

President's Report

Palladian Board of Directors Meeting

Thursday, April 16, 2009

'Round Rockville Shuttle

The new 'Round Rockville Shuttle began service this week. The shuttle services Rockville Town Square, Rockville Metro, 355, Twinbrook Metro, Wootten Parkway, Shady Grove Road and Falls Grove among other stops. There is a ribbon cutting this Saturday at noon in Town Square, it will feature the unveiling of a bus and an address by Mayor Hoffman.

Town Center Action Team Town Square Summit

The Town Center Action Team is planning a Town Center Summit this coming Tuesday, April 21st from 7 to 9 pm in the VisArts second floor exhibit hall. The meeting will focus on the successes and prospects of Town Square development and how we can facilitate and encourage improvements in the short and long term. The meeting will include representatives from all of the various interests that will influence the future of our Town Center - residents, merchants, property owners and managers - who live and work in Town Square, and also Rockville citizens who have an interest in the new Center. Everyone is encouraged to attend. More information can be found on the Palladian website.

First Friday's Deck Party

The Rockville First Fridays Deck Party is back with the first event on May 1. For those that don't know, it's a happy hour style event sponsored by the City of Rockville. There is live entertainment, admission is free but food and drinks are available for purchase. The event is at the VisArts Center and runs from 5-8pm. First Friday Deck Parties will also be held on the first Friday in June, August and September.

Concert in the Square

Concert in the Square is also back in May. Concert in the Square features live music in Town Center beginning on Thursday May 7th from 6-8pm. Concerts are held from on Thursday's through mid-September.

Grocery Store Update

The state bill that would have allowed a special exception for the grocery store SuperFresh to sell beer and wine in the store expected to open in Rockville Town Square didn't make it out of the House of Delegates subcommittee this past Monday. SuperFresh has yet to respond and its not known when the grocery store will open, although Robin McBride, the FRIT VP and COO of the mid-Atlantic region expects the store to open by the end of 2009. There is an article in the gazette about the story, refer to the following link: http://www.gazette.net/stories/04152009/aspenew213200_32478.shtml

Thank you,

Adam Weber

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