



WILTONDALE

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April 2013

Wiltontdale Swim Team Seeking Swimmers

A Summer swim team has been added to the 2013 pool season! All levels of swimmers are encouraged to participate in the practices and compete against local teams in the Monday and Wednesday evening meets.

We are excited to welcome Coach Devin Kirby, Towson University alumnus and sprint freestyler, seasoned coach, and a current special education teacher, to our community pool for our first season. Alison Mingo, Wiltondale resident, mother to three, and a triathlete, is thrilled to join the team as Assistant Coach.

The season starts May 28 with the final meet July 17. Practices will be held in the evenings from May 28 through the end of the school year and then in the mornings for the rest of the season.

In-person registration will take place in the pool parking lot **Saturday, Apr. 27** from **11 a.m. - 2 p.m.** and **Wednesday, May 1**, from **5 - 8 p.m.** The cost for the season is \$125 per swimmer, and you must be a current pool member. Please bring your completed registration form (available at wiltontdalepool.org) and check to registration where more details will be provided and questions can be answered. We look forward to a great turnout and a fantastic season!

Park Cleanup April 20

Come help with Greenwood Park cleanup efforts **Saturday, Apr. 20**, starting at **8:30 a.m.** until the work is done. Please bring your wheelbarrows, rakes, shovels and weeding tools to help beautify our community park!

WOW Meeting April 18

This month's Women of Wiltondale meeting will be held **Thursday, April 18, at 7 p.m.** at Abbey Pulcinella's home: 607 Coventry Rd. Please bring an appetizer, dessert or a bottle of wine to share. All Wiltondale ladies are welcome, so don't miss this opportunity to catch up with neighbors and meet new friends!

ACTC Food Drive

(last weekend of every month) drop-off locations:

- Ptak home: 627 Coventry**
- Miller home: 504 Worcester**
- Marlowe home: 630 Wilton**
- Shetler home: 506 Sussex**

THS Boosters Spring Gala April 20

Please join the Towson High School Sports Boosters for the Annual Spring Gala Fundraiser Dinner at the Country Club of Maryland on **April 20** from **7-11 p.m.** Attendees can enjoy a buffet dinner, wine and beer, wheels, a silent auction, and a mystery wine table. Tickets are available for \$65 per person or \$125 per couple. For more information or to make a donation please contact Event Chairperson Kelly Chesser at kchesser22@gmail.com, Ticket Salesperson Tracy Amos at tamos@grabercpa.com, or Silent-Auction Coordinator Mimi Wood at mimi.wood@LNF.com. Proper attire is required for those attending the THS Spring Gala: no jeans permitted.

Wiltontdale 5k/Fun Run May 11

It's time to register for this year's annual Wiltondale/Overbrook 5k and Fun Run to benefit Greenwood Park. Join your neighbors Saturday, May 11, for an 8 a.m. start time, rain or shine!

Registration is now available for the 5K or the 1-mile fun run for kids 12 and under, or you can become a family sponsor, which includes race entries and t-shirts for your whole family (whether or not you run the race). Forms can be picked up at the Kubicz residence: 515 Sussex Road. Place your completed form with your check (please no cash) inside the storm door or mail it to Tom Kubicz. Registration forms must be received by Friday, May 5, to receive a race performance t-shirt. After that date you may still register (at a discounted price) but you will not receive a race t-shirt.

A celebratory breakfast at the pool will conclude the race. See you there!

Notes from Neighbors

Please watch for your annual dues notice from the WIA. This small fee helps the Wiltondale board support activities that make our neighborhood a wonderful place to live!

Please also consider volunteering some of your time to support our annual neighborhood events. The board is in need of an Events Director to coordinate annual events like the Easter egg hunt, the Halloween parade, Santa's visit and the Annual party. Contact Tim Lotz at president@wiltontdale.com if you are able to fill this position.

Please secure your recycling-bin lid so paper isn't blowing around our neighborhood on recycling day.

Please try to stagger your vehicles when parking on your street to make it easier for traffic to get by without incident.

THANK YOU!

Wiltondale Improvement Association President's Letter

Although the cold weather continues to linger, the calendar says that Spring is here, so we begin to turn our attention to the activities of the season. In Wiltondale, key dates coming up include Park Cleanup Day on April 20, Dumpster Day on May 4 and the Annual Wiltondale/Overbrook Fun Run on May 11. Further details can be found elsewhere in this newsletter and in your email during the coming weeks. I hope everyone can get out, enjoy the outdoors, and support the neighborhood at these upcoming events.

Many thanks to all who participated in the annual Easter Egg Hunt at Greenwood Park March 30. We were fortunate to catch a beautiful days, and the turnout was great with more than 50 children taking part. Special thanks to the volunteers who made the event possible - Kathy Fick, Rella Murphy, Kathleen Nuetzel, Gene Leber and of course, the Easter Bunny himself. Thanks to all for a great afternoon!

A few news items from the Board of Directors: First, we are seeing a seasonal uptick in the number of improvement applications submitted to the Architecture Committee. We very much appreciate everyone's cooperation in the the architectural review process, one that is essential to maintaining the aesthetic integrity of our neighborhood. It is always great to see the commitment to Wiltondale that shows in residents' reinvestment in their homes. That is a good thing for everyone. Next, a committee of the Board has started working on an updated directory. Stay tuned for further information as our team works out the many details. Finally, the Pool Committee, with support from the full Board and a strong group of volunteers, has approved the participation of a Wiltondale Pool team in the Free State Swim League beginning this summer. More details are forthcoming to pool members on this exciting development.

With good weather and outdoor activities comes increased traffic of all kinds. I again remind everyone that what we value above all as a community is safety. Please drive safely on our streets, lock your cars and be alert to suspicious activity. Have a great month!

Tim Lotz, WIA President

Wiltondale Pool Opening Day is Friday,
May 24, from 4 - 7 p.m. See you there!

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

**The deadline for submissions
to the May newsletter is
Thursday, April 25. Thanks!**

Home Improvements Need OK

The Architecture Committee of the Wiltondale Improvement Association is requiring **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. 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 arch@wiltondale.org.

Dumpster Day May 4

Please add Wiltondale's annual Dumpster Day to your calendar! The Wiltondale community refuse collection will be held on **Saturday, May 4, 2013**. The dumpsters - for metals, yard waste and general refuse - will be located in the pool parking lot. Ten volunteers are needed to work one-hour shifts to assist in monitoring the materials that are placed in the dumpsters. Volunteers will be moved to the front of the line in appreciation for their assistance. Please contact Anne Harriott at castanea33@verizon.net if you would like to volunteer. More details to come!

Yard Sale May 18

Save the date for Wiltondale's community yard sale **Saturday, May 18, 2013**, from 9 a.m. to noon. Start preparing your items for sale! We will advertise on craigslist.com and with signs placed at prominent intersections, but you are welcome to create and post your own advertisement. The rain date is Sunday, May 19.

Waste Collection Schedule

Mondays: Trash Collection

Thursdays: Recycling

Thursdays, April 18, May 2, May 16: Yard Waste Collection

Attention Wiltondale Neighbors:

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

Wilondale Classified Advertising

For Sale

Boys 24" Mountain bike by GIANT (MTX 225. Blue, 21 speed, great condition. First \$75 rides it home. Call **Ken** at (410) 828-5679

Tutoring

Experienced Mathematics/Statistics tutor. Have 10 years of teaching experience at Loyola University, Maryland. Will tutor most high school or college level mathematics or statistics courses. Evening or weekend availability; competitive rates; references available. **Mike Schneider** (443) 632-6589 or mschneider4@loyola.edu

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Diane Topper
dtopper2@verizon.net or (410) 337-0077

Life is busy enough, so let me be of help. My name is **Kate Glorioso** kglorioso@hotmail.com; (443) 996-6150 Here's just a sampling of what I can assist with: house/pet-sitting, cleaning, shopping, cooking/baking, parties/events.

Need Birthday Entertainment?
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Call **Caroline Mecchi**, age 12
(410) 823-3930
References Available

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Grady Kuhn 410-847-9026

Red Cross certified babysitter.
Blair Ptak Age 14. (410) 823-3144

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 15. Experienced, loves kids, references available. **Jane Harriott** (410) 296-0063

Red Cross certified, experienced, responsible babysitter, age 16.
Bridget Rudolphi (410) 825-8373

Completed Safe Sitters Program at St. Joseph Medical Center, experienced, responsible babysitter, age 13.
Lauren Rudolphi (410) 825-8373

Babysitting, nanny, pet sitter.
CPR certified college student
Amelia Marlowe age 20 (443) 955-8844

Babysitting, Red Cross trained, pet sitter.
Abby Marlowe age 15 (410) 828-4337

Babysitting, pet sitter.
Bobby Marlowe age 18 (443) 955-1812

Red Cross Certified Babysitter
Experienced, Responsible, Age 16.
Katie DeMallie (410) 296-9501
kdemallie@verizon.net

Red Cross Certified Babysitter **Aylish Ptak**
Loves Kids. Age 17. (410) 823-3144

In-home experienced child-care provider is looking for a new family to care for preferably a newborn and preschool children. If interested please call **Susie Johnson** at (410) 664-6263. References available.

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 14.
Nina Lorsch (410) 828-6472

Experienced child care provider is looking for a family who needs a great nanny in their home. Would consider part-time, full-time or before and after school care. A nanny share would be fine also. Great references. Please call **Holly Gunts** (410) 337-7382

Experienced babysitter, American Safety & Health Institute, CPR & Basic First Aid trained. Dependable, responsible and enjoys children. Age 14
Olivia Morgan (443) 860-1998

Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 16.
Kelsey Evans (410) 583-7355

Experienced Red Cross certified babysitter. Age 15. **Emma Fox** (410) 828-6345
References available.

Ian Burkhardt (14): experienced babysitter and pet sitter
Cole Burkhardt (12) or **Leah Burkhardt** (9): experienced pet sitters
Please call (410) 337-0332

Pet sitter and babysitter. Age 13.
Sarah Fox (410) 828-6345

Andrew Pagano age 14 (410) 821-7015
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Tim and Brian Coan - 15
Call us at (410) 337-9159 for pet sitting, dog walking, lawn mowing and yard work.

Patrick and Brendan Coan - Age 18
Experienced and dependable lawn mowers.
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Jimmy Walker: Experienced lawn-cutting, pet sitting and dog walking. Age 19.
(443) 231- 8106

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Wesley Walker: Pet sitting and dog walking.
Age 13. (410) 823-5425

Pet sitting and dog walking. Lawn and garden care (raking, shoveling, and mowing). Responsible and hard working. References available. **Luke Bender** (15). (410) 825-6677

Cullen Kuhn (15) and **Grady Kuhn** (13) are available for dog-walking and yard work.
Call (410) 847-9026

Responsible dog walker. Also available for raking and snow shoveling. Age 16.
Contact **Colin King** at (443) 564-8322