Wiltondale Race May 7

Come out and cheer for your neighbors! The annual Wiltondale/Overbrook Run for Greenwood Park will be held Saturday, May 7, with a start time of 8:30 a.m. If you haven't already registered, sign-in will be available starting at 7:30 a.m. on race day at the Wiltondale Pool.

If you and your family utilize the park, please consider that your individual registration fee or family donation goes toward the maintenance and upkeep of the community park and playground.

Registration forms can be found on our website: www.wiltondale.org. Checks should be made payable to Wiltondale Improvement Association and completed forms and payment should be sent or delivered to Jim Kirschner at 604 Worcester Road. Please also contact Jim if you are interested in volunteering. If hand delivering your registration form, please place it inside the storm door. Questions may be directed to race@wiltondale.org.

Wiltondale Yard Sale May 21

All residents are invited to participate in Wiltondale's community yard sale! Get your items out and marked for sale. The yard sale will be held Saturday, May 21, from 9 a.m. to noon. The rain date is Sunday at the same time. There will be signs advertising the yard sale posted along York and Stevenson.

Triangle Happy Hour June 3

Save the Date...The 13th annual Happy Hour at the Coventry Triangle will begin at 5:30 p.m. Friday, June 3, with a rain date of June 4. Watch for more information in next month's newsletter.

Annual Garden Sale June 4

Garden designers Kay Hunter and Deb Vance are hosting their 13th annual plant sale Saturday, June 4, from 8:30-noon. Flowers, shrubs, grasses, and some unusual perennials will be for sale at 7 Cedar Ave.

Towson "Feet on the Street" Parties Begin May 13

The Towson Chamber of Commerce will host its annual "Feet on the Street" block party every Friday evening from May 13 through September 30. The Friday night festivities will be held from 6 to 9:30 p.m. on Allegheny Ave. between York Road and Washington Ave., with road closures between 5:30 and 10 p.m.

Live music, food, children's activities, beer, wine and FREE parking will be available to block party attendees. The current band schedule is as follows:

May 13 Beach Bums
May 20 Voodoo Economics
May 27 The New Romance
June 3 Tony Berry & New Money
June 10 Mary Lou & The Untouchables
June 17 (COP Rally Against Crime) Tony Scuito

You may go to http://www.towsonchamber.com for more information. See you there!

Ascension "Servefest" May 14

Ascension Lutheran Church is providing volunteers to the community to help those who need assistance with yard work, household jobs, etc. Ascension's "Servefest" event is Saturday, May 14, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Please contact Rev. Cobb at pastorjudycobb@ascensiontowson.org or (410) 825-1725 for more details or to request help.

Pool Opening May 27

The Wiltondale Pool will be opening for the season May 27 from 4 - 7 p.m. Shorter pre-season hours are listed on the calendar or you may go to www.wiltondalepool.org for the 2010 schedule and event dates. In-season hours begin June 11.

There will be a Memorial Day Cookout May 30 from noon-2 p.m. at the pool. The first float night will be June 10 from 6 to 8 p.m. Mark your calendars and hire a baby-sitter (check the classifieds if you need help finding one) for the free-to-all-members first adult night of the season June 15 from 7:30-10:30 p.m. We'll see you at the pool!

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

The deadline for submissions to the June newsletter is Thursday, May 26. Thank you! Alison Mingo, editor

WIA President's Letter

Do I remember someone telling me it was Spring? When I first moved to Baltimore, a colleague told me that if I didn't like the weather, just wait a few hours and it would change. I've heard that saying a thousand times since then and it sure remains true! It's been a busy month in Wiltondale and even this cold, rainy transition (at least while I'm writing) can't dampen our spirits.

The Events Committee organized its annual Easter Egg Hunt and it was a huge hit. Over 40 youngsters from toddlers to 10 year olds scoured the park grounds looking for their share of sweet-filled eggs. Despite a minor weather delay, it went off without a hitch. Mr. Chad is busy at work on the pool getting it ready for another great season of fun in the sun. The Parks and Community Property Committee held another successful (albeit wet) Dumpster Day and Greenwood Park cleanup day. (Luckily, they scheduled the cleanup day before the Egg Hunt!) Many thanks go out to all the volunteers and participants who helped make each event a success.

I'd like to bring special attention to the Towson Area Citizens on Patrol (TACOP) fund drive. Wiltondale's COP is a member of this association and is represented by our chairperson. The group's main purpose is to coordinate all the participating neighborhoods and the police department in order to help keep you and your property safe. They need and deserve our support. Please consider either making a small donation or taking a patrol every now and then. Just contact Kathy Fick at wiltondalecop@comcast.net to learn how easy it is to help.

Other groups in the neighborhood are busy at work, too. The Wiltondale Garden Club offered its annual selection of great flower ideas, the Women of Wiltondale held their Spring Party, and four of our neighbors have set up collection spots for the ACTC Food Drive: a great way to really help someone in need. Also, we're counting on a big turnout for the 5K Fun Run this year. You can still sign up and all proceeds go to maintain and improve Greenwood Park's open space and play equipment.

And let's always be a bit more courteous, respectful, and helpful to our neighbors. A good place to start is by picking up after and leashing our dogs. It's the owner's responsibility to cleanup and maintain control of your pet at all times -- and County law. Also, if you advertise an event or sale by posting signs or other material, please be mindful of private property when posting and *always* immediately collect the signs afterward and dispose of them properly.

Be on the lookout for your Wiltondale Directory update sheet coming soon. Make any changes you need and follow the return instructions to ensure the Directory is accurate and up to date. Changes can also be sent to directory@wiltondale.org.

Happy Spring everybody!

Armand Patella, President Wiltondale Improvement Association, Inc.

Attention Wiltondale Neighbors!

The Wiltondale Improvement Association is looking for a resident proficient with Microsoft Access to help with our resident address database that we will use for printing neighborhood directories. Most of the major design work is done. We just need some query and reporting help. If you have the necessary skills and are willing to help, please contact **Craig DeMallie** at **Contact@wiltondale.org**.

Please let **Lori Pagano** know if you are a new Wilton-dale 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 contact Lori at **secretary@wiltondale.org**.

Home Improvements Need Approval

The Architecture Committee of the Wiltondale Improvement Association requires <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. 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 <u>arch@wiltondale.org</u>.

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8 Happy Mother's Day!	trash pickup 9	10 WIA Meeting 7:30 pm	11	recycling 12	13	14 Ascension's <i>Servefest</i> 9 am-2 pm
15	trash pickup 16	17 WOW Meeting 7 pm	18	19 recycling/ yard material pick-up	20	21 Wiltondale Yard Sale 9 am-12 pm
22	trash pickup 23	24	25	26 recycling	27 Pool Open 4 - 7 pm	28 Pool Open 10 am - 7 pm
Pool Open noon - 7 pm ACTC food drive	30 Pool Open 10 am - 7 pm Memorial Day	trash pickup 31 Pool Open 4 - 7 pm	*Don't forget to pay your dues if you haven't already done so! *Drop off non-perishable items for the ACTC food drive: 627 Coventry: the Ptaks 506 Sussex: the Shetlers 504 Worcester: the Millers 630 Wilton: the Marlowes			

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