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President's Message

With summer fully upon us we have a return of both positive and negative seasonal trends. With the combination of ample rain, combined with warm and sunny days neighborhood gardens are bursting with flowers and homegrown produce is starting to be harvested. Unfortunately due to the aforementioned rain a couple of the Tuesday markets at the site of the future community commercial kitchen at 4500 Harford Rd., across from Safeway, have been cancelled at the last minute. Weather permitting though the market remains open on Tuesday evenings through September. This is a great place to grab some good food truck grub, buy hyper-local produce and honey right from the neighborhood, and try some hulahooping!

For those who are avid gardeners or simply looking for some advice or help deciding whether or not that giant fast growing plant coming up in your yard is a noxious weed or valuable native flowering plant I highly recommend joining the "Hamilton-Lauraville Gardener's Corner" page on Facebook. There are lots of great pictures and input from local master gardeners and others with experience that they are happy to share. On a less happy note there has been a rash of burglaries reported in Arcadia in the last few weeks as well as a murder at the corner of Harford and Cold Spring Lane. Crime statistics show that these burglaries are unfortunately becoming rather routine at the beginning of summer vacation. They appear to be mostly 'amateur' break-ins and fortunately only at homes where no one is home. Bob Poirer has started to organize a potential 'neighborhood watch'. In the meanwhile heightened vigilance is paying off. A neighbor on Harcourt observed a potential breakin of a neighbor's shed and called it in to 911.

Police responded, followed up with vehicle information and a description, and apparently made an arrest.

The apparent targeted murder of the locally well-known Baltimore rapper Lor Scoota as he was leaving an event at Morgan State is a tragedy. It was an event to foster peace on the streets of Baltimore. It is sad that the violence that plagues the city occasionally intrudes into or is uncomfortably close to our generally peaceful neighborhood. It is a reminder to be thankful for the relative calm and safety and graciousness of our neighbors.

Gene Ward



Park Dumping is Illegal

A reminder that if you live in walking distance of our beautiful park, it is **NOT okay** to dump yard waste, trimmed shrubs, or tree branches in the park. It is environmentally bad for the soil and stream because yard waste often contain animal droppings, plant pesticides or fertilizers. Bag your clippings, bundle pruned branches in 3 foot lengths and the city will take them away with the trash. If you see someone dumping items in the park, call 311 and report their car tag #. Want to know what events are taking place in our park? Check this website **theFHRP.org**

Zika - to stay up to date on Zika developments follow any of these three website links:

http://health.baltimorecity.gov/zika-virus http://phpa.dhmh.maryland.gov/pages/ zika.aspx

http://www.cdc.gov/zika/index.html

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Mark Your Calendars

The next general meeting of the Arcadia Improvement Assoc., Inc.

Thursday September 8 @ 7:30 pm

Ray of Hope Baptist Church Parkside Drive & Harford Rd.

Neighborhood Happenings

Free Summer Fun Herring Run Park Fridays in July



Join us for some fun movies in the park. Sponsored by: Belair-Edison Neighborhoods, Inc. for more info. call 410.485.8422, or email us at: neighborhoods@belair-edison.org.

WHERE: the Movie Shed in Herring Run Park (3900 Belair Road) Movies begin @ dusk about 8:45 pm - bring a blanket and your snacks.

July's Summer Movie Schedule

July 8: **HOME**

July 15: The Good Dinosaur July 22: Hotel Transylvania 2

July 29: **Goosebumps**

Tuesday Market at the Connection

is a local farmer's and vendors' market taking place every Tuesday until October. Look for the 'Market Connection' sign and white canopies across from Safeway, free parking on their lot. tuesdaymarket@hamiltonlauraville mainstreet.org

Hamilton Street Festival

When: Saturday, July 30th, 11am to 6pm
Join us on Harford Road between Echodale and
White Ave for this event! Food, vendors, beer
garden, multiple stages and bands. Again this
year there will be a section for families with small
children. Inflatables, games and activities will be
provided for the kids. Join us to repaint the street
mural Saturday, July 23 at 2:30 am at the
intersection of Hamilton and Harford Roads.
If interested in helping, call 410-319-7150

St. Francis of Assisi Church Annual Golf Classic

Friday, August 26, 2016 - 8:30 A.M. Shotgun Start Clifton Park Golf Course 2701 St. Lo Drive FORMAT: Captains Choice (Best Ball) DONATION: \$120 per golfer includes donuts and coffee before the tournament, greens fees, carts, prizes, gifts, bountiful food and beverages following the tournament.

DEADLINE:All entries must be rec'd by **8/25/16** on a first paid basis.

4somes and singles are welcome
Call Gina Gross @ 410-235-5136 or
Gerard Waldt @443-845-8235 to sign up.

Arcadia Crime Alert

June brought a new wave of home break-ins to our neighborhood. Entry was gained through windows and doors not easily seen by a next door neighbor. Sometimes valuables were taken but the thought of someone going through your personal belongings is never welcomed. If you return home to an open door that you know was locked when you left--call 911 before you enter the house, the person may still be in your house. Consider getting an alarm with an outside audible sound--it will alert at home neighbors. If property is taken from your yard, car, or garage, call 911 to report it. Even the smaller crimes that you feel were your neglect for not locking up, need to be reported. Crimes of opportunity are still CRIME! Be a good neighbor and call if you see something that just doesn't seem right.

Eggs-local & fresh

If you're a "foodie" or would just like to try some **Arcadia fresh eggs**, they are available for purchase. Call Charlotte at **410-254-1907**. She lives on Tyndale and you can hear the girls when they are laying.

Pruning Bushes & Trees



We love our trees, flowering bushes, and hedges, but when they push onto the sidewalks it can be dangerous to pedestrians. Please keep them trimmed back so all the sidewalks are passable. If there are limbs or branches from a flowering shrub or tree that would hit your face as you walk by, carefully prune them back Be kind to the mail carrier and your neighbors who walk with their children or pets. **PLEASE** trim them back!

Arcadia Craft Circle

Look for information in our next newsletter as to when The Arcadia Craft Circle will resume its schedule in the fall. For more updates you can email Elisabeth at : eglowatzki@gmail.com

Recycling Schedule



We have single stream recycling in the city. This means paper, cans, glass and plastics will be collected weekly every **Tuesday**

DO NOT

use plastic bags for any recyclables. They will jam the equipment used in recycling. You can use any hard container marked "recycling" for the heavy items, paper bags or cardboard boxes for the light stuff.

Trash Schedule



Trash is collected every **Thursday**. Please use cans with lids - plastic bags are okay for yard waste only.

Bulk Trash pick-up Friday, July 8 Friday, Aug. 12

Friday, Aug. 12 Friday, Sept. 9

2nd Friday of each month (up to 3 large items) *remember to call 311 at least 3 working days in advance to schedule your pick-up Report broken curbs, potholes, city trees in need of removal, or cars that appear to be abandoned to 311. Give them the location and/or tag #. Get the tracking number so you can follow up if it hasn't been taken care of.

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Editors Note

Suggestions and articles of community interest for the newsletter are always welcome. However, we cannot accept anonymous contributions.

New Baby



On May 31st, **Ryan & Renee Schmidt** welcomed their new son

Everett Keaton Schmidt
He weighed in at 8lbs.and now joins big sister,
Juniper, at home - 3112 Juneau Place.



Welcome New Neighbors

We warmly welcome all our new neighbors

3100 Parkside Drive - corner of Berkshire

Eugene & Vanessa Russell

and their two children, Rachel & Myles

3207 Tyndale Avenue
Tish & Bernie White

3030 Iona Terrace Christopher Graham

3212 Tyndale Avenue James Dilisio & Jennifer L. Strunge

It's wonderful meeting and greeting the new people in Arcadia. Stop and say hello if you see them outside next time you walk by.

Adoption is an Option!

No not a child or a pet, but what else? **A storm drain?** Who would give that a second thought? It's not so unlikely if you are an environmentally conscious person. It doesn't cost you anything but time and a bit of exercise. The benefit is all yours, because you get to burn a few extra calories and save a bottle, plastic bag, food wrapper, paper anything, can, and whatever else might get dropped on the street from reaching our watershed. Consider this as an option to support clean waterways. Just once a week check your closest storm drain for recyclabes and just plain old trash. By keeping the storm drains open it helps to eliminate water back-up that might end up flooding basements.

Arcadia's "Paul Preziosi" Scholarship Winner



Congratulations to **the** recipient of this year's Arcadia scholarship. He is Darryl Curtis who lives on Parkside Drive. Darryl went to Patapsco High School, and will be going to CCBC for one year and then attending the University of Nevada - Las Vegas to major in Hotel Administration.

Check It Out!

Arcadia's new website is up and running with many new features. It takes time to create something worthwhile. And thanks to our webmaster, Chris Williams, the new website is easy to navigate. It will be updated with information to help neighbors know what is happening in the neighborhood. The address is the same, but the look is brand new.

http://www.arcadia-baltimore.org

2016 Arcadia Dues

Payment of your yearly dues will be greatly appreciated. We ask each family for \$10/yr to help defray the cost of publishing our newsletter, support of community activities such as our block parties and yearly donations to the non-profit organizations that directly impact our community.

☐ Here's my/our \$10.00 membership dues! ☐ I/We'd like to give more because Arcadia is a great place to live!
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