



# WILTONDALE

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## Holiday Caroling December 16

Come join your neighbors for a night of Holiday Caroling! We will be meeting at the triangle on December 16th at 6 p.m.

Hot chocolate and cookies will be provided to help keep you warm and fueled. Everyone is welcome and song sheets will be provided.

Please contact **Marsha Sullivan** at [tmksulli@comcast.net](mailto:tmksulli@comcast.net) with any questions.

## Decoration Judging December 26

The Wiltondale Improvement Association will sponsor a holiday house decoration contest, open to all residents.

Judging will occur December 26 in the evening. Make sure your lights are on. Awards for the most aesthetically pleasing decor will be donations of \$75 for first place, \$50 for second place and \$25 for third place to the charity of the winner's choice.

Winners and homeowners who receive honorable mention will have their names announced at the annual meeting.

## Check CO, Smoke Detectors

As our furnace, fireplace and heater use increases during the winter months, so does our risk for carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning, which elicits flu-like symptoms.

We can reduce our chances of harmful exposure to CO by getting into the routine of updating CO detectors.

It's also a good plan to change the batteries in our smoke detectors when we change our clocks in the spring and fall.

As we enter this festive time of year, please be aware of the hazards that exist inside as well as outside our homes.

For more information, visit [www.cdc.gov/co/default.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/co/default.htm)

## January 11 New Date for Annual Meeting

The Wiltondale Improvement Association will hold its annual meeting Friday, January 11, 2008, at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m. All residents are encouraged to attend.

The proposed slate of 2008 executive officers, to be voted on at the meeting, are as follows:

President – **Russ Pope**  
Vice President – **Brain Murphy**  
Treasurer – **Kyle Richards**  
Secretary – **Kathleen Nuetzel**  
New Directors --

**Ann Miller**  
**Kathy Fick**  
**Alison Mingo**  
**Kristen Rudolph**  
**Jen Hervey**  
**Mitch Vandiver**  
**John Runge**  
**Lauri Moylan**  
**Kenn MacIntosh**  
**Fred Ross**  
**Anne Harriot**

## Bowling Night Save-the-Date February 2

**SAVE THE DATE** for the annual Wiltondale Bowling Night at Stoneleigh Bowling Lanes, Saturday, February 2, 2008.

We have reserved all 16 lanes from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. for a night of great fun and Wiltondale togetherness!

The cost is \$16 per person which includes 3 hours of bowling fun and bowling shoes.

Please BYOB, and bring an appetizer or dessert to share. Sodas, water and supplies will be provided.

Checks may be dropped off or mailed to **Barry Rollins**, 611 Sussex Road. You may request teams with your payment.

Please email any questions to [mommamuff@comcast.net](mailto:mommamuff@comcast.net).

# President's Letter

Dear Neighbors,

Happy Holidays! This time of year brings excitement and anticipation. It's Christmas time, and Santa will soon be joining us in the triangle. Folks also begin to think about all the possibilities that a new year brings.

Our family was all together at Thanksgiving — there were 31 around the table — and we were thankful for the fellowship between us. The neighborhood has certainly been our extended family. We are blessed with good neighbors who watch out for our kids, offer support during life changes, and share a meal and a laugh. The holidays certainly are a time to be thankful for such a great neighborhood.

I am also very grateful to the Nominating committee of the Wiltondale Improvement Association. They have put together a great slate of board members and a wonderful leadership team for 2008. We will once again have a group of interested, active, engaged board members. This is truly a gift to the neighborhood.

I want to take a moment and thank the outgoing board members: Ginny Barnhart, Jim Kirshner, Alice Horan, Ed Fox, David Gilliss, Joe Morgan, Mike Coan, and Guy Wenck. I would also like to thank Gordon Rupp and Kurt Fisher for serving this year as well. This group will be missed and we thank them for their contribution to our neighborhood.

As you prepare for the holidays, continue to spread cheer through our streets. Participate in holiday festivities, decorate your house, have neighbors in for cocoa, go caroling, and smile and wave as you pass in the neighborhood.

God Bless you all this season,  
Sincerely,  
Phyllis Gray

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# December 2007

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	trash pickup 3	4	5	6 bottles & cans/ yard waste recycling	7	8 <b>Santa at Triangle 4 p.m.</b>
9	trash pickup 10	11	12	13 paper recycling	14	15
16 <b>Caroling 6 p.m.</b>	trash pickup 17	18	19	20 bottles & cans/ yard waste recycling	21	22
23	trash pickup 24 <b>Newsletter Submission Deadline</b>	25	26 <b>Holiday Decoration Judging</b>	27 paper recycling	28	29
30	trash pickup 31					

## Wiltondale Directory Corrections

Apologies to Wiltondale residents who have noted errors in the newest directory. Please check your information and notify the WIA of discrepancies that should be fixed. Your revisions will be published in the printed issue of the newsletter.

Any updates and/or corrections to your directory information should be sent to [directory@wiltondale.org](mailto:directory@wiltondale.org).

## 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](http://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.

# Classified Advertising

## Home/Child Care

**Brendan Russell**, age 15, and **Graham Russell**, age 17, available for lawn care, baby sitting, dog walking or dog sitting, snow shoveling.  
(410) 337-9187

Kind, responsible babysitter. Pet care and dog walking, plant care and watering, snow shoveling and raking. Age 13.  
**Jack Pagano** (410)-821-7015  
jackpagano@msn.com

Experienced, responsible babysitter.  
Age 17. References.  
**Kate DeNardi** (410) 616-9761

Experienced babysitter and pet sitter available most weekends.  
**Alex Vanko** (410) 821-6470

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 15.  
**Amelia Marlowe** (410) 828-4337

Dog sitter and walker. Age 13.  
**Bobby Marlowe** (410) 828-4337

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

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

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

Mother's helper available.  
Experienced with children.  
Age 13. **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.  
**Jimmy Walker** (410) 823-5425

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

Pet sitter and dog walker. **Kyle King**  
501 Yarmouth, (410) 825-1298

For babysitting, pet sitting and dog walking, house and yard work call **Patrick and/or Brendan Coan**.  
Age 14. Responsible and hard working.  
(410) 337-9159

Experienced former day-care provider now working in preschool can help with children evenings, weekends and two afternoons. References.  
**Holly Gunts** (410) 337-7382

## For Sale

Wooden television armoire/cabinet:  
light finish; wooden desk chair:  
light finish, cushioned seat.  
Both in excellent condition.  
Call **Katie Kuhn** at 410-847-9026

Lester Baby Grand Piano  
Free to a good home! Needs some work.  
Call **Nick Miller** (410) 832-0112

LifeCycle 5500 Aerobic Trainer  
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Stay fit this winter with #1 brand in home fitness. Five programs: Hill, Random, Race, Manual & Fit Test. Track your progress with twelve intensity levels & electronic display. Solid condition, health club durability for \$275.  
**Chris Mecchi** 410-823-3930

Sleeper sofa for sale. Queen (91"), light denim soft fabric. Good condition. \$300.  
Call **Suzanne** (410) 296-9501

Gently used SAT/AP Study Books:  
50% off list price.  
Include PSAT, SAT, SATII,  
US History, English, French,  
Chemistry, Physics, Comp Sci.  
**Amalie Thavikulwat** (410) 828-8353 or  
amalict@gmail.com

Snowboard Helmet for Sale -- \$20  
Never used -- Protec, Size XL  
Was \$65 New  
**Roy Loewenstein** (410) 494-1162

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## Tutoring

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**Jeff Glorioso** (443) 841-3432

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**Jenelle Abnett** (410) 337-7405

Tutoring in French and Russian.  
**Anna White**, 624 Stevenson,  
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## Real Estate

Summer vacation rental in  
Ocean City, NJ. 3 BR, 2 Bath, sleeps 6-8.  
**Jan or Doug Smith** (410) 821-8509

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 1/2 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 next newsletter is the 24th day of the month. Thank you!