

BARCROFT NEWS

THE NEWSLETTER OF YOUR CIVIC ASSOCIATION

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OUTDOOR EDUCATION AND HOME SECURITY TO BE EXPLORED AT NEXT MEETINGS.

The March 1st meeting of the Association will feature a presentation of the educational programs offered at the Phoebe Knipling Outdoor Lab, a learning facility established by the Arlington Outdoor Education Association with the cooperation of Arlington's schools.

The Laboratory, which is located at Gainesville on the Old Georgetown Pike, offers practical "hands on" experiences to Arlington students in all aspects of the environment.

Dr. Don Brandewie, Science Coordinator of Arlington Public Schools, and Mr. Douglas Hunsucker, County teacher and Coordinator of Outdoor Education, will describe the facility's program with the help of slides. Meeting time is 8PM, Thursday, at the Community House, 8th and Buchanan Streets.

At the April 5th Association meeting (same time and location), an Arlington police representative will give a presentation on home security techniques and the police's Operation Identification. Like our March meeting, this should prove to be a very informative event and it is hoped that all residents will attend one or both of the meetings and get more involved in their Civic Association.

DEFINITE WORD ON SCHOOL VACATION CURTAILMENT DUE MARCH 1ST.

Like most everything else in life, one does not get something for nothing and Arlington's school children will have to make up those glorious days spent romping happily

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in the snows of yesterday. According to School authorities, the 15th June school closing date previously scheduled will probably be adhered to and the three makeup days now due will probably be taken from Spring vacation. The final decision still rests with the School Board, however, and the Board meeting set for Thursday night at the Education Center (7:30PM) will debate the question in detail.

"PROGRESSIVE DINNER" SUGGESTED FOR SPRING ASSOCIATION EVENT.

Last Fall one of our members suggested we have a "Progressive Dinner" in the Spring. We need 3-4 residents to offer their homes and/or yards for this travelling Pot Luck dinner. Participants would walk from house to house sampling the courses provided by other residents.

This sounds like a fun event. Please feel free to express your thoughts on the proposal at the March meeting.

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