

Council Adopts FY 2013 Budget Deals with Breezewood, Signage

by Thomas X. White

With most of the June 4 meeting used for final review and adoption of the city's Fiscal Year 2013 budget, the Greenbelt City Council used the time left to consider three action requests from staff. They first dealt with a report on new signs directing visitors to historic Greenbelt. Other action requests were a proposed LED sign for the CVS store in Greenway Center and an update on Breezewood Drive improvements related to the new Greenbelt Middle School.

Heritage Signs

After nearly 50 years of Greenbelt opposition to the outer Beltway or as it's known now the Intercounty Connector (ICC), the city will finally receive some benefit from the project. Part of the ICC project has allocated funds to improve signage in cities and towns of the Anacostia Trails Heritage Area (ATHA).

In Greenbelt's case, way-finding signs will be placed on Kenilworth Avenue and Greenbelt Road to direct visitors traveling

on these state highways to historic Greenbelt.

Steve Hollie of the Maryland State Highway Administration and Aaron Marcavitch, ATHA executive director, described locations and rationale for the signage. In addition to highway signs saying "Historic Greenbelt" and "Local Info," directional signs will be placed on Crescent and Southway leading visitors to the Community Center.

Hollie and Marcavitch explained that signage regulations require an identifiable facility or location that is generally open, staffed and has restroom facilities. The city had selected the Community Center as such a location where visitors can be provided with information and perhaps handouts. They noted the location is desirable even when the Community Center is closed because of the nearby self-guided trail posts for visitors.

Councilmember Leta Mach moved and council unanimously approved the project.

CVS LED Sign

The second agenda item was an Advisory Planning Board (APB) report and staff recommendation that council not oppose installation of a monument-style sign approximately 6'4" high by 7'9-1/2" wide. The Light Emitting Diode (LED) sign would be subject to the following conditions: (1) It must meet all applicable Prince George's County sign requirements. (2) The applicant must submit a landscaping plan incorporating a mix of perennial and annual plants for city review and approval. (3) The applicant must obtain the required Prince George's County and City of Greenbelt sign and electrical permits.

Since the city has no covenant agreement with Greenway Center granting the city review and approval authority on signs, the city has only an advisory role to the county. As a result of staff concerns, CVS

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PHOTO BY LISA MEYER

Greenbelt Nursery School students play the drums during music class. From left to right: Anne DeJager, Kira Wilkinson, Emily Gendreau (partially hidden), Marcelo Gendreau, Teddy Yang (looking from afar) and Jonah Holland.

Music Enhances Education At Co-op Nursery School

by Chris McComb

Last June as most teachers and children said goodbye to school for the summer and made the mental transition from classroom to swimming pool, Lisa Meyer, Greenbelt Nursery School's director and teacher, learned some welcome news: GNS had been selected to receive a substantial grant to invigorate the school's music program. The grant, bestowed by the Greenbelt Community Foundation (GCF), would allow GNS to hire an outside music teacher to provide weekly classes to the nursery school students.

As an essential part of its mission, GCF provides financial support to local cooperatives that they believe "enrich our quality of life and that build upon the legacy and best ideals of Greenbelt, now and for future generations." Given GNS' standing as one of the oldest co-ops in Greenbelt and its established reputation as an exceptional educational institution for young children, collaboration between the two organizations makes perfect sense.

Says Meyer: "We are so appreciative that [GCF] has invested in the music education of the children."

Music was already integrated into the teaching plan of each GNS class on a daily basis, but

a concentrated amount of time with an educator who specializes in music has provided a unique supplement to the basic curriculum. GNS used the grant money to hire local musician Penny Russell to teach a 30-minute music segment to each of GNS' five classes weekly.

Children, particularly young children, are easily stimulated by music but capturing and maintaining the attention of groups of 2- through 5-year-olds can be challenging. With more than 20 years of experience teaching young children, Russell met the challenge head-on.

In addition to customizing her lessons for each age group and coordinating weekly with the teachers to design lessons that support the current curriculum, she aims to excite the students with new experiences.

For example, rather than focusing exclusively on traditional American children's songs, she emphasizes music from other cultures including Ghana, Japan and Scotland. While the songs aren't immediately familiar to most of the students, they are all drawn into what Russell refers to as the "shared community of music."

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ERHS Chapter of SADD Again Awarded First Place in Region

by Olu Abiona

The Eleanor Roosevelt High School (ERHS) Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD) chapter has done it again. On April 27 the group received first place in GEICO's Washington Regional Alcohol Program (WRAP) Awards. For the past eight years,

the ERHS chapter has had this prestige, winning first place every year since the program began ranking the entries.

The recognition does not come without hard work and attentive planning. Started in fall 2002 by sponsor Joanne Read, the group

has grown from its original 10 to over 30 members. They also play an active role in their community by participating in the Lewisdale Elementary School Health Fair to instill safe and hygienic habits in youth starting at a young age.

At Eleanor Roosevelt, the group holds a variety of monthly campaigns, such as Dances and Hugs, where ERHS students sign a pledge to remain drug- and alcohol-free during Homecoming Week, for which they receive a Hershey's Hug. The message "Dances and Hugs are Better Than Alcohol and Drugs" is the imprint SADD hopes to leave in everyone's mind.

The climax of the year's activities occurs at the end of the year with an "Every 15 Minutes" Mock Car Crash instilling in seniors and others the dangers of drunk driving and substance abuse. With the help of the Greenbelt Police and the Greenbelt and Berwyn Heights Fire Departments, SADD reenacts a car crash in front of the student body.

At the end of the day, they hold an assembly where prominent speakers, such as Prince George's County School Board

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PHOTO BY FLORIANE BEYEGUE

SADD assembly on April 10. First row, left to right: Floriane Beyegue, Kanwulia Gwam, Hillary Denham, Min Kang, Randi Williams, Rajawen Ocampo, Advisor Joanne Read and guest speaker, MADD activist and Prince George's County School Board member Donna Hathaway Beck. Back row: Eleanor Roosevelt High School Assistant Principal and Senior Administrator Arnita Dew, Laetitia Beyegue, Maia Tooley, Kaylah Grant, Olu Abiona and Jose Arias-Flores.

What Goes On

Monday, June 18

8 p.m., Regular City Council Meeting, Municipal Building

Thursday, June 21

7:30 p.m., GDC and GHI board meetings, Greenbelt Homes Inc. Administration Building

Tuesday, June 26

12:30 to 6 p.m., Blood Drive, Municipal Building

Letters to the Editor

THANKS!

Our sincere thanks from members of the Greenbelt Pantry for the many generous monetary donations and contributions of hygiene supplies, groceries and foodstuffs.

Special thanks to Co-op Manager Bob Davis for providing collection bin space for foodstuff drops from Co-op shoppers. Also special thanks to Mishkan Torah and Curves of Greenbelt.

There is no vacation from hunger.

Solange Hess
Chair
Greenbelt Pantry

Kudos for Divine Intervention

Kudos to the Greenbelt Arts Center for housing the Transitions Theater production of Divine Intervention. This highly entertaining and insightful dramatic presentation utilizes humor to encourage access to the paths of our own demons. The mania as superbly depicted by Amie Shafer, followed by its opposite, provides an enriched understanding of a serious disorder.

Go.

Patricia Novinski

Smart Meters Safer Than Cell Phones

The smart power meters installed by Pepco will be using the ZigBee standard.

Zigbee is a specification for a suite of high level communication protocols using small, low-power digital radios based on an IEEE 802 standard for wireless personal area networks (WPANs). Applications include light switches, electrical meters with in-home-displays and other consumer and industrial equipment that requires short-range wireless transfer of data at relatively low rates. The technology defined by the ZigBee specification is intended to be simpler and less expensive than other WPANs, such as Bluetooth. ZigBee is targeted at radio-frequency (RF) applications

that require a low data rate, long battery life and secure networking. ZigBee is best suited for periodic or intermittent data or a single signal transmission from a sensor or input device. The name refers to the waggle dance of honey bees after their return to the beehive.

The output power of the PEP-CO radios is generally 1 milliwatt (mW) or .0001 watts. The distance between a person in a home and a Smart Meter is much greater than from a cell phone. As radio waves leave a transmitter, signals are dispersed and the power level is much lower. [Bluetooth devices are extremely low powered, typically about 2.5mW which is less than a cordless phone and approximately 100 times less than the maximum power of a mobile phone.] A mobile phone's peak power output from the handset is limited to a maximum of 2 watts or 2,000 mW which, transmitted in only one of eight time slots, averages to 250 mW of continuous power.

The power of Pepco Smart Meters is much less than cell phones, baby monitors and microwave ovens. Thus, since cell phones are held close to your brain, if you want to worry about anything stop using your cell phone. Its radiation intensity is much higher than a power Smart Meter – 2,000 times higher. The range of the radio spectrum that the smart power meter sends out is in the microwave range.

The News Review article stated "high frequency" which is inaccurate – high frequency communication is in the range of 1,800 kilohertz to 30 Megahertz (1,000 cycles/sec or 1 million cycles/second). Please get your scientific and technical facts straight.

I am qualified to make these statements based on my ham radio and engineering backgrounds. If radio waves were hazardous to my health, I would have had a brain tumor or died years ago. I have been a ham radio operator since age 14 and I am now 53 years old.

Randy Crenwelge

3-Sisters Outdoor Classroom on Sat.

On Saturday, June 16 from noon to 2 p.m. the 3-Sisters Gardens will hold an outdoor classroom and gadget demonstration on the use of solar powered devices. It will be held at Springhill Lake Recreation Center, 6101 Cherrywood Lane, following a morning garden worksession from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

The session is to teach how to use the sun to reduce CO2 emissions and for emergency preparedness. It will include practice with solar ovens, garden lamps, solar cell phones, laptop and notebook chargers. Participants are invited to bring their own solar gadgets and a brown bag lunch. There will be a solar cooked cake to be shared for dessert.

In addition to the 3-Sisters Gardens, a CHEARS project, the outdoor classroom is also sponsored by the Greenbelt Common Security Club, Greenbelt Climate Action Network and Clozynergy, Inc. (a Maryland public charity preparing Prince Georgians for energy jobs by teaching the energy life cycle and leading citizens to action).

Clarification

The proposed widening of the Sunnyside Road bridge, as reported in last week's front page article, is a matter being considered by Prince George's County and the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (M-NCPPC), not the Transportation Planning Board (TPB), which only received information that the project was under consideration. Also, Emmett Jordan is the city's alternate member of the TPB and shares in the responsibility of representing the city at its meetings.

According to Jordan, the widening proposal was first brought to the city's attention by the M-NCPPC holding a public hearing on the proposal on May 17. At that hearing, the city was represented by staff but offered no comments.

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All meals include bread and margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for June 18 to 22 are below.

Monday – Apple juice, chicken strips with sweet and sour sauce, brown rice, Oriental-blend vegetables, diced peaches.

Tuesday – Cranberry juice, French dip beef au jus, parsley potatoes, kale, fresh nectarine.

Wednesday – Apple juice, grilled chicken with barbecue sauce, pinto beans, Italian-blend vegetables, apricots.

Thursday – Orange juice, breaded veal patty with marinara sauce, butter beans, baby carrots, fresh apple.

Friday – Grape juice, breaded pollock with tartar sauce, au gratin potatoes, green beans, fresh naval orange.

GHI Notes

Thursday, June 14, 7:30 p.m., Board of Directors Special Meeting – Board Room

Monday, June 18, 7:15 p.m., Pre-purchase Orientation – Board Room

Tuesday, June 19, 8:30 a.m., Yardline Committee Meeting – GHI Library

7:30 p.m., Companion Animal Committee Meeting – GHI Lobby

Wednesday, June 20, 7 p.m., Woodlands Committee Meeting – Board Room

7:30 p.m., Architectural Review Committee Meeting – GHI Lobby

Thursday, June 21, 7:45 p.m., Investment Committee Meeting – Board Room

7:15 p.m., Special Board of Directors Meeting – Board Room

7:30 p.m., Finance Committee Meeting – Board Room

Note: Committee and board meetings are open; members are encouraged to attend.

At the Library

Adult Programs

Tuesday, June 19, 7 p.m.: Historian and author/lecturer Carroll R. Gibbs presents an audio-visual lecture for adults and older children on "Haiti: From Independence to Earthquake" in this weekly series of talks through June 26 on African American history and culture. Find out how Haiti began, its complex relationship with the U.S. and how it is coping with one of the greatest natural disasters in its history.

Tuesday, June 19, 7 p.m.: Adult Book Discussion of Sacred Hearts by Sarah Dunant on lower level across from elevator.

Kids Program

Tuesday, June 19, 2 p.m.: Special Maryland native species program for ages 5 to 12 for children interested in animals and science. Presenters from the Maryland Zoo in Baltimore will be at the library; due to quarantine policies, no other animals or food may be present at the event.

Storytimes

On Wednesdays and Thursdays a librarian reads age-appropriate stories to children and parents using imagination and props.

Wednesday, June 20, 10:30 a.m.: Drop-in Storytime for ages 3 to 5 years.

Thursday, June 21, 10:30 a.m.: Toddler Time for ages 18 to 35 months with caregiver.

Space is limited; pick up a free ticket for Storytime events at the information desk.

For more information visit the library, call 301-345-5800 or visit www.pgcmlls.info.

ACE Science Club Is Free & Fun for Kids

The ACE Science Club for children meets on Thursday, June 21 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center. The topic will be chemistry acids and bases, with activities that include making synthetic rubber.

Free to all Greenbelt children ages 8 to 14, the ACE Science Club features hands-on experiments and fun facts about science, technology, engineering, math, nature, life, the universe and everything.

Transitions Offers "Voices" at Café

On Sunday, June 24 Transitions Theater will offer comedic pieces from its 2010 production "Greenbelt Voices" at the New Deal Café in Roosevelt Center at 2 and 5 p.m.

The show, a 75th anniversary event, celebrates historical times from residents' true stories of Greenbelt's first library, life-guard's antics at the pool and generations of beauty pageant contestants that will make the audience laugh, cry and revel.

Donations will be accepted. More information is available at www.greenbeltmd.gov/75 or by calling 301-507-6582.

Open Microphone For Kids on Sunday

A Kids Open Microphone session at the New Deal Café on Sunday, June 17 will run from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. It is held on the third Sunday of every month. Children up to age 17 are invited to play a musical instrument, sing, dance, juggle, recite a poem or otherwise perform.

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



Scott Quintet Plays At Beltway Plaza

On Saturday, June 16 the Larry Scott quintet will offer blues, R&B and country crossover music at Beltway Plaza's Center Court from 2 to 4 p.m. The group performed for the George Bush Presidential balls.

Sing-along Held At New Deal

The New Deal Café and the Greenbelt Mamas & Papas will hold an informal community sing-along for all ages on Wednesday, June 20 from 7 to 9 p.m. No singing experience is needed. Sing songs from the "Rise Up and Sing" song book and learn other new songs. Volunteer leaders for the sing-along are Melissa Sites and Amy Kraft.

Drop-in Soccer Is Sunday Evenings

Greenbelt drop-in soccer is looking for new players to kick the ball around in a fun, friendly, informal atmosphere. Players of all skill levels are welcome.

Meet at the Northway ballfields at 5:30 p.m. on Sundays.

For more information email JDblockhead@yahoo.com or send a blank email to Greenbeltpickup-Subscribe@yahoo.com to get on the email list for updates on times and locations.

Greenbelters Battle Higher Level Foes

Greenbelt rallied time and again in a pair of recent double-headers against Division "B" teams in the Baltimore Senior Softball League. At home against Catonsville on June 6, they came from behind for an 11-9 victory after losing 17-5. Then, at Belair on June 11, the Belters – of Division "C" – scored 10 runs at the start but hit a cold spell to lose, 15-14. In the second game, they fell behind early but kept battling back and loaded the bases with two outs in the last inning before falling 8-6.

Against Belair, Al Morton and Willie White had five hits for the day, John Benish, Fred Bohle and Barry Clark registered four each and Phil Olsen and Jasper Pendergrass had two each, with Pendergrass hitting a home run. Sidney Chapman made three over-the-shoulder catches in the outfield for the day's defensive highlights.

Join the Cajun Jam At New Deal Café

On Wednesday, June 27 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 www.newdealcafe.com.

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PRELIMINARY AGENDA

GDC & GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS' SPECIAL MEETING
Thursday, June 21, 2012

GHI ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 7:30 PM

GDC Key Agenda Items:

- Bank Resolutions

GHI Key Agenda Items:

- Contract for Repairs: 14R Ridge Road, 2nd Reading
- Bank Resolutions
- Release of Claims from Travelers Insurance Re: Repairs due to January 2011 Snowstorm

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MADAGASCAR IN 3D, PG (!)
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MADAGASCAR IN 2D, PG (!)
11:20, 1:30, 3:40, 5:50, 8, 10:05

PROMETHEUS IN 3D, R (!)
12:10, 4, 7:10, 10

PROMETHEUS IN 2D, R (!)
11:35, 2:50, 5:50, 9

SNOW WHITE AND THE HUNTSMAN, PG-13
11:15, 2, 4:45, 7:30, 10:15

MEN IN BLACK 3, PG-13
11:20, 1:40, 4:20, 7:25, 9:50

Obituaries

James D. Morgan, Sr.

James D. Morgan, Sr., 95, a retired assistant director of personnel at the University of Maryland, died June 2, 2012, at Emeritis Assisted Living in Port Orange, Fla., where he had resided since 2004. He lived in Greenbelt and Berwyn Heights before moving to Laurel, then to Titusville, Fla.



Mr. Morgan was born in Pittsburgh and raised in Eckhart Mines, Md. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II as a military policeman. Following the war, he attended the University of Maryland and received both bachelors and masters degrees in business administration. Mr. Morgan was the assistant director of personnel at the University of Maryland for over 30 years.

During his tenure at the University of Maryland, Mr. Morgan was also the public address announcer for the athletic department. He announced most of the major sporting events for over 25 years. Many Maryland fans knew him as the "Voice of the Terrapins." In March 2001 he was honored for his service to Maryland athletics during half-time of the final basketball game played at Cole Field House.

Mr. Morgan was an active member of St. Andrews United Methodist Church in Titusville from 1980 to 2004 and served on many church committees. In Greenbelt he attended Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church.

His wife Betty Stemple Morgan, whom he married in 1941, died in 2000.

Survivors include daughter Eleana Brooks of Greenbelt; sons Gary Morgan of Port Orange, Fla., and James Morgan, Jr., of Frederick, Md.; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

No local service or viewing will be held. Mr. Morgan will be buried in Eckhart Mines at a later date.

Mid-Week Bird Walk On Goldman Trail

The Prince George's Audubon Society will hold a free guided bird walk at Lake Artemesia to look for migrating and resident songbirds, waterfowl and other bird flyovers on Thursday, June 21 at 6 p.m. The paved walk loops around the 38-acre lake and beside Indian Creek. Meet at the parking lot at Berwyn Road and Balew Avenue in Berwyn Heights. Beginners and experts are welcome. Binoculars are suggested.

Call 301-459-3375 for more information.

Artist's Way Creative Circle Now Forming

Creative Circles are currently forming at Mowatt United Methodist Church.

A spiritual path to high creativity called the Artist's Way, based on the book by the same name by Julia Cameron, will meet at Mowatt on Monday evenings for 12 weeks at 6:30 p.m. Participants are asked to make a modest donation toward the cost of the workbook.

For more information call the church at 301-474-9410.

Clothing Drive Is Successful

The March Greenbriar and Glen Oaks Community Outreach Clothing Drive was a success, collecting 167 large black bags of clothing, exceeding last year's count by 17 bags.

The donations were taken to Prince George's County's Mission of Love Charities. The entire donation truck was filled and the group hopes to exceed those numbers in 2013.

Free Jazz on Sunday

On Sunday, June 17 at 6:30 p.m. the National Gallery of Art will offer a free concert by Ignasi Terraza, Catalan jazz pianist and his trio. This event is in honor of the new exhibit, "Joan Miro: The Ladder of Escape." The concert will take place in the East Building Auditorium.

Bonsai Exhibit Opens

The U.S. National Arboretum opens a free exhibit, "Becoming a Bonsai," which will run from June 16 to October 14, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily at the National Bonsai & Penjing Museum. Images, text and artifacts demonstrate the steps that transform a common crape myrtle into a charming bonsai.

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 **O Friends!**
 Abandon not the everlasting beauty for a beauty that must die, and set not your affections on this mortal world of dust. (Baha'u'llah)

Greenbelt Bahá'í Community
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Greenbelt.Bahai.Info@gmail.com www.bahai.us


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www.greenbeltucc.org
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Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m.
Daily Mass: 7:15 a.m.
Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Pastor: Rev. Walter J. Tappe

Worship With Us In The Sun!
 Sunday June 24th 11 AM

Greenbelt Baptist Church
 Special Outdoor Service
 Learn how Jesus taught us to pray.

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Reel & Meal Film Is "Why We Fight"

On Monday, June 18 at 7 p.m. the next event in the Reel & Meal at the New Deal monthly series is focused on Peace Month with the showing of "Why We Fight." A vegan buffet is available for purchase at 6:30 p.m.; there is no fee to see the film or participate in the discussion afterward, which will be led by Development Director Peter Deccy of Peace Action, who previously worked for the Committee for a SANE Nuclear Policy.

Why We Fight examines the influence of the military-industrial complex on a series of American wars since World War II. Some approve of how wars helped America emerge as the world's sole superpower while others see the "overgrown military establishment" as destructive to democracy. The film goes on to question how the fighting impacts others and how it ultimately affects the U.S. and its identity as a democracy.

Following 9/11, George W. Bush asserted unprecedented executive power and preemptive military power to wage a War on Terror, re-interpreting the Constitution, U.S. law and international treaties. It is not the first time in U.S. history the constitutional balance of power was disrupted in wartime but the War on Terror poses a special dilemma due to the elusive nature of its enemy (no national capital to conquer, no leader to overthrow and no single enemy who can surrender) and its unlimited duration and scope. The War on Terror does not provide a natural moment for a peacetime restoration of constitutional protections.

For more information email Donna.Hoffmeister@verizon.net.

Arboretum Workshop Creates Nosegays

On Saturday, June 16 from 1 to 4 p.m. the U.S. National Arboretum will present a workshop on nosegays titled, "Under the Arbor: Good Scents." Learn the history and the craft of creating a "tussie mussie," or nosegay, a small bouquet of fresh, fragrant herbs and flowers popular from Victorian times to today. Members of the Philadelphia Unit of the Herb Society of America present this free drop-in demonstration in the National Herb Garden.

Father's Day Buffet

Serving a Full Buffet From 11:30 am until 8:00 pm
Reservations Accepted

Buffet Menu:
Slow Roasted Beef
Black Forest Ham
Honey Cajun Salmon
Crab Imperial
Vegetable Lasagna
Chicken Dishes

Adult	Sr. 55+	Kids 7-12
\$29	\$27	\$17

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City Information

GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL MEETING

June 18, 2012 - Municipal Building at 8:00 p.m.

COMMUNICATIONS

Presentations

- Legislative Wrap-Up – 22nd District Delegation
- Introduction of Mark Perlman, Maryland Municipal League Intern

Petitions and Requests (Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless Council waives its Standing Rules.)

Minutes of Council Meetings

Administrative Reports

Council Reports

Committee Reports

LEGISLATION

End-of-Year Budget Adjustments

- A. An Ordinance to Make a Supplemental Appropriation in the General Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2012, for Additional Expenditures Over the Appropriated Amount - 1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules - 2nd Reading, Adoption

- B. An Ordinance to Make a Supplemental Appropriation in the Replacement Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2012, for Additional Expenditures Over the Appropriated Amount - 1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules - 2nd Reading, Adoption

- C. An Ordinance to Make a Supplemental Appropriation in the Special Projects Fund for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2012, for Additional Expenditures Over the Appropriated Amount - 1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules - 2nd Reading, Adoption

OTHER BUSINESS

- Advisory Planning Board, Report #12-04 (Springhill Lake Elementary School Safe Routes to School Road Improvements – Conceptual Plans)
- Program Open Space – Annual Plan
- CB-40-12 - Prince George's County Proposed Stormwater Retrofit Program
- Community Center Rental Fee – Greenbelt Access Television
- Maryland Municipal League 2013 Legislative Action Requests
- Other Reports
- * - Park and Recreation Advisory Board, Report #11-5 (Recognition Group Application for Greenbelt Community Development Corporation)
- * -Appointments to Advisory Groups

MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public, and all interested citizens are invited to attend. If special accommodations are required for any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 no later than 10am on the meeting day. Deaf individuals are advised to use MD RELAY at 711 or e-mail cmurray@greenbeltmd.gov to reach the City Clerk.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2013 BUDGET

for the

GENERAL FUND, BUILDING CAPITAL RESERVE FUND, CEMETERY FUND, DEBT SERVICE FUND, REPLACEMENT FUND, SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND, GREEN RIDGE HOUSE FUND, CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND, 2001 BOND FUND, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUND

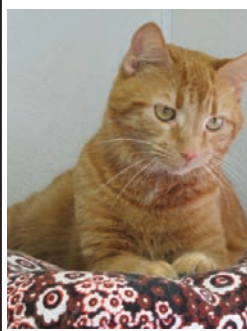
At its regular meeting of June 4, 2012, the City Council of Greenbelt, Maryland, adopted the City's budget for Fiscal Year 2013, thereby approving expenditures as follows:

General Fund	\$ 24,961,600
Building Capital Reserve Fund	180,000
Cemetery Fund	3,000
Debt Service Fund	319,100
Replacement Fund	114,500
Special Projects Fund	273,900
Green Ridge House	1,429,300
Capital Projects Fund	1,219,600
2001 Bond Fund	800,000
Community Development Block Grant Fund	180,000

Copies of the adopted budget document will be available for examination no later than September 2012 at the City Offices at 25 Crescent Road, at the Greenbelt Library at 11 Crescent Road, and on the Greenbelt Website (www.greenbeltmd.gov).

VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups. There are currently vacancies on: Arts Advisory Board, Employee Relations Board, Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability and Public Safety Advisory Committee
For information call 301-474-8000.



GREENBELT ANIMAL SHELTER

550-A Crescent Road (behind Police Station)

Tango is a handsome young man who's owner surrendered him to the shelter. He is friendly and loves to play.

Come out and visit all of the available pets! The shelter is open on Wednesdays from 4-7pm or by appointment. INFO: 301.474.6124.

Donations welcome!

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PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

with the City of Greenbelt

Arts Assistant with the Recreation Department. Help coordinate the Festival of Lights Art and Craft Fair. Help publicize City arts events year round through print and electronic communications and community outreach. \$12/hr, 15 hrs/wk. Open until filled. For details, contact Nicole DeWald at ndewald@greenbeltmd.gov

Recreation assistants needed at busy community center. Customer service, facility monitoring & event set up. Weekday evening/nights. \$7.25/hr. City of Greenbelt. 301-397-2208. EOE

Greenbelt Recreation Department

BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, June 26 from 12:30-6:00 p.m.

Greenbelt Municipal Building

25 Crescent Road

Please call Rebekah Sutfin at 240-542-2056 or 1-800-RED-CROSS to schedule your life-saving donation.

All donors will be entered into a raffle to win a 4 pack of Kenny Chesney & Toby Keith concert tickets at FedEx Field.

Greenbelt Recreation Department

THE SERGEANT'S PROGRAM

Tuesdays and Thursdays at the

Greenbelt Youth Center -- 6:30-7:30pm

Sign up now for this NEW Boot Camp Style program.

Class begins on June 19 and runs for 10 weeks

For more information visit www.sarge.com.

City of Greenbelt **BUSINESSES AND**

ORGANIZATIONS are invited to provide

materials for the next round of **WELCOME TO GREENBELT PACKETS.**

Five hundred welcome packets will be assembled on July 12th at 6pm at the Greenbelt Municipal Building. Volunteers needed to help. If you would like to include your pamphlets, coupons, etc. in these packets, please bring them to the Greenbelt Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road by July 9th.

For more information contact Beverly Palau, 240-542-2026 or bpalau@greenbeltmd.gov

APRENDE HABLAR INGLES

La Ciudad de Greenbelt esta ofreciendo clases de Ingles. Las clases son gratis! Comienza el 18 de Junio a las 10:00-11:30 de la mañana en el Springhill Lake Recreation Clubhouse, 6101 Cherrywood Lane. Clases son Lunes a Jueves para 4 semanas. Llama a Senora Judy Hering 301-345-6660,

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A Review

Christmas Celebrations Are a Key to Life's Events

by Carol Griffith

Amie Shafer, star of the one-woman show "Divine Intervention" now playing at the Greenbelt Arts Center, greets audience members with mugs of hot chocolate and popcorn balls. So begins this emotional rollercoaster of a play.

Shafer, playwright of the piece, plays Noelle Devine. Noelle begins the play by completing Christmas decorations on the set and planning a perfect Christmas celebration. Reminiscing about Christmases from her childhood, she engages the audience in a high-spirited and hilarious Christmas trivia game with candy cane rewards for correct answers.

Soon Noelle's memories of Christmases became not as pleasant, however, and the allusion of perfect family and perfect holiday celebrations vanish. Shafer, a talented actress, portrays scenes from Noelle's life when she was as young as five years old that are spot-on and touching. The story of Noelle's

life, touched by incest, divorce and alcoholism cascades to a startling ending.

Transitions Theater, producer of the play, has as its mission "to move all participants to think, feel and understand life events from a new perspective." "Divine Intervention" fulfills that mission without seeming "preachy."

With kudos to Misha R'kingsley, director, and Michael Hartman, stage manager, "Divine Intervention" is outstanding. I hope it can be presented to many other audiences. It's that good.

"Divine Intervention" will play on Friday, June 15 and Saturday, June 16, at 8 p.m. A Sunday matinee is also scheduled for June 17 at 2 p.m.

Because of the themes, the play is not appropriate for young children. Reservations may be made through the box office at 301-441-8770 or at the Greenbelt Arts Center at 123 Centerway, located beneath the Co-op supermarket.



Amie Shafer, star and playwright of "Divine Intervention" reminisces about her past through her view of past Christmases.

Cleopatra Is Next Book Club Topic

On Friday evening, June 15 from 7:30 to 9 p.m., the College Park Arts Exchange (CPAE) Book Club will discuss literary nonfiction by women. This week's discussion topic is Cleopatra: A Life, by Stacy Schiff.

The club will meet at the Old Parish House, 4711 Knox Road, College Park. Parking permits are available inside.

CPAE Photo Club

Like photography? Want to meet other people who share a love of taking pictures? Come to "The Underexposed" College Park photo club on Friday, June 15, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. for a social and photography-filled time.

The photo club, organized by the College Park Arts Exchange (CPAE), will meet alongside the Book Club at Old Parish House, 4711 Knox Road. Parking permits are available inside. RSVP to info@cpae.org or 301-927-3013.

COUNCIL

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had revised its original proposal for a 25-foot pole-mounted sign and agreed to a monument-style sign.

Most council comments focused on the LED technology and concerns that motorists may become distracted by the programmed messaging. Mayor Judith Davis worried that the messaging itself might not be G-rated.

A sign company representative assured council the messages would not distract drivers and would meet all requirements. He was not able to address the mayor's concern about content.

At the mayor's suggestion, council unanimously agreed not to take a position on the sign. They will, however, agree to send a letter to CVS management requesting that they consider a bicycle rack at their facility, improve pedestrian access to the store and consider making the LED messaging sign available for community-related announcements.

The APB also suggested sending a written request to the Prince George's County Planning Department to consider landscaping and sign requirements as part of the Greenbelt Road Corridor Sector Plan update. Council approved sending the letters.

Breezewood Improvements

The last agenda item was a report to council on plans by the Prince George's County Public School System (PGCPS) for pedestrian safety and accessibility along Breezewood Drive frontage associated with the new Greenbelt Middle School (GMS) site. Greenbelt's Assistant Planning Director Terri Hruby described several improvements underway in preparation for the new GMS, including raised crosswalks, ADA-compliant curb ramps and extended no-parking zones on the school side of Breezewood Drive.

Other requirements are a school flashing speed-limit beacon, new sidewalks, improved lighting and school zone signs. Additional crosswalks also are proposed at the Springhill Lane intersection with Breezewood Drive.

In response to staff and APB comments, PGCPS staff had revised the plans to improve signage, increase connectivity to the existing playground just east of the new school and add additional crosswalks to improve pedestrian safety at the Springhill Drive intersection.

Crossing guards will be placed at the Breezewood crossings and the Greenbelt Road crossing near the bus lot would link to an existing path to reach the new school. Hruby advised council that the proposed improvements had input from the Greenbelt Police and Public Works Departments.

Councilmembers were pleased with the PGCPS cooperation with the city.

Councilmember Silke Pope moved for approval of the Breezewood plans and the motion was unanimously approved. This action was not a moment too soon since completion of the new school building is expected on July 16. Teachers will arrive soon afterward and the school is scheduled to open August 20.

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The SADD How to Save a Life campaign on the seniors last day May 18. Left to right, Rajawen Ocampo, Kaylah Grant, Iralys Arana and Nataly Escobar.

member and Mothers Against Drunk Driving activist Donna Hathaway Beck, tell of the massive damage a drunk driver can cause. The presentation never fails to capture students' attention.

New Campaign

This year SADD began a new campaign, "How to Save a Life: Don't Text and Drive." The group played the well-known song "How to Save a Life" by the Fray while having students give their thumbprint of approval against texting and driving.

In addition, SADD art director Jose Arias Flores (now graduated) and secretary Olu Abiona (now president) created a beautiful banner which SADD had professionally reproduced to get the message to the Class of 2012 and the rest of the ERHS student body about making smart driving decisions.

ERHS SADD hopes to con-

tinue promoting awareness in students long after they leave high school. "The best choices are made when people are informed," says Raaheela Ahmed, former president of SADD (2010-2011).

On Sunday, June 10 the ERHS SADD chapter participated in a Greenbelt Peace Month activity at Roosevelt Center promoting an anti-bullying and teen dating violence awareness campaign. They handed out literature and handmade purple ribbon bracelets to community members attending the event or visiting Roosevelt Center.

The SADD sign-off statement is "Be There to Make a Difference" – a goal all should observe in daily life.

Olu Abiona, a student at Eleanor Roosevelt High School, is the new 2012-13 ERHS SADD Chapter president and the current school year's chapter secretary.



Greenbelt News Review
75th Anniversary Dinner
 6 p.m. Sunday, November 18, 2012
 Greenbelt Marriott
 6400 Ivy Lane, Greenbelt, MD



MENU Selection
 (choose 1 entrée per person)
 ___ Chicken with Mushrooms
 ___ Grilled Salmon with Soy & Ginger Sauce
 ___ Vegetable Napoleon
Cost: \$50 per person

Amount Enclosed: \$_____ for _____ person(s)

All reservations must be made **no later than October 25, 2012**. No refunds or cancellations after that date.

Name(s) _____

Address: _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone: _____

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Mail check to: News Review Dinner
 Greenbelt News Review
 Greenbelt Community Center
 15 Crescent Road
 Greenbelt, MD 20770

To receive your tickets by mail, send your check and this form with a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the above address. Tickets may also be purchased at the News Review office in the Community Center on Tuesdays, 2-4 p.m. The Marriott Hotel is reserving a small number of rooms at a discounted rate for those who wish to spend Sunday night at the hotel. Contact the Marriott Hotel at 301-441-3700 to make your own reservations.

Upcoming Events at New Deal Café

Friday, June 15 jazz pianist John Guernsey plays from 6:30 to 8 p.m., then Warner Williams plays Piedmont and R&B style blues to the Café from 8 to 11 p.m.

Saturday, June 16 Bruce Krit plays classical guitar from 4 to 6 p.m. John Guernsey follows with up-tempo jazz piano from 6:30 to 8 p.m., and The Mott Squad takes the stage with rock and roll covers from 8 to 11 p.m.

Sunday, June 17 the Not 2 Cool Jazz Trio plays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Café especially welcomes dads and the whole family to the Kid's open microphone session from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. From 5 to 7 p.m. there will be live Middle Eastern music and dance with Darbuka Dawg Hafla.

Next Week

Reel & Meal at the New Deal shows "Why We Fight" on Monday, June 18 at 7 p.m., with a vegan buffet available for purchase at 6:30 p.m. The film describes the rise and maintenance of the U.S. military-industrial complex. On Tuesday, June 19 from 7 to 9 p.m. is the monthly Poetry Open Microphone night. The popular Community Sing-Along returns Wednesday, June 20 from 7 to 9 p.m. On Thursday, June 21 pianist Amy C. Kraft plays mid-day melodies from noon to 2 p.m. and there will be an open microphone session with Dave and Jamie from 7 to 9 p.m. Pianist John Guernsey plays classical and jazz piano from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on Friday, June 22 then The Drivers headline with straight ahead jazz from 8 to 11 p.m. The Saturday, June

23 schedule begins outdoors in Roosevelt Center at noon with the Crazy Quilt Music Festival. Check out the bands and the schedule at www.crazyquiltfestival.com. Bruce Krit is inside on classical guitar from 4 to 6 p.m. and John Guernsey follows with up-tempo jazz piano from 6:30 to 8 p.m. From 8 to 11 p.m. Kevin Robinson and KERQ take over with high energy bluesy rock and amazing guitar playing. Sunday, June 24, as part of Greenbelt's 75th Anniversary Celebration, Transitions Theater will remount some of the monologues of its 2010 production of Greenbelt Voices. There will be two showings, a 2 and 5 p.m., with a panel discussion after each performance where Greenbelters are encouraged to tell their own stories.

Laurel Group Hosts Climate Reality Talk

On Thursday, June 21 at 7 p.m. the West Laurel Civic Association will host a presentation on the National Wildlife Federation's Climate Reality Project with Director Kara Ball speaking on climate and the environment.

The Wildlife Federation deems global warming a top priority. Ball attended the Federation's original multi-day training session and a recent multi-day session on the latest scientific research and is an experienced presenter for the Climate Reality Project, which is led by Al Gore.

The meeting will be held at the West Laurel Community Building, 16501 Supplee Lane in Laurel.

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Miss Penny, as the children call her, also uses interactive props such as puppets and gives each child a hands-on opportunity to play a musical instrument during each lesson. "The students always enjoy it when [Russell] plays or allows them to play her drum from Pakistan called a dumbek," says GNS teacher Pamela Hamlin. The effectiveness of Russell's teaching strategy is evident from the children's response.

"I like the class because I really like music and I love to play the instruments. It's really, really fun!" says four-year-old Beatrice Marcavitch.

While the children see the music class as fun, music education has been found

to have links to cognitive development. Russell notes that "simple exercises such as keeping a steady beat support the development of math skills. Learning pitch can influence reading fluency and natural phrasing."

"Music for music's sake is enough," says Russell, but the fact that the class supports the intellectual development of the students makes GCF's support all the more worthwhile.



PHOTO BY LISA MEYER

Music teacher Penny Russell uses puppets to keep Greenbelt Nursery School students engaged. From left to right: Anne DeJager, Lien Gareri, Emily Gendreau, Penny Russell, Orrin Chandler, Tinoluwa Olaleye, Aaron Coppock and Evan McClelland.

As a result of the music classes, GNS teachers believe that students' engagement in musical activities overall has increased . . . and not just during Russell's class. According to Meyer, "Parents frequently tell me that their children are singing the songs they learned in Miss Penny's class at home."

According to Meyer, the teachers also gain from the specialized music instruction. "The benefits extend beyond the music

classes because they have enabled our teachers to learn skills and gain confidence that can help them to teach music on a daily basis, now and in the future."

Additionally, as a co-op school with parents in each classroom, the benefits of the music classes continue outside the school walls. Meyer says, "Because parents participate in the classroom, the program has also increased the parents' awareness of the benefits of music education."

These are just a few of the great buys you will find at Co-op this week!

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Kunzler Meat Franks Select Varieties 1 lb. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Idaho Potatoes 5 lb. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Minute Maid Orange Juice 59 oz. \$2.50	On Cor Classic Family Size Entrees Asst. 27-28 oz. \$3.00	Sea Best Frozen Tilapia Fillets \$3.99 lb.
Hatfield Sliced Bacon Assorted 1 lb. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Fresh Crisp Garden Salad Mix 1 lb. \$1.50	Sargento Shredded Cheese Assorted 5-8 oz. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Steak-Umm Beef Sandwich Steaks 9 oz. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Louis Kemp Seafood Delights Asst. 7-8 oz. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE
Grocery Bargains			Grocery Bargains	
Sparkle Paper Towels 3 Roll pack BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Quaker Life Cereal 13 oz. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE		Eight O'Clock Whole/Ground Coffee Asst. 11-12 oz. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Angel Soft Double Size Rolls Bathroom Tissues 4 Roll pack BUY ONE GET ONE FREE
ERA Liquid Laundry Detergent 50 oz. \$2.99	Star Kist Chunk Light Tuna 5 oz. \$1.00		Arnold Assorted Breads 24 oz. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Lipton/Knorr Noodles or Rice in Sauce Assorted 3-6 oz. \$1.00
Deli	Bakery	Natural & Gourmet	Health & Beauty	Beer & Wine
Deli Gourmet Imported Cooked Ham \$3.99 lb.	Fresh Store Baked Kaiser Rolls 6 pk. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	Angies Gourmet Kettle Corn Assorted 5-7 oz. \$1.99	Western Family Whitening Toothpaste 6.4 oz. BUY ONE GET ONE FREE	National Bohemian Beer 6 pk.-12 oz. cans \$3.89
Deli Gourmet Swiss Cheese \$6.99 lb.	Fresh Store Baked Rye Bread Select Varieties loaf \$1.99	Bahlsen Hit Cocoa Cremes 99¢	Playtex Gentle Glide Tampons Asst. 16-18 pk. \$4.00	Line #39 Wines 750 ML. \$7.99

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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.

DWI/DUI

June 1, 12:37 a.m., Walker Drive at Greenbelt Road. A 43-year-old Greenbelt man was arrested and charged with multiple alcohol-related violations among other charges after a traffic stop. He was released on citations pending trial.

During the past week the following persons were arrested and charged with alcohol-related violations, among other charges, after traffic stops on main roads passing through Greenbelt: a 29-year-old Lanham man, a 35-year-old Alexandria, Va., man, a 21-year-old Riverdale man and a 21-year-old man from Bowie. All were released on citations pending trial.

Drug Arrest

June 3, 2:10 p.m., 7800 block Emily's Way. An 18-year-old Greenbelt man was arrested and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia after a vehicle stop

prompted by suspicious behavior. He was released on citation pending trial.

Burglary

June 1, 4:11 a.m., 7500 block Greenbelt Road. Electronics were taken.

June 3, 9:46 a.m., 13 Court Ridge Road. Concrete paving stones were taken from a yard.

June 4, 4:26 p.m., 9100 block Edmonston Court. Electronics were taken.

June 6, 4:35 p.m., 5900 block Springhill Drive. Electronics were taken.

Vandalism

June 2, 8:36 p.m., 9300 block Edmonston Road. Graffiti was found on playground equipment.

Vehicle Crime

One vehicle was reported stolen, a black 2002 BMW with Md. tags, taken from the 7300 block Morrison Drive.

A windshield was damaged in the 6000 block Springhill Drive.



Our sympathy to News Review staffer and former Councilmember Thomas X. White on the death of his sister Catherine White West, 82, on June 3, 2012, in Altamonte Springs, Fla. Her funeral Mass will be offered Saturday, June 16 at Our Lady of Grace Church in Silver Spring.

Congratulations to:

– the ERHS SADD Chapter on receiving first place in GEICO's Washington Regional Alcohol Program for the eighth consecutive year.

– Fred and Dorothy Baluch, whose 65th wedding anniversary is Flag Day, June 14. The couple met in kindergarten in Youngstown, Ohio. A big family party is in the works, celebrating also the third birthday of their great-granddaughter Mollie of Hagerstown, Md.

– Philip Pels and Gregory Lyon-Loftus, both sons of Greenbelt pioneer families, who attended the 50th reunion of their 1962 graduating class from Gonzaga College High School at Columbia Country Club on June 2. The two men went through 8th grade together at St. Hugh's school before entering the prestigious Jesuit high school in Washington, founded in 1821. The reunion events took place over a three-day period, culminating in the 1962 class being honored at the commencement ceremony for the class of 2012 on June 3.

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@verizon.net or leave a message at 301-474-6892.

– Kathleen McFarland



Greenbelt Concert Band's Artful Afternoon June 3 performance. Front row three saxophones, left to right: Tenor Sax Bob Favin, Alto Sax Julie Raskin and Alto Sax Caroline Cherrix. Back row: Tuba Keith Marshall, Euphonium Bob Virta and Bass Clarinet Yannick Joseph.



PHOTOS BY ERIC ZHANG

New citizens swear the Oath of Allegiance during a naturalization ceremony held in the Greenbelt Community Center gym on June 3.

The Department is offering a reward of up to \$1,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of a suspect in any of the unsolved crimes reported in the blotter.

Call 1-866-411-TIPS.

People may anonymously report suspected drug activity by calling the Drug Tip Line at 240-542-2145.

Anacostia Trails Holds Photo Contest

The Anacostia Trails Heritage Area which produces the Maryland Milestones calendar has announced it is holding a contest for photos capturing the beauty, history, activities and character of Northern Prince George's County for its 2013 calendar.

Entries need to be submitted by September 7, with a limit of three images per photographer in one of the following four categories: Rivers to Rockets (history), Expression of Arts (culture), Nature of the Area (nature) or For the Fun

of It (recreation). There will be a first, second, third and honorable mention awarded in each category.

Photos must be taken within the boundaries of the Anacostia Trails Heritage Area. A copy of the official rules, entry form and model release form are available at www.marylandmilestone.org, by emailing aaron@maryland-milestones.org, calling 301-887-0777 or by mail to: Anacostia Trails Heritage Area, Attn: Photo Contest, 4310 Gallatin Street, Hyattsville, MD 20781.

Marriage Equality Program at PBUUC

On Tuesday, June 19 at 7 p.m. the Prince George's and Montgomery County chapters of the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) will hold their annual meeting, preceded by dinner, at Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church (PBUUC), 3215 Powder Mill Road in Adelphi. This year the program is titled "Defending the Freedom to Marry in Maryland."

The featured speakers will be ACLU's Maryland Marriage Fairness Field Director Joanna Diamond, ACLU's Maryland President Alli Harper and others. The public is invited; dinner at 6 p.m., discussion to follow.

There is a fee for the dinner, only. For details see ad on page 2.

Half-day Bird Walk Scheduled in Bowie

The Prince George's Audubon Society will host its free, monthly half-day bird walk at Governor Bridge Natural Area, Governor Bridge Road, Bowie on Saturday, June 16 starting at 7:30 a.m.

These walks are geared toward sighting resident and migrating woodland and field birds, waterfowl and raptor flyovers at this Patuxent River forested floodplain. Beginners and experts are welcome. Waterproof footwear and binoculars are suggested. Meet at the parking lot. Call 410-765-6482 for more information.

What's Buggin' Bats? Find Out Saturday

On Saturday, June 16 from 7:30 to 9 p.m. discover Maryland's bats and the dangers they face. Learn the vital role they play in the environment and why they are so helpful at the Patuxent Refuge North Tract located on Rt. 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 32. This program is for all ages.

For more information visit <http://patuxent.fws.gov>.

Visitor's Center Bird Walk on Wed.

Search for birds in several refuge habitats on a guided hike for ages 16+ at the National Wildlife Visitor Center on Wednesday, June 20 from 8 to 10:30 a.m. Field guides and binoculars are recommended. For more information visit <http://patuxent.fws.gov>.

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

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Fifty-six (56) LED light fixtures have been installed at the Municipal Building, Roosevelt Center, Community Center, Youth Center and Schrom Hills Park parking lots and 24 induction light fixtures, all made in the USA, have been installed along the Braden Field and Lakewood Stream Valley paths at a total cost of \$103,561 using both EECBG and city funds.

LED light fixtures installed at Schrom Hills park use motion sensor technology. When this parking lot is not being used (i.e., late at night) the lights dim. When someone enters the lot, the lights immediately brighten to full intensity, which should result in further energy savings.

June 23-24 Is Field Day For Radio Operators

Next weekend on Saturday and Sunday, annual field days for the county Amateur Radio Emergency Services (ARES) will be held at Disney-Bell American Legion Post #66, 9605 Old Laurel Bowie Road in Bowie.

Amateur radio operators, or hams, provide critical communications during unexpected emergencies nationwide including the recent earthquake, hurricanes and tropical storms. When trouble is brewing, these volunteer ham radio operators are often the ones to provide first responders with critical information and communications. Their slogan is "When All Else Fails, Ham Radio Works" – using emergency back-up power such as gasoline generators, solar and battery power, ham operators can set up emergency stations in parks, shopping malls, schools and backyards and send messages in forms that do not rely on phone systems, the internet or other infrastructure that can be compromised in a crisis.

Field Day is the culmination of Amateur Radio Week. The public is invited to visit to talk with ham radio operators, get on the air, see the capabilities of the equipment and learn how to get their own FCC radio license before the next disaster strikes.

Experimental Music At CPAE Coffeehouse

The Stitch is a series of do-it-yourself coffeehouse shows between April and June sponsored by Yarn Studio and the College Park Arts Exchange (CPAE). Playing on Thursday, June 21 at 8 p.m. is Hammer No More the Fingers, a catchy modern rock trio from North Carolina's vibrant "Triangle" arts scene. The event is free, although donations for the artists are encouraged. It will be held at the Old Parish House, 4711 Knox Road (corner of Knox and Dartmouth, one block from Metro); parking permits are available inside. For more information go to cpae.org.

Black History, Roots at Watkins Park

The Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society, Inc., Prince George's County Maryland Chapter, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Suitland (Maryland); and the Prince George's County Historical Society will jointly sponsor the Seventh Annual Juneteenth Seminar, "Footprints and Roots," on Saturday, June 16 at the Nature Center at Watkins Regional Park, 301 Watkins Park Drive, Upper Marlboro from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. The seminar will consist of a series of workshops

for beginner to advanced family researchers. Author, genealogist, historian and professor Elizabeth Clark-Lewis will deliver the keynote address.

The Prince George's County Department of Parks and Recreation is holding a family fun day in conjunction with this event. Bring a picnic basket, blanket and lawn chair and enjoy live entertainment with guest speakers, games, arts and crafts, food and fun. All activities at both of these community events are free and open to the public.

Is Same-Sex "Marriage" Coming to MD or Not?

It depends on the voting. The referendum was successful, but we're counting signatures thru the end of June. More is better, to help confirm the will of the people, as well as to educate and to get out the vote. See: June 9 Washington Times and MarylandMarriageAlliance.com.

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Cubs	12- 6	Tigers	13-7
Cardinals	11- 7	Athletics	10-9
Yankees	0-19	Orioles	2-16

Major League Schedule June 18 through 23

Date	Time	Games
Monday, June 18	6 p.m.	Playoff Game #1 Teams TBA
Tuesday, June 19	6 p.m.	Playoff Game #2 Teams TBA
Wednesday, June 20	6 p.m.	Playoff Game #3 Teams TBA
Thursday, June 21	6 p.m.	Playoff Game #4 Teams TBA
Friday, June 22	6 p.m.	Playoff Game #5 Teams TBA
Saturday, June 23	10 a.m.	Playoff Game #6 Teams TBA
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The club is about learning to identify animal tracks and traces and to answer questions like "What animal made this track?" "Where was it headed?" "Why was it going that way?" "Was it

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Annual Bikes for the World Event Draws Donations, Helping Hands

The Baha'i Community of Greenbelt held its third annual Bikes for the World drive this past Sunday, June 10. A total of 44 bikes was collected and will be processed for shipment to Kenya.

Bikes for the World was founded in 2005 and is based in the Greater Washington, D.C. area. More than 20,000 bicycles have been donated through the organization, mostly to Central America, Africa and the Philippines. The bikes are given to people who need to use them to get to work, school and jobs.



Roya Bauman lowers a seat to minimum extension, again for easier transport. Bauman held Greenbelt Baha'i's first donation event at her home.



With Joy Allchin's help, Robert Yang unscrews a pedal using a pedal wrench. The pedals are then tied to the crossbar using a plastic zip tie, making them easier to store and transport.



Above, Abdul Aziz carries one of five children's bikes from his farm in Brookeville, Md., off his trailer.



Jim Fischer, secretary of Greenbelt Baha'i's nine-member assembly, unloads a bicycle from his minivan. It was used long ago for commuting from Old Greenbelt to NASA Goddard Space Flight Center. All of the accessories, the baskets and the old-fashioned friction generator, will have to be removed.



In the early days of Greenbelt, bicycles had to be registered. At left, is a tag from one of the older donations.

Below, Keith Oberg, founder and director of Bikes for the World, loads one bike into the truck.



Oberg will drive this truck load of bikes to Lorton, Va., to the group's storage facility. The bikes are then packed into 40-foot shipping containers and trucked to Baltimore. From there, this particular shipment will go to Kenya via South Africa. He estimates that they should arrive in Kenya in August.

– photos by Eric Zhang