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March 2010



Annual Easter Egg Hunt March 27

Hippity Hoppity... Easter's on its way!! The Easter Bunny is sure to make a stop at the park! Please bring the children and join your neighbors for the annual Easter Egg Hunt at Greenwood Park Saturday, March 27, starting at 3 p.m. The rain date is March 28, same place and time.

Please contact Lisa Stugart at (410) 616-9494 for more information. We'll see you there for Wiltondale's Easter holiday festivities!

Women of Wiltondale Spring Party March 20

Since the Women of Wiltondale had to cancel our Valentine's Day party we thought we would reschedule the event to celebrate the end of winter and welcome spring. After the winter we have had, we think there is cause for celebration!

Please bring an appetizer, dessert, or wine to share. Don't forget to bring your spouse, too! The party will be held Saturday, March 20, at 7 p.m. at Alicia and Mike Rowan's house: 615 Sussex Rd. This event is open to all neighborhood adults, and it also replaces this month's Tuesday evening WOW meeting.

For more information or to RSVP, please contact Alicia Rowan at (410) 828-4788 or aliciarowan@msn.com or Lauren LaCanfora at (410) 296-2641 or llacanfora@gmail.com.

Snowmageddon Survived in Stride

Appreciation for neighbors' volunteer shoveling after February's record snowfall was evident. It was great to see neighbors working together to help each other move snow from walkways, driveways, steps and vehicles. Here is one note of gratitude:

I wish to pass this message of VERY SINCERE THANKS to those folks residing on Sussex - and possibly other residences in Wiltondale for taking their time ... to help me clear snow from my residential parking area and sidewalk. Words cannot express my gratitude. I am sure they probably had to be concerned [about] dealing with snow on their properties... Again, many, many thanks.

- Ken McCabe, 608 Stevenson Lane

Wiltondale will not soon forget the impact - positive and negative - that this enormous storm had on our neighborhood, especially as we continue to clean up after it. We live in a great community!



Patrick and Brendan Coan doing volunteer snow removal for original Wiltondale resident Ruth Hampshire after the "Big One," Sunday, Feb. 7. Neighbors were happy to help each other dig out from Snowmageddon.

Please Take Note...

County Requires Snow Shoveling

Please make sure your sidewalks are cleared so that they may serve their purpose of keeping walkers out of the way of traffic. If you are unable to clear your walk or your stairs, please look in the Wiltondale classifieds for assistance with snow removal.

Baltimore County requires that all snow be removed from sidewalks and stairs to houses and buildings within 24 hours of snowfall. The snow may not be discarded onto any paved area (ie the road), but may be tossed onto your yard. Keeping gutters cleared of snow, ice, and debris is the property-owner's responsibility.

Please be sure to have your recycling in a secure container. There is a lot of broken glass on the edge of the streets from bottles and jars that have fallen out of containers. If you see glass in front of your home, please help by sweeping it up. Your efforts are greatly appreciated by all neighbors.

WIA President's Letter

This winter will long be remembered for the record snowfall and the damage it caused. Gutters and plants received the worst of it from what I've seen in my yard and driving through the neighborhood. No doubt there were some sore backs as well. Those of us who commute to work, especially to downtown Baltimore, encountered some frustrating drives, and parents faced their own challenges with children out of school. Fortunately each passing day brings warmer weather a little closer and makes the snow piles a little smaller. The Orioles are in camp, so spring can't be far behind (although I've been to opening day when it snowed).

We can look forward to neighborhood events that come with warmer weather: the Easter Egg Hunt, the Run for Greenwood Park, the Triangle Party, and the opening of the pool. Each of these events adds to the quality of life in Wiltondale and makes this neighborhood special. The next meeting of the board of directors will be held Tuesday, March 9, at 7:30 p.m. at Ascension Lutheran Church.

Fred Ross

Skiing During Snowmageddon 2010

Being snowed-in wasn't entirely problematic: it allowed us to get out and socialize with our neighbors; it provided opportunity to build forts and tunnels, sledding ramps and snow castles; and the road remained unplowed long enough for residents to participate in cross-country skiing up and down Yarmouth Road.



Upcoming Wiltondale Events

April	Spring Park Cleanup
May	Wiltondale/Overbrook Race & Fun Run
June	Triangle Happy Hour
July	Pool-Related Activities
August	Annual Shrimp Boil
September	Annual Party at the Pool; Golf Tournament;
	Home Tour
October	Fall Family Party & Chili Cook-off;
	Halloween Party
November	Fall Park Cleanup (after leaves have fallen)
December	Holiday Party; Santa at Coventry Triangle
January	WIA Annual Meeting
February	Bowling Bash; WOW Valentine's Day Party
March	Easter Egg Hunt at the Park

Attention, New Wiltondale Neighbors!

Please let **Ann Miller** know if you are a new Wiltondale resident or if you know of any new neighbors who have moved in so that they may be welcomed by a member of the hospitality committee. You may email anncraigmiller@msn.com or call (410) 825-8557.

Any updates and/or corrections to your directory information should be sent to directory@wiltondale.org.

Sign Up for Email Alerts

Please sign up to be on the Wiltondale COP email alert list. You will receive crime alerts as well as neighborhood information. Also, if your email address has changed, please remember to send the new address to COP. Kathy Fick has been getting a lot of emails back lately and will remove those addresses from her list next month.

Home Improvements Need OK

The Architecture Committee of the WIA is requiring <u>45 days</u> for review of property changes. Please plan ahead. Submission of forms and approval by the committee is <u>required</u> for all exterior home improvements. In addition, you are required to review your plans with your immediate neighbors prior to submitting forms.

A "Proposed Improvement Review Form" can be downloaded from the Wiltondale website at www.wiltondale. org. To have plans reviewed for approval, contact **Kathleen Nuetzel**, 636 Yarmouth Road, at (410) 821-1891.

March 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	trash pickup 1	2	3	recycling 4	5	6
7	trash pickup 8	9 WIA Meeting 7:30 pm	10	recycling 11	12	13
14 Daylight Saving Time Begins	trash pickup 15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day	recycling 18	19	20 WOW Spring Party 7 pm
21	trash pickup 22	23	24	recycling 25	26	27 Easter Egg Hunt 3 pm
28	trash pickup 29 Passover begins at sundown	30	31			

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Babysitter trained through the Safe Sitters Program at St. Joseph Medical Center. 13-year-old **Sam Kuhn** (410) 847-9026

Red Cross Certified Babysitter Maureen Russell (410) 337-9187

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 13. Kelsey Evans (410) 583-7355

Babysitters. Ages 17 and 15. Dependable, experienced with children. Lizzy and Maggie Denning (443) 564-6205 or (443) 564-6260

Red Cross Certified Babysitter Experienced, Responsible, Age 13. Katie DeMallie (410) 296-9501 kdemallie@verizon.net

Babysitter. Experienced with children. Age 14. **Mary Caroline Mades** (410) 823-0996 or mades7@hotmail.com

> Babysitter, Age 16 Beth Ransom (410) 494-8663 Available most weekends

Red Cross certified babysitter Age 15. 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

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

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 17. Amelia Marlowe (410) 828-4337

Babysitting, dog walker, pet sitter. Age 15. **Maura Tewey** (410) 494-9422 Licensed day-care mom has openings. Please contact **Holly Gunts** at (410) 337-7382

Kind, responsible babysitter. Pet care and dog walking, plant care and watering, snow shoveling and raking. Age 15. Jack Pagano (410) 821-7015 jackpagano@msn.com

Babysitter. Dog sitter and dog walker. Age 15. **Bobby Marlowe** (410) 828-4337

Babysitting, dog sitting, lawn cutting, snow shoveling. Age 17. Will Mades (410) 823-0996 or mades7@hotmail.com

> Andrew Pagano. Age 11. Pet sitting & dog walking. (410) 821-7015

Petsitter: Experienced with caring for small animals (hamsters, gerbils, guinea pigs, fish, etc) Call **Avery Menefee** (age 7 ½) (410) 494-9339

Patrick and Brendan Coan. Age 15. For experienced and dependable lawn mowers, dog and pet sitters please call us at (410) 337-9159.

Pet sitting and dog walking, snow shoveling, lawn cutting. Age 14. Responsible and hard working. **Matt Bender** (410) 825-6677

Lawn-cutting services, pet sitting and dog walking. Age 15. Jimmy Walker (410) 823-5425

Pet sitting and dog walking. Age 13. **Teo Walker** (410) 823-5425

Dog sitting, dog walking and snow shoveling. Age 15. **Kyle King** (410) 825-1298

Tutoring

Reading and Math tutor. Elementary and middle school. Your home or mine. Jenelle Abnett (410) 337-7405

Wanted

Tennis - looking for early morning or evening tennis partner (3.5 - 4.0) to play on a regular basis at Towson High School **Noel** (410) 935-6660

For Sale

5 Piece Bedroom Set Excellent Condition Best Offer Sally Ross (410) 828-4973

32-inch Sharp flat panel SDTV. 3 years old. \$150. Call **Katie Kuhn** (410) 847-9026

Dell 17" monitor FREE Call **Suzanne** (410) 296-9501 or Suzanne@classroomhearing.org

Eddie Bauer stroller - hunter green with tan plaid \$25, Silver girls bike - Murray 5speed \$40. **Diane Topper** (410) 337-0077

Kimball upright piano. Bench included. Beautiful wood; must be willing to move it; \$480. E-mail: esweeney11@aol.com

Real Estate

Naples, Florida, golf course community condo for rent: 2 BR, 2 Bath. Sleeps 4, first floor, newly furnished. Pictures available. Monthly rentals. Sarah or Kurt Fischer (410) 828-1879

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

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The deadline for submissions for the next newsletter is the 24th of the month. Thanks!