



Late Summer 2016 Community Newsletter

WILTONDALE

www.wiltondale.org



WILTONDALE ANNUAL PARTY

SAT, SEPT 10 • 5 - 9 PM @ THE POOL

All Wiltondale neighborhood and all pool members welcome!

**FOOD • GAMES • DJ MUSIC • POOL RELAYS • KEG BEER • RITA'S ICE • DRINKS
COTTON CANDY • FRIED CHICKEN • SALADS • FRESH WRAP SANDWICHES
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Tickets (online credit card payment will be available):

In Advance: Adults \$10 (\$15 w/keg beer), Kids \$5 (12 and under)

At the Door: Adults \$15 (\$20 w/keg beer), Kids \$7

Advanced ticket sales will begin in mid-August. Details to come!

WIA Board Meeting

No board meeting will be held in August. The next WIA Board meeting will be **Tuesday, September 13, 2016**. If you are interested in knowing what was discussed at the last board meeting, minutes from the meetings are always available to interested residents. Please send requests to secretary@wiltondale.org.

WIA Directories

The 2016 Directories are being distributed. If you have not received yours within the next couple of weeks, you should contact your block captain. This can be found on Wiltondale's website: <http://wiltondale.org/wia-board/>

E-MAIL SUBSCRIPTIONS REMINDER

Wiltondale maintains two e-mail distribution lists. This is the most efficient method for the association to communicate with residents. Please visit the Wiltondale website to subscribe/unsubscribe to these lists.

WIA-COP - All information relating to community safety, security, crime prevention/alerts, etc.

WIA-Info - All general community information such as events, lost & found items (including pets), zoning issues, solicitations for volunteers, etc.

Waste Collection Schedule

Trash: Mondays, August 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29
Recycling: Thursdays, August 4, 11, 18 & 25
Yard waste: Thursdays, August 4 & 18

WILTONDALE CITIZENS ON PATROL

"The eyes and ears of the Police"

Join and support us any way you can!

- Sign up for patrol weeks
- call or email for any concerns.
- consider giving to Towson Area Citizens on Patrol (TACOP)

"Remember if you see something, say something!"

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New to the Neighborhood?

If so, or if you know of any new neighbors who have recently moved in, please email secretary@wiltondale.org so that they may be welcomed by the hospitality committee. We would also like to include your contact information in this newsletter. Please email your name, new address and phone numbers to newsletter@wiltondale.org to be included in the next edition.

Also, any updates to your directory information can be sent to directory@wiltondale.org.

Home Improvements Require Board Approval

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.

Wiltondale Pool

Italian Night is back on August 11th! Join us for the next and final Adult Night of the 2016 season! Get your tickets by 8/9. Members \$15/guests \$20 (exact cash or check please).

Featuring food from Trinacria, music by Bill Hugo, and a wine tasting facilitated by our own Mike McAvoy.



2016 Wiltondale Pool Schedule

In-Season Hours: Saturday, June 9 - Tuesday, August 23rd

Saturdays-Thursdays 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Fridays 10 a.m. - 10 p.m.

Post Season:

Monday-Thursday, Aug 24-Sept 1: 4pm-7pm
Fridays, Aug 26, Sept 2 & 9: 4pm-10pm
Saturdays, Aug 27 & Sept 3: 10am-9pm
Sundays, Aug 28 & Sept 4: 10am-8pm
Monday, Sept 5 (Labor Day): 10am-7pm
Tuesday-Thursday, Sept. 6-8: CLOSED
Saturday, Sept. 10: 10am-4pm
Reopen for Annual Party
Sunday, Sept. 11 10am-5:30pm
5:31pm -6:00pm DOG SWIM

Thurs., Aug. 11: Third Adult Night
Italian Night/Wine Tasting (7:30-10:30pm)
Fri., Aug. 12: Movie Night (8-10pm)
Tues., Aug. 16: Third Teen Night (8-10pm)
Fri., Aug. 19: Movie Night (8-10pm)
Sat., Aug. 20: Annual Sleepover (POOL CLOSES AT 5:00pm)
Tues., Aug. 23: Last Day of In-Season
Mon., Sept. 5: Labor Day Celebration Cookout (12:00pm)
Sat., Sept. 10: WIA & Wiltondale Pool Annual Party (5:00pm)
Sun., Sept. 11: Last Day of Season
Dog Swim at 5:31pm

EDITOR'S NOTE

If you have any exciting news (and/or photos) you would like to share with your neighbors such as births, weddings, graduations, etc., please send it to newsletter@wiltondale.org and it may be included in the next issue of the newsletter.

Submissions, changes, deletions and additions should be submitted by **Wednesday August 31th**.

Thanks! Kelley Battaglia, Editor

Wiltondale Improvement Association

President's Message to Members

August 1, 2016

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Summer Reading:

It was just before St. Patrick day in 1972, when I meet with Fordham University's Fr. Vincent Butler SJ, for my college entrance interview. It was my intention to study English at the University of Paddy Chayefsky and Father Butler was my last obstacle.

Looking down and over his wire rimmed glasses he asked me which novel was my favorite; "The Great Gatsby" was my immediate response then as it would be today, if asked the same question. The Jesuit sighed and retorted, "Of course, no big words". Then he explained, "You know Eddie, jocks don't tend to do well here at Fordham, particularly in English".

The Priest's remarks completely put me off to the Bronx. With this newly provided incentive, I applied, was accepted and soon shipped down to Baltimore's Loyola College sight unseen. Thinking during the whole process the joke was on Father Butler, because I really was not that good an athlete. Now I've come to learn Gatsby's author, Francis Scott Key Fitzgerald named after the famous lawyer, poet and his second cousin (twice removed) lived right across York Road from Wiltondale on the La Paix Estate, now part of St. Joseph's Hospital.

It was in Towson, where Fitzgerald completed what he believed was his best novel "Tender in the Night", while his wife, Zelda, was being treated for schizophrenia. Tender in the Night is a story of Dick Diver, a bright young psychiatrist who falls in love with one of his patients.

The Fitzgerald's lived in Towson and Baltimore for only several years, but soon after F. Scott left Maryland, the Wiltondale development was started. It seems from one classic to another.

Many Thanks:

Many thanks to those who have already made payment of their 2016 HOA dues. Our home owner association continues to look out for our community interest. We act as an ombudsman with the County's administrators, legislatures and police department, cooperate with our pool committee, analyze, review and report on local zoning and development issues, run special events and represent Wiltondale in relations with other neighboring, neighborhood HOA.

Perhaps more importantly, the HOA maintains Greenwood Park, which is Wiltondale's Park. As the population density of Towson thickens, our control over this playground will play a larger role in maintaining the character of Wiltondale.

Enjoy the remaining summer days.

Eddie Watt

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