

•WATERFRONT•
VILLAGE



The Navigator

A neighborhood-based membership organization
of paid staff, volunteers, and vendors
supporting Southwest Waterfront and Navy Yard residents
who wish to age in place.

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NEWS AND UPDATES



Waterfront Village's **Seal of Transparency** with **GuideStar** has been upgraded to Silver Status in recognition of transparency in financial accounting, the only senior village in Washington to hold the designation. Last month's \$10,000 matching gift from the Village Board drew a record \$13,181 in additional donations - more than double previous challenges.



The Village will be testing shared office space to offer **office hours and meeting space** for its members, volunteers, and staff. As of August, Waterfront Village will be located at 800 Maine Avenue, S.W., second floor, with offices hours of 9 am - 1 pm weekdays. The phone number of 202-656-1834 and postal address of 607 Sixth Place, S.W., will remain.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Tuesday, August 6

9 am - 6 pm: All-Villages day trip to Richmond's Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. Power down, unplug, and join a voyage into the visionary art of Tibet with *Awaken: A Tibetan Buddhist Journey Toward Enlightenment*, nearly 100 objects from the collection and the Asian Art Museum of San Francisco.

Thursday, August 8

11:45 am: Miniature Golf at East Potomac Park. Enjoy The Wharf's brief water jitney ride to the nation's oldest



miniature golf course followed by a snack in the club house. First-time players and those who prefer to just observe are welcome.

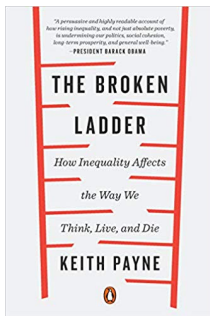


Monday, August 12

9 am - 12 pm: Home barbering service is offered by Leslie Bryant. Please book directly with Leslie at 202-368-4603. Repeats **September 9** and the second Monday of the month thereafter. **Contact the Village** for complete in-home styling, manicure, and pedicure referrals. www.theladyclipper.com



6 pm: Village members gather for a potluck meal hosted by Cooks Crew with tasty homemade food, friendship, great conversation, and a chance to learn more about the Cooks Crew, the Village culinary club. Attendees bring a side dish, dessert, or beverage for eight people, or help with clean-up.



Thursday, August 15

2 pm: The Village Book Club meets at Politics and Prose on The Wharf. This month's selection is Keith Payne's *The Broken Ladder*, which examines the many ways inequality divides us and influences our perceptions of where we stand in relation to each other. Repeats the third Thursday of each month.



Tuesday, August 20

2 pm: *Queens of Egypt* at the National Geographic Museum. Village Members will enjoy a private tour of artifacts, monumental sculptures, sparkling jewelry, and impressive sarcophagi from ancient Egypt, one of the world's greatest civilizations, and get to know some of its mighty queens. Preceded at 1 pm by an optional lunch gathering at the museum cafeteria.



Thursday, August 22

11 am: In association with the Alzheimer's Association, Waterfront Village members attend a monthly support group for those caring for loved ones living with Alzheimer's Disease at Saint Matthew Lutheran Church. Repeats the fourth Thursday of each month.

Friday, August 30

7 pm: Southwest Chamber Players Summer Concert to



Benefit Waterfront Village. David and Barbara Ehrlich invite you to a chamber music concert and reception at Saint Augustine's Episcopal Church. Free and open to the public, with donations going to Waterfront Village. Can't attend? Donations may also be made through our [website](#).



Saturday, August 31

7:05 pm: Waterfront Village Night at the Washington Nationals. Celebrate the Labor Day weekend as the Nationals take on the Miami Marlins. Tickets for our annual outing to the ballpark are courtesy of the Washington Nationals Community Ticket Grant.

SAVE THE DATE

Tuesday, September 24 - Day Trip by Water Taxi to National Harbor
Sunday, October 6 - Homes of the Southwest Waterfront House Tour
October 22 - Day Trip to the Skyline Drive

Three easy ways to register:

Visit our [website](#) to learn more and RSVP on-line*

Email your request to events@dcwaterfrontvillage.org

Call the Village at 202-656-1834

*Call 866-457-2582 weekdays 830 am - 7 pm for help with secure online registrations



Welcoming our new Member:
Jane Connolly

Thanking our renewing Members:

Juanzetta Flowers
Josef Simkovic

Full Members enjoy our events plus:

Something to Talk About



While it's understandable to not want to talk about our legacy plans, getting our inheritance wishes in order is one of the greatest gifts we can bestow upon our loved ones. If Waterfront Village is a cause you cherish, please

- 16 rides per year in the District or Arlington by our volunteer drivers
- "Welcome Home" transportation, meals, and visits following a hospital or rehab stay
- Telephone check-ins
- Friendly Companion visits
- Handyman help
- Reading for the visually impaired
- Uber, airline, rail booking service
- Prescription, grocery, meal delivery

**Learn More About our
Free 60-Day Trial
Membership**

Learn more about volunteering for Waterfront Village

[download](#) our Planned Giving brochure or call 202-656-1834 to learn more.

Executive Director Job Search

The Board of Waterfront Village has announced that Executive Director Bob Craycraft will be retiring from his position at the end of 2019. A job search is underway; interested candidates should make their interest known to the Board at jobs@dcwaterfrontvillage.org.

Website Benefits Donations Events Contact



Waterfront Village is a member of the [DC Villages](#) collaborative and the [Village to Village Network](#), operating under the guidance of the [District of Columbia Department of Aging and Community Living](#).

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