

Olde Mill Village Crier



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Mtg. 1st Wed.
Of Each Month**

Board@vomca.org —Email
VOMCA 490 Chalet Dr.
Millersville, Md. 21108
Meeting : Wed. April 4, 2018
@7PM Old Mill High School

Spring In Olde Mill

Annual Barlowe Bolt 5K Run & 1 Mile Fun Run/Walk

Easter Egg Hunt at Barlowe Field

Trees and Flowers in Blossom

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**NEW COMMUNITY
ADDRESS FOR
VOMCA
490 Chalet Drive
Millersville, Md. 21108**

Month	Day	Year	Time
April 4	Wednes- day	2018	7pm
Location: Old Mill High School			
Room A272			



MARCH 7, 2018 VOMCA Meeting Notes

The VOMCA PO Box was closed and VOMCA will use the pool address, 490 Chalet Dr. This will save \$182 a year.

VOMCA and Swim Club are not currently bonded due to Non Payment insurance after 3 notices were sent but not Paid. We can pay now but goes to underwriting and they decide if they will pick us back up. \$732.45 every 3 years for December 1, 2017- December 1, 2020. Was last paid in 2014. Members agreed to renew if possible.

Our Commercial Insurance Policy came in and all coverages have increased. Would like to shop for other companies to compare rates.

Sandy Sacra emailed prior VOMCA members that she had emails for to increase VOMCA membership. She had 8 responses.

March 24th in morning is the Barlowe Bolt and in Afternoon is Easter Egg Hunt.

The Vapor Lights at the Pool were discussed and the High cost to run these lights. Need to shut these lights off and look into updated cheaper lighting options such as LED. Will discuss with Kevin or Rick about current lights.

Mosquito spraying paperwork was sent to County for this year. (Information to opt out is in this issue of Crier.)

FOOM wants to put up signs "Monitored Area" . Several had concerns that signs make us more of a Target on Playground area.

Upcoming Build Day for Playground April 21st. 7AM-4PM. Will do repairs and add few new things. Climbing Wall was brought up that some rungs need screws.

Discussed the Trees that are marked by Basketball courts. Said to be county property. County will be contacted to see if marked by them.

Concern brought up about Swim lessons canceled this Summer. Reasons cited were lack of participation and expenses.

First Welcome Basket was made and Delivered by Chris Sverea

Nothing new on Joey Babik Eagle project for pool area.

Written Proposal submitted by landscaper for Barlowe Field to remove brush, clean out back dug out and remove 6 dead trees. \$695 price. No action taken.

Randal will be repairing No Trespassing Dusk to Dawn sign whose post rotted. Sign now repaired.

Submitted by Lisa England, Secretary

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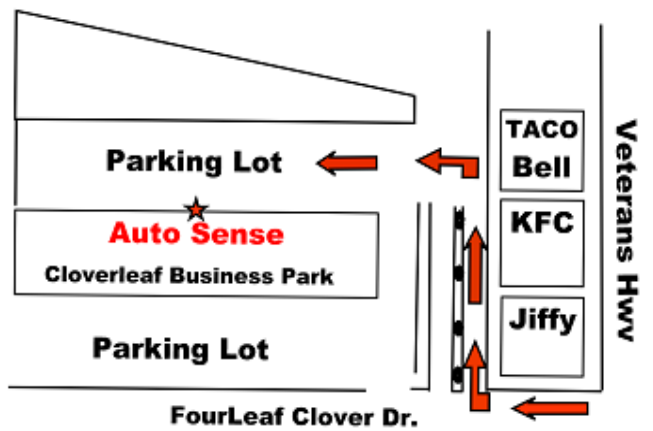
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FOOM Thank You & Coming Events Preview

Many thanks to the members of the community who came out to participate in the Barlowe Bolt 5k race on March 24th. It was a chilly morning, but over 100 runners helped make the Bolt one of our most successful ever. Thanks again to all the local businesses who helped sponsor the event and volunteers who helped prepare for it. The Easter Egg hunt later that afternoon was a sunnier affair, and saw dozens of local youngsters run around the field to collect candy-filled eggs, take pictures with the Easter Bunny, and excitedly claim raffle prizes.

On Saturday April 21st we will have our first community playscape build day, starting at 7am-4pm. We will be installing a sand table/box under the pergola. On May 12th we will be installing benches as part of a gathering area. Let us know at <http://www.friendsofoldemill.org/contact-us> if you can lend a hand on either or both days.

In May you won't want to miss the Spring Community Yard Sale and Flea Market on Saturday May 19th, 8 am - noon.

Visit <http://www.friendsofoldemill.org/spring-flea-market> to reserve your space, which raises money for the improvement and upkeep of the playground and basketball courts at Barlowe Field. **The profits of your sales are all yours!**

And just three weeks after the Flea Market, celebrate the end of the school year and the start of summer with Family Fun Day on Saturday June 9th, 11 am - 2 pm. We anticipate all the familiar fun activities including dunk tank, face painting, and many games with prizes. Tickets will be available closer to the event at www.friendsofoldemill.org.

Olde Mill Flea Market & Community Yard Sale Day



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

When: May 19, 2018 from 8am - 12pm

7:30am EARLYBIRDS OK

Sellers: reserve a space for only \$10.00 – go to www.friendsofoldemill.org and contact us to secure your space!
You can pay using PayPal on our website.

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)		

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Always looking for new members!

www.FriendsOfOldeMill.org

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS – APRIL 2018

- April 2: Schools Closed- Spring Break
- April 2: Quarter Auction – Boy Scout Troop 975 – Moose Lodge, 1911 Crain Hwy. Doors open at 6 pm Starts at 7 pm. Vendors, Food, Bake Sale Raffles. \$5.00 admission for 2 paddles – additional paddles \$3.00
- April 4: VOMCA meeting – Old Mill High 7:00 pm – Room A272
- April 5: FOOM meeting – 7:00 pm – Call 443-852-2098 for details
- April 6 & 7: Urinetown: The Musical – Old Mill High School 7:00 pm
In the Auditorium – Adults \$10:00, Students \$7.00 and Children 10 and under \$5.00 Contact the school for further info.
- April 7: OMMN Arts Festival – 9 am – Free Admission
Craft Fair – Patriot Singers – Step Club – Drama Club
Cafeteria – 8:00 am to 1:00 pm For info go to ommnptsa.org
- April 9: OMMN PTSA general meeting – 5:30 pm
- April 11: Old Mill High School PTSA meeting – 7:15 pm in the media center
- April 11 & 12: 2 hour early dismissal
- April 17: 2 hour early dismissal
- April 19, 20, 21: Beauty & the Beast, Jr. Musical – Admission \$5.00 at the door. OMMN Cafeteria. April 19 & 20 – 6:30 pm. April 21 2:00 pm and 6:00 pm Contact Mr. Burkhardt @ 410-969-5950
- April 21: Community Build Day #1 –7am-4pm—Sand Pit Creations and General Repairs
Food & Music – Come out, have fun, and help your community
- Upcoming Events – Save the Date:**
- May 12: Rippling Woods – Fundraiser –Car & Bike Show/Student Corner Event
Old Mill High 9:00 am to 1:00 pm (rain date May 13th) for info go to rwespta@gmail.com
- May 12: Community Build Day—Barlowe Field
- May 19: Yard Sale 8:00 am to 1:00 pm at Church on the Rock – 649 Old Mill Rd
- May 19: FOOM Flea Market/Yard Sale – 490 Chalet Dr. 8am-12pm – register at www.friendsofoldemill.org
- June 9: Family Fun Day—Barlowe Field—11am-2pm

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2018 FOOM
CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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April 21, 2018.....Community Build Day
Barlowe Field 7AM-4PM

May 19, 2018..... Community Yard
Sale/Flea Market 8AM-Noon
Barlowe Field

June 9, 2018 Family Fun Day
Barlowe Field 11AM-2PM

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WWW.FriendsOfOldeMill.org

Please join us at Barlowe Field
To enjoy and participate in the above events.
Contact Lianne at 410-279-3636
If you are able to volunteer to help
In any of our events to benefit the playscape.
Students can Earn Community Credits.



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**Patuxent Lapidary Guild, Inc. Annual Gem, Fossil, Mineral and Jewelry Show, April 21, 2018, 10a.m. to 5 pm, Earleigh Hts. VFC, Rte. 2, Severna Park, Md. 21146. Admission \$6.00, children under 10 and Veterans Free
\$1.00 discount with this coupon**



March 15, 2018

Re: Millersville Post Office Box Customers

Effective Monday morning, March 19, 2018, P.O. Box service at the Millersville Post Office will be restored. Customers can go to 221 Najoles Road to retrieve their mail. Millersville's P.O. Box lobby will be open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week for our customers' convenience. This will be a first step toward serving our P.O. Box customers in the Millersville community since the fire that occurred January 5, 2018.

For packages that cannot fit into a rented P.O. Box or the newly added parcel lockers located inside the Millersville P.O. Box lobby, customers will have to return to the Severna Park Post Office located 21 Magothy Bridge, Severna Park, MD 21146-9998 to pick up their oversized package. Notification of such packages will be left inside our customers rented P.O. Box at Millersville.

At this time, the Postal Service does not have a time frame for when the Millersville Post Office will be fully operational. Customers will continue to obtain retail services at the Severna Park Post Office.

The Postal Service apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause to our customers.

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Meetings Regarding Airport News

Representatives from impacted legislative districts have been appointed by your elected officials to represent your community. Meeting Agenda, Presentations and Minutes will be posted to the MAA Community Relations-DC Metroplex BWI Community Roundtable website tab

www.maacommunityrelations.com

We welcome your ideas and Concerns. Come to the next Meeting and help make a Difference.

FOOM & Community Calendar

Please post the calendars in this issue on your frig for upcoming events.

VOMCA Volunteer

We are in need of another
Board Member...Need a Volunteer.

Useful Phone Numbers

Police, Fire, Ambulance: 911

Street Light Outages: 1-800-685-0123 BGE

Animal Control: 410-222-7582

Trash Pick Up: 410-222-6100 Complaints

Northern Roads: 410-222-6120 Roads, etc.

Eastern District Police: 410-222-6145

Non-emergency questions: 410-222-8610

Water & Wastewater Emergency 410-222-8400

County 311...For Information

Questions:

Email: Editor: oldemill72@aol.com

Please use application in this newsletter to renew your 2018 VOMCA membership.

We need your support. Sign up for the Crier is also on your application.

Send your dues (\$20) to: VOMCA Membeship,
490 Chalet Dr., Millersville, Md. 21108



VOMCA Meeting
Old Mill High School
Wednesday, April 4
7P.M.
Room A272

Send or mail articles, announcements, and events to crier@vomca.org

Submissions are due by the 21st of the month in order to be included in the upcoming issue.



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Mosquito Control Section

Season 2018

Dear Community Association Officer or Representative:

Your community has requested to participate in the adult mosquito surveillance and control program offered by the Maryland Department of Agriculture, Mosquito Control Section. This letter contains the enrollment form and important program information for the 2018 season. If you are no longer the representative for your community, please forward this to the appropriated individual or contact us immediately.

Applications must be postmarked by April 6, 2018. We will not add new communities to our program after this date. Forms received after the deadline will be retained and your community will have the opportunity enroll in our program the following year.

Please be advised that this application is for adult mosquito control service only, an application is not necessary for larval control, inspections and complaint investigations.

Program information can be found on the enclosed sheet entitled **Standard Mosquito Control Operating Procedures**. More specific information including an assigned spray night of the week will be forwarded after applications have been returned. It is the responsibility of the city/town or community association to make available to all residents information regarding mosquito control activities, policies and spray schedules. A record of the method of notification must be maintained for a year and made available immediately upon request by the Department. In order to keep our records up to date, please include a new map if there are any changes to your community's requested spray areas. See the attached directions for details on how to create an effective map.

Residents who wish their properties to be excluded from adult mosquito control services must notify the Maryland Department of Agriculture and the community association by submitting a completed exemption form. The Department's policy on objection to adult mosquito control services and the exemption form are enclosed and are available on our website at:

mda.maryland.gov/plants-pests/Documents/NewExemption%202016-1.pdf

Please note that ULV spray treatment of adult tiger mosquitoes is most effective when conducted in conjunction with community cleanup efforts. The effective way to control mosquitoes in your neighborhood is at the community level. We encourage home owners and communities to be proactive in their efforts to control mosquitoes by becoming aware of backyard breeding sites.

Due to the number of participating communities, e-mail is the suggested method of contact; however e-mail access is not required. If you have any further questions or concerns, or would like us to meet with you and your community members, please feel free to call or e-mail me. For additional information on mosquitoes, mosquito-borne diseases, insecticides, and tips to reduce mosquito breeding areas in your yard please visit our website:

http://mda.maryland.gov/plants-pests/Pages/mosquito_control.aspx

I look forward to working with you and the members of your community association this season.

Sincerely,
Anthony J. DeWitt

STANDARD MOSQUITO CONTROL OPERATING PROCEDURES – 2018

OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR SPRAYING OF ADULTICIDES (Treatment for adult mosquitoes):

- **Regular Surveillance and Control of Adult Mosquitoes: May 30 – October 2**
Sunday-Thursday (A night of the week will be assigned to your community)
Anytime between 7:00p.m. - 2:30 a.m.
- Spraying for adult mosquitoes will be done only if a Maryland Department of Agriculture Employee determines it is necessary.
 - Spraying will not be conducted during rain, in wind speeds exceeding 12 MPH, or temperatures above 89°F.
 - **Thresholds for Ground Based ULV Treatments:**
 - Landing Counts: 3 mosquitoes in a 2 minute count
 - Light Trap Collections: 12 female mosquitoes in an unbaited light trap
24 female mosquitoes in a baited light trap
 - Conditions that threaten public health, such as mosquito borne disease
- | Adulticide | Formulation and application rate |
|---|---|
| Permethrin 30-50:
Permethrin mixed with Piperonyl Butoxide
and Mineral Oil | Liquid
0.0031 lbs/acre (Ultra Low Volume application) |

OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR USE OF LARVICIDES (Treatment for mosquito larvae):

- **County-wide Surveillance and Control of Larval Mosquitoes: April - October**
Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM -4:00 PM
- **LARVICIDES TO BE USED (This list is subject to additions or other revisions):**

Larvicide	Formulations
<u>Bacterial Larvicides:</u>	
<u>VectoBac and Aquabac:</u> <i>Bacillus thuringiensis var. israelensis</i>	Liquid, Granular
<u>SpheroBac:</u> <i>Bacillus sphaericus</i>	Granular
<u>Insect growth regulator:</u> <i>Altoicid (Methoprene)</i>	Liquid, Briquet, or Pellets

- The Mosquito Control Program does not spray for Midges that swarm on homes, boats, trees and shrubs along many Anne Arundel County creeks and rivers. These non-biting insects develop in mud bottoms of slow moving water ways of low dissolved oxygen and will decline in numbers within a few weeks after they first appear.
- Anthony DeWitt, Agricultural Inspector
anthony.dewitt@maryland.gov
Phone: (410) 841-5870, Fax: (410) 841-5835
Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

For more information, insecticide MSDS and labels, please visit our web site at:
http://mda.maryland.gov/pests-Pests/Pests/mc_product_labels_material_safety_data_sheets.aspx

**ATTENTION
STUDENTS!!**

Please Note: Student's needing community hours for school credit, contact board@vomca.org VOMCA can sign for hours donated to improve our community. FOOM can also sign, contact Lianne80@hotmail.com.

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Contact us at board@vomca.org

*Please include name, phone, and
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Email article submissions to crier@vomca.org

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Crier Editor: Sarah Hakulin

Pay 2018 VOMCA Membership Dues Today!

2018 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.** You can also pay using PayPal by going to www.VOMCA.org

The membership fee for your household's annual dues is \$20.00.

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 emailed to you.

Current Officers and Board

Members are:

President: Beverly Parker
Vice President: Barbara Mason
Membership: Sandy Sacra
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Secretary: Lisa England

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2020 Randall Stites

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