



WILTONDALE

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February 2011

WIA Annual Meeting a Success

Thank you to everyone who attended the Wiltondale Improvement Association's Annual Meeting! The meeting opened with remarks from County Councilman **David Marks**, who discussed his priorities for his term and a number of issues affecting Baltimore County, Towson and Wiltondale.

One topic discussed was the continued revitalization of Towson, including the likelihood of moving some Towson University admin offices into vacant downtown spaces, as well as the status of several ongoing development projects. Another item mentioned was an upcoming council decision to likely implement an unlimited number of speed cameras - instead of the current limit of 15 - in county school zones.

Councilman Marks expressed his goal to provide bipartisan leadership on the County Council for all the neighborhoods in the Fifth District. He distributed his office phone number (410-887-3384) and his personal email address (davidsmarks@verizon.net) for any Wiltondale residents to contact him with issues or concerns.

The meeting continued with committee reports and approval of the 2011 WIA's executive slate, placing the following Wiltondale residents in the listed positions:

- ChairmanFred Ross
- President.....Armand Patella
- Vice President.....Tim Sullivan
- Treasurer.....Dave Ptak
- Secretary.....Lori Pagano

The meeting concluded with dinner and neighborhood camaraderie. The next WIA meeting is **Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 7 p.m.** All residents are welcome and encouraged to attend!

Valentine's Party Rescheduled

The annual Women of Wiltondale Valentine's Day Party is becoming a Spring Party! Instead of having a sweetheart party the weekend before the adults-only annual Bowl'n Bash, the Women of Wiltondale group will host a Spring Party in April. This event is open to all Wiltondale adults. Check the March newsletter for more details.

Because of the rescheduled WOW-hosted neighborhood party, the Women of Wiltondale will be meeting **Tuesday, Feb. 15, at 7:30 p.m.** at Alison Mingo's house: 527 Yarmouth. Please bring an appetizer or a bottle of wine to share. You may call Alison at (443) 901-0226 or email alisonmingo@yahoo.com with any questions.

Annual Bowl'n Bash is Feb 19

The annual Wiltondale Bowl'n bash at Stoneleigh Lanes is approaching! The sold-out event will take place **Saturday, Feb. 19**, from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Each person attending should bring an appetizer or dessert to share along with your own favorite beverage.

If you would like to be added to the wait list please email Muffie Rollins at mommamuff@comcast.net. If you have already signed up and you have to cancel for any reason, please call Muffie Rollins ASAP at (410) 296-3396 so someone from the wait list can be invited. If we can find someone to go in your place, you will receive a full refund.

This is an adult event only, so check the Wiltondale Classifieds section of the newsletter to get those babysitters lined up!

5k/Fun Run Sponsors Sought

The 12th Annual Wiltondale/Overbrook 5K Race and 1-mile Fun Run is coming **May 7**.

For any business owners in the neighborhood willing to help with corporate sponsorships please contact Jim Kirschner, Race Director, at jim.kirschner@comcast.net Family sponsorships are also available. This event benefits the continued maintenance and improvement of Greenwood Park.

Kellie Langley of Wiltondale Homes has agreed to be the Title Sponsor again this year. Thank you, Kellie!

Upcoming Wiltondale Events

March	Spring Park Cleanup
April	WOW Spring Party; Easter Egg Hunt
May	Wiltondale/Overbrook Race (May 7); Community Yard Sale
June	Triangle Happy Hour
July	Pool-Related Activities
August	Annual Shrimp Boil
September	Annual Party at the Pool; Golf Tourney
October	Fall Family Party & Chili Cook-off; Home Tour; Halloween Party
November	Fall Park Cleanup
December	Holiday Party; Santa at Coventry Triangle
January	WIA Annual Meeting
February	Bowling Bash

WIA President's Letter

Once again winter delivered a significant snowfall to our neighborhood. While the heavy wet snow is pretty, it caused significant damage to trees and landscaping. Hopefully you were not stuck on the road for hours like many others.

Please drive carefully on our narrow neighborhood streets and keep your sidewalks clear. If you notice any damage to community property in Greenwood Park or the pool please reach out and let a board member know so that it may be addressed.

Thanks to those who attended the Wiltondale Annual Meeting at Ascension. I look forward to working with the new board members in 2011.

Fred Ross
Wiltondale Improvement Association

Attention Wiltondale Residents:

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 anncraig-miller@msn.com or call (410) 825-8557. Any updates and/or corrections to your directory information should be sent to directory@wiltondale.org.

Food Drive Drop-off Locations

Drop off non-perishable food items at the following locations Sunday, Jan. 30, for the ACTC food drive:
627 Coventry: the Ptaks **506 Sussex:** the Shetlers
504 Worcester: the Millers **630 Wilton:** the Marlowes

Home Improvements Need Approval

The Architecture Committee of the Wiltondale Improvement Association requires **45 days** for review of property changes. Please plan ahead. Submission of forms and approval by the committee is **required** for all exterior home improvements. 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 arch@wiltondale.org.

You may submit changes, deletions and additions to the Wiltondale Newsletter to newsletter@wiltondale.org. **The deadline for submissions for the next newsletter is the 24th of the month.** Alison Mingo, editor

Blue Water Baltimore Offers Green Options for Wiltondale

Blue Water Baltimore offers rainwater runoff solutions for your home that have the potential to reduce your water and power bills while saving the Chesapeake Bay. These solutions, which come with rebate options and free project evaluations, include installing rain barrels, shade trees, conservation landscaping, and rain gardens and removing unnecessary hardscape. More information can be found at bluewaterbaltimore.org. Blue Water Baltimore is an organization formed by the merging of Herring Run and other regional Watershed Associations.

Snow Shoveling Required

A reminder... In these winter months it is important to follow county laws regarding snow removal from your property. 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 (i.e. the road), but may be tossed onto your yard. Keeping gutters cleared of snow, ice, and debris such as fallen leaves or tree branches helps prevent flooding and is also the property-owner's responsibility.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 recycling	4	5
6	trash pickup 7	8 WIA Meeting 7:30 pm	9	10 recycling	11	12
13	trash pickup 14	15 TU Arena Meeting 6 pm WOW Meeting 7 pm	16	17 recycling	18	19 Bowl'n Bash 8-11 pm
20	trash pickup 21	22	23	24 recycling	25	26
27 ACTC food drive	trash pickup 28	A community meeting about Towson University's proposed arena will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 15, at 6 p.m. in the Minnegan Room of the Field House at the Johnny Unitas Stadium Complex.				

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