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New Executive

In August 2012, The Andrea Golding's Administration was voted in office to serve for a period of two years. The Executive team consists of: Andrea Golding, President; Andre Grant, 1st. Vice President; Donald Scott, 2nd Vice President; Attoy Neil, Secretary, Joan Ellison, Assistant Secretary; Jason Kirby, PRO; Petrina Henry, Assistant PRO; Peter Hutchinson, Treasurer; Nicholas Williams, Assistant Treasurer.

The Non Executive Members are Donald Tomlinson, Planning & Development; Peter Baker, Company Secretary and Enroy Madourie, Events Planning. The Executive is committed to service to community through, teamwork, engaging solutions, accountability and transparency. Persons wishing to serve as a non executive member can contact the Association.

The new executive hosted several community events for September 12, 2012 to January 2013, and oh, the community responded!

A community celebrates GSAT Awardees



Pleased with this year's results, the White Water Meadows community honoured 35 bright sparks at its annual GSAT Award held in September. Guest Speaker, Sergeant Currie of the Spanish Town Police Station, engaged the awardees to see the placements as a reward for the sleepless nights of preparation. He encouraged the young minds to continue to do their best at their new schools.

No Dog barks at Dog Show



"Ole dog like me, mi haffi hav dem inna twos & threes" . Well this was not to be, this time around Mr. Beenie man, as less than two or three dogs reported for duty at our annual Dog Show held in October 2012. Without the cute ruff ruff, the show brought a delightful twist with a Mini Expo. There were well organized booths with an array of fashionable clothing, stylish accessories, bed & bath, household items and more. Several corporate entities including Social Development Commission, SDC, St. Catherine Cooperative Credit Union, Kingston Industrial Garage, Herbal Life Limited, Lennie's Party Supplies, and Patrick Solar Energy supported the event.

Yellow House on Top!



Sheer pandemonium broke the too close to call results, well after 7p.m. when the final points standing for Sports Day 2012 was announced. King **YELLOW** House, squeezed 232 points to nosed ahead of hot and raving **RED** House 230 points. **BLUE** House was bullish for the first in recent times, scoring 200 points to take third place ahead of gifted **GREEN** House who bowed gracefully in fourth place with 88 points.

The day's event was colorful as Red, Blue, Yellow, Green, battled in all events to the finish line, to eek out valuable points for their houses. Over sixty finals were contested in egg & spoon races, 50 & 100 metre dashes; relays, under 12 & over 17 six-a-side football, netball, balloon dance and more. There were outbursts of friendly cheer leading, as points standing and medals awards were announced.

Stanhope Road, Stanhope Close, Stanhope Place, Chadwick Gardens, White Water Close and Clinton Place represented the 2012 champion, King Yellow House.

We Want Justice!



We Want Road!

"We want justice!" "We waan road! We waan road!" was the loud cry of hundreds of angry White Waterians, Chedwinites and Harlanders. The residents joint forces, braved the early morning dawn to register their frustration about the deplorable state of the Hartlands Road. Placards in the air, debris on the ground, crowd slowed traffic and policemen stood in anticipation. RJR News, TVJ, CVM, CNS-TV and The Jamaica Observer who were quick on the scene, hunted the crowd for the sights and sound bites of the week.

Pleased with the strong show of support, President Golding in an address to the demonstrators, thanked the crowd for making their voices heard and informed, that the fight to have the road repaired will continue.

This was the second demonstration about the deplorable state of the Hartlands road in recent times.

Gee Wiz its Christmas!

Yes it's that time of year again for the staging of the annual Children's Treat and this year the community gave generously in cash and kind towards the event. The Treat was well organized much to the delight of the well over 100 kids who attended. The youngsters could not get enough of the bounce-a-bout rides and were feted with ice-cream, cake, grab bags and other goodies.

All i want for Christmas is u!



Heads Up! - Project D-COM has arrived:

Projects Develop Community (Project D-Com) is a road map of the projects and activities this Administration seeks to undertake during its tenure. It aims to provide progressive updates on the projects and activities, so our residents can have a better appreciation of the strategies being employed and the work being done to materialize the projects. Progressive updates on the following projects will form the basis for discussions at General Meetings.

- ✓ Collections to repair the Hartlands Road
- ✓ Beautification of the Community Entrance
- ✓ Building of a Community Gazebo & Children's play ground in the Park

- ✓ Re-brand the community's website and Implement a Text 555 Messaging Service

Hats Off

...and the hats off for the quarter goes to: Miss **Andrea Clarke** of Stanhope Road.

In December 2012, Miss Clarke saw the need for the cutting of the community entrance. She enquired of the Association as to how it could be done. We informed her that we were short on funding. Miss Clarke encouraged her neighbours to pool their funds to assist and through her herculean efforts collected \$8,400 which she handed over to the Association to assist with the cutting of the community entrance. The job was completed in time for the Christmas holidays. Hats off to you Miss Clarke, we salute you for a job well done!

Community Notices Board:

1. Flow subscribers are being reminded to submit their flow account numbers to the Citizens' Association. This is required in-order for the community to obtain economic benefits from the subscriber.

2. The Citizens' Association has begun collection of \$1,500 per house for the repairs of the Hartlands Road. Collection is at the community entrance, Saturdays & Sundays, 4-6p.m. For more information contact # 441-7479. Flow subscribers are being asked to walk with your Flow bill.

3. Do you have a product or service you wish to advertise in the Newsletter and on the community's website? For as low as \$1,500 you can! Contact # 441-7479 for the details.

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