

Olde Mill Village Crier



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President's Message

SUMMER IS ALMOST HERE.....POOL FUN IS WAITING

Summer is fast approaching. The swim season will be in full swing with the pool opening on weekends and holidays: **May 23, 24, 25, 30, 31 and June 6, 7, 13, 14. Daily operations begin June 19 (based on school closure) and closing on September 7.** Make sure you have sent in your membership check and marked your calendars.

****NEW feature this year for paying pool membership fee:****

Olde Mill Swim Club Now Accepts Credit Cards

If you are considering joining the Swim Club this year, Membership packets can be picked up on the front of the pool gates. Information regarding credit card payment is contained within the Membership Packets.

At the April Meeting, trash and debris was the main topic of discussion. Please help to make our neighborhood more attractive and clean by picking up trash and debris not only in your yard but on the street where you live.

Our heartfelt thanks to everyone who attended FOOM's Quarter Auction at the American Legion on April 11th. A spirited time was had by all.

The April meeting did not have a quorum, so there was no business conducted but we did have a lively discussion from those who did attend. Come out to the next meeting so that we can move forward with the business of Olde Mill. Thanks to those who were able to come.

The May VOMCA meeting will be held on May 6 at 7P.M. at OMHS. The Swim Club will meet at the same time.

—Sarah Hakulin, President of VOMCA
board@vomca.org

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VOMCA Meetings

Wednesday, May 6, 2015
7:00pm at Old Mill High School,
Room A-272

Wednesday, June 3, 2015

Wednesday, July 1, 2015

Wednesday, August, 2, 2015

7:00pm at the Pool

Meetings are scheduled to be held the first Wednesday of the month. However, check your email for any meeting cancellations or postponements due to weather related problems, etc.

The April 8, 2015 meeting did not have a quorum; therefore there are no minutes to report.



Your Community News

Celebrate Mother's Day!

May

Volleyball Game	May 2
Shred-A-Rama	May 2
VOMCA Meeting	May 6
Swim Club Meeting	May 6
Spring Flea Market	May 16

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2015 Officers and Board Members

President: Sarah Hakulin

Vice President: Beverly Parker

Treasurer: Colleen Flack

Secretary: Ruth Popek

Membership: Sandy Sacra

Board Members (term runs until end of year shown)

2015: Paul Shaffer, Andi Campbell

2016: Lisa England

2017: Drew McKay

SWIM CLUB NEWS



The pool will be open on weekends and holidays: **May 23, 24, 25, 30, 31 and June 6, 7, 13, 14. Daily operations begin June 19 (based on school closure) and closing on September 7.**

Remember to return your membership form with your payment by April 30th to avoid a late fee. Membership is \$365 again this year and you will be able to pay for your membership with a credit card.

**Next Swim Club Meeting—Wednesday, May 6, 2015 @ 7pm
@ Old Mill High School**

Volunteers Needed to Help Prepare the Pool

Rick Behringer is requesting help with repair and maintenance of the pool.

The pump to drain the water was put into the pool and there is some work to be done on the wall and step of the pool. When the water drains, we will see what else might need repair.

Plumber needed to work on hot water line in snack shed...new lines need to be run.

The following list of chores and maintenance needs to be done before the pool can open and pass inspection on May 23rd:

- Yard maintenance--grass cutting, spreader for weed & feed, seeding
- Guard chair painting
- Deck cleaning
- Remove grass from between cement grooves
- New grill purchase
- Repairs to Wading pool
- Bench staining
- Bathroom cleaning
- Painting
- General cleaning
- Plant flowers



Anyone who can help, please email us at board@vomca.org

Thank you



Heather Woodmancy, a Rupert Road resident, has recently joined Jamberry Nails as a Consultant and is waiting to service your nail needs!

If you would like a FREE sample of Jamberry Nail wraps you can contact her by...

(email) saulsh177@gmail.com,

(phone) [410-507-9887](tel:410-507-9887)

(website)www.heatherwoodmancy.jamberrynails.net

(facebook) [Heather Woodmancy, Jamberry Nails Independent Consultant.](#)

VOMCA would like to wish all of our neighborhood mothers, grandmothers, and godmothers a...



Happy Mother's Day !

Let's Celebrate!

We want to celebrate our graduates. Whether its elementary, middle or high school, college or trade schools. Submit the names of your graduates and we will highlight them in our June issue.



Do you have a small business that you would like to promote? Have a pool certificate that you would like to pass on to another community member? Celebrating a graduation, promotion, retirement, or wedding?



The Crier is an excellent way to share your news with your neighbors! Send your information to crier@vomca.org. Include your name and your street address in the email.

Sign up for swim classes now!

Swim lessons are available at the Olde Mill Swim Club!
Red-Cross certified instructors!

Call 410-987-7890 and leave a message for Debbie Sansone or pick up a packet at the front gates of the pool or email lessons@oldemill.org

SHRED-A-RAMA

PREVENT IDENTITY THEFT

SPONSORED BY ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY POLICE

COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCIL

BRING YOUR PERSONEL DOCUMENTS AND WATCH THEM BE SHREDDED IN A COMMERCIAL SHREDDER.

There is no cost for Anne Arundel County residents, but donations will be accepted at the site. There is a 4 box or bag limit. The intent is to provide private citizens against having their identity stolen by criminals.

Saturday, May 2, 2015

9 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

FOUR LOCATIONS

Brooklyn Park Middle School

200 Hammonds Lane

(West of Ritchie Hwy.)

Anne Arundel County Police HQ

8495 Veterans Highway

Millersville (Rear parking lot)

Arundel High School

1001 Annapolis Rd.

Gambrills (Park Lot F)

South River High School

200 Central Avenue East

Edgewater

Friends of Olde Mill (FOOM)

The following pages highlight events sponsored by FOOM (Friends of Olde Mill)



UNDER
CONSTRUCTION

holds to the climbing wall and finish the taller of the two walls. The children who were up there were so excited to start climbing on it! We were able to move mulch from where the old play structure was to under the swings to help fill in the loss of wood chips over there and then we covered the area with the additional engineered wood fiber chips that we had left to help give that area a more finished look. We were able to get the volleyball court ready for the season and take down the old play structure.

What's next for the area you ask? We are now in the process of having dirt brought in to help build up the area where we are going to build a hill slide with a tunnel and stump scramble. We will once again be doing this as a Community Build Effort and will need volunteers from our community. We will be posting on our facebook page when we will need help so **please** "like" our facebook page if you haven't already so you don't miss out on this exciting effort!



FOOM's Spring Flea Market is scheduled for Saturday, May 16th. FOOM will be collecting donation items again this year or you are welcome to "rent" a space and set up a table. For additional information or to rent a space - go to www.FriendsOfOldeMill.org or email Michelle at Michelle@friendsofoldemill.org. See flyer in this edition of *The Crier* for additional information.



Are you ready for some volleyball?! We are looking to set up some "pick up" games on Saturday nights starting at 5:30 pm and lasting until it's too dark or we are too tired to play! These games will be for kids of all ages and are meant to be fun for all! The first game night will be Saturday, May 2nd. If you are interested or want more information – go to our website and "contact us". We will also post information about this one and others on our facebook page so keep an eye out there too. We hope to see you then!

Don't forget you can still drop off donations at Cha-Ching Consignment and Red Balloon – the flyers for both are included in this newsletter.

Olde Mill Flea Market & Community Yard Sale Day



Where: Pool Parking Lot, 490 Chalet Dr. Millersville, MD

When: May 16, 2015 (no raindate), 8am - 12pm
7:30am EARLYBIRDS OK

Sellers: Reserve a space for only \$10.00 – To secure your space please visit www.friendsofoldemill.org

Contact: michelle@friendsofoldemill.org

This event is sponsored by Friends of Olde Mill (FOOM) to raise money for the installment of a natural playscape and improvement of Barlowe Field.

Please consider household items you can donate to FOOM to sell at the event.

Donations we are looking for:

Books	CDs	DVDs
Video Games	Kitchen Items	Garage Items
House Décor Items	Outdoor and Garden Items	

(Please no clothes or shoes)

A 501(c) (3) organization
Always looking for new members!

www.FriendsOfOldeMill.org





AND

Cha-Ching Consignments



HAVE PARTNERED UP!

Friends of Olde Mill (FOOM) is excited to announce our new partnership with Cha-Ching Consignments shop in Olde Mill! They have agreed to let us open up a FOOM account! What does this mean for our community? This means you can drop off your quality clothing and home goods that you no longer use. When they sell these donated items they will give part of the proceeds to FOOM for our playground and community development.

How do you donate?

1. Drop off up to 25 items anytime Tuesday – Friday 11 am to 5 pm or make an appointment for a Saturday drop off.

2. Drop off items to Jeanne Martin's (jeannekay413@gmail.com) house and she will sort and drop items off for you. Any items not accepted by Cha-Ching will be donated to our community flea market. If you drop your items off with Jeanne she can also provide you a tax itemized receipt.

Cha-Ching is a fantastic store that takes good quality Men's, Women's and household items. Please check out their website for their list of "no thank you" donation items:

<http://www.chachingconsignments.com/brands-we-decline.html>



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HAVE PARTNERED UP!

Friends of Olde Mill (FOOM) is excited to announce our new partnership with Red Balloon Children's Consignment Shop in Pasadena! They have agreed to let us open up a FOOM account! What does this mean for our community? This means you can drop off your quality children's clothing that your children have out grown! When they sell these donated items they will give part of the proceeds to FOOM for our playground and community development.

How do you donate?

Drop items off between the 1st – 15th of each month. They will look through your items while you wait. Anything they aren't interested in accepting (items they don't think will sell or items they currently have too many in their inventory of) they will return to you.

Please "like" Red Balloon Children's Consignment Store's facebook page!

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Red-Balloon-childrens-consignment-shop/182575591764370>

Looking to make a tax-deductible donation?

Consider making that donation to FOOM! We are a 501(c)(3) organization. Your donation can be made payable to FOOM, Inc. and mailed to FOOM, Inc., P.O. Box 151, Millersville, MD 21108 or you can make a donation directly from our website at www.FriendsOfOldeMill.org and click on the secure PayPal link.

After receiving your donation you will be mailed a thank-you card and letter stating our tax ID number for your tax records.



We would really appreciate your support and help to accomplish this first goal of creating a unique playscape for our children!

If you would like to be more actively involved with any fundraisers we are doing or have any ideas you'd like to share with us, please contact Andi at cautionkidsatplay@gmail.com.

"Like us" on Facebook at www.facebook.com/TheVillageofOldeMill or visit our webpage at www.FriendsOfOldeMill.org for information and events for our community.



—Andi Campbell

Village of Olde Mill
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We're on the Web
www.vomca.org

Have a question or suggestion for VOMCA?

Contact us at board@vomca.org

Please include your name and your street in the email.

Email article submissions to crier@vomca.org

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Who We Are

We are your friends and neighbors in Millersville, Maryland. VOMCA is a voluntary association that acts as the only voice for your neighborhood with Anne Arundel County and Maryland State Government. Since we're a voluntary association, we are dependent upon your dues and your involvement to keep us effective.

VOMCA owns and maintains the Barlowe Field area including the Olde Mill Swim Club. We sponsor several community events, including an Easter Egg Hunt, a Christmas visit from Santa Claus, and a December holiday lighting contest.

We'd love to have you join us as we continue to plan and organize events.

2015 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, P.O. Box 366, Millersville, MD 21108.

The membership fee for your household's annual dues is \$15.00.

Names of Adults in Household: _____

Street Address: _____ Phone: _____ (Unlisted? Yes No)

Email Address: _____ Would you like to volunteer 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 mailed to you.