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Beltville Briefs

Attend the 26th Annual National Night Out

National Night Out will be held on Tuesday, August 4, between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. This will be hosted at the Prince George’s County Police Department District VI located at 4321 Sellman Road, Beltsville, Maryland (next to the Library).

There will be crime preventive tactics and many displays to include a k-9 demonstration, police motorcycles, new police cruisers, police mountain bikes, a horse mounted unit, police explorers, jr. investigators, drug display, bomb robot, military hum-v, radar and laser station, fire trucks and tankers, property identification stations, preventive auto theft station, and many others.

There will be many free activities to include: moon bounce, baseball fast pitch station, football throwing competition, basketball shoot out, child identification kit, arts and crafts station, and much more.

There will be plenty of free food and drinks. Just to name a few items on the menu: hotdogs, hamburgers, cheeseburgers, barbeque chicken, veggie burgers, fried rice, pizza, barbeque beans, many cold salads, cakes, cookies, pies, and much more. Music will be provided by a live disc jockey. ALL ACTIVITIES, FOOD, DRINKS AND FUN ARE FREE.

St. John’s Church Will “Bless Backpacks”

Children of all ages will gather around the altar of St. John’s Episcopal Church, Beltsville, to have their “Backpacks Blessed” at a worship service on Sunday, August 23, at 10:00 a.m. Members of the Beltsville community and beyond are invited and encouraged to participate in this special church service to kick off the 2009-2010 School Year. “Because the public schools in Prince George’s County open on Monday, August 24, we decided to start the school year off with our well-wishes and prayers, by blessing children’s backpacks,” says St. John’s Rector, the Rev. Paula Clark Green. As a part of the service, donations of school supplies – pens, pencils, paper, ....

Beltville Briefs

Community Yard Sale at Behnke Nursery a Success

Behnke Nursery’s first Community Yard Sale was a fantastic success! The weather was simply beautiful! Blue skies and smiling faces made for lots of fun! Participants set up over 40 tables, and Behnke’s supplemented the yard sale vendors with many items on sale in the garden center as well. Setup was in the early morning hours of July 18, 2009, with the gates opened to waiting shoppers at 8:00 a.m. The Beltsville Lion’s Club sold coffee and donuts for the earlybirds and later offered great hotdogs, chips, drinks and popcorn. The yard sale, located in Behnke’s main parking lot, was a big hit for all!

George A. Fuller, III Earns Eagle Scout Rank

George Fuller, III of Beltsville, son of Denise and George Fuller, Jr., was recently awarded Eagle Scout rank as a member of Boy Scout Troop 298 in College Park. Scoutmaster Michael Belshay, Sr., Advancement Chair Mary Pat Donals and Committee Chairman Bruce Stegmeier participated in an Eagle Board of review chaired on May 5, 2009 by Rosie Gonzalez, Eagle Board Chair for northern Prince George's County.

George’s Eagle Scout service project was completed on April 4, 2009. The project involved organizing and leading a group of Fuller continues on page 2

Chess Club Winners

Members of the Vansville Elementary School Chess Club won 1st place in the elementary division at a tournament held at the Baltimore Freedom Academy. The Chess Club is sponsored by 5th grade teacher, Brian Lanahan. Pictured with their trophy are Jarom Miller, Justin Donawa, Kyle Donn, Bruno To, Donald Phelps, and Brian Bonilla.
Don Conway Receives AVA Award

Don Conway, a Volksmarcher residing in Calverton, received the President’s Award at the bi-annual convention of the American Volksport Association (AVA) held in Richardson, TX during June 15-27. The award cited Mr. Conway for recognizing opportunities to utilize event checkpoints to increase the fun at events; to entertain and educate walkers with educational exhibits for Black Heritage and health fair, adding drawings and refreshments to create positive publicity for the Freestate Happy Wanderers and Volksporting.

Mishraky Earns Chairman’s Award from Leadership Prince George’s Riderwood Dining Services Director Honored for Dedicated Board Service

Magdy Mishraky earned the Chairman’s Award for 2009 from Leadership Prince George’s in recognition of his “exemplary leadership, dedication and commitment to excellence.” Mishraky is the Dining Services Director at Riderwood, an Erickson Living retirement community. Mishraky has served on the Board of Directors for Leadership Prince George’s since 2008. A member of the Event Planning Committee, he is also a “Class 22” 2008 graduate of the leadership training organization.

“Leadership Prince George’s is a dynamic program that allows its partners to build community connections with the public and private sectors,” stated Mishraky. “Strengthening our education system is a priority for me, and Leadership Prince George’s strategically places its participants in positions to make a positive difference in areas of community interest.”

“Riderwood believes in the mission of Leadership Prince George’s and encourages staff involvement,” described Mishraky. “Enhancing the leadership skills of our participants and establishing a network system among community leaders has been invaluable to us. Through Leadership Prince George’s, Riderwood has better learned the pulse of the community, and thus become a stronger neighbor.”

A resident of Towson, Mishraky has served as the Dining Services Director at Riderwood since May 2004. Supervising a staff of six hundred employees, Mishraky oversees the operation of eighteen on-campus restaurants featuring a wide variety of dining experiences from formal to casual for its residents.

The mission of Leadership Prince George’s, Inc. is to support area leaders in refining and improving their leadership skills and expanding professional networks. Additionally, LPG is committed to bringing leaders and citizens of the community together to assess community needs, discuss issues and take action to embrace opportunities and explore challenges facing Prince George’s County. For more information, please visit http://leadershipprincegeorges.memberlodge.org

Several scouts, adults and other volunteers. Some came out to help George who didn’t even know him. All in all, they contributed more than 100 hours to the project. Pastor Faye and the parishioners were pleased with the outcome of George’s project. Today, if you are in the neighborhood, stop by and see some of the flowers that have begun to bloom.

George said, “The Boy Scouts have helped me to be a leader, to help and respect others, and to have the ability to survive in the wilderness.”

George received congratulatory letters and citations from the Governor of Maryland, the Senator of Maryland, the Maryland House of Delegates, and from Prince George’s and Anne Arundel Counties.

He also received congratulatory letters from President Obama, former President George & first lady Barbara Bush, former President Jimmy Carter, United States Senator Barbara Mikulski and Pope Benedict XVI. Among his recognitions are proclamations from County Executive Jack Johnson, Councilman Tom Demoga, and many other officials.

George is currently a senior at the Harbour School in Annapolis, MD. He will graduate in June 2010 and plans to attend college. He is looking at many schools but hasn’t decided which he would like to attend.

Family and friends will be celebrating George’s outstanding accomplishment at his Eagle Court of Honor in early August.
Farrell, Carol Ann Pruitt

Carol Ann Pruitt Farrell, 56, of Colton Point, MD and formerly of Beltsville passed away on July 20, 2009. She was the loving wife of Ronald Farrell and the devoted mother of Chris (Roberta) Moore, Andrew (Heather) Moore, Steven (Stephanie) Vann, Shirley (Nick) Richards, Megan Vann, Lee Ann Farrell and the late Donald Collier. She was the beloved daughter of Shirley Dennell and the late John M. Pruitt, and the stepdaughter of the late Bob Dennell. She was the sister of John (Marsha) Pruitt, special niece of Mazzie Coon. Fourteen grandchildren and one great granddaughter also survive her. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 11007 Montgomery Road, Beltsville, MD on Friday, July 24 at 10:00 a.m. Interment Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Silver Spring, MD. Memorial contributions may be made to Capital Hospice or Make a Wish Foundation. Arrangements by Borgwardt Funeral Home.

Gosman, Francis Harry

Francis Harry Gosman, born in Cumberland, Maryland January 19, 1924 died at his home in Clarks-ville, MD July 14, 2009 after a long battle with prostate cancer. Francis grew up in Beltsville, Maryland and graduated from Hyattsville High School. He wanted to join the Army but was deferred because of his vision. He attended St. Mary’s College, located in Hawley, PA. He was a member of Emmanuel United Methodist Church and sang in the choir for many years. Virginia worked for the last 63 years at the U.S. Government Printing Office. Since 1969, she was responsible for the Congressional Serial Set and received many awards for her life’s work at the Government Printing Office.

Saunders, Virginia E.

Virginia E. Saunders, 82, of Beltsville, MD died at her home on Friday, June 19 after a brief illness. The daughter of the late William and Winifred Frisbie, she was a graduate of Hawley High School, located in Hawley, PA. She was a member of Emmanuel United Methodist Church and sang in the choir for many years.

Obituaries
Patuxent Research Refuge Public Programs in August

All programs are FREE, however, donations to The Friends of Patuxent are greatly appreciated! Programs DO require advance reservations. Reservations are taken by calling 301.497.5887. Please advise us of any special needs so that we may accommodate you. Visit us on the web at www.patuxent.fws.gov for program updates and more info.

Programs Held at the North Tract, located on Rt. 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 32.

Weed Warriors! Wednesday, August 5, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Ages 13+. Non-native invasive plants are threatening our wildlife habitat. We need YOU to help stop them! Bring gloves and water (and hand tools if available).

Nature Hike Saturday, August 8, 10:00-11:30 a.m. All Ages Explore the woods using your senses on this leisurely guided hike.

Wildflower Wanders! Sunday, August 16, 8:30-11:00 a.m. All Ages Discover the role that wildflowers play in the ecosystem and learn to identify some common species on this guided walk. Field guide, water, and hat recommended.

Heron Search Saturday, August 22, 2:00-3:30 p.m. All Ages Join a refuge naturalist on this guided search for reptiles and amphibians. Wear good walking shoes!

Night Hike Tuesday, August 4, 8:00-9:30 p.m. All Ages Saturday, August 22, 8:00-9:30 p.m., Ages 5+. Discover the nighttime world of the refuge as you look and listen for owls, frogs, and other nocturnal animals on this guided walk.

Bird Walk Sunday, August 23, 8:15-10:00 a.m. All Ages Search for birds in several refuge habitats on this guided hike. Field guides and binoculars are recommended.

Programs Held at the National Wildlife Visitor Center located on Powder Mill Road between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 197.

Nature’s Expressions Thursday, August 6 & continuing Thursday August 13, 9:00-11:30 a.m. Ages 15+. The world is one big canvas and what you see is what you get, so come create your masterpiece! Express yourself through painting (oils, acrylic), text, pen, charcoal, markers, pencil watercolors, etc! Note: Dress casually for the indoors and outdoors. Some materials will be provided. Call for more details.

Nature’s Gross-o-logy Thursday, August 6 & continuing Thursday August 13, 9:00-11:30 a.m. Ages 15+. The world is one big canvas and what you see is what you get, so come create your masterpiece! Express yourself through painting (oils, acrylic), text, pen, charcoal, markers, pencil watercolors, etc! Note: Dress casually for the indoors and outdoors. Some materials will be provided. Call for more details.

Busy Beavers Monday, August 10, 1:00-2:00 p.m. Ages 5-7. Ever heard the term ‘busy as a beaver?’ Join us for a guided tour through the habitats of Patuxent Research Refuge on an all-electric, open-air tram. View wildlife and their habitats while discovering the story of how the land has changed over time and how Patuxent is managing habitats for wildlife. Tickets are $4 for adults, $3 for seniors over 55, and $2 for children under 12. Please bring exact change. Space is limited.

Twilight Tram Tour Tuesday, August 11, 7:15-8:00 p.m. All Ages Enjoy a 45 minute guided tour through the habitats of Patuxent Research Refuge on an all-electric, open-air tram. View wildlife and their habitats while discovering the story of how the land has changed over time and how Patuxent is managing habitats for wildlife. Tickets are $4 for adults, $3 for seniors over 55, and $2 for children under 12. Please bring exact change. Space is limited.

Nature’s Gross-o-logy Friday, August 14, 1:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m. Ages 8-10. Some plants and animals are stinky, slimy and just plain disgusting. Why that? To find out the answer, join us as we learn about these creatures in a visual, interactive program, with a craft to follow.

A Fox Tale Puppet Show Saturday, August 15, 11:00 a.m. & 1:45 p.m. National Wildlife Visitor Center All Ages Welcome! NO REGISTRATION NECESSARY. Join us to discover the nighttime world of critters found at Patuxent Research Refuge. Length of introduction and puppet show runs approximately 20 minutes total.

Twilight Tuesdays Please join us this month for our Twilight Tuesdays where grounds stay open later on select Tuesdays so visitors can enjoy Patuxent’s evening air! Grounds will be open until 7:30 p.m. on the North Tract on Tuesday, August 4 and at the National Wildlife Visitor Center on Tuesday, August 11.
and register. Classes will be held no need to call ahead, just come includes a fee of $20.00. There is November 8 beginning at 7:00 p.m. and Cedar Lane) on Tuesday, September 17. Registration for this session its English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) program with Emmanuel United Methodist Church will pick up, clean and store, then will focus- on use of different verb tenses, corre- up for all to enjoy.” Emmanuel United Methodist Church is located at the corner of Powder Mill Road, and Baltimore Avenue, in Beltsville, MD. Church services are held every Sunday morning at 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. with Children’s Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. For more information about the “Blessing of the Back- pack” service, picnic, and/or St. John’s “Back to School” drive, call (301) 937-4292, or check their website at www.saintjohnsbeltsville.org.

Emmanuel United Methodist Church to Continue ESOL Program

Emmanuel United Methodist Church in Beltsville will continue its English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) program with our fall semester running from September 8 through November 17. Registration for this session will be held at the church (11416 Cedar Lane) on Tuesday, September 8 beginning at 7:00 p.m. and includes a fee of $20.00. There is no need to call ahead, just come and register. Classes will be held on the subsequent Tuesday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Supervised care for children 1 year of age and older will be provided for a charge of $1.00 per child per class session. We have three levels of instruction: beginning, interme- diate, and advanced. Lessons on all levels center on subject matter that is associated with everyday life experience. Beginning level instruction stresses developing vocabulary used to describe peo- ple, places, things, and actions, and the use of the present verb tenses and the verb to be. Intermediate and advanced levels of instruction also stress vocabulary develop- ment, and place more emphasis on use of different verb tenses, cor- rect grammar usage, conversation, and reading comprehension.

Emmanuel Iglesia Metodo Unida para continuar Programa ESOL

La Iglesia Emmanuel United Methodist Church iniciará su programa de clases de inglés para el semestre de Octubre. Las inscrip- ciones comenzarán el martes 8 de septiembre a las 7:00 p.m. en la iglesia (11416 Cedar Lane, Belts- ville, MD. 20705). Las clases serán todos los martes de las 7:00-9:00 p.m. comenzando el martes 15 septiembre y terminarán el martes 17 de noviembre. El costo por todo el semestre será de $20. Ten- dremos cuidado para niños desde 1 año de edad en adelante. El costo será de $1 por niño cada semana. Tendremos 3 niveles de inglés: principiantes, intermedios y avan- zados. Acompañaremos y aprenda inglés con nosotros.

AARP Drive Alive Class

The Beltsville Community Center will be hosting the AARP Drive Alive class on October 14 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The cost of the class is $12 for AARP members and $14 for non-mem- bers. Space is very limited so it is important that you sign up at the Center as soon as possible if you want to attend.

Jazz Under the Stars

The Beltsville Recreation Council is sponsoring Jazz Under the Stars on August 15 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Beltsville Community Center. Project Natale will be performing. The event will take place “under the stars” if the weather is nice or in the gym if it should rain. The event is free to the public. Bring a chair or blanket and a basket of food, if you wish. Project Natale has performed in previous years and delivers a smooth, mature style of music.

Present for Pets Campaign

Terrapin Pets of Beltsville has teamed up with Mighty Healthy Pet in College Park to sponsor the Presents for Pets Campaign. Working with the National Association of Professional Pet Sitters to bring attention to the Humane Society’s National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week, November 1-7, 2009, new and gently used pet care supplies are being collected for donation to help the homeless pets at our local shelters. Alley Cat Rescue of Mr. Rainer has been selected to receive cat supplies collected; please contact Christi Fries at Terrapin Pets if your not- for-profit dog organization or shelter could utilize the many dogs’ items coming in. Terrapin Pets will pick up, clean and store, then deliver all donated items; Mighty Healthy Pet has a donation bin inside their College Park Store on Rhode Island Avenue. Items needed include: Toys, Treats, Towels, Bleach, Blankets, Beds, Leashes, Rugs, Collars, Tags, Coupons, Crates, Chow, Potty Stuff, Paper Goods. It’s all good! Contacts: Christi Fries 202.528.3271 www.terrapinfits. com or terrapinfits@gmail.com, National Association of Profes- sional Pet Sitters www.petsitters.org, Mighty Healthy Pet www. mightyhealthypet.com/directions. html

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Rosapepe's Report to Beltsville

By Senator Jim Rosapepe (D-21)

Saving and Improving Laurel Hospital

Delegates Barbara Frush, Joseline Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and I have been working hard to keep Laurel Hospital open and integrating it into a major health care system to improve health care in Beltsville and other communities. We got state funds to keep it open and created the hospital authority to recruit high quality buyers. In mid-August, bidders will make their proposals and we hope that in the fall, they will be committed to serving our community, will be selected. We’ll keep you posted.

New Senior Citizen Center for Beltsville and Laurel

After many years of effort by local leaders, I think we’re finally moving forward to create a 21st century center for meetings, recreation, and fellowship. Counselman Tom Dernoga has made this a major priority of his service. Delegate Frush has taken the lead in pushing it over the finish line. Delegates Peña-Melnyk and Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Moe and the late Delegate Pauline Menes have fought for it as well. Moe and the late Delegate Pauline Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk and Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk and Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian Delegates Peña-Melnyk, Ben Barnes and former Delegate Brian

Help for the unemployed

These are tough times. Too many of our neighbors are losing their jobs. President Obama and Governor O’Malley are leading the fight to help struggling families. This year, the delegates and I voted to increase and expand unemployment insurance. Here’s where you can obtain information to help your family and your neighbors. http://www.dlir.state.md.us/employment/unemployment.shtml

To apply for Unemployment Insurance Benefits: FAQ’s - http://www.dlir.state.md.us/employment/claimfaq.shtml

Health Insurance for the Unemployed

The delegates and I voted to reduce costs for health insurance for the unemployed. Here’s information on how to keep protection. http://www.dol.gov/esa/COBRA.html. www.mdinsurance.state.md.us

Finding a Job

The state has services to help working people find jobs, even in this recession. Check out these websites. Prince George’s County One-Stop Career Center provides job information for people seeking jobs. It has Internet access, fax machines, audio-visual libraries, telephone and copying services to people in need. Contact them for an appointment by calling 301.362.9714.


Maryland Workforce Exchange helps promote your resume and links employers to people willing to work within the state. https://mwde.dlir.state.md.us

Contact Us

Please let us know if there are other issues you have questions or thoughts about. And, of course, feel free to be in touch if we can be of help to you. Just email 21stDistrictDelegation@gmail.com or call 301.858.3141.

District 1 Digest

By Councilman Tom Dernoga

This summer has seen strong good progress on dealing with local stores that cater to adult “entertainment” and cause adverse impact in the Beltsville Community. I have heard repeatedly from Beltsville residents they wanted to see adult “book stores” like these relocated away from residential neighborhoods. I have been working with local residents, the Beltsville Citizens Association, the Police and various County agencies for a lengthy period of time to draft legislation that will address the problem, but not be overturned in court for being unconstitutional. Finally, at the end of June, I presented two pieces of legislation (CB-028-2009 and CB-029 2009) that should get to the root of the problem. I also got a number of co-sponsors: Marilyn Bland (District 9), Will Campos (District 2), Eric Olson (District 3) and Sam Dean (District 6). CB-028-2009 is a bill that

revises the definition of an adult book store, establishes administrative procedures for processing adult book and video store use and occupancy applications, extends the time period that adult book and video stores may continue in operation, addresses continuing the permitting of such stores by right in the I-2 zone (heavy industrial) and increases the requirements for both adult book and video stores. CB 029-2009 is the companion bill to CB-028-2009 and establishes the policies regarding adult book and video stores, provides the purpose and intent of the legislation, requires store licenses, provides for the contents of an adult book store, establishes administrative procedures for processing adult book and video store use and occupancy applications, extends the time period that adult book and video stores may continue in operation, addresses continuing the permitting of such stores by right in the I-2 zone (heavy industrial) and increases the requirements for both adult book and video stores. CB 029-2009 is the companion bill to CB-028-2009 and establishes the policies regarding adult book and video stores, provides the purpose and intent of the legislation, requires store licenses, provides for the contents of an adult book and video store license applica-

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**Club News**

**Beltsville Lions**

The Club’s 51st Charter/Installation Night was held on the evening of Tuesday, June 23, at The Villa in Beltsville. Special guests included Past International Director Joe Gaffigan who served as installing officer, District Vice Governor Sandi & Lion Bill Hal-terman, Hyattsville Lions Rotimi Raji and Susie Rhabb and their spouses, and President Louis Camara of the Montgomery County Ninba Lions Club.

Charter member Clyde Burt received an International Presi-dent’s certificate of commendation marking 51 years of service to the Club. President Camillo DiCamillo received a Melvin Jones Fellowship, and Lions Ted Ladd & Kevin Kennedy also received International President’s certifi-cates of commendation.

Janet Hartwell and her hus-band also attended and shared their table with the new mem-bers of the Hyattsville Lions Club. Janet’s father, Howard Jes-neck, most recently served as the Hyattsville Lions Club treasurer. He was unable to attend, so Janet addressed the assembly of Lions and guests and presented checks from the Hyattsville Lions Club to Leader Dog, the Lions Com-munity Outreach Foundation, the Lions Vision Research Founda-tion, Lions Camp Merrick, the Band Scholarship program and to the current Treasurer of the Hyattsville Lions Club.

Installed as club officers were President Ted Ladd, Secretary Michael Musachio, Treasurer Andy Rolle, 1st VP Kevin Ken-nedy, 2nd VP Charlie Deegan, 3rd VP Ann Ladd, Tail Twister DeeDee Musachio, Lion Tamer Rick Zer-be, Permanent Director Clyde Burt, Board members Shirl Akers, Ginger Hand, Bobbie Deegan & Kuert Straubinger and Member-ship Chair Camillo DiCamillo.

In July, club members participated in a Community yard sale at Behnke Nursery on the 18th, sponsored a blood drive at the Beltsville Community Center on the 21st, and provided vision, hear-ing and glaucoma screening at a health fair at Baxter Corporation in Beltsville on the 24th.

So far this year, members have turned in 333 pairs of used eye-glasses to the Lions Community Outreach Foundation in Seabrook. The glasses were deposited in Beltsville Lions collection boxes at four locations: the Beltsville library, Brewer & Marshall Optici-ans, COSTCO, and Kaiser Per-manente.

Club members are looking for-ward to participating in National LIONS continues on page 14

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The time has come once again to do what our name implies, rotate. Therefore, we recently held our election of officers for the 2009-2010 administrative year. This was followed by a very pleasant installation held at the Sheraton Hotel in Calverton and orchestrated by Past President, Nancy Randall. The events of the evening unfolded quite nicely beginning with the social hour that included the very talented keyboardist, Chris, from High Point High School providing music for our listening entertainment that was followed by a delicious dinner. Next on the agenda was retiring President, John Moynihan, who presented some special awards to deserving members. This was followed by the installation of newly elected officers for 2009-10 by Past District Governor, Bob Grill. The evening ended with much fun and fellowship with the taking of pictures for our history. Richard “Rick” Salamy was installed as our Club President, Howard Phoebus as our Vice President, Joyce Malin as our Secretary and John Tvelia as Treasurer. We wish Rick well as he assumes the mantle of leadership for this coming year and pledge our continued support for his efforts.

Other events that have occurred include the presentation of the Beltsville Club history by Rotarian George Krzywicki, and the return visit of Jane Meyers, President of the Lubuto Library Project. Rotarian Eleanor Frierson, acting director of the Beltsville Agricultural Library, brought Meyers to our attention several years ago. Meyers was seeking support to build libraries in Zambia and provide educational opportunities to this impoverished area. This was just the kind of thing to spark our interest. It had to do with children, education and reading, storytelling, arts and mentoring programs. Meyers has been successful in connecting American volunteers and students with their African peers and in partnering volunteers and students with their African peers and in partnering.

Meyers deserves all the accolades she receives for founding a non-profit organization that creates indigenously-styled, model libraries with excellent collections and programs for Africa’s most vulnerable children, giving them literacy skills and opportunities for educational growth, discovery and joy through reading, storytelling, arts and mentoring programs. Meyers has been successful in connecting American volunteers and students with their African peers and in partnering with governments and colleagues and establishing funding to insure sustainability and growth to develop the Lubuto Library Project. Conducting the installation of newly elected officers of the Rotary Club of Beltsville for 2009-10 is Past District Governor, Bob Grill. Inducted were Rick Salamy as Club President, Joyce Malin as Secretary, John Tvelia as Treasurer and Howard Phoebus as Vice President.
June 28th saw a change in the leadership of College Park Unit #217 of the American Legion Auxiliary when I was privileged to install our new officers at the joint installation of Post, Unit and SAL officers. Elected to lead our Unit this coming year are Diananna Nix as President, Angela Rodriguez as 1st Vice President and Treasurer, Patricia Glover-Davis as 2nd Vice President, Mary Keller as Chaplain, Patricia Ferguson as Sgt-At-Arms, with myself serving as Secretary. Executive Committee members are Joan Stewart, Judy Beard and Eleanor Peacock. If past years are any indication of what is to come, there will be challenges as well as triumphs ahead for our members as we continue to serve our veterans, our youth and our communities.

One of President Diananna’s first duties was to conduct, along with Chaplain Mary Keller, a memorial service for deceased member Nancy Pierce on July 11th at the Post Home. Several members spoke of their knowledge of Nancy during her last years.

Our American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary Department Convention was held from July 14th thru the 18th in Ocean City, MD. Our elected delegates were Angela Rodriguez, Mary Keller, Joan Stewart, Patricia Ferguson and Ann Hanyok while I was a delegate at large. Many of us arrived at the ocean on the 11th and had a few days of fun in the sun before the business of the convention began. The weather was great! During the week many things occurred, beginning with the first annual Past SMD President’s Luncheon held on Monday where the attendees presented a skit to entertain the attendees. This was followed by a special lunch with my district officers at my favorite restaurant in Ocean City, The Marina Deck. On Wednesday morning, bright and early at 8:00 a.m., Dept. President, Rusty Beeg, opened the convention. Many special speakers brought greetings and gifts, elections were held for the Department Officers for 2009-2010 as well as the Delegates and Alternates to the National Convention being held in Louisville in August, and other business was conducted. On Wednesday evening there was an Officer’s Dinner where the seven District Presidents presented a skit to entertain the audience. This was followed later in the evening with a joint Memorial service for all deceased members during the year. The following day, after the business was concluded, the awards were presented to the winning Units. College Park Unit #217 received thirteen awards. We took third place in Americanism, Children & Youth, Community Service, Public Relations, Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation and Home Service. We received second place in Chaplain, Legislative, National Security, Past President’s Parley, Most Complete Publicity Report and Family Contact. We did take first place in Education. When one considers how many Units there are in the Department of Maryland and how many members there are in our Unit, this coming year are Diananna Nix-President, Ivy Christoffers-Secretary and Installing Officer, Mary Keller-Chaplain, Pat Ferguson-Sgt-At-Arms, Joan Stewart-Executive Committee member, Judy Beard-Executive Committee member and Patricia Glover-Davis-2nd Vice President.

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The following day, Tuesday, was the Department Executive meeting followed by the Southern Maryland District Caucus where we elected Rocky Berry as the SMD President for 2009-2010. Given her bubbly personality, this should be another fun year. This was followed by a special lunch with my district officers at my favorite restaurant in Ocean City, The Marina Deck. On Wednesday morning, bright and early at 8:00 a.m., Dept. President, Rusty Beeg, opened the convention. Many special speakers brought greetings and gifts, elections were held for the Department Officers for 2009-2010 as well as the Delegates and Alternates to the National Convention being held in Louisville in August, and other business was conducted. On Wednesday evening there was an Officer’s Dinner where the seven District Presidents presented a skit to entertain the audience. This was followed later in the evening with a joint Memorial service for all deceased members during the year. The following day, after the business was concluded, the awards were presented to the winning Units. College Park Unit #217 received thirteen awards. We took third place in Americanism, Children & Youth, Community Service, Public Relations, Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation and Home Service. We received second place in Chaplain, Legislative, National Security, Past President’s Parley, Most Complete Publicity Report and Family Contact. We did take first place in Education. When one considers how many Units there are in the Department of Maryland and how many members there are in our Unit, this coming year are Diananna Nix-President, Ivy Christoffers-Secretary and Installing Officer, Mary Keller-Chaplain, Pat Ferguson-Sgt-At-Arms, Joan Stewart-Executive Committee member, Judy Beard-Executive Committee member and Patricia Glover-Davis-2nd Vice President.

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Summer Fun

Summer Camp has been so much fun for our toddlers at Paint Branch Montessori School! For one thing, the weather was so delightful, which made playing outside even more enjoyable! Each week has brought about crafts, games, songs and snacks related to a different theme. The children have participated in learning about themselves by tracing their bodies on a large piece of paper. There have been science experiments exploring such things as what happens when you mix vinegar with baking soda, and there has been a lot of interest in the many different kinds of animals we have all around us. We had some “creepy” spiders join us one morning! In the upcoming weeks, our toddlers will “travel” to countries around the world and sample food, music and art from other cultures. They will cook and make their own cookbooks. To top all of the fun from the summer, the end of camp we will have a carnival week with lots of games, water activities, face painting, creative crafts, and yummy treats to eat!

There is still an opportunity for children ages 2 thru 12 to join in the remaining weeks of summer camp at Paint Branch Montessori School. Please call the office on 301.937.2244 to sign up for a week or two!

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High Point High School PTSA Officers for 2009-10

The High Point High School (HPHS) Parents, Teachers and Students Association (PTSA) has elected officers to serve during this next school year. They are: President, Deborah Harris; Vice President, Priscilla Ugoli; Treasurer, Elaine Chabot; and Secretary, Rosa Lohr.

In other school news, HPHS has a mandatory uniform policy that will be effective the first day at school. You can go to our web page to see the requirements at http://www.1.pgcps.org/high-point/

We are having a breakfast for the teachers on August 17th. Any donations of food, money, and time will be appreciated. This offers a great opportunity to come and meet the teachers and staff. Come and help support, “The community that we all live in.”

Our next regular meeting will be held on August 11 in room 108 at 7:00 p.m. and everyone is welcome to come.

Please be reminded to change or renew your Giant, Safeway and Target cards. Here are the numbers for HPHS: Giant 00370 www.giantfood.com/aplus, Safeway 6621631 www.escrip.com, Target 58331 www.target.com. Then go to bottom of the page to education. If you have any questions, please email hphs2009@yahoo.com.

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School News

Summer Program at Paint Branch Montessori School is Fun!!

The summer program at Paint Branch Montessori provides a wonderful breath of fresh air for children during summer! The learning doesn’t stop, but the fun is more apparent than ever. Each week craft, games and lessons revolve around a child-friendly theme. Participants have already conducted science experiments, explored nature, and learned about animals. The activities are meant to provide information, foster collaboration and stimulate minds.

For animal week, the group of 3, 4 and 5 year olds joined together to make a papier-mâché ant using their time to learn about insect anatomy, “Head, thorax and abdomen,” the kids could be heard saying as they attached wet newspaper to each part.

A papier-mâché ant made at Paint Branch Montessori School

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fall into our size category, we did very well indeed. Congratulations to all the members for their hard work that brought us so much recognition. That afternoon we were entertained by the Past Department Presidents at our annual PPP luncheon and had a prize drawing of many gifts donated for this purpose. Later on in the afternoon it was time for was the annual poker game held in our hospitality suite which was under the supervision of Commander Glen Butler, his wife Karen and daughter. They did a fantastic job. Friday was the installation of the new department officers for 2009-2010 and Mary Lou Kline of Morrell Park Unit #137 was elected to lead us into the future. I was elected to the position of Department Historian. Our membership theme was presented and it should be most inspiring; “All Gave Some, But Some Gave All,” with an Eagle as the visual sign of Unity and Strength. It was a very well conducted convention and enjoyed by all who attended. Later that afternoon there was an open house at Post #166 to meet our newly elected leaders. Now it is time to formulate our plans for the coming year. As you can see, we are a very active Unit in College Park and always on the lookout for new members to join us. If you have any questions, call 301.595.5225 and I will try to answer them for you.

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1965 Qbl. Frank Scott Dr., College Park. Call 301.864.6039 for information on special events and the Hollywood Flies film series. Thursday: 3:00-2:00 p.m., Museum admission is $4.00 for adults, $3.00 for seniors, and $2.00 for children. Children under 2 admitted free. Tours for groups of 10 or more are available by appointment.

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT
Tuesday, August 4, 6:00-8:00 p.m. on the grounds of the Beltsville Library, 4321 Sel-
man Road. Free food, fun and activities for the whole family. Hotdog and Fire Department displays will include police cars, motorcycles, horse mounted unit, helicopter, fire trucks, bomb robot and more.

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Monday, May 4 at 7:00 p.m. at Franklin Brown Building, Vansville Recreation Park, 11733 Old Baltimore Pike, Vansville.

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Monday, August 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the Belts-
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I haven’t written about this much, but I was appointed by the Governor to serve on the Maryland board of dental examiners. I have just been reinstated for another four years. As a member, my role is to protect the consumer: that’s you and me. Everything we discuss at the board meetings is confidential, but there are a few things I can pass on to you. The board members feel that consumers should not have whitening or Botox performed at malls or variety stores. These procedures can be dangerous and board members feel that a professional dentist or hygienist should perform these functions, not a plumber in a white coat.

In the consumer corner, I was a witness to a shouting match, well part of one, I left before it came to blows. I was behind a car about 100 yards or so and a man was cutting his grass and wanted to keep perfect rows. So when he came to the end of a row he cut back a full stride into the path of the car. Each called the other an idiot for not paying attention, but I feel both were equally at fault. An old saying comes to mind, “You can be right, in the right, or DEAD RIGHT,” while you are doing the right thing, so to speak.

Last month I wrote a company from which I purchased slacks in the past. In all honesty, I must tell you that that company in NJ that charged my card gave me credit for all the months they billed me. You remember the $14.95 from last month’s article. I also received a note from a gentleman asking what my point was regarding the ad about the people sitting in bathtubs. The point was that it is a great ad. It would work if they were selling corn flakes or anything else. The tubs have no connection to sex, any more than the ad with two eyeballs on a stack of money.

Many months ago I complained about a mistake with the lights at the new intersection of Powder Mill Road and Gunpowder Road. The mistake was that the left turn sign was next to the wrong light, causing confusion. I have another one. Traveling south on Gunpowder Road through that intersection to Powder Mill Road, it’s very hard to pick up the red light while doing 30 MPH. There are two lights. One is blocked from view and the other is not so the driver can pick it up quickly. There have been a couple of fender benders and I have seen some close calls myself. I just hope that no one gets hurt because of the poor placement of the lights.

Coming north, there is an early warning light on Powder Mill. Just a word about the fall class; those that have signed up are on the list. I have one or two spots left. Starts October 5th, Interested? I have a good saying for you from my banker’s newsletter, “Creativity is allowing yourself to make mistakes. Art is knowing which ones to keep.” Bakerbill1@verizon.net For recipes check Bakerbill.net

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Night Out on the grounds of the Beltsville Library on the evening of August 4. Members will help to prepare and serve hot dogs and hamburgers, while others provide vision, hearing and glaucoma screening in the Lions District 22-C mobile health unit. You will recognize our blue shirts.

While it’s still in the planning stages, the Club’s annual silent auction will be held in the Grand Ballroom of The Villa in Calverton on the evening of Tuesday, October 27, 6:00-9:00 p.m. A great meal will be offered at the usual cost of $35 per person. The meal will offer a choice of three entrées: Grilled Tenderloin of Beef, Pan Seared Mahi Mahi, or Chicken Marsala. Attendees may survey the display of items in the silent auction and make their bids until 8:00 p.m. A live auction of selected items will follow.

On another subject, the Club supports Lions Camp Merrick located on the Potomac River in Nanjemoy, MD. The camp, consisting of some 320 acres, provides camping opportunities to hundreds of special needs children each year. The campers include hard-of-hearing, blind and diabetic children. Recently Camp Merrick started a campaign to raise funds in an attempt to help meet the annual budget commitment of almost $500,000. In this regard, the Camp installed a “Patricia’s Circle” surrounding the main camp flagpole. The Patriot’s Circle consists of more than 3,000 bricks that may be engraved in memory of a friend, to mark a wedding, an anniversary, a birth or passing. The Beltsville Lions decided to purchase 10 bricks in memory of our 10 most recently departed members. These memorial bricks have been ordered and will be installed soon. They are in memory of these great Lions and friends: Herbert “Herb” Mather, Robert “Bob” Young, Ernest “Ernie” Jorgensen, Harry Walker, William “Bill” Fadday, Ralph W. “Bill” Bowers, Honorary Member Albert Behnke, Donald “Don” DeLauter, Honorary Member Edward J. Wootten, and John, “Mac” McFarland.

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full of treasures and it sounds like everyone would like to come back next year! Over $800.00 was raised for the Lion’s Club that will apply these funds to helping needy persons in Beltsville. Mark your calendars for July 2010 for the next Community Yard Sale. Also, don’t forget to check Behnke’s website (or sign up for email alerts) to find out about upcoming events, including the second annual Chili Cookoff, the Dog Days of August, our first pet-oriented weekend.

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tion, establishes time frames and administrative procedures for the licenses, provides for zoning compliance and provides guidelines for the approval, denial and revocation of an adult book and video store license.

Both bills were referred to the Planning, Zoning, and Economic Development Committee (PZED) for review and consideration. The PZED Committee voted 5-0 to recommend approval of both bills. A Public Hearing is now scheduled for September 9, 2009 at 1:30 PM. To ensure that these bills are adopted, I now need your assistance in testifying in support at the public hearing. It is time to eliminate these community impacts, and we need to hear from those affected.

I strongly encourage you and your neighbors to attend the September Public Hearing and to send your comments to Ree Floyd, Clerk of the County Council:
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I look forward to seeing you at the September public hearing. In the meantime have a great and safe summer.
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