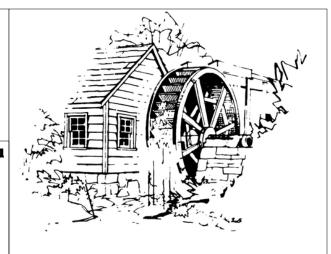
Olde Mill Village Crier

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AN INVITATION!

Let's Celebrate The Season In Olde Mill This Year By Everyone coming out To Barlow Field to Light Our Very First Christmas Tree Young and Old Alike are welcome to the Celebration On Saturday, December 8, 2018 between 6pm and 8pm Rain Date Sunday, December 9. Flyer inside. On Saturday, December 22, Santa will ride On a Fire Truck Thru Olde Mill on his usual Route Giving Candy To All who Come to See him. Schedule inside.

Happy Holidays One And All

VOMCA Meeting December 5, 2018 @ 7PM Old Mill High School

From The President-Elect

Greetings everyone! Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays. I love this time of year. The music, the lights, just everything about it makes me smile.

Don't forget that FOOM is sponsoring Olde Mill's first tree lighting event on December 8th from 6 to 8 pm. Santa will be there to light the tree and take photos with the children. His elves will have small gifts for the kids. There will be hot chocolate and cookies. We will sing Christmas carols and make crafts. It's going to be a wonderful time for the children of Olde Mill. So mark your calendars and plan to attend. Bring your children, your grandchildren, or just come on out and meet your neighbors. It's going to be great. And if the weather doesn't cooperate



the rain date is December 9th same time.

Also, it's not too early to think about joining VOMCA for 2019. This is going to be great year. We are planning on doing some fund raising to help with the pool and other events. We are going to be hosting activities for our families like the Easter Egg Hunt, the Family Fun Day and next year's Tree lighting. We are going to invite some of our county representatives to come out and talk to us and listen to our concerns. We want to grow. We want to make a difference in our community. And in order to do that we need you!! We need you to join. We need you to participate and to come out and support us.

Lastly, once again, I'd like to say thank you to all the people who supported me. I am so excited to be your President and I am going to do my best, with your help, to make Olde Mill awesome!!

Chris Szverra



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The Village of Olde Mill Would like to extend our condolences To The Family of Tom Stag Who Served As President For 5 Years and Was Awarded The Rotary Club Of Glen Burnie Service Above Self Community Service Award Thank You, Tom, for Your Service.

Thomas A. Stag May 06, 1962 - November 02, 2018

Thomas Andrew Stag, 56, of Millersville, Maryland passed away at home on November 2, 2018, from pancreatic cancer.

Tommy was born on May 6, 1962, in Annapolis to Robert J. and Mary M.(Wiechert) Stag. He was raised and attended schools in Severna Park. Tom joined the Anne Arundel County Fire Department in August 1986 as a member of recruit class 22. He married the love of his life, Lori D. Bowman on October 24, 1987. During his tenure as Vice President and President of the Village of Olde Mill Community Association, he was awarded several government citations for his volunteer work. Over his 32 years with the AACFD, he worked in the EMS and Suppression Divisions, the department's 911 Dispatch Center and most recently the Fire Marshal Division. Fire Fighter III Stag retired on June 1, 2018.

Tom and Lori were season ticket holders for the Terps ACC Football and Baltimore Orioles games. He also rooted for the Baltimore Colts, Baltimore Ravens and confoundedly, as a young man, the Dallas Cowboys (and then Landry was fired). He enjoyed visiting Ocean City and Fripp Island, SC, the art of giving wet willies, being an extra special Godfather, grilling and smoking meats, baking toll house cookies, celebrating holidays with family and especially spending time with his wife and daughter.

Tom is survived by his wife of 31 years, Lori D. Stag, daughter Kaitlyn L. Stag of Millersville, parents Bob and Mary Stag of Fripp Island, SC, sister Leslie (Bob) Zimmerman of Annapolis, brothers: Bob (Sharon) Stag of Stevensville, Jack (Anne) Stag of Arnold, and Gary Stag of Severna Park; many nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, friends and his fire department family.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, December 1, 2018, at 1 pm in the Barranco & Sons, P.A. Severna Park Funeral Home, 495 Ritchie Hwy. Interment will be private.

In the spirit of Tom's infinite kindness and fierce will to live, then die with dignity, please consider donating to the Hospice of the Chesapeake. With their support, our family had the honor of caring for him at home.

https://www.hospicechesapeake.org/giving/



Fence at backside of Barlowe Field sports fields Cleaned up by FOOM volunteers and other caring members of the community.



Randel Stites, President of FOOM rented a chipper and FOOM and community volunteers cleaned up the brush pile Directly behind the backstop at Barlow Field. Thank You to everyone!

Minutes of the November 7, 2018 Meeting

The meeting was called to order by Board member Sarah Hakulin at 7:20p.m. on the steps of Old Mill High School. There were 10 members in attendance and 1 Member present on face-time. There was a quorum (11). President Bev Parker arrived late making a total of 12 Members present.



The first order of business was to elect board members. Paul Shafer's term wasn't up so he didn't have to run. Sarah Hakulin and Colleen Flack were nominated. Both accepted and they were elected by a vote of 11 for and 0 against.

A motion was made to give Sarah Hakulin \$200.00 as a donation to the fire department for the Santa visits throughout the neighborhood. There was much discussion about why we had to pay.*** Bev Parker said there wasn't a line item to cover the cost. The treasurer, Chris Szverra, pointed out that there were funds available in the savings account. Sarah donated the money last year, so that we could continue the visits out of her own pocket, which we all agreed wasn't right. A motion was made by Randal Stites to give Sarah a check for the donation for the Santa visits this year. Megan Greenwell seconded it. The motion passed, 11 in favor of, 0 against and one abstention. Chris Szverra volunteered to buy candy canes, but Bev Parker said that she would take care of getting them.

Treasurer's report for VOMCA:	Swim Club Treasurer's Report
Checking: 1901.40 beginning balance	Savings: 35,102.05
20.00 not deposited yet	Checking: 26,894.00
19.12 pending	
1940.52 total as of Nov. 7, 2018	
Savings: 1588.45	

The First Annual Tree Lighting sponsored by FOOM will be held on Dec. 8th from 6 to 8 pm with a rain date of Dec. 9th from 6 to 8 pm. Everyone from VOMCA and FOOM were encouraged to support this activity and spread the word.

Past VOMCA President, Tom Stag passed away. We discussed sending flowers but it was decided that we would table this discussion and investigate planting a tree in honor of him and Bob Hull.

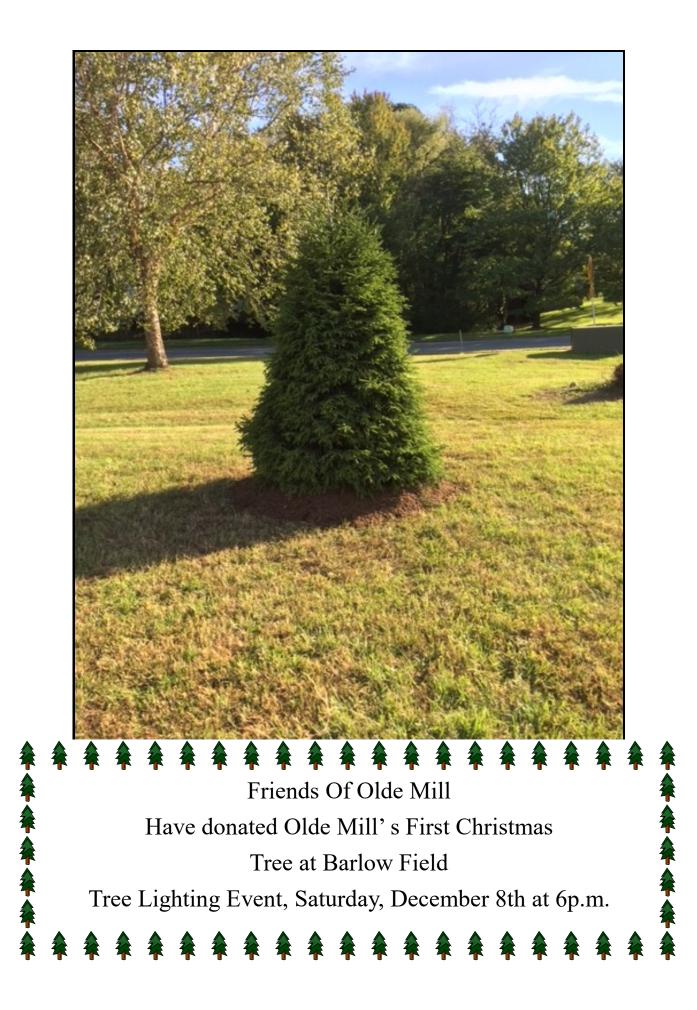
FOOM's Quarter Auction will be held on Nov 17th at the American Legion Hall and everyone was asked to support this fund raiser. A motion was made by Sandy Sacra and seconded by Sarah Hakulin to adjourn. It passed 12 to 0.

Respectfully submitted by Chris Szverra for Lisa England who was absent.

***Explanation for Donation of \$200 for GBVFD from Tom Dixon, first President of Olde Mill: "I have

Been Santa for42 year. During That time I also assisted the GBVFD as Santa for 4-5 events at other

Community events, for the disable Boy Scout troop, and at food drive. Due to this they never charged a fee to OM for truck usage....\$200-250 which all of the other associations pay." Email 12/6/2017. Ed.





	5:25 Chalet West
40 Gartlemill Rd.	3:30 Craver Rd. & Kenora S.
50 Condo II & III	3:35 Brandon Dr. S.



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Santa arrives on a Glen Burnie VFD Fire Truck with candy canes for all the children. Santa's helpers will collect bagged, non-perishable food for NCEON Food Bank, from your doorstep.

If you won't be Home, please leave your donation on your front step or drop it off at HAIR EXPRESSIONS in the Olde Mill Shopping Center starting Dec. 10 and until 1 P.M. on December 19,2018. Thanks and a Very MERRY CHRISTMAS from Village of Olde Mill Community Association

FOOM THANKS ALL OUR SUPPORTERS AND VENDORS WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THE SUCCESS OF OUR QUARTER AUCTION ON NOVEMBER 17, 2018

Target —Glen Burnie, Md. The Art Place—Annapolis, Md. Carrabba's Restaurant—Pasadena, Md The Grill at Quarterfield—Glen Burnie, Md. Texas Roadhouse—-Pasadena, Md.

VENDORS

Teri Cunningham Pampered Chief Sue Marshall Spin & Win Lisa Clark England Tastefully Simple Michelle Bastian Scentsy Noreen Burns 31 Carolyn Bellenger Irene's Creations Maureen Adams Premiere Design Jewelry Christine Weaver No Sew Blankets FOO/h PIENDS OF OLDE MILL

No

Quarter Auction

Saturday at Howard L. Turner American Legion Post 276 8068 Quarterfield Rd, Severn, MD 21144 Doors open at 6 pm for auction preview. Bidding starts at 7 pm

Tree Lighting

Join Friends of Olde Mill for a festive gathering at Barlowe Field to help kick off the Holiday season. Complimentary cider and hot cocoa will be served.





Barlowe Bolt

This 7 am 5K race (also including a ONE mile fun run/walk) helps raise funds for the Playscape at Barlowe Field.

490 Chalet Dr., Millersville, MD 21108 www.friendsofoldemill.org

Save the Date! We need you! Our goal is to thank the Board of Ed for including the first stages of funding for Old Mill Schools in the current fiscal budget. But we also want to take this opportunity to show our support publicly so that the County Executive and County Council take notice.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! JANUARY 8, 2019 6:00 PM **OLD MILL HIGH SCHOOL BOARD OF ED PUBLIC HEARING**

We need you to stand up in support of funding for our schools!

FUND OLD MILL SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

ATTENTION STUDENTS!!

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

Also, if anyone has any news, announcements, or classified advertising please contact Oldemill72@aol.com All of the above are free in the Crier!

> If YOU HAVE A Business You would Like To Advertise, Please contact The Crier Editor, Sarah Hakulin by Email at:

oldemill72@aol.com Phone: 410-987-1239 Advertise in The Crier \$45 Full Page \$30 1/2 Page \$25 1/3 Page \$15 1/4 Page Contact: Word Documents & JPG's Only

Email: oldemill72 @ aol.com

Airplane Noise

Contact: Community Relations Dept. Office of Environmental Services Noise Program Box 8766 BWI Airport, Md. 21240-0766 Phone 410-859-7925 Website

http://www.maacommunityrelations.co m/content/communityprograms/transp ortgrants.php ******

We welcome your ideas and Concerns. Come to the next Meeting and help make Your community better. VOMCA Volunteer To become a Member of the Contact: Board@vomca.org

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

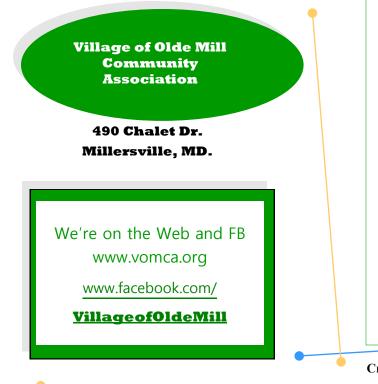
Please use application in this newsletter to renew your 2019 VOMCA membership.



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

Send your dues (\$20) to: VOMCA Membership, 490 Chalet Dr., Millersville, Md. 21108 VOMCA Meeting will start at 7PM at Old Mill High School Room A272 December 5, 2018 See you there!

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.



Have a question or suggestion for VOMCA?

Contact us at board@vomca.org

Please include name, phone, and

your street address in the email.

Email article submissions to crier@vomca.org

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Pay 2019 VOMCA Membership Dues Today!

2019 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 <u>www.VOMCA.org</u>

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

Names of Adults in Household:

Street Address: _____

Email Address:

Phone: _____ (Unlisted? Yes No)

_____ 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.

<u>Current Officers and Board</u> <u>Members are:</u>

President: Beverly Parker Vice President: Barbara Mason Membership: Sandy Sacra Treasurer: Chris Szverra Secretary: Lisa England Board Members: 2018 Sarah Hakulin Vacant 2019 Paul Shafer 2020 Randal Stites

