

SHILOH

COMMUNITY
NEWSLETTER

WINTER 2018

From the Desk of our
SCA President

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Events This Quarter



Building on the legacy. Embracing the future.

From the Desk of Our Shiloh Community Association President



This summer we welcomed the newest Habitat for Humanity Community and its residents to Shiloh. Our community completed and celebrated the Shiloh Community Association (SCA) Legacy Art Trail with the dedication of the Conley Passage. The SCA Scholarship Comity awarded the first of many scholarships this year. The association continues to maintain and manage collaboration with several of the local universities, government agencies, and non-profit stakeholders around Asheville and Buncombe Co.

It is an honor to be part of our growing Shiloh Community. I and the Executive Board of the SCA encourage everyone to be a part of the work of building on a legacy.

MONTHLY SHILOH COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION MEETING

JOIN US!

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

*1st Monday of the month
for the SCA Meeting*

*Linwood Crump Shiloh
Recreation Center*

*121 Shiloh Rd.
Asheville, NC 28803*

*With the exception of
holiday's. When a
holiday falls on the first
Monday than the meeting
will reside on the **2nd
Monday** of the month.*

OFFICERS OF THE SCA

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HISTORY OF OUR COMMUNITY

Shiloh is a historically African-American community that has been continuously inhabited since the late 1880's. The community's name is a biblical name generally denoting the Messiah, or the Peaceful One.

Older residents refer to Shiloh as new Shiloh. New Shiloh evolved and prospered around three cornerstones: its churches, its school, and its people. According to oral and church histories, old Shiloh was located north of the Biltmore Estate. When George Vanderbilt bought the land for his mountain home in the late 1880's he moved the entire community, including Shiloh Church and the church cemetery to its current location.



CHURCHES

The earliest churches are of special note.

Shiloh A.M.E. Zion Church
Rock Hill Missionary Baptist Church
Brooklyn Mission Church

These churches formed the cornerstones on which the community developed.

SCHOOLS

The Linwood Crump Shiloh Recreation Center now stands in place of the original Rosenwald building that was and remains the center of our community.

PEOPLE

Despite tedious jobs and long working hours, the people developed a strong sense of community cohesiveness and made special efforts to give time and support to activities for neighborhood children.

SCA Scholarship Fund

Eligibility Requirements for the 2019 Scholarship

- Currently enrolled as an undergraduate in a college or university; or be a graduating high school senior seeking admission to an undergraduate college or university for the upcoming term. (Awards will be granted to high school seniors upon proof of college acceptance.)
- Reside in the Shiloh Community
- If a high school senior the applicant must have a minimum cumulative Grade Point Average of a 2.50 on a 4.0 scale
- If currently enrolled in a college or university the applicant must have a minimum cumulative Grade Point Average of a 2.50 on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent on a 3 point scale
- Demonstrate community service



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In the
Community



The E.W. Pearson Project Collaborative

There are four common group goals that our community group leaders identified to join forces on

1. Communications with City and County
2. Development and affordable housing
3. Greenspaces and maintenance of the neighborhood culture
4. Economic development and business development

Our Guiding Principles

- The outcomes of our cross cultural pollination of efforts will result in a united front.
- Our efforts will result in a united front.
- This partnership will continue to leverage social and historic capital to do great things as individuals and a collective.

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WINTER 2018

ONGOING

EVENTS

GARDEN DAY

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SATURDAY
WINTER HOURS
11 AM - 2 PM

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Located at the
Linwood Crump
Shiloh Recreation Center
121 Shiloh Road

MON-FRI
3:00-6:00

Shiloh Roadside Stand

Located at the
Shiloh Community Garden

Also Available by Appointment
shilohroadsidestand2017@gmail.com
828-215-5998 or 828-277-9654

SATURDAY
10 AM - 2 PM

SCA MEETING

Join us for updates on
ongoing happenings in the
community!

Linwood Crump
Shiloh Recreation Center
121 Shiloh Road

FIRST MONDAY
6:30 PM-8:00 PM

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PARTNERSHIPS



We are always looking to connect with local businesses. Contact Kristy Speciale for more information at kristyspeciale@gmail.com



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