OAKLAND TOGETHER

A Newsletter for Older Oakland Residents

November Meetings

Monday, November 29 at 6:00 p.m. via Zoom

Development Activities Meeting (DAM): Zone Change Proposal - Oakland Public Realm Subdistrict E

Have you heard about bill 2021-1906?
Legislation has been introduced to rezone a 17-acre area of Central and South Oakland.
Learn more about it and tell us what you think on November 29. Visit bit.ly/publicrealme for more information.

Zoom Meeting ID: 827 5841 9955

Passcode: 567135

Join by phone: 646.558.8656

Tuesday, November 30 at 6:00 p.m. via Zoom

Oakland-Wide Community Meeting: UPMC Presbyterian Bed Tower Development Activities Meeting (DAM)

UPMC will present updated plans for its Presbyterian Bed Tower. In addition, Paramount Construction will share plans for a proposed conversion of an office building to a 20-unit apartment building. Visit bit.ly/upmcpbt for more information.

Zoom Meeting ID: 872 5379 1820

Passcode: 574373

Join by phone: 646.558.8656



All Things Tree

Planting New Trees to Oakland

OPDC, Pitt's Student Office of Sustainability, and TreeVitalize are collaborating to grow the tree canopy in Oakland. On **Saturday**, **November 20**, we are planting over a dozen new trees to our neighborhood. Watch for more opportunities in the coming month to apply for free street trees on your street!

Leaf Waste Collection

As leaves hang onto branches for a longer this year, it's important to remember where to dispose of them. Oakland residents can bring their yard waste, including grass, plants, tree trimmings,



branches, shrubs, and Christmas trees to the Hazelwood Drop-off Center, located at 40 Melanchton St. Simply add your yard debris to a paper bag and drop it off anytime between 7:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Monday – Friday. For more information, call **412.422.6524.**

Giving Thanks

The past year has been hard on all of us, but the changing season is a good reminder of everything we have to be thankful for.



From all of us at OPDC, we hope your holiday season is warm and nourishing.

If you or any of your neighbors are struggling to put food on the table, please reach out to us – Community Engagement Specialists Yeraldyn Pacheco and David Friedman have been continuing our food distribution efforts, and we don't want to leave anyone hungry. Call **412.621.7863 ext. 119** or send email to food@opdc.org.



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The Annual Forbes Field **Celebration**

Since 1993, it has become an annual tradition for people to gather at the Forbes Field wall on October 13 and commemorate Pittsburgh's "shot heard around the world." Bill Mazeroski's famous home run from the 1960s World Series.

To read more about this year's celebration of Mazeroski's great feat, visit bit.ly/1960bucs.

Got Any Great Oakland Stories?



In an effort to preserve and showcase the rich history of Oakland, OPDC would like to interview residents who know a thing or two about the place they call home. If you have a heartfelt story, an entrepreneurial endeavor, or even a long-winded joke about Oakland, email OPDC's Sam Gallagher at sgallagher@opdc.org or call her at 412.621.7863 ext. 118.