORK CENTRAL BRANCH

### YOUNG VOICES WRITERS CONFERENCE – (AGES 12 – 19)

Sat Oct 15, 2011 from 9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. in the Auditorium

Work with professional writers on your fiction, non-fiction, poetry, graphic novels, journalism, visual arts and script writing! Get published in an instant anthology. Meet other teens who like to write. Food (Free Lunch!) - Door prizes. Register Early - SPACE LIMITED! Call 416-395-5784.

### TOASTMASTERS YOUTH LEADERSHIP COURSE (AGES 15-17)

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. in Room 2/3. On dates listed: Sat Sep 17, Sat Sep 24, Sat Oct 01, Sat Oct 08, & Sat Oct 22.

Students learn about public speaking, listening skills, critiquing others and other useful skills such as how to organize and chair meetings. Space is limited. For details and to register, call 416-395-5674.

## BVA PROVINCIAL ALL-CANDIDATES MEETING

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 AT 8PM AT BAYVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL

Open to all residents of the village. Students very welcome! Democracy in action.

## PROVINCIAL ELECTION – OCTOBER 6, 2011

Remember to vote – either on Election Day or in the Advance poll. Details will be mailed to voters. Information also at [www.elections.on.ca](http://www.elections.on.ca) or [info@elections.on.ca](mailto:info@elections.on.ca), or 1-888 668-8683 (Office hours:8:30am - 5:00pm) re Voter's lists, advance polls, voting by mail, etc.

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# Bayview Village Association

## Membership Application 2012

Membership is open to all residents of Bayview Village.

[www.bayviewvillage.org](http://www.bayviewvillage.org)

**Reasons to become a member:** You will have a voice, as well as provide your support to the Association's efforts to keep Bayview Village safe, informed and beautiful. A large membership shows government agencies and politicians that we care strongly about issues that affect our community.

**JOIN ON-LINE.**  
 All you need is a credit card. Go to [www.bayviewvillage.org](http://www.bayviewvillage.org) Follow the links to join or renew by using **PayPal™** secure service.

**Membership is just \$20.00 /year.** Additional contributions are very much appreciated.

**To Join:** Complete this form, enclose a cheque for the total amount and mail or drop-off at one of the addresses listed below. Make cheques payable to "Bayview Village Association", **OR** use our secure website ([www.bayviewvillage.org](http://www.bayviewvillage.org))

Please allow us to list all information for the directory. This allows neighbours to get to know each other and help keep Bayview Village a safe, strong and friendly community.		
Address: (House number & street)		
Last Name, #1 resident:		
First Name, #1:		
Occupation, #1: (optional)		
Company #1: (optional)		
Last Name, #2 resident:		
First Name, #2:		
Occupation, #2: (optional)		
Company #2: (optional)		
Home Phone Number:		(    )
Year moved into Bayview Village:		
Membership fee	\$ 20.00	<b><i>How do you want to be listed?</i></b> a) List all information in directory..... b) List my initials, address & Phone No. only.... E.g., H.R.....1Clarinda Dr.....416-123-4567 c) List only as "member".....
Voluntary contribution	\$	
History of Bayview Village Book \$20 (See information overleaf)	\$	
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT enclosed</b>	\$	

The information we collect is used to prepare an annual directory for members. BVA does not distribute or sell its membership information. Only members receive a directory.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION!**

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