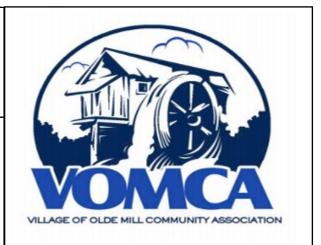
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VOMCA Meeting: July 6, 2022,

7 PM @ OMSC



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www.vomca.org

www.facebook.com/VillageofOldeMill

President's Message

Happy Birthday to our great Nation!! Join us at Olde Mill Swim Club to celebrate this great day. We will stay open till 10 pm so you can get to see our pool lights. There will be free hot dogs for everyone and the snack shack will stay open if you want more than that. And of course, there will be fireworks. So, come on out and enjoy the fun and spend some time with your friends and neighbors as we celebrate the 4 th of July.

Please think about volunteering to help at Barlowe Field. The playground equipment is close to being done but there have been times where the work had to be postponed because there wasn't enough help to do what needed to be done. Also, all of the gardens need tending. The mulch is where it needs to be. It just needs someone to spread it around. Those nasty weeds could use a good pulling as well. We are there almost every Saturday, so glace at the park as you drive by and if you see us, stop and give us a hand. And if you want something a little more organized, we will have a community day on July 16 th at 8 AM.

Our next VOMCA meeting will be held on July 6th at 7 pm. If the weather is nice, we will be at the pool. If the weather is bad (or way too hot to breath) we will hold the meeting on ZOOM. The link for the ZOOM meeting can be found on the vomca.org webpage under events. We discuss upcoming events, things that are happening in our area and anything else that you feel is important. We have guest speakers as well. So, think about joining for \$25.00. You help support your community and Barlowe Field and it gives you a right to vote in the elections for 2023. Or just come out and say hi. You don't need to be a member to participate. And if you are not a member of the OMSC, please think about joining. It's a wonderful pool. We have great lifeguards. There are always events being planned. And it's cheaper than driving to Ocean City this year. Go to vomca.org and click on OMSC to get details on how to join. Or grab a packet off of the OMSC gates. Keep safe! Keep cool! And have a wonderful July in the greatest place to live work and play, Olde Mill!!

Chris Szverra,

President of VOMCA

VOMCA Meeting Minutes

VOMCA Meeting Agenda

Date: May 4, 2022

Place: **ZOOM**

Time: 7 PM

Old Business:

VOMCA Treasurer's Report:

Checking: \$1,933.26 Savings: \$1,592.04

LOC: Progressing as expected

VOMCA Membership Report: 93 Members as of 5/4/2022

OMSC Treasurer's Report:

Checking: \$23,168.35 Savings: \$523.68

OMSC Membership Report: Active: 74

Inactive: 40 Total: 114

Minutes from April - Read and Approve: Approved as published.

Easter Egg Hunt Wrap Up: Didn't go as well as expected but may have been due to weather. The girls soft-ball team that practices at Barlowe Field helped with hiding eggs.

Police Kickball Game: Date TBD; possibly first part of October 2022.

Fundraisers: Ledo's Fundraisers May 5th and 25th to support OMSC. Proceeds will help support the water line repairs recently completed at the pool.

Playground Update: 5 upper poles are set in concrete, and the slides and climbing ladder have been attached.

Community Day #2: May 14th. Not sure what work needs to be done. More info as we get it.

OMST Clean-up Day: May 14th: This will coincide with a parent meeting also at the pool. They will be pressure-washing the deck and chairs.

FOOM Flea Market – May 21st:

New Business:

Community Concerns

Vandalism Part 2: We tried power-washing the paint, but it didn't come off the bricks. AACPD has promised to provide increased presence around our park.

Speed Bumps: No updates yet. Reportedly the county will be doing a traffic count to determine if there is a need.

No Events in June: We plan to focus our efforts more on the events in the Fall.

FOOM Update: Events as listed above. FOOM will also be paying a portion of the repairs for the water lines, since some of the lines repaired go to the Snack Shack, which supports FOOM events.

Working on Marley Creek Clean-up: Still no word on the status of this issue.

Softball Team: They are paid up for the season. No game is scheduled for May 8th (Mother's Day). They are looking forward to having the snack shack open for their games.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:56pm.

Photos from Around Olde Mill 2022

RWES 5th Grade Pool Party and OMSC







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Playground installation work



Community Announcements:



COMMUNITY DAY

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

July 16, 2022 | 7 a.m.—1 p.m.

490 Chalet Drive, Millersville, MD 21108



Barlowe Field & OMSC Pool Clean Up

- Help assembling the new playground.
- Help install cabinets in Snack
 Shack
- Repair some raised flower beds







Olde Mill Swim Club (OMSC) Needs your support!

Join The Swim Club, Volunteer, or Donate! We Need You!

Did you know that we have a neighborhood Community Pool? When you become a member, there is no need to pay every time you want to swim, like at the Aquatic Center, or pay higher membership fees like the other community pools in the area.

Your membership helps us hire lifeguards for the season, improve the pool area, and host member events (some family and some adult only)!

Our newly renovated (2021) Snack Shack is very popular. During the 2020 season, we revamped the pool's top edge, including new tiles and coping stones, retrofit the pool area lights to LED, and replaced all the pumps! The addition of new shade structures is in our 2022 program.

Are you interested in joining? We accept new members all year! January through April are the primary months for renewing memberships and help us to better budget for any current or upcoming improvements.

Become a member in 4 easy steps:

- 1. Purchase a Certificate of Membership
- 2. Pay your Annual Dues
- 3. Submit a family photograph electronically (email it to omsc.membership@vomca.org)
- 4. Submit Emergency Contact/Procedure Form

You can fill out the form by downloading a copy at our website: Vomca.org and mailing it to OMSC 490 Chalet Drive, Millersville, MD 21108

Our Swim Season officially starts Memorial Day weekend! Meet your neighbors, sign up for the Torpedo's Swim Team, and help us continue <u>our mission</u> to:

- Sponsor an enjoyable swim team that also instills a sense of accomplishment.
- Provide a facility for exercise, athletics, and socialization.
- Maintain a safe, relaxing, and pleasant environment.
- Offer our members a facility for their private parties.
- Support other community groups through appropriate access to the facility.
- Hold enjoyable special events that reinforce the feeling of belonging and build a sense of friendship and community.

To learn more and find the membership documents, head on over to our website: <u>vomca.org</u> and click on OMSC Membership.



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AUGUST

Wed 8/3 VOMCA Meeting @ OMSC 7 pm Wed 8/10 FOOM Meeting - TBD 7 pm Wed 8/24 OMSC Committee Meeting - ZOOM 7 pm

SEPTEMBER

Mon 9/5 Labor Day – Last Day of OMSC 2022 Season Wed 9/7 VOMCA Meeting @ OMHS Cafeteria 7 pm Wed 9/14 FOOM Meeting - TBD 7 pm Wed 9/21 PCRC @ Eastern District Police Station 7 pm Sat 9/24 Community Day #4 @ Barlowe Field 7 am Wed 9/28 OMSC Committee Meeting - ZOOM 7 pm

Wed 10/5 VOMCA Meeting @ OMHS Cafeteria 7 pm Sat 10/8 Fall Flea Market @ 490 Chalet Dr – 8am – 12pm Wed 10/12 FOOM Meeting - TBD 7 pm Wed 10/19 PCRC @ Eastern District Police Station - 7 pm Sat 10/22 VOMCA's Fall Fest @ Barlowe Field 11am-3pm Wed 10/26 OMSC Committee Meeting - ZOOM 7 pm

NOVEMBER

Wed 11/2 VOMCA Meeting @ OMHS Cafeteria 7 pm Wed 11/9 FOOM Meeting - TBD 7 pm Wed 11/16 PCRC @ Eastern District Police Station - 7 pm Sat 11/19 FOOM Quarter Auction – American Legion Post 276 – 6 – 9 pm Wed 11/23 OMSC Committee Meeting - ZOOM 7 pm

DECEMBER

Wed 12/7 VOMCA Meeting @ OMHS Cafeteria 7 pm Sat 12/10 VOMCA Tree Lighting @ Barlowe Field 3-7pm Wed 12/14 FOOM Meeting @ Ledo's Pizza 6 pm Wed 12/17 Santa's Fire Truck Visit – 2 pm Wed 12/21 PCRC – Eastern District Police Station - 6 pm Weds 12/28 OMSC Committee Meeting - ZOOM 7pm



Current Officers are:

President: Chris Szverra 443-852-2098 Vice President: Randal Stites 202-441-1232

Membership: Lisa England Treasurer: Veronica Hilton Secretary: Josiah John

Board Members are:

2022 Meghan Greenwell 2023 Paul Shafer 2024 Sarah Hakulin 2026 Colleen Flack



To renew your 2022 VOMCA membership or become a member

Send a check or go to vomca.org to pay your dues (\$25):

Mail to:

VOMCA Membership, 490 Chalet Dr., Millersville, Md. 21108

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2022 VOMCA Membership Application		
Please complete this form, printing the names of all members of your household who are 18 or more years old, and mail it together with your check, payable to VOMCA, to: VOMCA Membership, 490 Chalet Dr. , Millersville, MD 21108.		
The membership fee for your household's annual Dues \$25.00		
Names of Adults in Household:		
Street Address:	Phone:	(Unlisted? Yes No)
Email Address:	Would you like to volunte	er in the community?
Suggestions for improvements in Olde Mill:		
There will be a \$10 processing fee for any returned check.	Your membership card(s)	will be emailed to you.

30% off if you choose to advertise for a year.

Advertise in The Crier

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Prices \$18 1/2 Page

This Year! \$10 1/4 Page

PDF Flyers, Word Documents &

Pictures (tiff, png, gif)

webadmin@vomca.org

Useful Phone Numbers

410-222-6145

Police, Fire, Ambulance: 911

Non-emergency questions:

Eastern District Police:

Street Light Outages:

410-222-8610

1-800-685-0123 BGE

Water & Wastewater

Animal Control: 410-222-

7582

Emergency:

Trash Pick Up: 410-222-

410-222-8400

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County 311....For Information

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