



FROM  
THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

**Happy New Year!!! We Made It!!!**

It's truly a blessing to see another beginning of a New Year. Give praise and be grateful for another year to be and do all that you desire. Another year to get it right and to try again. Another chance to keep pushing forward towards your utmost goal(s).

**ASK FOR WHAT YOU NEED. BELIEVE YOU WILL RECEIVE. Keep FAITH over FEAR. NEVER EVER GIVE UP.**

Make 2023 the year to get more involved in your community services and activities. We need you, your talents, skills and ideas to advance our neighborhood. Come out to our next community meeting, Thursday, January 26, 2023 at 6:00 pm. Meet us at our Newcastle-Trenholm Acres Community Center, 5819 Shakespeare Road. We will be electing new officers for 2023. We need you. Bring your next door neighbor with you.

"Thank You" to all of our committee members that worked faithfully to make 2022 a great year to be a member of the Newcastle Community. Your dedication is unmatched and worthy of my praise to you. You are the greatest!

Take a deep breath. Let's get ready to face a brand new year with hope and dreams of a better today and tomorrow.

*Thinking of You,  
Mary McCants, NCCI President*



**Thursday, January 26, 2023**

**JOIN US FOR IN-PERSON**

Community Meeting 6:00pm

Newcastle Concerned Citizens, Inc.

5819 Shakespeare Road



**Congratulations**

**YARD OF THE MONTH**

**Mr & Mrs. Leon C. & Annie M. Green**

**139 Redwood Court**



**NATIONAL  
GLAUCOMA  
AWARENESS  
M O N T H  
J A N U A R Y**

## SICK, SHUT-IN & RECUPERATING

**Mrs. Gene B. Parks**, 150 Redwood Court.  
**Mrs. Ruth Nixon-Stevenson**, 224 Oakley Drive.  
**Mrs. Loretta Lyles**, 168 Newcastle Drive.  
**Mr. London Tillmon Jr.**, 158 Weldwood Court.  
is in NHC Healthcare Rehabilitation Center, 2993  
Sunset Blvd., West Columbia, South Carolina 29169  
**Mr. Herman Walker**, The Harmony, 2300 Clemson Road  
Apt. #108, Columbia, South Carolina 29229

## OUR SYMPATHY AND LOVE TO:

**We are sorry for your loss. Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.**

If you or a member of your family has experienced a serious illness, hospitalization or a death in your family, please let us know. With your permission, we will publish your information in our monthly newsletter and email the information to our neighbors through our "Keeping Us Connected." This will enable neighbors to reach out to you with well wishes and/or condolences.

You may Email your information to:  
[infor@newcastleconcernedcitizens.com](mailto:infor@newcastleconcernedcitizens.com)  
or [Jmobley2@aol.com](mailto:Jmobley2@aol.com)  
or send a Text Message to 803-500-6507



## Let Us Celebrate Your Day

Would you like to celebrate your birthday or your anniversary with your Newcastle neighbors? Newcastle Concerned Citizens Inc. would like to celebrate your happy events, including your birthday or your anniversary. We would like to share your happy events in our monthly newsletter. If you would like for us to celebrate with you, please share your information.

Anniversary, for example,

**Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith 12/5**

Birthday, for example,

**Robert Smith 08/11**

You may Email your information to:  
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or send a Text Message to 803-500-6507

## JOAN'S TOURS LLC

**FLYERS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**

## MINIMUM OF 30 FOR TRIP TO GO

THURS., SEPT. 28, 2023: "MJ – THE MUSICAL", CHARLOTTE, NC: The music. The showmanship. The icon. Now, the unparalleled artistry of the greatest entertainer of all time comes to Charlotte as MJ begins a tour of its own. MJ offers not just Michael Jackson's singular moves and signature sound, but also a thrilling glimpse into the creative spirit and obsessive mind that created the biggest pop superstar the world has ever known. PREMIUM ORCHESTRA & GRAND TIER - \$230 – 10 Tickets Available; ORCHESTRA & GRAND TIER - \$214 – 10 Tickets Available; MEZZANINE - \$187 – 10 Tickets Available. Includes charter bus transportation, ticket, driver gratuity & snacks. ONE-HALF DEPOSIT DUE by JANUARY 10 OR UNTIL ALL TICKETS SOLD. BALANCE DUE BY MARCH 1 PRICES FOR THE FOLLOWING INCLUDE CHARTER BUS, HOTEL, GUIDED TOURS, SOME MEALS, SNACKS, and WATER & MOST GRATUITIES. TRAVEL INSURANCE AVAILABLE

JUNE 4-10, 2023: MEMPHIS – HOME OF THE BLUES, SOUL & ROCK 'n' ROLL, 7 days, 6 nights, 10 meals - 6 breakfasts, 4 dinners, Guided Tour of MEMPHIS, Free time on Beale Street in Memphis, National Civil Rights Museum, Memphis Rock 'n' Soul Museum, STAX Museum of American Soul Music, Gaming at Memphis Area Casino, Alex Haley Museum & William J. Clinton Presidential Library & Museum. \$795 each double, \$1,053 Single, \$775 Triple. \$75 deposit. Final payment due March 28, 2023. SEATS AVAILABLE

DETAILS AND PRICE TO BE ANNOUNCED FOR THE FOLLOWING: AUGUST 2023: MONTREAL, QUEBEC CITY & CANADA'S CAPITAL

– OTTAWA OCTOBER 9-14, 2023: BILOXI & NEW ORLEANS.

**Cash, Check, Money Order, Zelle: 8036223955 or CashApp: \$JoansTours Call for Credit Card Payments.**

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## BIRTHDAY

Mary W.	McCants	6-Jan
John	Miller	7-Jan
Sean	Mosley	13-Jan
Priscilla	Doreh	15-Jan
Joyce	Burgess	19-Jan
Selina	Dawkins	19-Jan
Anthony	Webb	23-Jan
Patricia	Gaddy	24-Jan



# Neighborhood Association Dues Paid 2023



**Mrs. Mary W. McCants**  
305 Newcastle Dr.  
President

**Mrs. Gene Blakely Parks**  
150 Redwood Ct.  
Vice President  
Social Activities Committee

**Mrs. Geraldine S. Parker**  
200 Devoe Dr.  
Treasurer  
Grant Writer  
Social Activities Committee

**Mrs. Nora Smith**  
133 Rancho Dr.  
Secretary  
Social Activities Committee

**Mrs. Kimberley B. Coward**  
152 Coolstream Dr.  
Corresponding Secretary

**Deacon Therin McCants**  
305 Newcastle Dr.  
Benevolence Committee  
Block Captain Coordinator  
Community Service Chair  
Garden & Landscape

**Dr. Anthony Mack**  
157 Coolstream Dr.  
Benevolence Committee Chair  
Block Captain Coordinator  
Social Activities Committee Chair  
Yard of the Month-Co-Chair  
Newsletter Editor

**Deacon James E. Parker**  
200 Devoe Dr.  
Benevolence Committee  
Community Service Member

**Mr. Sammie Parks**  
150 Redwood Ct.  
Adopt-a-Highway Chair  
Community Service Member

**Mrs. Betty Forney**  
217 Weldwood Ct.  
Benevolence Committee  
Social Activities Committee

**Mrs. Mattie B. Moses**  
158 Redwood Ct.  
Beautification Committee Chair  
Social Activities Committee

**Deacon Albert L Wright**  
128 Coolstream Dr.  
Benevolence Committee

**Mrs. Lavon Cooper**  
130 Sunnydale Dr.  
Block Captain

**Mrs. Ethel Bingham**  
162 Redwood Ct.

**Mr. & Mrs. Romie & Gertrude Creech**  
206 Newcastle Dr.

**Mr. William Coward**  
152 Coolstream Dr.

**Mrs. Ophelia Davis**  
160 Coolstream Dr.

**Residence Murph**  
317 Newcastle Dr.

**Mrs. Edith Staples**  
310 Newcastle Dr.

**Mrs. Betty A. Wright**  
128 Coolstream Dr.

## NOMINEES FOR NCCI OFFICERS FOR 2023

### PRESIDENT

Mrs. Cynthia D. Holmes-Privette'

### VICE PRESIDENT

Mrs. Gene Blakely Parks  
Mrs. Mary W. McCants

### RECORDING SECRETARY

Mrs. Nora J. Smith

### CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Mrs. Kimberley B. Cowards

### TREASURER

Mrs. Geraldine S. Parker

### ASSISTANT TREASURER

Ms. Joan Mobley

### CHAPLAIN

Rev. Dr. Reid R. White Jr.

### CO-CHAPLAIN

Deacon Charles Washington

**We thank the Nominating Committee for their time and selfless efforts**

## 2022 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OFFICERS

<b>President</b> Mrs. Mary W. McCants (803) 238-7788	<b>Chaplain</b> Rev. Dr. Reid R. White, Jr. (803) 786-5860	<b>Community Liaison</b> Deacon Rhett (803) 513-7675
<b>Vice President</b> Mrs. Gene Blakely Parks (803) 754-7431	<b>Co-Chaplain</b> Deacon Charles Washington (803) 210-5963	<b>Garden &amp; Landscape</b> Deacon Therin McCants (803) 261-0738
<b>Secretary</b> Mrs. Nora J. Smith (803) 414-7744	<b>Adopt-a-Highway Chair</b> Mr. Sammy Parks (803) 754-7431	<b>Newsletter Editor</b> Dr. Anthony Mack (803) 500-6507
<b>Corresponding Secretary</b> Mrs. Kimberley B. Coward (803) 360-9279	<b>Beautification Committee Chair</b> Mrs. Mattie Moses (803) 754-8445	<b>Social Activities Committee Chair</b> Dr. Anthony Mack (803) 727-2177
<b>Treasurer</b> Mrs. Geraldine S. Parker (803) 754-8093	<b>Benevolence Committee Chair</b> Dr. Anthony Mack (803) 500-6507	<b>Neighborhood Association Welcoming Committee</b> Deacon Tim Speaks (803) 960-0848
<b>Assistant Treasurer</b> Ms. Joan Mobley (803) 622-3955	<b>Block Captain Coordinator</b> Deacon Therin McCants (803) 261-0738	<b>Yard of the Month Chair</b> Mrs. Mary Ann Bookert (803) 319-3038

## HANDY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

**Richland County Sheriff CAT Team  
Officer**  
Deputy Perez aperez@rcsd.net  
(803) 636-5261

**Richland County Sheriff's Department  
Non Emergency Number**  
(803) 576-3000

**Richland County District 3  
Councilwoman Yvonne L. McBride**  
(803) 904-9145

**East Richland County Public Service  
District Business Office**  
(803) 788-1570  
**24-Hour Service Department**  
(803) 788-6351

**Richland County Ombudsman**  
(803) 929-6000

**Rep. Leon Howard, SC House  
District 76**  
(803) 734-3046

**Sen. Darrell Jackson, SC Senate  
District 21**  
(803) 212-6048

**Newcastle Concerned Citizens, Inc.**  
(803) 500-6507

**Bulk Items Collection**  
(803) 576-2450

### NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION DUES

\$30.00 per calendar year per household. Make check or money order payable to NCCI

Mail to

Mrs. Geraldine S. Parker, Treasurer  
NCCI

Post Office Box 2024  
Columbia, SC 29202

[www.newcastleconcernedcitizens.com](http://www.newcastleconcernedcitizens.com)

### CUOTAS DE LA ASOCIACIÓN DE VECINDARIOS

\$30.00 por año calendario por hogar. Hacer cheque o giro postal pagadero a NCCI, Correo a la Sra.

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