



Back to School

New School Year, New Principals And a New Building in the Works

by Anne Gardner

As Greenbelt public school students get ready to go back to school on Monday, August 22 they can expect a few changes.

Greenbelt Elementary has a new principal, Monica Gaines. She replaces Principal Kim Seidel, who decided to move on to new challenges at an elementary school in Bowie. Gaines comes from an administrative position as instructional specialist in the Area 1 office but has previously served as a vice principal and is herself the parent of a kindergartner. Staff and parents at the school are looking forward to working with her as she settles into the school. One teacher, asked for her first impression, said Gaines was “a delight,” and PTA President Lucy Dirksen was impressed by her willingness “to dive into various tasks and to do anything to help us.”

At Greenbelt Middle School, Warren Tweedy will be the new principal. Tweedy took over from Sharon Porter as acting principal part way through the last school year, when Porter left to take care of her mother in North Carolina. PTA President Amy Hansen is very positive about the change. “I was very impressed with Mr. Tweedy last year. He doesn’t have an easy job but he comes at it with enthusiasm and high expectations for the students.”

Construction of the new middle school building continues seven days a week and the new school is on track to open in time for the 2012-2013 school year. To see a live camera view of the construction, go to <http://www1.pgcps.org/cip/index.aspx?id=146076>.

The building will be a LEED gold certified building, and the first steps toward this goal can already be seen, with the installation of a geothermal heating and cooling system.

Local Schools Times, Websites

Greenbelt Elementary
 Opens 9:15 a.m., closes 3:25 p.m.
www1.pgcps.org/greenbelles/

Magnolia Elementary
 Opens 9:15 a.m., closes 3:25 p.m.
www1.pgcps.org/magnolia/

Springhill Lake Elementary
 Opens 7:45 a.m., closes 1:55 p.m.
www1.pgcps.org/springhilllake/

**Turning Point Academy
 Public Charter School**
 Opens 8 a.m., closes 2:30 p.m.
www1.pgcps.org/Turningpoint

Greenbelt Middle
 Opens 9 a.m., closes 3:40 p.m.
<http://www1.pgcps.org/greenbelmts/>

Eleanor Roosevelt High School
 Opens 8:30 a.m., closes 3:10 p.m.
www.pgcps.org/~erhs/

Back-to-School Resource Fair

The Prince George’s County Public Schools (PGCPS) will hold its first official Back-to-School Fair for the county at Eleanor Roosevelt High School on Saturday, August 20 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This county-wide event is open to all PGCPS students, teachers, staff, parents, community leaders and county agencies. The fair will provide parents and students with access to resources needed for a successful school year. Those attending will have an opportunity to speak with school representatives and get information about before- and after-school programs, school registration, PTA registration, school supplies and more. In addition, there will be entertainment, food and give-aways.

More important
 Back to School details
 can be found on page 6.

Principal Monica Gaines Greets GES Parents

by Sandra A. Lange

The 2011-12 school year is about to begin and Greenbelt Elementary School (GES) parents and students will be welcomed by new principal Monica Gaines. Appointed four weeks ago, Gaines has been busy moving into her new office, becoming familiar with a new curriculum and meeting her staff. On Wednesday, August 10 she hosted a “Meet and Greet” for families and community members.

In the short time she has been at GES, Gaines has impressed people with her ability to multitask as well as with her energy. “She is calm and creative,” noted Lucy Dirksen, president of the GES PTA.

PTA board member Karen Yoho commented that Gaines impressed her as being “kind and gentle. She also sits back and finds out what works,” Yoho added.

District 2 School Board Member Peggy Higgins remarked that Gaines has many leadership

qualities that will be a good match for GES. “She is very dedicated and wonderful,” commented Higgins.

Sixth grade teacher Beth Novick said that Gaines seems “very child-centered” although she and Gaines had not had much time yet to get to know each other.

Gaines appeared relaxed as she greeted several dozen GES parents and volunteers. She said she is looking forward to the start of school and hopes her days will be less stressful once her schedule becomes more organized. She said she was somewhat familiar with Greenbelt in her former position as an instructional specialist for the area, although she had not previously visited GES. She formerly served as a reading and math teacher at Thomas Pullen Elementary and as a vice principal at Bladensburg Elementary. Gaines replaces Kimberly Seidel, who has been assigned to Rockledge Elementary School in Bowie.

Neighbors, Others Attend Meeting on Smoking Ban

by James Giese

What do you get when you mix Cooperativism, Libertarianism, neighborliness, health hazards and fresh air in a castle (your home is your castle) with common walls? A conundrum? Or a mess?

An unsatisfactory, unresolved conclusion was the outcome of a standing-room-only meeting in a Greenbelt Community Center classroom on August 10 that had been called by David Schuman, a Greenbelt Homes, Inc., (GHI) resident of 11 Court Ridge Road. Schuman has filed a civil suit in Prince George’s County Circuit Court against GHI seeking \$600,000 in damages and an injunction banning neighbors from smoking at their premises. The case is scheduled for hearing August 17.

Neither representatives of GHI nor the adjacent neighbor who smokes attended the meeting although Schuman said he had invited them. Unusual for an issue in litigation, no legal representatives were present. The audience

of 40 or more seemed to have no advocates for smoking or the rights of smokers. One audience member, William Norwood, expressed his support to Schuman.

In the time allotted for audience questions by Schuman, who conducted the meeting, the gist of questions not related to the health effects of second-hand smoke centered around his role as a member of a cooperative. Such questions were raised principally by Johanna Goderre Jones and her husband Tom.

Their questions indicated they felt Schuman should have brought his matter before the membership of GHI rather than file his complaints in a way that required GHI consideration in executive meetings unknown to the general membership. It was suggested that Schuman should have circulated a petition among members.

Libertarian

Schuman said he was a
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Council Asks that BARC, Goddard Be in District 3

by Barbara Hopkins

The Prince George’s County Redistricting Commission held a public hearing on Saturday, August 13 about its newly released county redistricting plan. No one from the Greenbelt City Council attended but council had agreed at its meeting on June 20 to send a letter to the commission requesting that municipal boundaries, including undeveloped areas, be kept intact in the redistricting process.

Assuming the plan will be adopted, Greenbelt falls into District 3, which also includes College Park, Berwyn Heights, Riverdale Park, University Park and New Carrollton. [See map of District 3 on page 6 of the Greenbelt News Review, August 11.]

Council discussed the redistricting map at its regular meeting on Monday, August 15 just before the next meeting of the Redistricting Commission on

August 16. The commission will meet again on August 23 and must submit its redistricting plan to the county council by September 1.

The county charter requires the county council to hold a public hearing within 30 days; the hearing has been scheduled for September 27. Unless the county council enacts another plan, the commission’s plan will become law on November 30.

Assistant City Manager David Moran said the Bowie area had experienced considerable growth in the last 10 years, probably accounting for the fact that Greenbelt and Bowie will no longer be in the same district. Growth in Greenbelt had not been as dramatic as in Bowie, he said. Actual population figures had not been released with the commission’s

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What Goes On

- Friday, August 19**
8 to 10 p.m., Family Night at the Aquatic and Fitness Center
- Monday, August 22**
8 p.m., Council Worksession with Roosevelt Center Merchants, Municipal Building, Verizon 21, Comcast 71 and streaming at www.greenbeltsmd.gov
- Tuesday, August 23**
7 p.m., Advisory Committee on Education Meeting, Municipal Building
- 7:30 p.m.**, Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability Meeting (GreenACES), Community Center

Volunteer Training For Labor Day Fest

On Saturday, August 20 from 11 a.m. to noon a training meeting will be held for green volunteers who will help green the Labor Day Festival. Volunteers should meet at the Public Works building behind the entrance to Buddy Attick Park.

An additional training session will be provided for anyone who wants to help but cannot make this session.

For more information contact Greenbelt Sustainability Coordinator Luisa Robles at lrobles@greenbeltmd.gov or 301-474-8004 or GreenACES members John Lippert and Jane Young at gc-jane@aol.com or 301-507-6765.

Indie Rocker Ari Jacobson at Café

On Tuesday, August 23 at 7 p.m. singer-songwriter Ari Jacobson will make an appearance at the New Deal Café. Jacobson is touring the East Coast for his debut album, "Songs About You" and goes on to Philadelphia after his Café stint here.

A folk rock singer, Jacobson is also an actor who recently made his off-Broadway debut in the musical "The Adventures of Hershele Ostropolyer" at the National Yiddish Theatre. His classical and jazz training resonates in his music with complex chord structures and fluid melodies.

More information about the artist is at www.arijacobson.com.

City Animal Control Officers Certified

Animal Control Officer Susie Root and Animal Control Shelter Manager Kim DeAngelis recently completed training at the National Animal Control Association (NACA) training academy in Dayton, Ohio. As a result, both are now designated and recognized as certified animal control officers. NACA is the only organization which trains, tests and certifies animal control professionals on a national basis. Completion of this two-part academy training denotes mastery of knowledge and skills associated with animal control and shelter management.

Join Volksmarchers On Saturday Walk

The Great Greenbelt Volksmarchers in cooperation with the City of Greenbelt Recreation Department will sponsor a sunrise walking event on Saturday, August 20. The start and finish locations will be Buddy Attick Park. Two trails will be offered: a 5k (3.1 mile) and a 10k (6.2 mile).

Registration begins at 6 a.m. and ends at noon. Finish the walk by 3 p.m. Walkers pay no fee but there is a small fee for IVV credit if desired. Children 12 and under can receive IVV credit free but all must be accompanied by an adult. Pets are welcome and leash laws are in effect. Be prepared to clean up after pets. Water and restrooms are available at the start/finish and on the trail. The trail is almost entirely on pavement plus some natural surfaces with no significant hills. It is suitable for big wheel strollers but not wheelchairs.

For additional information contact John Holloman at 301-937-3549 or email mcjohn_h@verizon.net.

Co-op Wine Tasting, Soup and Smoothies

On Friday, August 19 from 4 to 7 p.m. the Co-op will hold its next free wine tasting event. ID is required to participate.

Workshop

The next workshop in the Co-op Shop Healthy quarterly program, focusing on summer soups and smoothies, will be held at the Youth Center on Wednesday, August 24 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. During the dog days of late summer it is nice to have simple, cooling meals that do not require turning on the stove or oven. Cold soups and smoothies are good for those meals and especially nice for packed lunches.

Simple tasty recipes to incorporate a variety of fresh and frozen fruits, veggies and fresh herbs into cool summer soups and smoothies will be offered. To attend, RSVP by Tuesday, August 23 to membership@greenbelt.coop or 301-474-0522, ext. 205.

City Notes

Code Enforcement reports Franklin Park residents filed all 10 of the property maintenance complaints received by the city the week of August 12. They included leaks, lack of air conditioning, pest infestations, wet carpets and floors, missing screens, broken locks, unsecured units and mold/mildew. In addition, there were seven re-inspections and four annual inspections of day care facilities.

Animal Control

One dog was impounded from a car; there were four wildlife calls and three bats and one snake were removed from homes. Staff attended the Animal Control Commission board hearing for a cruelty case.

Public Works

Horticulture crews prepared fields for kickball league play, watered trees throughout the city and programmed the new irrigation control timer at the Municipal Building.

Refuse/Recycling

Just over 30 tons of refuse and 13.32 tons of co-mingled recyclable materials were collected. Crews working with Camp YOGO children removed 22.4 pounds of Japanese stilt grass from the North Forest Preserve in a one-day invasive species removal.

Recreation

Staff met with the electrician hired to install the tennis court lighting system to review electrical drawings and site plans for the work. The electrician is working to secure needed permits to begin the work. The lighting system was ordered and has been delivered to the contractor's facility so it is available once the work begins.

One HVAC unit in the Community Center experienced a clogged drain. Fortunately, a GIVES volunteer noticed something amiss with the unit and notified staff immediately, preventing an overflow and flood.

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On Screen

A Different Paris

"Sarah's Key," a searing story set in Nazi-occupied Paris, opens Friday, August 19 at Old Greenbelt Theatre. In mid-July of 1942, French authorities arrested thousands of Jews – including women and children – and crammed them into a bicycling stadium before sending them off in cattle cars.

The film focuses on a girl – Sarah – who tries desperately at the last minute to save her younger brother. It's based on a best-selling 2007 novel. Kristin Scott Thomas and Aidan Quinn play central roles in this tale of a horrific darkness imposed on the City of Light.

PG-13, 102 minutes. Mostly in French, with English subtitles.

– Eli Flam

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Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.
OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.

OLD GREENBELT THEATRE

WEEK OF AUG 19

Sarah's Key

(PG-13)

Friday

*5, 7:30, 9:45

Saturday

*2:30, *5, 7:30, 9:45

Sunday

*2:30, *5, 7:30

Monday - Thursday

*5, 7:30

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Community Events

Menu for Senior Nutrition Program

The Senior Nutrition "Food and Friendship" program provides lunches for seniors Monday through Friday at the Community Center beginning at noon. Meals must be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead so that enough food is ordered. Call 301-397-2208, ext. 4215.

All meals include bread and margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for August 22 to 26:

Monday – Cranberry juice, roast turkey with gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, diced pears.

Tuesday – Orange juice, barbecued beef rib with sauce on a multigrain roll, black beans, seasoned carrots, diced peaches.

Wednesday – Grape juice, beer-battered fish with tartar sauce, red potatoes, green beans, fruit cocktail.

Thursday – Cranberry juice, baked ham with pineapple sauce, baked beans, seasoned zucchini, ambrosia.

Friday – Apple juice, beef and broccoli stir fry, parsley rice, stir-fried vegetables, pineapple tidbits.

GHI Notes

Thursday, August 18, 7:30 p.m., Board meeting – Board Room

Friday, August 19. Offices Closed. Maintenance emergency service available only (call 301-474-6011).

Saturday, August 20, 11 a.m., Pre-purchase Orientation – Board Room

Monday, August 22, 7 p.m., Addition Maintenance Task Force meeting – Board Room

7 p.m., Communicator Task Force meeting – Lobby

Wednesday, August 24, 7 p.m., Buildings Committee meeting – Board Room

Tuesday, August 30, 8:30 p.m., Yardline Committee meeting – Board Room

Note: The last regularly scheduled board meeting for the summer will be August 18. Committee and board meetings are open; members are encouraged to attend.

Cajun Jam Wed. At New Deal Café

On Wednesday, August 24 a free Cajun Jam will be held at the New Deal Café from 7 to 9:30 p.m. for dancers, musicians and listeners. Beginners are welcome.

For more information visit <http://www.newdealcafe.com/>.

Difference Explained: Astrology v. Astronomy

The next meeting of the Astronomical Society of Greenbelt (ASG) will be on Thursday, August 25 at 7:30 p.m. in Room 114 at the Greenbelt Community Center. It will feature a presentation by club member Elizabeth Levin, who will discuss "Astronomy and Astrology: What's the Difference?"

ASG members get this question at star parties and other public events. There's quite a big difference.

Levin is a public school teacher and a volunteer at Owens Science Center.

All are welcome. Admission is free.

SG Star Party On Saturday

Everyone is invited to join the Astronomical Society of Greenbelt (ASG) for a free star party Saturday evening, August 20 at the City of Greenbelt Observatory at Northway Fields. In addition to the observatory telescope, several members will share personal telescopes and binoculars for the enjoyment of all. Observing will begin when it is dark enough, around 8:30 p.m.

Attendees may get a glimpse of Saturn as it sets. In addition several nice star clusters and nebulae may be seen. ASG members will also be available to answer questions and provide advice about this hobby.

The star party will be cancelled without notice if it is hopelessly cloudy. Attendees are asked to park in the ball field lot at the bottom of the hill unless bringing a telescope.

Widowed Persons Support Group Starts

Men and women who have lost their spouses are invited to a support group conducted by the Patuxent Widowed Persons Service (PWPS). The group will meet one evening each week for six weeks starting Tuesday, September 27 at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. Each session will run from 7 to 9 p.m. and there is no fee. The group is open to anyone regardless of age, race or religious belief.

Trained volunteers who have also been widowed will conduct the sessions. The participants share personal experiences, exchange information and discuss published materials prepared by bereavement specialists. Many persons, after losing a wife or husband, have benefitted from insights, emotional support, practical information and friendships provided by such groups.

Pre-registration is required. Call Leonie at 301-441-8943 or Kathleen at 301-474-6892.

PWPS support groups are co-sponsored by American Association for Retired Persons (AARP) and the Greenbelt Senior Citizens Advisory Committee.

GAFC Free Guest With Paid Admission

On Friday, August 26 at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center (GAFC) one guest will be admitted free with each full-price admission.

More Community Events on page 2 and 6.

ONLINE FALL SOCCER REGISTRATION WITH GREENBELT SOCCER ALLIANCE

Grades K – 8
\$40 (some discounts available).
Late fee after August 25.
For more information and to register visit:
www.greenbeltsoccer.org

Kids to Perform At Café Sunday

A Kids Open Microphone session at the New Deal Café on Sunday, August 21 runs from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. On the third Sunday of every month, children up to age 17 are invited to play a musical instrument, sing, dance, recite a poem or otherwise perform.

For more information call Anne Gardner at 301-220-1721 or email annegrdr@yahoo.com.

At the Library Storytimes

A librarian will read age-appropriate stories and lead children and parents in fun and growth-stimulating activities using imagination and props:

Wednesday, August 24, 10:30 a.m. Drop-in Storytime for ages 3 to 5, room capacity: 20 total.

Thursday, August 25, 10:30 a.m. Toddler Time for ages 18 to 35 months with caregiver, room capacity: 24 total.

Summer Reading

The library Summer Reading Program is still going on with programs for those from newborn to 5, 6 to 12, teens and adults which will continue until August 31. It is not too late to sign up, participate and earn reading incentives. All books read between May 16 and August 31 count. Have fun reading for pleasure. Summer reading T-shirts were a big hit and a few limited sizes are available. Hurry before all are gone.

Information For more information on any of these programs or events come to the library, call 301-345-5800 or visit the website at www.pgc-mls.info.



Mall Offers Latin Music on Sunday

On Sunday, August 21 from 2 to 4 p.m. Humberto Guzman and his Mariachi Band will play at Beltway Plaza Mall. They will start at Center Court and move through the mall, playing as they go. The performance is part of the mall's Latin Sunday series.



Labor Day Festival to Have New Hours

The Labor Day Festival will have new hours this year. The new times are:

Friday, Sept. 2
6 to 10 p.m. (booths and rides)
Main stage closes 11 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 3
9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. (booths and rides)
Main stage closes 10:30 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 4
Noon to 9:30 p.m. (booths and rides);
Main stage closes 10:30 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 5
Noon to 6 p.m.

For a printed guide to all of the Festival programs and activities, check out the special insert to the August 25 issue of this newspaper.

The Bus

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Labor Day Festival Used Book Sale

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Adults: \$8.50
Students/Military: \$7.50
Children: \$6.00
Seniors: \$6.50
R = ID Required
(!) = No pass, (!!) No pass weekend

Week of AUG 19

FRI. – SAT.
Final Destination, R (!!)
11:15, 1:25, 3:35, 5:50, 8:20, 10:45
30 Minutes or Less, R
11:25, 1:35, 3:50, 6:10, 8:20, 10:45
Fright Night in 3D, R (!)
No fees at this location
11:15, 1:30, 3:40, 6, 8:10, 10:30
Spy Kids 4, PG (!)
11:15, 1:25, 3:40, 6, 8:10, 10:30
Rise of the Apes, PG-13
11:40, 2:25, 4:55, 7:25, 10:20
Conan the Barbarian, R (!)
11:35, 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 10:15
The Help, PG-13 (!!)
11:45, 3, 6:15, 9:40
Smurfs, PG
11:35, 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 10:15

SUN. – THU.
Final Destination, R (!!)
11:40, 1:50, 4, 6:15, 8:30
30 Minutes or Less, R
11:45, 1:55, 4:10, 6:25, 8:40
Fright Night in 3D, R (!)
No fees at this location
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August 19, 20, 26, 27, September 2, 3 at 8:00pm

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Obituaries

Teresa D. Moore

Teresa Ann Davis Moore, 51, died on August 13, 2011, of an aneurysm. Mrs. Moore grew up in Greenbelt and attended Greenbelt schools.



On May 27, 1993, she married Patrick L. Moore, who was also a Greenbelter and they continued to live in Greenbelt.

She worked for the Prince George's County Schools as a food services assistant, the Glenn Dale Golf Course and the University of Maryland University College.

She was active in the Greenbelt American Legion Post 136 auxiliary.

Her friend Jerreanne King said Mrs. Moore was the "personality of their court," shoveling snow, giving help when needed, being caring and friendly.

Mrs. Moore was predeceased by her parents Willard and Dorothy Davis.

She is survived by her husband Patrick L. Moore and daughter Michelle Lee Moore; her brothers Willard and David Davis and her sister Lois Kirk. She is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

The family will gather at Borgwardt Funeral Home, 4400 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville, on Thursday, August 18 from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. The funeral service and interment will be private.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Prince George's SPCA at info@pgspca.org.

In Memoriam

Teresa Moore,

A Greenbelt Caregiver

Life-long Greenbelt girl Teresa Davis Moore, 51, passed from this life suddenly on Saturday, August 13 after a day-long struggle with a burst brain aneurysm.

There's a wall decoration in our bedroom that reads "Live Well, Laugh Often, Love Much." That was Teresa, especially the "Laugh Often." She could make a joke about anything and could infect others with her laugh. Where she went, a good time was sure to follow, as her sister Lois noted.

I met Teresa sometime after she married Pat, whom I have known most of his life as the brother of one of my childhood friends, Ed "Kibby" Moore. My wife Barbara and I would see Teresa frequently at the American Legion Post 136, where she was a member of the Women's Auxiliary. She, like many of us, liked to celebrate. She was always a joy to be around. I remember one night earlier this year when she was just chatting away to us about everything and nothing, so much so that a friend admon-

ished her, telling her "Teresa, leave Rick and Barbara alone, you've been talking to them all night!" Teresa just made a face and carried on. We enjoyed it. How often have I found myself a tad talkative? We are both so glad now that we had that time together.

Teresa was devoted to Pat. They bickered like any of us married couples do. On more than one occasion she would be imploring Pat to come with her, that he had been at the Legion long enough. Pat would complain loudly that he was being mistreated, all the while following her out the door after some "discussion." I visited Pat this week and noted that he was waiting at the house for her to tell him what to do next. He said no, more likely he was waiting for her to yell at him.

She would put yellow Post-It notes around the house reminding him of some unfinished task. Once she even stuck one to his forehead. In Greenbelt, that's called love.

Pat said "I lost my best friend." Lois nodded and said "So did I."

Teresa also doted over her daughter Michelle, bragging about her often and telling everyone "She's a good kid." Amen to that.

By all accounts, Teresa was hard-working, dependable and precise in her work. She worked most recently for Prince George's County Schools Food Services but had worked previously for Glenn Dale Golf Course and for University of Maryland University College.

Lois told the story of how Teresa had helped to take care of first Pat's mother when she became ill and later his father. Pat and Teresa lived with them here

in the family home and remained in the house after both had died. Lois said she had notebooks with details of medicines and dosages and care hints. In any town, you call that person a caregiver.

I spoke with a few of Teresa's friends. Darlene Thompson said she was always up and bubbly, always seeking to help others. She noted that "Teresa took care of everyone." She checked on neighbors and called people to keep in touch, often directing them in some fashion when they needed guidance.

Ray King said "She could make a lousy day OK. Her mood never changed." He spoke gratefully of how she had helped him and his children when his wife Diane had passed away recently. Diane was Teresa's best friend. Her daughter Amanda is Michelle's friend and was with Michelle the day I visited, just as I knew she would be. They are Diane and Teresa now.

I will remember Teresa's wonderful smile and that funny face she would make when someone said or did something that she thought was stupid or weird. Last year, I was putting together a book of some of the articles I have written over the years and noticed that I was missing a page. I mentioned it to Teresa and she exclaimed "I've got it! I have every article you've ever written. I keep them all!" She made me a copy of the page I needed.

Teresa, I thank you for thinking so highly of my work. I am just sorry that I had to write a memorial piece about you. But don't worry, I won't lose this one!

Pat wishes to thank everyone for their kindness and the good thoughts they have expressed to him and Michelle.

- Rick Ransom

Early Morning Bird Walk Is in Bowie

Meet at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday, August 20 for the free Audubon monthly half-day bird walk at Governor Bridge Natural Area. This is a chance for beginners and experts to see resident and

migrating woodland and field birds and waterfowl. Waterproof footwear, binoculars are suggested.

Meet at parking lot at 7:30 a.m. Call 410-765-6482 for details.

Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church

40 Ridge Road, Greenbelt



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August 21, 10 a.m.

"Homeless in Prince George's" by John Bartoli and Community Crisis Services, Inc. with Worship Associate Tish Hall.



Concerning the prejudice of race: it is an illusion, a superstition pure and simple! For God created us all of one race. In the sight of God there is no difference between the various races. Why should man invent such a prejudice?

(Abdu'l-Baha)

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Sunday 11:00 am Worship Service
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• Wednesdays

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Municipal Building



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In Memoriam

Ken Wright

My neighbor Ken Wright died on August 7, 2011. He had a brain aneurysm on August 6 and was rushed to the hospital.

Ken retired from the University of Maryland Physical Plant Department and moved to 8 Court Plateau Place 10 years ago.

Ken had a spectacular vegetable garden in his back yard which he tended to with much love every day. He shared many of his vegetables with his neighbors.

Ken always had a kind word for his friends and neighbors. I will miss seeing Ken every day. He brightened my day!

— Joyce Yarwood



Our sympathy to Mayor Judith Davis and her family on the death of her father Gerald Fintak.

We were saddened to hear of the sudden death of Ken Wright of Plateau Place on August 7.

Condolences to Patrick Moore and daughter Michelle and the family on the August 13 death of Teresa Ann Davis Moore.

A big Greenbelt welcome to Marie Valstad of Trondheim, Norway, who will be living here for a year with host Linda Curtis while she completes her senior year at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. There has already been a big court welcoming party, complete with ice cream sundaes, in Linda's Ridge Road neighborhood. Marie's main interest is photography but she also likes ice-skating, volleyball, dance and listening to music – and is looking forward to meeting other teenagers.

Courtney and Scott Ritz of Ridge Road completed CERT training on August 7 and are now full members of Greenbelt-CERT.

Send us your reports of new babies, awards, honors, etc. to share with our readers. To send information for "Our Neighbors" email us at newsreview@greenbelt.com or leave a message at 301-474-6892.

— Kathleen McFarland

Register for Mortgage Assistance Workshop

On Saturday, August 27 there will be a Maryland Hope Emergency Mortgage Assistance workshop at the Prince George's Sports and Learning Complex from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Pre-register by August 24 at www.mdhope.org, clicking on "Attend the Prince George's County EMA Workshop" or by calling 1-877-462-7555.

Maryland Hope is a State of Maryland program that can help save the homes of those who lost income due to involuntary unemployment or medical problems and are behind in their mortgage payments. Applications must be filed by mid-September.

The Prince George's Sports and Learning Complex is at 8001 Sheriff Road in Landover.

State Fair Volunteer Appreciation Day

The Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism will offer free family-fun activities from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Maryland State Fair on Sunday, August 28 for Governor's Volunteer Appreciation Day.



City Information

MEETINGS FOR AUGUST 22-26

Monday, August 22 at 8:00pm, CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION WITH ROOSEVELT CENTER MERCHANTS at Greenbelt Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road. Live on Verizon 21, Comcast 71 and streaming at www.greenbeltmd.gov

Tuesday, August 23 at 7:00pm, ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, at the Greenbelt Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road.

Tuesday, August 23 at 7:30pm, GREENBELT ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY (Green ACES) at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road.

This schedule is subject to change. For confirmation that a meeting is being held call 301-474-8000.

GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER ANNUAL CLEANING NOTICE

The Indoor Pool & Hot Tub will close at 6am on Monday, August 22 and re-open at 6am on Monday, August 29. The Fitness Wing will be closed all day on Tuesday, August 23 and Wednesday, August 24 for cleaning.

The Outdoor Pool will be open from 6am-8pm on August 22-26, and from 8am-8pm August 27-28.

Thank you!

RECYCLING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Green ACES (Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability) is actively participating with the Labor Day Festival Committee to help the festival be more environmentally friendly.

A big RECYCLING CAMPAIGN is being coordinated. We NEED VOLUNTEERS to help generate awareness during the festival.

Do you (or someone you know) need volunteer hours or community work? We can sign your paperwork! This is a fun, easy way of fulfilling high school requirements.

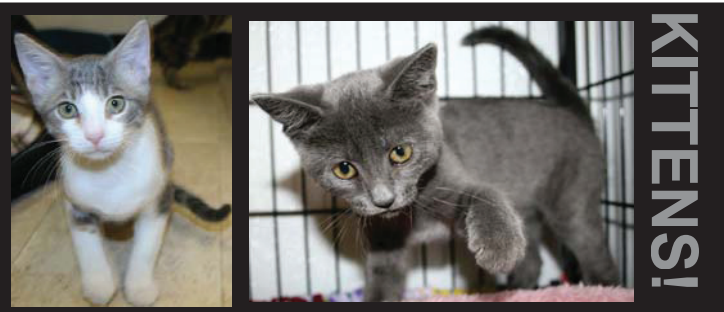
Do you care about recycling? Do you want to volunteer? We will have a training session on Saturday, August 20th at 11:00 am at the Public Works building (555 Crescent Road). Please arrive on time! (If you volunteer during the festival, the training hour will also count towards your requirements).

WELCOME TO GREENBELT PACKETS

The city will soon be assembling Welcome to Greenbelt Packets. If you are a Greenbelt Organization or Business, you are welcome provide flyers, coupons, or other materials to include in these packets. Please bring 300 copies of such materials to the City Offices at 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770 by Wednesday, August 31st. Attn: Beverly Palau, bpalau@greenbeltmd.gov

GREENBELT ANIMAL SHELTER

550-A Crescent Road (behind Police Station)
 Congratulations to Snoopy and Sanchez on their adoptions!
 Much happiness to them with their new families!
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The shelter now has KITTENS and lots of them! Cute and adorable, they are ready to go home!
 The shelter is open on Wednesdays from 4-7pm, Saturdays from 9am-12pm or by appointment.
 INFO: 301.474.6124. Donations welcome any time! We especially need kitty litter!



Visit the Greenbelt Animal Shelter on Facebook.

CITY ELECTION INFORMATION

VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR CITY ELECTION OCTOBER 10, 2011

Greenbelt residents are reminded that to participate in the 2011 City Council election—whether as a voter, a candidate for City Council, or a signer of a petition for a candidate—you must be registered to vote in Prince George's County.

To register, you must:

- Be a citizen of the United States of America;
- Be at least 18 years of age as of November 8, 2011;
- Be domiciled within the corporate limits of the City of Greenbelt as of the date of registration;
- Not have been convicted of buying or selling votes;
- Not have been convicted of a felony, or if you have, you have completed serving a court-ordered sentence of imprisonment, including any term of parole or probation for the conviction.
- Not be under guardianship for mental disability.

For information about registering to vote in Prince George's County, contact the County Board of Elections at 301-430-8020. Voter Registration Forms, along with Change of Address or Name Forms, are available at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road, and the Greenbelt Library, 11 Crescent Road. Forms are also available on the city website, www.greenbeltmd.gov.

All forms must be received by the County Board of Elections in Upper Marlboro no later than 4:30 p.m., Monday, October 10.

For additional information, contact Cindy Murray, City Clerk at 301-474-8000 or cmurray@greenbeltmd.gov.

GET YOUR TICKETS NOW!

The GREENBELT CIRCUS



SOLD OUT INSPIRATION

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19 AT 7:00 PM

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20 AT 4:00 PM & 7:00 PM

VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups.
 Vacancies: Advisory Planning Board, Arts Advisory Board, Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability, Senior Citizens Advisory Committee, Youth Advisory Committee
 For information call 301-474-8000.

FAMILY NIGHT AT THE GREENBELT AQUATIC AND FITNESS CENTER

The Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center is hosting a Family Swim Night at the Outdoor Pool

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19TH

8:00-10:00pm

Admittance will be \$3 for all families, including passholders. Info: 301-397-2204.

Register now for

Mom's Morning Out!

This traditional pre-school program focuses on providing activities which encourage social development, gross motor skills, and listening to and following instructions.

This is a program of the Greenbelt Recreation Department and is available for children 3-5. For more information on Mom's Morning Out, or to enroll your child call 301-397-2200 or visit www.greenbeltmd.gov/recreation.



Visit and "Like" the City of Greenbelt on Facebook at www.facebook.com/cityofgreenbelt
Also, visit Greenbelt CityLink at www.greenbeltmd.gov for city information.

Back to School

School Registration Requirements

Registration is ongoing at all the local public schools. Registration packets can be picked up from the school offices during regular office hours, Monday through Thursday. A copy of the child's immunization record is required, as well as the Social Security number, proof of residency and proof of age. For more information go to www1.pgcps.org/backtoschool.

Parents are encouraged to register their children as soon as possible. According to the Prince George's County Public Schools website, students who have not registered for school by August 11 will not have transportation until August 29 and will not have a school schedule until August 26. They will be placed in general classes with appropriate grade levels until a schedule is completed.

Schedules

Schedules for registered students are available online via the SchoolMax Family Portal. Information on how to access SchoolMax, which also lists the students' grades for each assignment during the year, will be given to new students at the beginning of the school year.

Transportation

For information on school transportation, including a database to search for a student's nearest bus stop, go to www1.pgcps.org/transportation. Elementary school students are expected to walk if they live 1.5 miles or less from the school, with middle and high school students expected to walk two miles or less.

School Meals

The price of school meals has risen slightly this year. Lunch for elementary school students will cost \$2.60 and middle and high school students will pay \$2.85. Breakfast for all students remains at \$1.50, with milk going up slightly to 55 cents.

To apply for free or reduced-priced meals, pick up an application at any school or call 301-952-6517 to have an application mailed to the students' home. Applications will also be sent home with students at the beginning of the school year.

Arrangements can be made to prepay for lunches so that children do not have to bring money to school each day. To prepay for meals online, go to <https://pay-pams.com/HomePage.aspx>.

Lunch menus are online at www1.pgcps.org/foodandnutrition/index.aspx?id=138572.



Volunteer at School

Volunteers help enhance education for students in the Prince George's County school system. Parents, students, neighbors, friends, business and government employees, crafts people, retirees and anyone who has time to share is invited to be a volunteer.

Volunteer activities include tutoring children individually or in small groups; aiding teachers in reading, mathematics, handwriting, science, English as a Second Language or any area of interest or sharing skills and talents, job expertise or life experience, as special resources for classroom instruction.

There is a need for volunteers to assist staff in the school office, media center and cafeteria. Those unable to travel to a school could volunteer to help from home by making instructional materials, typing, making displays and carrying out many other activities. Contact the local school to offer assistance.

Help is particularly needed in the school libraries this year, since the number of media center specialists in the county has been cut drastically. For example, at Greenbelt Elementary School there will be a media specialist in the school only two days per week.

Parent and PTA member Melissa Sites is hoping to coordinate volunteer adults and students to carry out basic library tasks such as shelving books, so that the media specialist can concentrate on checking out books and other important tasks on those two days each week. "Elementary school kids need to learn how to research," says Sites, "and teachers want to foster kids' love of reading. So it's imperative that our Media Center is able to put books in students' hands."

Each of the local public schools also has a parent-teacher group such as a PTA or PTO which meets regularly and coordinates events and activities at the school. Contact the school for more information on how to participate in these groups.

As GES PTA President Lucy Dirksen explains, "Many hands make work light. The more that we work together, the more we can accomplish as a community."

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Libertarian and did not want to impose further regulation. He felt that existing GHI rules, requiring members to refrain from "any act or thing that shall or may be a nuisance, annoyance, inconvenience" to their neighbors, were sufficient, he said. He simply wants to be able to enjoy his home without breathing air filled with second-hand smoke. He is not asking his neighbor to stop smoking.

One audience member noted that the wife of the couple next door had stopped smoking. The husband had quit smoking in the house, first smoking on his porch and subsequently moving to the side of his yard away from Schuman. Since the neighbor had tried to cooperate, shouldn't Schuman simply close his windows and take other measures to prevent smoke from entering his home?

Schuman responded, "We want to use our unit freely, not with restrictions. The real question is should we have to breathe our neighbor's smoke?"

To his comment Goderre Jones responded, "Because it is a cooperative. You have to work with others." And her husband added, "You don't want a policy change, you want to change policy for one resident."

He further accused Schuman of being a "Libertarian only for himself."

Another Neighbor

According to statements at the meeting, Schuman moved into his GHI home in 1995; his neighbor a year later. Preceding them in 1993 was Dorrie Ipolito who lives adjacent to the smoker on the other side.

Ipolito spoke at the meeting. She had not joined Schuman in his initial complaint because of her employment at the time. Now retired, however, she said she is actively involved.

She noted that by moving further away from Schuman to smoke, the smoking neighbor was now smoking closer to her unit. She asked: "Why do I have to rearrange my life? Why do I have to close a window?"

Consultant

Most of the meeting was devoted to a presentation by consultant James L. Repace. He holds a master of science degree in biophysics, is an adjunct professor at Tufts University and has his own consulting firm. Repace discussed several studies he and others had made about the effects of smoking and second-hand smoke.

He noted studies that found that smoke originating in one unit of a multifamily dwelling can

infiltrate other units and that sealing walls, pipes and vents have proved ineffective in preventing smoke from drifting from one dwelling unit to another in the same building.

At Schuman's house he took measurements of the amount of nicotine found in the air within the house at the nearest and farthest first-floor windows at times when the neighbor was and was not smoking.

He said he found that the wind was blowing 30 percent of the time in the direction of Schuman's home. He found the levels of nicotine to be twice as great when the neighbor was smoking and Schuman's windows were open. While below the minimal risk level for carcinogens in nicotine, the levels of smoke were still found to be irritating. Repace said it has been determined that carcinogens other than nicotine are much more persistent in second-hand smoke. Based on nicotine levels found, one can conclude that other compounds will be found at 100 to 250 times the nicotine level.

Other Litigants

Also attending the meeting were Jesse and Jessica Wieman and Harriett Hershman, owners of condominiums in a building in Montgomery County, who have also filed a suit in Montgomery County. They live one and two floors above a smoker who moved in after they did and are greatly bothered, they said, by the second-hand smoke.

They contend they are unable to sell their units without a loss because of the housing market and "who would want to buy it?"

Hindu Quilts Exhibit At Tai Sophia Gallery

An exhibit of quilts based on Hindu Kolam designs is at the Himmelfarb Gallery of Tai Sophia Institute in Laurel through August 27. "Pieces as Prayers: Kolam and Kaleidoscope Quilts," by artist Lauren Kingsland was inspired by Kolam designs while traveling through India's Tamil Nadu.

Popular in South India, especially Tamil Nadu, Kolam is a kind of sandpainting which is drawn using rice powder and is said to bring prosperity to homes. Patterns involving precision, complexity and symmetry are usually passed down from one generation to the next.

The Tai Sophia Institute is at 7750 Montpelier Road in Laurel. For more information or directions call 301-725-1674.

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report, he added.

One District

Staff and council were relieved that the entire City of Greenbelt, including unpopulated areas such as Greenbelt Park and Greenbelt Station, are included in the same district. Councilmember Emmett Jordan said that keeping communities whole is important but he was disappointed that the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center (BARC) and Goddard Space Flight Center were not also included in District 3. He said he feels a connection to both of these entities and would like Goddard and at least part of BARC to be in Greenbelt's district.

Councilmember Leta Mach agreed, saying Greenbelt has "adopted" BARC and Goddard. It was noted that Goddard actually has a Greenbelt address. There is little population in both areas, with only a few residential properties included within the boundaries of BARC and none at Goddard.

The motion made by Jordan to send a letter to the redistricting commission and Greenbelt's current county council representatives requesting this change was passed unanimously.

Moran reminded council that the letter should also include appreciation that the commission had listened to and acted on council's previous letter about respecting municipal boundaries. Council agreed. They also agreed to send letters to other members of the Four Cities Coalition to offer support for the redistricting concerns of these municipalities.

Used Books Sought

Good news for those whose bookshelves are overflowing – during August the Greenbelt Elementary School PTA will collect used books to sell at the Used Book booth at the Labor Day Festival.

Book donations may be dropped off at the Co-op Supermarket by no later than Tuesday, August 30. At-home pick-up for large donations can be arranged; leave a message at 301-474-0390. Donations are tax deductible; just ask for a receipt.

The PTA says it is easiest for them to handle books in boxes, packed spine side up and sorted by fiction or non-fiction. All books are accepted.

Money raised through the book sale is used by the PTA to support school events, programs and awards.

For more details visit <http://greenbelt.com/gespta>.

GMS Meet, Greet Thursday at 7 p.m.

The Greenbelt Middle School (GMS) meet and greet with Principal Warren Tweedy has been rescheduled for Thursday, August 18 at 7 p.m. in the multi-purpose room.

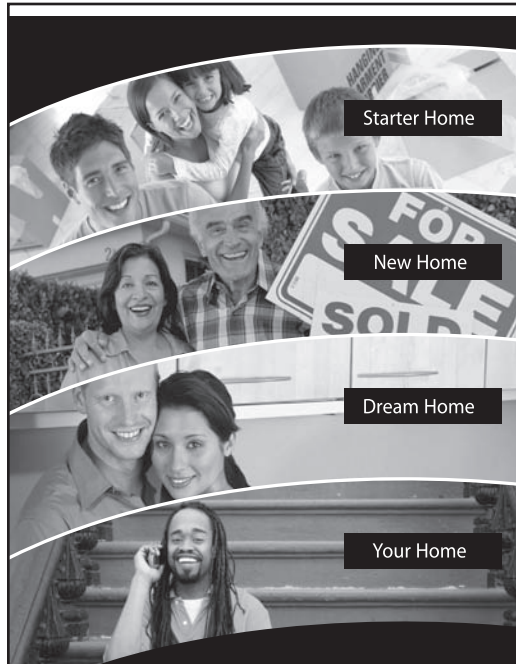
The event, originally scheduled for August 9, was cancelled due to the lack of air conditioning.

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Crunchy Bartlett Pears \$1⁴⁹ lb.	Fresh Crisp Cut & Peeled Small Carrots 1 lb. 99¢	California Valencia Oranges 4 lb. pkg. \$3⁹⁹

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Fresh Value Pack Chicken Drumsticks or Thighs 88¢ lb.	Fresh Value Pack Boneless Rib Eye Delmonico Steaks \$6⁹⁹ lb.	Fresh Value Pack Boneless Pork Sirloin Chops \$2⁹⁹ lb.	Fresh Grade A Whole Frying Chicken 99¢ lb.
Fresh Value Pack Boneless/Skinless Chicken Tenders \$2⁴⁹ lb.	Fresh Value Pack 93% Extra Lean Ground Beef \$3⁴⁹ lb.	Oscar Mayer Meat Wieners Select Varieties 1 lb. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Oscar Mayer Meat Bologna Regular/Light 1 lb. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE

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Minute Maid Premium Orange Juice 64 oz. \$2⁸⁸	Shurfine Margarine Quarters 1 lb. 89¢	Deli Gourmet Cooked Ham \$3⁹⁹ lb.	On-Cor Family Size Traditional Entrees 27-28 oz. \$2⁰⁰	Birds Eye Assorted Vegetables Reg./Steam Fresh 8-16 oz. \$1²⁵
Shurfine Sour Cream Assorted 16 oz. \$1⁵⁰	Cabot Chunk Cheese Assorted 8 oz. \$2⁵⁰	Deli Gourmet Minced Bologna \$2⁶⁹ lb.	McCain Potato Fries Assorted 16-32 oz. \$2⁵⁰	Klondike Ice Cream Bars Assorted 4-6 pk. \$2⁰⁰
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Back to School



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Jane's Crazy Mixed Up Seasonings Steak/Greek 4-5 oz. **\$1⁹⁹**

Fresh Store Baked Club Rolls 6 pk. White/Wheat **\$1⁹⁹**

Jacob's Imported Cream Crackers 7.05 oz. **\$1⁴⁹**

Fresh Store Baked French Toast Cinnamon Bread loaf **\$2¹⁹**

Hunt's Spaghetti Sauce Assorted 26 oz. **\$1⁰⁰**

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Grocery Bargains

Planter's Peanut Butter Asst. 16.3oz. **\$1⁶⁹**

Capri Sun Lunch Box Fruit Drinks Assorted 10 pk. **\$2⁰⁰**

Betty Crocker Fudge Brownie Mix 10.25 oz. **88¢**

General Mills Wheaties or Kix Cereal 10-12 oz. **\$2⁰⁰**

Betty Crocker Muffin Mixes Assorted 6-7 oz. **\$1⁰⁰**

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Police Blotter

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department, <http://www.greenbeltmd.gov/police/index.htm>, link in left frame to "Weekly Report" or http://www.greenbeltmd.gov/police/weekly_report.pdf. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

Carjacking

August 4, 12:06 p.m., 8000 block Mandan Road, two young men approached a person, displayed a handgun and took the person's vehicle, a silver 2003 Toyota Corolla with Md. tags. The suspects are described as black males, both 17 to 18 years old, 5'8" to 6'0" tall with thin builds, wearing dark clothes. The vehicle was later recovered in Lanham. No arrests were made.

DWI Arrest

August 11, 12:42 a.m., 6200 block Springhill Drive, a resident man was arrested and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and driving while impaired by alcohol and other charges after a traffic stop. He was released on citations pending trial.

Drug Arrests

August 6, 1:53 a.m., 7600 block Greenbelt Road, a resident youth was petitioned for possession of marijuana. The youth was released to a guardian pending action by the Department of Juvenile Services.

August 10, 1:39 a.m., 6200 block Springhill Court, a resident man was arrested and charged with possession of MDMA (Ecstasy) and making a false statement. He was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

August 11, 10:21 p.m., Crescent Road, a nonresident man was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana and false statement. He was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Trespass

August 5, 11:14 a.m., Beltway Plaza, a nonresident man was arrested, charged with trespassing on private property and released on citation pending trial.

August 5, 7:12 p.m., 5800 block Cherrywood Lane, a nonresident man was arrested and charged with trespassing on private property. He was released on citation pending trial.

Vandalism

August 6, 4:30 a.m., 9300 block Edmonston Road, a bucket was thrown through a window.

August 9, 9:24 a.m., Crescent Road at Gardenway, graffiti was found in the tunnel.

August 11, 11:44 a.m., 9100 block Edmonston Road, a rock was thrown through a window.

Burglaries

August 6, 6:24 a.m., 9300 block Edmonston Road, electronics were reported taken.

August 11, 6:01 p.m., 9200 block Edmonston Road, two



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Daniel Aguilar became the latest addition to Greenbelt's police force when he was sworn in by Mayor Judith Davis at the regular meeting of the Greenbelt City Council on Monday, August 15. Captain Dan O'Neil presented Aguilar with his badge.

Aguilar, a native of Washington, D.C., graduated from Crossland High School and attended Prince George's Community College. His experience includes retail sales and customer service for AT&T. He will complete basic training at the Anne Arundel County Police Academy on Thursday, August 25. Aguilar is fluent in Spanish. He lives in Hyattsville.

Family and friends attended the meeting to witness and support Aguilar's entry into Greenbelt's police department.

— Barbara Hopkins

homes were broken into. It was reported that electronics and jewelry were among the items taken.

Vehicle Crimes

Two vehicles were reported stolen: a green 1998 Dodge Caravan with Va. tags from the 7800 block Walker Drive and a burgundy Chevrolet Trailblazer with Md. tags from the 5800 block Cherrywood Lane. Attempted thefts of vehicles were reported in the 6300 block Golden Triangle Drive and at Southway.

A blue 1992 Toyota Celica with Md. tags, reported stolen in Laurel, was recovered at Crescent Road. No arrests were made.

On August 7 at 3:03 a.m. on Kenilworth Avenue at Greenbelt Road, a nonresident youth was petitioned for motor vehicle theft, theft over \$1,000 and malicious destruction of property. He was stopped in a white 1993 Grand Marquis with Md. tags that had been reported stolen in Prince George's County. The youth was released to a guardian pending action by the Department of Juvenile Services.

A theft from a vehicle was reported on Springhill Court at Edmonston Road (power washer). Vandalism was reported in the 8000 block Mandan Road (damaged door lock).

Hospital Offers Free Diabetes Education

Doctors Community Hospital offers monthly Diabetic Support Group meetings led by skilled medical professionals. The programs discuss areas of concern and timely topics for diabetics and their families. Meetings are free and open to the public.

Keep up to date on new medications and foot care, learn valuable nutritional information and about how diabetes can affect the eyes, heart, kidneys, bones and joints, nerves and sexual functioning.

The Diabetes Care Center is on the 5th floor of the Ambulatory Surgery building, located directly behind the main hospital. Call the Certified Diabetes Educator at 301-552-5134 for additional information.

Rochambeau March Bowie Reenactment

On Saturday, August 27 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. the Belair Mansion in Bowie will host its annual 18th century reenactment of Count Rochambeau's 1781 March to Yorktown through Bowie to assist in defeat of the British.

Both American and British forces will be represented. There is no cause for alarm, given the presence of enemy troops at the Mansion — they will be contained by Colonial patriots! Attendees can be guaranteed that the Colonials will win the end-of-day skirmish.

The public is invited to visit the Mansion to discuss the War for Independence, 18th century military life, weaponry or to join the ladies' sewing circle in the Mansion parlor.

Belair Mansion is located at 12207 Tulip Grove Dr. in Bowie.

Six Month Crime Data Holds Downward Trend

by James Giese

Based on six-month figures, Greenbelt continues to experience a significantly lower incidence of Class I crimes than in either the previous year (down 19 percent) or the last five years. Five-year lows for the first six-months of calendar years occurred in the categories of murder, rape, aggravated assaults, larcenies and motor vehicle thefts. Only in burglaries, which have experienced a 19 percent increase over last year and are almost triple the number in 2007, is there a counter trend.

The most significant crime reduction reported is that of larcenies, down 36 percent. Larcenies consist of thefts other than robberies and burglaries. Many larcenies are the result of shoplifting. For the first six months of 2011, there were 100 fewer reports of larceny made. The decrease in the number of crimes in this one category exceeds the total crime number decrease of 97 for all crime categories. For this year larcenies account for 44 percent of all crimes reported.

For the other crime categories, the increase in number of burglaries reported exceeded the combined decreases reported.

According to crime data and analysis provided by the Greenbelt Police Department for January through June of this year, overall crime has diminished in every sector of the city. The majority (57 percent) of crime occurred in Greenbelt West which includes the Franklin Park apartment complex, Beltway Plaza and the Greenbelt Metro Station. Greenbelt East accounts for 27 percent of crimes reported and Greenbelt

Center 16 percent. Greenbelt West is that part of the city west of Kenilworth Avenue and Greenbelt East is that part lying east of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway.

In Franklin Park robberies are down 66 percent and motor vehicle thefts down 52 percent. Offsetting this is a recent continuing increase in burglaries, up 48 percent. The police report attributes the overall decline in crime to the public/private partnership with Fieldstone Properties, owners of Franklin Park at Greenbelt Station. This has resulted in the identification and removal of scores of occupants and visitors who have an affinity for crime, according to the report. Also, the screening process for new residents has been tightened.

In Greenbelt East, breaking and entering are down 53 percent and motor vehicle thefts are down 52 percent. Robberies, however, remain at the same level as last year at 18 incidents.

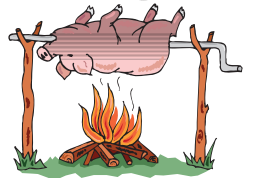
In Greenbelt Center robberies have increased ten-fold, from 1 to 10 and breaking and entering increased by one incident over the first six months of 2010. Larcenies, however, dropped by 68 percent.

According to the report, the department attributes crime reduction in part to the employment of technology not available last year. Automated tag readers enable officers to quickly identify stolen autos, suspended/revoked drivers, wanted persons and other vehicle records. The department also is deploying strategic enforcement action in every part of the city where an upward tick in crime is indicated, the report states.

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Patuxent August Nature Programs

Patuxent Research Refuge public programs are held at two sites, the North Tract and the National Wildlife Visitor Center. All programs are free, although donations to the Friends of Patuxent are appreciated. Advance registration is required by calling 301-497-5887; special needs can be accommodated with advance notice. For more information visit the website at patuxent.fws.gov.

North Tract

The North Tract, located on Route 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Route 32, is holding the following programs:

Herp Search – Saturday, August 20 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. for all ages. Join a refuge naturalist on this guided search for reptiles and amphibians. Bring walking shoes and water and dress for the weather.

Nite Hike – Saturday, August 20 from 7:30 to 9 p.m. for ages 5 and older. Discover the nighttime world of the refuge while looking and listening for nocturnal animals on this guided walk.

Bird Walk – Sunday, August 21 from 8:15 to 10:15 a.m. for all ages. Search for birds in several refuge habitats on this guided hike. Field guides and binoculars are recommended.

Visitor Center

The National Wildlife Visitor Center is located on Powder Mill Road between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Route 197.

Fabulous Fishes – Friday, August 19 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. for ages 5 to 7. Discover Patuxent's underwater friends through songs, stories and exploration. Wear shoes that don't mind getting wet.

The Three Bears – Sunday, August 21 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. for ages 8 to 10. Which three bears live in America? Bears may seem really scary but they can be quite similar to people. Come explore the world of bears through interactive games and demonstrations in this beary fun program.

Nature Tots: In the Treetops – Thursday, August 25 from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 2 p.m. for ages 3 and 4. It is summer and refuge trees are bustling with activity. Introduce toddlers to the many animals that make their homes in trees through stories and a nature hike.

Weed Warriors – Saturday, August 27 from 9 a.m. to noon for ages 13 and older. Non-native invasive plants are threatening wildlife habitat. Help stop them. Bring gloves and water (and hand tools if available) to help fight these alien invaders.

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Comcast, in conjunction with the Federal Communications Commission, has designed a program aimed at low-income families with at least one child receiving free lunches under the National School Lunch Program.

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Additional information is available at www.internetessentials.com or calling (toll free) 1-855-846-8376.

Phillips Is Wildlife Artist of the Month

The Hollingsworth Art Gallery at the National Wildlife Visitor Center is currently exhibiting nature photographs by James E. Phillips.

A love of nature photography began for Phillips in 1975 with the opportunity to travel out West for 26 days visiting over 15 states to hike, camp and take pictures in remote places like the bottom of the Grand Canyon and 12,000 feet up in the Rocky Mountains. After returning home he was encouraged by his mother to go to college as a photography major.

He is widely traveled in the U.S. and enjoys all types of nature photography, including macro photography, landscapes and seascapes. His greatest love is waterfalls and water in motion and he prefers to capture motion by using longer exposure times to create a painted-on effect.

The National Wildlife Visitor Center is located off Powder Mill Road between the B/W Parkway and Md. Rt. 197 south of Laurel. For details call 301-497-5763 or visit <http://patuxent.fws.gov>.

See Civil War Through Film at Surratt House

See the Civil War through the eyes of Hollywood on Saturday, August 20 from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Surratt House Museum, 9118 Brandywine Road in Clinton.

The museum is offering a series of free films related to the Civil War, with the first shown to be the classic *Gone with the Wind*. Space is limited.

Tours of the Civil War era farmhouse by costumed guides are also available through the end of August for a nominal fee. The times Wednesdays are 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Thursdays and Fridays from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Saturdays and Sundays noon to 4 p.m. The last tour begins an hour before closing. Reservations are not required.

For more information call 301-868-1121; TTY 301-699-2544.

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Friday, August 19, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Bowie State University, Wiseman Center, 14000 Jericho Park Road, Bowie

Tuesday, August 23, 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Prince George's County Human Resources, 1400 McCormick Drive, Largo

Thursday, August 25, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Doctors Community Hospital/Greenbelt Lions Club, 8118 Good Luck Road, Lanham

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A smile makeover can include the use of teeth whitening, dental crowns, porcelain veneers and dental implants. The procedures used to treat your mouth will depend on the types of dental problems that you have.

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2. Chipped and broken teeth can be repaired with combinations of cosmetic bonding, porcelain veneers or porcelain crowns. Porcelain veneers are custom-made wafer-thin shells which, when bonded to the front of teeth can dramatically improve a smile. Porcelain crowns encase the entire tooth in a protective covering at the gum line. In the past, porcelain crowns were fused to metal and were less natural looking. Today, all-porcelain crowns and veneers are more durable and much more natural looking.

3. Missing teeth can be replaced with dental implants and crowns, permanent bridges or dentures. A dental implant is an artificial tooth root that anchors a replacement tooth, bridge or denture. With the recent advances in dental implants, more patients are candidates for

What Is a Smile Makeover?

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4. Stained and discolored teeth that cannot be brightened with professional teeth whitening can sparkle again with traditional porcelain veneers or the newest no-preparation veneers. "No-prep" veneers can be a perfect solution to repair stained, discolored or chipped teeth and can also fill in spaces between teeth. With little or no drilling and no needles or Novacaine, these custom made thin veneers create an affordable, beautiful and natural smile.

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Leopold's works helped shape the conservation movement and still influences people today. The film is for adults but all ages are welcome; it runs about 73 minutes. No registration is necessary.

The Visitor Center is located on Powder Mill Road between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 197.

Alight Dance Co. To Dance at Sylvan

The dance company Alight, formed by Greenbelter Angela Foster last year, will give a dance performance at the Sylvan Outdoor Theater near the Washington Monument on Saturday, August 20 from 3 to 5 p.m. They will share the stage with dancers from all over the country who are performing that day as part of Project Dance. The national organization began in New York City in response to the September 11 terrorist attacks.

For more information visit <http://alightdancetheater.org/blog/?p=1789>.

Green Volunteers Can Earn Service Hours

Youth volunteers are needed to help encourage recycling during the Labor Day Festival's four days including adults to supervise. Training is provided.

Contact Luisa Robles, Greenbelt Recycling Coordinator at lrobles@greenbeltmd.gov or 301-474-8004 or Jane Young and John Lippert of GreenACES at gccjane@aol.com or 301-507-6765.

Sales Tax Free Week On Clothing, Shoes

The State of Maryland's August 14 through 20 sales tax free week on apparel and footwear up to \$100 is scheduled this year just in time for back to school shopping.

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The Greenbelt Boys and Girls club football teams started practice on August 1. The first games are September 3. There is a flag football team for ages 5 to 7 and other teams divided by age and weight. Above, coaches untangle the pile for a fumbled ball.



At left, coach Billy talks strategy to his 12 and under team.

Below, tired of watching practice, Xavier Essex does a handstand while Marcus Guezman looks on.



Coaches, players and family members watch the practice.



Coach Bryan and Coach Dré watch the 10 and under team do pushups.

Poetry at the New Deal Café Classic Gas, Barbaric Yawps

by Jim Link

The usual suspects plus some fresh faces regaled 30-some sensitive poetry aficionados at the New Deal Café on Tuesday, August 16. Some read classic poets; others sounded their own particular barbaric yawps.

The floral and bohemian mistress of ceremonies, Amethyst, opened with Mary Oliver's "Wild Geese;" Tokey read W. B. Yeats's "Second Coming," W. H. Auden's "The Unknown Citizen" and T.S. Eliot's "Gerontion." Lenny read "A Teacher" by Reed Whittemore, his revered old professor of English at Maryland, whose students' "Babbit, bourgeois faces were beyond saving."

Eileen read "Yarns" by astronomer Mary Alexander Agner in which Penelope complains of Ulysses' lies and infidelities and even excoriates Tennyson for overhyping the sacker of Troy.

Julie read a tender poem of her dad teaching her how to drive years ago. Janet riffed hilariously on Bill Clinton's sexual hypocrisy; Cybele (rhymes with "hell") sang of the satisfaction of eviscerating an ex-boyfriend in "Toxic Muse."

Amy played her bongos and

asked, "Why do I have to kiss so many frogs to find a prince?" Harriet read Lewis Carroll's "Jabberwocky."

Don urged us to "go to dinner at the New Deal Café, because it welcomes saint and sinner." Awakened at 4 a.m., Barbara recited "mantras of attempted prayers to get back to the dream place."

Rocky Jones shared a thrillingly erotic poem which asserted (roughly), "You give me fever, fever all through the night, plus night sweats, migraines, ague and flu . . ."

Sylvia described a visit to her young doctor who shouted at her "You must lose weight!" just before he collapsed and died of a stroke.

"Poetry is as necessary as bread in the pockets of the poor," Amethyst reminded us and ended the evening with another gem from Mary Oliver:

"Instructions for Living"

1. Pay attention
2. Be astonished
3. Tell about it.

The next open microphone poetry reading will be on Tuesday, September 13 from 7 to 9 p.m.

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