

• WATERFRONT •
VILLAGE



The Navigator

A neighborhood-based membership organization
of paid staff, volunteers, and vendors
supporting Southwest Waterfront and Navy Yard residents
who wish to age in place.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Tuesday, December 3

10:30 am: Coping with the Holidays

Palisades Village hosts a free workshop with a bereavement counselor to help prepare for the holidays after the death of a loved one. The agenda will include an educational presentation, group discussion, and a closing remembrance ceremony. Waterfront members will have an optional lunch afterwards at Pizza Palisades.



Thursday, December 5

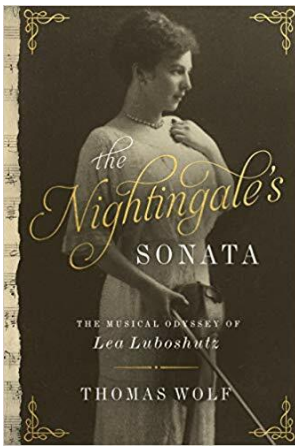
**5:30 - 7:30 pm: Friends of Waterfront Village
Holiday Gathering (By Invitation)**

Our donors' annual celebratory event promises to be extra special in our new office at the Wharf as we welcome Executive Director Len Bechtel and Board Member Ed Peterman. To learn more about becoming a Friend of Waterfront Village, click [here](#) or call 202-656-1834.



Monday, December 9

9 am - 12 noon: Home Barbering Service. Please book directly with Leslie Bryant at 202-368-4603 for men and women with short, neat cuts. Repeats the second Monday of each month. [Contact the Village](#) for complete in-home styling, manicure, and pedicure referrals. www.theladyclipper.com



Thursday, December 12

2 pm: Village Book Club Author Discussion

Our annual All-Village author discussion features Thomas Wolf, author of *The Nightingale's Sonata*. The book is biography of Wolf's grandmother, Russian Violinist Lea Luboshutz. Lea started life in the ghetto of Odessa, Ukraine, emerged from the conservatory in Moscow with a Gold Medal, and escaped Russia during the tumult of World War I. The discussion at St. Augustine's Episcopal Church will be followed by light refreshments..



Friday, December 20, 7 pm

Southwest Chamber Players Christmas Concert

Seasonal classics presented in a chamber music format at St. Augustine's Episcopal Church, with a reception to follow hosted by David and Barbara Ehrlich. Free to the public; donations accepted to benefit Waterfront Village senior support services.



Sunday, December 22

7:00 pm: Chanukah Celebration

We'll have dreidels to spin, menorahs to light, and a Havdalah service. And of course we'll have snacks and wine. You don't have to be Jewish, but please do RSVP at 202-230-9592



Thursday, December 26

11 am: Monthly Alzheimer's Support Group.

In association with Saint Matthew's Lutheran Church, this meeting is for those caring for loved ones living with Alzheimer's Disease. The support group meets the fourth Thursday of each month.

Three easy ways to register:

Visit our [website](#) to learn more and RSVP on-line*
Email your request to events@dcwaterfrontvillage.org
Call the Village at 202-656-1834

*Call 866-457-2582 weekdays 830 am - 7 pm for help with secure online registrations



Welcoming our new Members:

Darryl Eaton
Neal and Barbara Peirce

Thanking our renewing Members:

Susan Axleroad
Danielle Baird
Hara Bouganim
Sevana Bunke
Shirley Buzzard
Jim and Pat Flanigan
Michael and Nabiha Hindi
Steve Livengood
Andy Peers
Dolores Pruden
Elaine Riccio
Rodney Ross
Deborah Sherwood
Rosemary Strange
Peter Szekely
Herbert Weiss
Eva Whitaker
Gary Young

The Village observes the passing last month of Members **Marianne Harwit** (6th Street), **Joe Rosenstein** (Carrollsborg), and **George Zapata** (Waterfront Tower), each passing at home in the company of loved ones as was their wish.

Something to Talk About



While it's understandable to not want to talk about our legacy plans, getting our inheritance wishes in order is one of the greatest gifts we can bestow upon our loved ones. If Waterfront Village is a cause you cherish, please **download** our Planned Giving brochure or call 202-656-1834 to learn more.

Full Members enjoy our events plus:

- 16 rides per year in the District or Arlington by our volunteer drivers
- "Welcome Home" transportation, meals, and visits following a hospital or rehabilitation center stay
- Telephone check-ins
- Friendly Companion visits
- Handyman help
- Reading for the visually impaired
- Uber, airline, rail booking service
- Prescription, grocery, meal delivery

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Waterfront Village is a member of the **DC Villages** collaborative and the **Village to Village Network**, operating under the guidance of the **District of Columbia Department of Aging and Community Living**.

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