Wiltondale Dues Invoices Sent

All neighborhood residents should have received an invoice for their 2007 Wiltondale Improvement Association dues.

This modest \$40 per-house annual assessment helps fund all social activities held throughout the year, including the Halloween party, the Christmas tree-lighting ceremony, the Easter-egg hunt, the new resident welcome party, and the annual party at the pool.

Dues are used for the maintenance of neighborhood-owned property such as Greenwood Park and the Coventry triangle. They also help the WIA perform its role as a watchdog over local zoning and property development issues that affect our quality of life and property values.

Overbrook Park to Benefit from May Fundraiser Run

The WIA's park committee is discussing plans for upgrades to Overbrook Park.

Ideas for improvements include a new, lower-maintenance ground surface, an enclosure to limit children's access to the brook and the parking lot, and a play-equipment set for older children. With the funds raised from the May 12 race, upgrades are possible.

Thank you to Eric Hutter, who coordinated this year's event, and to Kellie Langley, who sponsored a great afterrace party.

Congratulations and thank you to all runners, sponsors and volunteers who participated in the annual fundraiser for our park and playground.

Race results can be found on the next page.



Congratulations to 12-year-old Wiltondale resident Junior Kirschner, who won a gold medal in the Statewide Special Olympics Summer Games held June 8-10.

Kirschner won gold in the softball skills competition despite five hours of competition in the heat on the fields at Dumbarton.

Parents Jim and Casey are very proud of him.

President's Letter

Summer has officially arrived in Wiltondale. The pool is open, the days are longer and children are outside playing. Summer is a time to slow down, and enjoy time with family and friends. "Slowing down" was also discussed at our recent board meeting. We are concerned with speeding vehicles in the neighborhood. With so many children and adults enjoying time outdoors, it is time to drive even more carefully and slowly on the streets of Wiltondale.

On June 20th, we joined the Greater Towson Community in a Citizens On Patrol rally. It was well attended, and the message was clear that crime is not welcome in Towson. I would ask each of you to help keep this a reality in Wiltondale. Please be sure to lock up your bicycles and cars at night. Report suspicious activity, and keep an eye on your neighbors' homes as folks take vacations. The police stressed that the way to reduce criminal activity is to reduce opportunity. Be vigilant as you go about your usual routine in the neighborhood. Call 911 for emergencies and 410-827-2222 for non-emergencies.

Have a wonderful summer. See you round the neighborhood.

Phyllis Gray, President

Annual Neighborhood Shrimp Boil July 7

Brian and Jane Rohd's Backyard Beach at 14 Aintree Road will be the site of the Women of Wiltondale's annual shrimp boil July 7 at 7 p.m.

Those attending are asked to bring either an appetizer or a dessert as well as beer or wine to share.

Please respond by July 1 to Kathleen Neutzel at kneutzel@comcast.net or by calling (410) 821-1891 if you plan to attend.

July 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Basketball 4 p.m.	trash pickup 2	3 Basketball 7 p.m.	July 4th 4 Celebration at Pool 1-3 p.m. pool closes 7:30	5 bottles & cans/ yard waste recycling	6	Women of 7 Wiltondale Shrimp Boil 7 p.m. at 14 Aintree
8 Basketball 4 p.m.	trash pickup 9 Monday Night Races at Pool 7 p.m. start	WIA Board 10 Meeting 7:30 at Pool Basketball 7 p.m.	11	12 paper recycling	13 Float Night at Pool 6-8 p.m.	14
15 Basketball 4 p.m.	trash pickup 16	Teen Night 17 at Pool 8:30-10:30 p.m. Basketball 7 p.m.	18 Adult Night at Pool 7:30-10:30 p.m.	19 bottles & cans/ yard waste recycling	20 Family Night at Pool 5:30-9 p.m.	21
22 Basketball 4 p.m.	trash pickup 23	24 Basketball 7 p.m.	25	26 paper recycling	27	28
29	trash pickup 30	31				
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Significant Home Improvements Need OK

Wiltondale residents are reminded that all substantial improvements and changes to their property must be approved in advance by the architectural committee of the Wiltondale Improvement Association.

A "Proposed Improvement Review Form" can be downloaded from the Wiltondale website at www.wiltondale.org. This process should be initiated by the homeowner(s) sufficiently early so that approval can be given before groundbreaking.

To have plans reviewed for approval, contact Brian Murphy, 614 Coventry Road, at (410) 828-4227.

2007 Wiltondale/Overbrook Park Race Results

The top male finishers are as follows:

10&u: **Charlie Darby**, age 8, 23:51 11-15: **Brendan Coan**, age 13, 20:24

20-29: **Shawn Loper**, 15:22

30-39: Justin Gerbereux, 16:13

40-49: Dan Esser, 17:27

50-59: Dave Cunningham, 21:25

The top female finishers are as follows:

10&u: Lauren Rudolph, age 8, 25:09 11-15: Maggie Behlan, age 14, 23:27

20-29: **Katie Kimball**, 24:19 30-39: **Kate Charlow**. 21:53

40-49: **Brenda Evans**, 22:03

50-59: **Donna Rae Smith**, 38:56 60-99: **Lynn Slawson**, 32:53

In-season Pool Hours remain in effect through Sunday, Aug. 26.

Monday - Saturday 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Sunday 12 noon - 9 p.m.

Post-season Pool Hours are 1 p.m. - 9 p.m. Monday, Aug. 27 - Friday, Aug 31.

August 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 bottles & cans/ yard waste recycling	3	4
5 Basketball 4 p.m.	trash pickup 6 Monday Night Races at Pool 7 p.m. start	7 Basketball 7 p.m.	8	9 paper recycling	10 Float Night at Pool 6-8 p.m.	11
12 Basketball 4 p.m.	trash pickup 13	Teen Night 14 at Pool 8:30-10:30 p.m. Basketball 7 p.m.	15	16 bottles & cans/ yard waste recycling	17 Family Night at Pool 5:30-9 p.m.	18 Annual Sleep- over at Pool pool closes 6:00
19 Basketball 4 p.m.	trash pickup 20	21 Basketball 7 p.m.	22	23 paper recycling	24	25 Final Adult Night at Pool (Surf & Turf)
26 Basketball 4 p.m.	trash pickup 27	28 Basketball 7 p.m.	29	30 bottles & cans/ yard waste recycling	31	



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Age 17. References. **Kate DeNardi** (410) 616-9761

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Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 14.

Amelia Marlowe (410) 828-4337

Red Cross certified babysitter Age 14. Experienced. **Holly Sims** (410) 321-7931

Red Cross certified babysitter looking for summer work. Age 16. Fun and experienced with all ages. Available day and night. References. **Sheila McMenamin** (410) 828-4684

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Babysitting, dog sitting, lawn cutting, snow shoveling. Age 15. Will Mades (410) 823-0996 or mades7@hotmail.com

Mother's helper available this summer. Experienced with children. Age 13 in July. **Mary Caroline Mades** (410) 823-0996 or mades7@hotmail.com

Pet sitting and dog walking. Age 12. **Teo Walker** (410) 823-5425

Lawn-cutting services, pet sitting and dog walking. Age 14 in August. **Jimmy Walker** (410) 823-5425

Experienced former day-care provider now working in preschool can help with children evenings, weekends and two afternoons. References.

Holly Gunts (410) 337-7382

Nanny/babysitter services. Available weekdays. **Anna White,** 624 Stevenson, (410) 337-8965

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Dewey Beach, Del., cottage rental 40 yards from beach, 2 bedrooms, sleeps 6-8, screened porch with patio. **Laura Mades**, mades7@hotmail.com

Kiawah Island, SC, house for rent: 4BR, 3 ½ Baths
Short walk or bike ride to beach.

Martha Haile (410) 494-1162 or mhaile@comcast.net

Please submit changes, deletions and additions to the Wiltondale Community Newsletter to Alison Mingo at newsletter@wiltondale.org. The deadline for submissions for the August-issue newsletter is August 20. Thank you!