

# Falconbridge Village News August 30, 2009

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### Fall Calendar Dates to Save

**Falconbridge Village Assoc. presents these exciting, fun, and informative events and programs for Fall 2009. Please mark your calendar:**

**Sept 1:** *Support team orientation, 6—9 pm, Falconbridge Clubhouse. To register, email [steven@prohct-compassion.org](mailto:steven@prohct-compassion.org) or call Steven: 919-402-1844. Our support team volunteers need to complete this orientation program to become members officially. If you have been thinking of joining this very successful program to help neighbors when emergencies arise, this is your chance. The team meets for 59 minutes on the first Saturday of each month, 10:30-11:29 am. Contact Rosemary Hutchinson to get on the email list and be kept informed of how you can help out.*

**Sept 23, 30, Oct 7:** *Making Friends with Gravity: Moving with Ease and Avoiding Falls and Injuries. 5:30-6:30 pm, Falconbridge Clubhouse. Registration \$33 for general public, \$28 for dues-paying members of Falconbridge Village Association. Certified Feldenkrais practitioner Paul McAndrew, P.T., will help class participants enhance balancing and fall-avoidance skills appropriately for their existing level of physical agility. We think of gravity as something to fear. Instead, it's actually a force we can harness to make many activities easier and more productive. Come learn how. To register, send check along with name, address, and phone number to Falconbridge Village Association, 6 Lacrosse Pl., 27517.*

### **October 18 (raindate Oct 25).**

*Falconbridge Together: A Day of fun, festivity, and community co-sponsored collaboratively by all the Falconbridge associations: Falconbridge Village Association, Falconbridge Community Association, Falconbridge Homeowners Association, and Community Club of Falconbridge. We will start with FUN: a hilarious dog parade, with ribbons for all kinds of "best" categories awarded by our neighbors who reside at Wynwood Assisted Living. This will be followed by a work party under the direction of Ron Johnson of FHOA, helping to spruce up the area around the lake for everyone's enjoyment. We will then enjoy outdoor games and activities and a potluck dinner with entertainment at the Falconbridge Clubhouse. SAVE THE DATE, AND HELP BUILD AND ENJOY COMMUNITY.*

**Nov.4:** *Green Home Renovations 7-9 pm, Falconbridge Clubhouse. This panel of experts will inform us of the economies and opportunities available for creating green renovations to our homes.*

**Nov. 18?** *Meet Our Farmers: CSA Show and Tell. 7-9 pm, Falconbridge Clubhouse. The charming young organic farmers from Bluebird Meadows Farm, who have been supplying us with locally grown organic produce this summer will share with us their experiences as local organic farmers. This will also be your opportunity to sign up for the 2010 Falconbridge CSA program, to receive great produce and flowers next year and help support local organic farmers.*

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### **Join Falconbridge Village Association**

Our association has now become a reality. Steering committee member Bolton Anthony has done a beautiful job of helping to refine our by-laws and create a useful website. Visit

[www.falconbridgevillage.org](http://www.falconbridgevillage.org) to learn how Falconbridge Village Association activities and seminars are working to enhance our sense of community and how they can help you establish good friendships within our neighborhood.

Falconbridge residents are eligible to join Falconbridge Village Association, upon paying the reasonable annual dues of \$15 per member household. Membership will entitle those who join to

- participate in Falconbridge Village Association interest groups at no charge (\$5 per year for non-members),
- attend at no or reduced cost educational and information seminars sponsored by Falconbridge Village Association,
- access the "members only" portion of the website, which will store for reference the updated resource lists, the Falconbridge Village Association newsletter, and FVA chats and current information.

#### **To join Falconbridge Village**

**Association**: Before Sept. 30, give your check, made out to "Falconbridge Village," to a steering committee member at a Travelling Pub session, at

an interest group meeting, or at a community event or seminar. Or mail your check, with your name(s), address, phone number, and e-mail, to FVA, 6 Lacrosse Place, Chapel Hill 27517. Or put your check in an envelope inside the storm door (at the red door) at 6 Lacrosse Pl.

By joining, you will help to support the expenses that the association incurs in sponsoring its various events and communications. Falconbridge Village Association is making a difference in the lives of Falconbridge residents. Together, we are creating a supportive community.

### **Thanks to the Falconbridge Village Association Steering Committee Members for Making our Activities Possible**

Without our dedicated group of steering committee members, we would not have any of the fantastic community activities we have come to enjoy so much. At present, the steering committee members are: **Bolton Anthony, Paul Brimfield, Bill Brown, Paula Clarke, Rosemary Hutchinson, Rosemary Hyde, Karen Olson, and Jan Richmond.**

**We need another volunteer to join our Steering Committee. Please let any of the steering committee members know if you would like to join us. We are having a good time getting to know each other and collaborating to enhance community life in Falconbridge.**