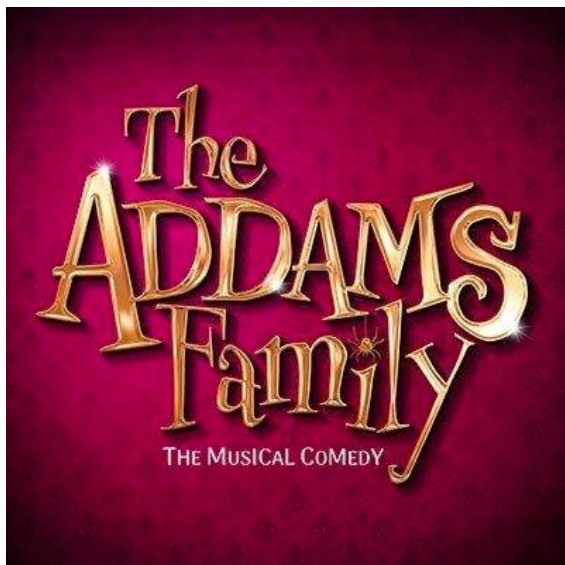


**The Howard Hughes Corporation Offering Free Trees
to Howard County Residents for Arbor Day**

The Howard Hughes Corporation is providing 300 trees to residents of Howard County through the Community Canopy Project, an Arbor Day Foundation program that helps expand the tree canopies of cities and towns across the United States. Howard County residents can reserve their free trees at www.arborday.org/howardhughes.



Come see a Broadway show right here in Columbia! Silhouette Stages presents The Addams Family at Slayton House Theatre on October 12, 13, 19, 20, 26 & 27 at 8pm, and October 21 and 28 at 3pm. To purchase tickets [click here](#)



**Running Brook Elementary
Seeking Donations for Blessings in
a Backpack**

Blessings in a Backpack is a non-profit organization that works to support elementary school students who are at-risk for hunger. Each Friday during the school year, students supported by this program receive supplemental food to ensure they don't go hungry over the weekend. Running Brook Elementary School is seeking donations to help feed RBES kids. For more information on this program, contact [Andrea Frank](#) or [Jane Hartlove](#). To donate directly, on-line to the Running Brook Elementary School account, please [click here](#)

Message from the Covenant Adviser about Leaves

Saturday was the first day of autumn, but the sycamore trees are already losing their leaves. If you have sycamores along the street side of your property, please be mindful about raking and bagging them so they don't end up in the street and potentially create a slippery hazard. Wilde Lake Community Association appreciates your cooperation!

Wilde Halloween!

With Magic by



Kick off the Halloween season with us on Friday, October 12, from 3:30pm-6:00pm. Have some fun in moon bounces on the Village Green beginning at 3:30pm, then enjoy a magic show by Drew Blue Shoes in Slayton House Theatre from 4:30pm-5pm, followed by trick or treating in the Wilde Lake Village Center.

This event is FREE for Wilde Lake Residents. Advance registration is required. Please email Rachael Strube at camp@wildelake with your name, number of adults, number of children, and street address by Thursday, October 11.

Non-Residents \$5.00 per person and tickets can be purchased online at BrownPaperTickets.com Keyword Wilde Halloween or in person at Slayton House (cash only).

Mark Your Calendars!

For more events, visit [our website](#)

- **September 29:** Wilde Lake Shredding and E-cycle event at Faulkner Ridge Neighborhood Center 9am - 12noon. For Wilde Lake residents only
- **October 1:** WLVB meeting, 6:30pm. (Agenda posted Thursday before meeting) ([WLVB agenda](#))
- **October 9 & 23:** RAC meeting, 7:30pm ([RAC agenda](#))
- **October 12:** Wilde Halloween at Slayton House, 3:30-6:30pm
- **October 13:** Skill Share Fair at East Columbia Library, 1-4pm
- **October 14:** Africa CultureFest, Howard County Library, Miller Branch, 1:30-4:30pm
- **October 15:** Board of Education Candidates' Forum at Oakland Mills, 7pm
- **October 19:** 50+ Expo at Wilde Lake High School, 9am-4pm [Click here for information](#)