

Summer 2010

THE PICK-ME-UP

Because We Care Volunteer Newsletter

Directly from the *The Dandy Lion Newsletter* edited by Mr. Robert J. Pratt

Nine members of the Richmond West Breakfast Lions Club's Henrico County Volunteer Litter Pickup Crew met at the BB&T Bank on Saturday, June 12 to kick off the second phase of this year's litter control project.

Under the leadership of project leader Lion Pat Hoggard, team members set out to their assigned segments of Skipwith Road promptly at 10:00 a.m.

It was already 77 degrees with humidity at 78 percent and a clear sunny sky. The crew, equipped with their blue nitrile gloves, fashionable lime green safety vests and orange pickup sticks, fanned out to tackle the two-mile stretch of Skipwith Road between Broad Street and Parham Road.

Everyone was in good spirits as they strode along the road. The amount of trash was significantly less on Saturday than it was on the first cleanup three months ago. This reduced the time needed to cover the route.

Drivers waved encouragement and one neighbor took the opportunity to thank Lion Bob Pratt and the Lions for their community service. The crew wrapped up operations around 11:30 a.m. and regrouped at the bank where they took a well-deserved water break.

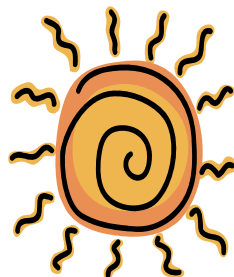
With the current mission accomplished, crew posed under the club's Adopt A Highway sign for an obligatory group photograph.

Lion Pat Hoggard extends his thanks and appreciation to Lions Dave and Kathy Bauer, Walter Douglas, Kevin Dunne, Calvin Easter, Mike Harris, Dale Mounce, Bob Pratt for giving their time and energy to the project.

If you live or work near this section of Skipwith Road, please take a moment to see the results.



Hot Hot Hot!!



Please do not pick up litter on stifling hot days. When you do go out remember to bring water and take plenty of breaks. Safety is our first priority. We appreciate all you do!

Recent Litter Pick Ups!

March 2010—June 2010

BSA Troop 269

Henrico County Solid Waste

BSA Troop 702

Henrico Co. Water Treatment Facility

BSA/Cub Scout Troop 747

Injured Workers Law Firm

BSA Troop 772

Micah Wayland and Family

Camp Holly Springs

Pfizer

Concerned Citizen

Richmond International Raceway

Connie and Stuart Burton

Richmond West Lions Breakfast Club

Draper Aden and Associates

Rockwell Family and Friends

The East End Landfill

Roslyn Retreat Center

East Harvie Road Associations

Short Pump Rotary Club

Fairmount United Methodist Church

Smile & Move

Friends of Cain Roman

Springfield Springers Go Green

Friends of Bryan and Ellen

Thomas Grasberger and Family

Girl Scout Troop 3760

Varina Women's Club

Glen Allen Ruritan Club

Walmart Parham Road

Greenwood United Methodist Church

Henrico Community Corrections



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