



WILTONDALE

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November 2010

Wiltondale Women Meet Nov. 16

We will be painting pottery with Kathy Fick at the next Women of Wiltondale meeting on **Tuesday, Nov. 16, at 7 p.m.**, so come with your creative juices flowing! Watch your email for the location of the meeting.

Please bring an appetizer or bottle of wine to share. Contact Alison Mingo at (443) 901-0226 or alisonmingo@yahoo.com with any questions or if you would like your name added to the WOW email list.

Wiltondale Board Members Sought

The nominating committee of the Wiltondale Improvement Association is seeking Wiltondale residents to serve on the WIA Board of Directors.

Board members are elected at our improvement association's annual meeting in January and serve three-year terms. Board members attend monthly meetings and serve on committees that carry out the work of the improvement association. Anyone interested in one of these rewarding positions can contact President@Wiltondale.org.

Wiltondale Residents: If you plan to contribute to the Eager family assistance fund, please send your payment by **November 15**. Make checks payable to "Wiltondale Improvement Association" with "Eager Family" in the memo line. Mail to: Wiltondale Improvement Association, P.O. Box 10116, Towson, MD 21285-0116 or drop off at either of these homes: Craig DeMallie – **507 Worcester Road** or David Ptak – **627 Coventry Road**.

If you did not receive the letter from the Association explaining the purpose of this fund, you can e-mail contact@wiltondale.org for a copy. Thank you.

Food Drive Drop-off Nov. 28

At the end of each month, **Madeline Miller** and **Aylish Ptak** collect food to stock the pantry at the Assistance Center of Towson Churches (ACTC). All day **Sunday, Nov. 28**, and on the last Sunday of each month you may drop off non-perishable food items (NO home-canned food or institutional-sized cans) at the following locations:

627 Coventry: the Ptaks **506 Sussex:** the Shetlers
504 Worcester: the Millers **630 Wilton:** the Marlowes
Thank you for your generosity!

Chili Cook-off Successful

The 10th Annual Chili Cook-off/Fall Family Party was a huge success. We had many families come out and enjoy the beautiful fall day and spend some time with friends before the cold weather kicks in!

Thanks to all who entered their chili into the Chili Cook-off – they were delicious! The judges awarded 1st place to **Christine Sullivan** and 2nd place to **Terry Grothmann**, so thanks to them for their award winning entries! We also want to thank all who donated baked goods to the Bake Sale and those who purchased the goodies. Overall, we were able to raise \$100 in proceeds.

Given the recent loss to the Eager family in our neighborhood, we felt that the community would rather donate the money to their fund instead of the Maryland Food Bank this year. Therefore, a \$100 donation has been made to the family on behalf of the residents of Wiltondale.

Ascension to Hold LockOUT Nov. 6 for Md. Homeless

On **November 6-7**, youth in grades 7-12 will be spending the night on the front lawn of Ascension Lutheran Church to raise awareness of the nearly 4,000 homeless people in Baltimore City and over 9,000 in the state of Maryland. Up to and throughout the event, Ascension will be receiving donations of winter coats, scarves, gloves, and hats that will be given to Prologue's Homeless Outreach following the LockOUT. Ascension is also accepting monetary donations to support local shelters (checks made payable to Ascension Lutheran Church; LockOUT in the memo). Youth will arrive with only the clothes on their backs and will experience firsthand the need for the donations in order to stay warm. The Baltimore County Police Department will provide security for the event with regular patrols throughout the night. You may join participants for a youth-led candlelight prayer service at 9 p.m. or stop by to show support. If you have questions, concerns, would like to make a donation or get involved, please contact Jim Muratore, Director of Youth & Family Ministry at 410.825.1725 x108 or youth-ed@ascensiontowson.org.

WIA President's Letter

It's hard to believe that October is over and Thanksgiving is little more than 3 weeks away. Many people are now busy raking leaves and finishing other end-of-year yard work. One of the functions of the board during this time is to seek new members to replace those whose 3-year terms are expiring. As I mentioned last month, if you are interested in serving on the Wiltondale Board next year please let me (President@Wiltondale.org) or another board member know. You can find the board list on the Wiltondale website.

Some people may also be contemplating home improvements for next year. Before finalizing your plans please review the Wiltondale architectural guidelines on the website. There you can also find the Proposed Improvement Review form for submission to the Architectural Review Committee. Have a safe Halloween and Happy Thanksgiving.

Fred Ross, President
Wiltondale Improvement Association

WIA Missing Residents' Dues

The Wiltondale Improvement Association is making a "last call" for 2010 dues. This modest \$40-a-year assessment on all Wiltondale households supports the operating budget of our improvement association. Dues revenues help pay for our seasonal children's activities such as the Halloween Party, the Christmas Tree Lighting and the Easter Egg Hunt, and also help defray the cost of the Annual Party and the Triangle Party which entertain residents of all ages.

The dues also help support your improvement association's mission to monitor local and state issues that impact the quality of life in Wiltondale.

To pay, a check for \$40.00 payable to "Wiltondale Improvement Association" can be sent to the Wiltondale Improvement Association, P.O. Box 10116, Towson, Md. 21285-10116. Residents can check the Wiltondale website at wiltondale.org to see if they have paid their 2010 dues.

You may submit changes, deletions and additions to the Wiltondale Newsletter to newsletter@wiltondale.org.

Neighborhood photos are also welcome.

The deadline for submissions for the next newsletter is the 25th of the month. Thank you!

Annual Race Coordinator Sought

It was mentioned in last month's president's letter that there is a need for someone to handle the mailing of fundraising letters to race sponsors for the annual 5K and Fun Run for Greenwood Park. That need still exists.

If you are able to send out letters, make follow-up calls and handle some other matters related to the annual Run for Greenwood Park please contact **Kathleen Nuetzel** at (410) 821-1891 for more details. This activity has to start in January and can't wait for the new board to meet in February 2011. This important function is the source of funds for maintenance and improvements in the park.

Please contribute some of your time to help organize this great community event! Thank you.

Upcoming Wiltondale Events

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

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	trash pickup 1	2	3	recycling/ yard waste recycling 4	5	6
7	trash pickup 8	WIA Meeting 7:30 pm 9	10	recycling 11	12	13
14	trash pickup 15	WOW Meeting 7 pm 16	17	recycling/ yard waste recycling 18	19	20
21	trash pickup 22	23	24	25 NO RECYCLING Happy Thanksgiving!	26	27
28 ACTC food drive collection	trash pickup 29	30	Coming in December... Check next month's newsletter for the date of Santa's visit to the Coventry Triangle and information about the WIA annual meeting.			

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Greenwood Park Cleanup Coming

Wiltondale residents willing to clean the park and playground areas of Greenwood Park should bring their garden equipment to rake, prune, dig, haul and sweep.

Clean-up efforts will begin on a November weekend morning after the leaves have [mostly] finished falling from the trees. Coffee and light refreshments will be available for motivated neighbors.

Please watch your email for a definite date — it will be short notice, so be prepared! For more information, please contact **Tim Burkett** at (410) 769-8398.

SES Winter Carnival Ads Available

Do you have a business or service that you would like to advertise to over 350 families in the Towson area while supporting the Stoneleigh Elementary School's PTA? If so, please contact **Keirney Vandiver** for an affordable 1/4, 1/2 or full page ad (\$25, \$50, or \$100) to run in the Winter Carnival Program for Stoneleigh Elementary School.

Keirney can be reached at kvandiver@verizon.net or (410) 583-1737.

Attention Wiltondale Neighbors!

Please let **Ann Miller** know if you are a new Wiltondale resident or if you know of any new neighbors who have recently 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.

Wiltondale Classified Advertising

Home/Child Care

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 18.
Amelia Marlowe (410) 828-4337

Experienced Red Cross certified Babysitter
I love babysitting kids of all ages
Chapin Eager, 13 years old (443) 834-6547

Experienced, Red Cross certified
babysitter/mother's helper available
after school, weekends, and evenings.
Nina Lorsch, age 12 (410) 828-6472

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 13. Ex-
perienced, loves kids, references available.
Jane Harriott (410) 296-0063

In-home daycare has openings for
children ages 2 and older and
before/after school care. Please call
Elissa Stinchcomb at (410) 337-5221

Babysitter. Dogsitter. Responsible,
Experienced Babysitter with little brother.
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Natalie Anderson Age 14
(410) 828-0508 or (410) 825-1895

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Emergency preparedness trained.
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Calvin Macintosh (410) 828-5679

Red Cross certified, experienced babysitter.
I am 14 years old, fun and entertaining for
your children. Available most weekends.
Bridget Rudolphi (410) 825-8373

Mother's Helper available most weekends.
Will help entertain your children. Age 11.
Lauren Rudolphi (410) 825-8373

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

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

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 14.
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

Babysitter, Age 17. Avail. most weekends
Beth Ransom (410) 494-8663

Licensed day-care mom has openings.
Please contact **Holly Gunts**(410) 337-7382

Red Cross Certified Babysitter
Experienced, Responsible, Age 14.
Katie DeMallie (410) 296-9501
kdemallie@verizon.net

Babysitter. Experienced with children.
Age 16. **Mary Caroline Mades**
(410) 823-0996 or mades7@hotmail.com

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

Babysitter **Aylish Ptak** (410) 823-3144

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Jack Pagano (410) 821-7015
jackpagano@msn.com

Babysitting, dog walker, pet sitter.
Age 15. **Maura Tewey** (410) 494-9422

Babysitter. Dog sitter and dog walker.
Age 16. **Bobby Marlowe** (410) 828-4337

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 17.
Pet sitter and dog walker.
Sallie Lotz (443)253-2216

Pet sitter for small animals.
Cats, hamsters, guinea pigs, gerbils, fish.
Holly Brakebill. Age 8 1/2. (410) 825-2262

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

Petsitter: Experienced with
caring for small animals (hamsters,
gerbils, guinea pigs, fish, etc)
Call **Avery Menefee** (age 7 1/2)
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Patrick and Brendan Coan. Age 17.
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Dog sitting / walking and snow shoveling.
Age 15. **Kyle King** (410) 825-1298

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Age 16. **Jimmy Walker** (410) 823-5425

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

Pet sitting and dog walking. Age 11.
Wesley Walker (410) 823-5425

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Laura Mades, mades7@hotmail.com

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2 dog crates for sale.
Barely used & less than a year old.
One large (\$50) and one medium (\$30).
Call **Jenn or Chris** (410) 337-8234

32-inch flat panel Sony TV: \$100
Call **Katie Kuhn** (410) 847-9026